

## APPENDIX

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MILITARY FORCES OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE IN THE FIRST WORLD WAR  
(Tables extracted from the "Statistics of the Military Effort of the British Empire.")\*

RECRUITMENT IN PROPORTION TO POPULATION

\*For statistics of Allied and enemy forces, and details of Australian enlistments, casualties, etc., the reader is referred to *Vol. XI, pp. 871-4*, and to the *Australian Official Medical History, Vol. I, pp. 860 et seq.*, and *Vol. III Chapter XVII.*

Country.	Total enlistments from all sources to 11th Nov. 1918	Estimated total population in July, 1914.	Percentage of total population represented by enlistments.	Estimated male population in July, 1914.	Percentage of male population represented by enlistments.
† England	4,006,158	*34,618,346	11.57	16,681,181	24.02
† Wales	272,924	2,489,202	10.96	1,268,284	21.52
Scotland	557,618	4,849,500	11.50	2,351,843	23.71
Ireland	134,202	4,374,500	3.07	2,184,193	6.14
Total	4,970,902	46,331,548	10.73	22,485,501	22.11

\* In the population of England, the Isle of Man (50,000) is included, but the Channel Islands (100,000) are not included.  
† Excluding Monmouthshire.  
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Country.	Total sent overseas or undergoing training as at 1st Nov. 1918.	Estimated total white male population at July, 1911	Percentage of total white male population represented by total recruited.
*Canada	458,218	3,400,000	13.48
Australia	331,814	2,470,000	13.43
New Zealand	112,223	580,000	19.35
††South Africa	76,184	685,000	11.12
Newfoundland	6,173	.....	...

\* Canada—The total population is only shown in respect of those born in Canada or in British Isles  
† South Africa—The total population shown comprises the Cape Province, Natal, the Transvaal, and the Orange Free State  
‡ Includes East Africa, but excludes troops employed in the German South-West African campaign who number approximately 50,000

It is to be noted that the percentages in the lower table are based on troops sent overseas, or undergoing training at the end of the war, whereas those in the upper are based on enlistments. The military enlistments in Australia were 412,953 which would give a percentage of 16.72. Many who enlisted, however, were discharged from camps of training without leaving Australia.

# CASUALTIES

APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF CASUALTIES FROM 4TH AUGUST, 1914 TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1920

	Number of soldiers who lost their lives in, and through, the Great War.*			Number of wounds received by soldiers.			Number of reported prisoners of war.		
	Officers.	Other Ranks.	Total.	Officers.	Other Ranks.	Total.	Officers.	Other Ranks.	Total.
	† British Isles . . . . .	37,452	664,958	702,410	79,445	1,583,180	1,662,625	6,482	163,907
‡ Indian Empire (a) British	1,382	1,011	2,393	1,733	592	2,325	172	22	194
(b) Indian	904	61,152	62,056	1,680	65,209	66,889	258	10,812	11,070
Dominion of Canada . . . .	2,887	53,752	56,639	6,347	143,385	149,732	236	3,493	3,729
Commonwealth of Australia	2,862	56,468	59,330	6,304	145,867	152,171	173	3,911	4,084
Dominion of New Zealand . .	735	15,976	16,711	1,724	39,593	41,317	10	488	498
Union of South Africa . . . .	336	6,785	7,121	569	11,460	12,029	70	1,468	1,538
Newfoundland . . . . .	54	1,150	1,204	65	2,249	2,314	6	144	150
Other Colonies . . . . .	91	416	507	158	652	810	..	....	....
<b>Total . . . . .</b>	<b>46,703</b>	<b>861,668</b>	<b>908,371</b>	<b>98,025</b>	<b>1,992,187</b>	<b>2,090,212</b>	<b>7,407</b>	<b>184,245</b>	<b>191,652</b>

\* Killed in action, died of wounds, died as prisoners of war, and missing officers and other ranks whose deaths have been accepted for official purposes.

† Regular and Territorial Forces and Royal Naval Division.

‡ Units and drafts serving with the Indian Army.

Note by Australian Official Historian. It is now estimated that the figure 331,814, representing embarkations from Australia, includes some 6,000 embarkations by men who had already once embarked, and who returned and re-enlisted