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The Whaling Committee of The International Council for the Study of the Sea passed the following recommendation at the meeting held in London on April 10, 1929:—

The Committee is unanimous in asking the Council to request the Norwegian Government to organize a central institution to collect statistics from the whaling industry throughout the world, on the understanding that a report be laid before this Committee yearly.

In this recommendation it was further suggested as being desirable:—

- 1.—That the statistics be collected from every country, also from such as are not members of The International Council for the Study of the Sea.
- 2.—That statistics for previous years be collected—at least for every post-war year—from all countries.
- 3.—That a list be submitted each year of all whaling companies in operation, with particulars of the number of catchers employed.
 - 4.—That the statistics be given yearly, if possible.

The Council thereupon transmitted this recommendation to the Norwegian Government, who have acted upon it by appointing on August 16, 1929 a committee comprising Messrs. Gunnar Jahn, Director of the Norwegian Statistical Central Bureau (Chairman), Professor Johan Hjort, and Sigurd Risting, Secretary of the Norwegian Whalers' Association, to plan and publish the statistics solicited by The International Council for the Study of the Sea.

The Committee first inquired into the possibility of building international statistics upon the official returns of the various countries. It was soon found, however, that such returns would not serve the purpose and that the best results would be obtained by employing the whaling statistics collected for several years by the Norwegian Whalers' Association.

This Association, through its secretary Mr. Sigurd Risting, has endeavoured to collect statistics of the whaling industry throughout

the world during a long term of years. Its main object has been to furnish a picture of the progress of whaling operations at the several grounds from year to year, primarily by procuring particulars of the number of whales caught of the different species, the number of expeditions, catchers, and so forth. In addition, an attempt has been made to collect measurements in respect of the whales killed, information relating to the habits of the whale, and so on, with a view procuring material that might throw light upon biological conditions. This information has been collected by means of forms (see page 23) sent out with each expedition. The forms have been filled in for a number of years by all Norwegian whalers and by a very large percentage of foreign companies, e.g., by the Argentine and British. Generally speaking, the forms contain all the information desired, and they have been used by whalers for several years. It has therefore been deemed advisable to use them also for the seasons 1929-30 and For some countries the Whalers' Association has not had such returns. This applies to Japan, whose official statistics, it may be mentioned, contain fairly complete returns of the Japanese whaling industry, and also to the United States and Chile. To these countries the Committee sent such forms through the Norwegian ofForeign Affairs. but they have not yet returned, and the Committee has therefore had to build upon information from printed sources. Consequently it has not been possible to give such a detailed specification of the catches for those two countries.

Some of the material collected by the Whalers' Association has been prepared and published earlier, partly in the *Norsk Hvalfangertidende* (Norwegian Whalers' Gazette) and partly in Sigurd Risting's "Whales and Whale Foetuses", published by The International Council for the Study of the Sea in 1928.

After considering the various points in the recommendation of The Council for the Study of the Sea the Committee resolved to proceed first of all with the preparation of statistics for the past ten years comprising the number of whales of various species killed, number of expeditions and catchers. On the other hand, the Committee found it would not be able to deal with the measurement returns at present, although it is intended to reconsider the question next year, time permitting. Moreover, the Committee has set itself the task of preparing statistics for a further ten years back, so as to get continuous whaling statistics from the year 1910. The reason why this first publication does not go back beyond 1920 is that the Committee has not been in a position to prepare the material for the period 1910-20. A quantity of matter is available also for that decade, but many particulars are wanting in the material which the Committee is in possession

of, and it will require time to secure them. The Committee quite realises that it would have been an advantage to publish the statistics for the whole of the 20-years period in one report, but, on the other hand, the Committee deemed it of such importance to make the returns for the post-war period available as speedily as possible that it could not further postpone publication.

The Committee has considered it unnecessary to print a nominative list of all expeditions, seeing that such lists are printed each year in the *Norsk Hvalfangerregister* (Norwegian Whalers' Register), which is accessible to all.

The Committee entrusted its member Mr. Sigurd Risting with the preparation of the statistics.

The returns now published by the Committee contain the following information:—

The number of whales of various species caught each year and for each ground in 1919-20 up to and including 1928-29. For each of these years particulars are also given of shore stations that have been in operation, floating factories, and the number of catchers engaged. In addition, there is detailed information respecting the whaling industry of Norway, Great Britain, and of other countries in regard to year and grounds. The tables are arranged in such a way that the catches in each area may be traced from one year to another and so as to show the distribution of catches over the various areas. For the 1928-29 season special information is furnished of the catch of each country. Besides these returns, Table 6 gives particulars of quantity of oil extracted from a calculated blue-whale for each of the companies operating in the years 1924-25 to 1928-29 at the various Antarctic grounds. In this calculation 1 blue-whale is taken to equal 2 finbacks= $2\frac{1}{2}$ humpbacks=6 sei-whales.

The division of the grounds followed in the statistics has been adopted in order as far as possible to afford an appraisement of the whale stock from one year to another.

The catches in the Antarctic have thus been specified for S. Georgia, S. Shetlands, S. Orkneys, and Ross Sea—and for the last year also for the remaining area along the ice edge of South Polar regions.

The catch along the coasts of Africa is given in a separate group, as is also that along the coasts of Australia.

The more local occurrences of whale off the coasts of Spain and Portugal are also given separately.

Another separate group is the catch in northern seas, i.e., North Atlantic waters bordering on the Arctic. This group comprises catches on both sides of the Atlantic.

The catch on the Pacific coast is divided into two groups:—The catch to the north of the Equator and that to the south of it.

And lastly, the catch in East Asiatic waters is given in a separate group.

The division into areas which has been adopted has not been carried very far in several instances, as, for example, African coast, North Pacific, North Atlantic. The Committee is quite aware of the desirability of a further division of the catch in these areas, but is of opinion that such a division could be more adequately effected in next year's statistics comprising twenty years.

As previously mentioned, the figures in these statistics are preponderatingly based upon returns from each company. Those for Japan are taken from Japanese fishery statistics, and those for the United States catch on the Pacific coast are from "The Pacific Fisherman" and from official returns for Alaska. It will be observed that the figures for the various species of whale are very incomplete in these latter statistics. From Mr. Remington Kellogg, Washington, the Committee has received the following particulars relating to Alaska, British Columbia, and California:—

| | | | Species | of whal | es caugh | t | | | | E | xpedition | as. |
|-------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------------|----------|-----|-------|-----------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------|
| Year, | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | | hers. | Total. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catch- ers. |
| | | | | | | | | | Gallons. | | | |
| 1920 | 81 | 194 | 458 | 5 | 91 | | 729 | 1558 | 1,157,570 excl. Alaska | 9 | ? | ? |
| 1921 | - | 15 | 199 | - | 2 | 2) | 51 | 267 | 354,372 ,, ,, | | | |
| | | | | | | ĺ ′ | | | and Br. Columbia | 4 | (1)? | ? |
| 1922 | 81 | 303 | 745 | 1 | 108 | 3) | 5 | 1243 | 2,107,723 | 7 | , , | |
| 1923 | 91 | 332 | 1025 | 54 | 111 | 4 | 5 | 1618 | 1,983,603 | 6 | | |
| 1924 | 103 | 294 | | 100 | | 5 | 29 | (943)1017 | 1,669,801 | 6 | | |
| 1925 | 65 | 406 | 291 | 68 | į. | 6) | 4 | 945 | 775,379 excl. Alaska | 7 | | (1) ? |
| 1926 | 29 | 372 | 429 | 50 | | 75 | 4 | 967 | 724,523 ,, ,, | (4) ? | (1) ? | 9 |
| 1927 | 45 | 260 | | 10 | | | 256 | | 778 867 | (2)? | (1) ? | 9 |
| 1928 | 201 | $\frac{230}{421}$ | 251 | $\frac{16}{26}$ | | 9 | 10 | | 1 905 769 | 3 | (1)? | 9 |
| 1929 | $\frac{201}{216}$ | 422 | | 81 | 158 | 105 | 2 | | 1,526,247 | 3 | (1)? | 9 |

^{1) 236} belugas and 493 without spec. 2) 1 grey-whale and 50 belugas. 3) Grey-whales. 4) 2 grey-whales, 1 right-whale and 2 bow-heads. 5) 1 grey-whale, 1 right-whale, 25 bow-heads, and 2 belugas. 6) 3 grey-whales and 1 right-whale. 7) 1 grey-whale and 3 right-whales. 8) 1 right-whale and 255 without spec. 9) 4 grey-whales and 6 right-whales. 10) 1 grey-whale and 1 right-whale.

These figures, it will be seen, do not agree with those returned in the present publication. This is due partly to the fact that the figures in the latter comprise all catches north of the Equator in the Pacific and partly to Mr. Remington Kellogg's lacking returns for certain years in respect of one or two Norwegian companies. As the figures in the present publication are higher on the whole, the Committee has deemed it advisable to adhere to them in their present form, even though the specification be incomplete. In addition to these somewhat incomplete returns we may mention that the figures for oil production

in 1927 and those of the number of whales and of production in 1928 and 1929 on the coast of Chile are not available. For these years the production is given at an estimate, but not the number of whales.

Apart from these deficiences the statistics are as complete as it is possible to make them. Some of the figures have been published before, but such complete statistics have never before been given for so long a term of years. The Committee hopes to be able to fill up the remaining gaps in next year's report.

The Committee has considered the necessity of making a thorough analysis of the statistical material now available. For many reasons such a course has been found desirable, but it has nevertheless been deemed advisable to leave this matter over for the present and wait until the complete survey of the whaling industry for the past twenty years is finished. Not until then will these statistics give a reliable statistical basis on which to appraise the expansion of this industry. The fact is that statistics for 1920-29 begin in a period when the whaling industry was at a low level. The previous peak had been reached in 1913, and conclusions as to the expansion of the industry cannot be drawn until a complete account of the yield in that year is forthcoming.

Oslo, September 1930.

Johan Hjort. Gunnar Jahn. Sigurd Risting.

Table No. 1.—Whaling in the years 1919/20—1928/29.

| | | i | Species o | of whale | s caught | | | | E: | xpedition | 18. |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|------------|-------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Geographical areas. Years. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| I.—Summary for all geographical areas in the years:— | | | | | | | | $\begin{array}{c} \text{Barrel} = \\ \frac{1}{6} \text{ ton.}^{1} \end{array}$ | | | |
| 1919 · 20 and summer 1920 1920 · 21 ", ", 1921 | 2,274 2,987 | 4,946 6,904 | 545 603 | 1,120 687 | 749 751 | 1,735 242 | 11,369 12,174 | | 33 14 | 6 8 | 154 112 |
| 1921-22 ,, ,, 1922 1922-23 ., ,, 1923 | 5,275 | 4,494 | 1,162 | 781 | 820 | 1,408 | | | 25 | 10 | 142 |
| 1002.94 " 1004 | 6,869 4,845 | 6,723 $6,894$ | 1,979 $1,206$ | 898 1,719 | 1 | 1,052 $1,225$ | | | 29 32 | 16 19 | 174 194 |
| 1924-25 ,, ,, 1925 | 7,548 | 9,121 | 3,342 | 1,093 | | 710 | | | 37 | 22 | 234 |
| 1925-26 ,, ,, 1926 | 7,227 | 14,264 | 3,038 | 1,494 | | 588 | , | | 36 | 23 | 234 |
| 1926 27 ,, ,, 1927 | 8,715 | 8,608 | 2,548 | 1,997 | | 733 | | | 34 | 22 | 232 |
| 1927-28 ,, ,, 1928 1928-29 ,, ,, 1929 | 9,627 $13,650$ | 7,053 | 1,481 | 2,290 | | | | | 30 25 | 20 30 | 221 237 |
| 1928-29 ,, ,, 1929 | 13,690 | 9,132 | 304 | 1,549 | 1,761 | 1,170 | 27,566 | 1,867,848 | 29 | 1 30 | 231 |
| II.—Specification for various geographical areas:— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Antarctic. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1919-20 | 1,874 | 3,213 | 261 | 71 | 8 | ²) 14 | 5,441 | 272,817 | 6 | 6 | 44 |
| 1920-21 | 2,617 | 5,491 | 260 | 36 | | ²) 13 | 8,448 | | 6 | 8 | 47 |
| 1921 - 22 | 4,416 | 2,492 | 9 | 103 | | - | 7,023 | | 6 | 1 | |
| 1922-23 | 5,683 | 3,677 | 517 | 10 | 3 | 9) 10 | 9,910 | | 6 | | 1 |
| 1923-24 | 3,732 | 3,035 | 233 | 193 | | | | | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| 1925-26 | 5,703 4,697 | 4,366 8,916 | | 1 195 | 1 | | 10,488 14,219 | 783,307 | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| 1926-27 | 6,545 | 5,102 | | 778 | 1 | | 12,665 | | 6 | 1 | 1 |
| 1927-28 | 8,334 | 4,459 | | 888 | 72 | | | | 6 | | 1 |
| 1928-29 | 12,734 | 6,689 | 48 | 808 | 62 | - | 20,341 | 1,631,340 | 6 | 26 | 111 |
| Coast of Africa. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Summer 1920 | 215 | 387 | 1 | 142 | | | | | 4 | 1 | 25 |
| " 1921 " 1922 | 248 695 | 385 452 | 1 | 83 128 | 1 | | | | | | 20 23 |
| ,, 1922 ,, 1923 | 1,074 | 646 | | 144 | 1 | 1 ./ - | | | 1 | | |
| ,, 1924 | 903 | 950 | 1 ' | 666 | 1 | 1 1 86 | 3,649 | | | | 42 |
| $,,$ $1925\ldots\ldots$ | 1,388 | 1,090 | 1,010 | 245 | 634 | ²) 17 | 4,384 | 150,985 | 8 | | 1 |
| ,, 1926 | 1,744 | 1,218 | | 1 | 1 | 5) 66 | 4,646 | | | | |
| ,, 1927 ,, 1928 | 1,743 1,004 | 1,201 938 | | 460 653 | 1 | | 4,144 3,83 | | | | 44 |
| ,, 1929 | 727 | 1,149 | | 235 | | | 3,369 | | 1 | | 45 |
| Coast of Spain and Portugal. | | 1,110 | | 200 | 1,010 | | 3,000 | 120,000 | | | |
| Summer 1920 | | - | | | . - | | | . - | - | . - | |
| ,, 1921 | - | 323 | - | | 38 | 3 | 350 | | | | . 2 |
| ,, 1922 | - | 571 | | . | 29 | | 600 | 19,784 | 1 | | 1 |
| ,, 1923 | | 1,080 | | | 36 | 1 | 1,11 | | 1 | , | 1 2 |
| $ \begin{array}{cccc} $ | | 1,218 | | | 149 | | 1,00 | | | | 1 |
| 1096 | | 1,498 1,374 | | 20 | 1 | 1 | 1,64 | | | | 1 |
| " | | 369 | | 1 | 1 | | 42 | | 1 | | |
| " 1928 | - | | - | - | | - . | - | - ' | | | . . |
| " 1929 | - | - | - | | - - | -1 | - | - - | | ٠١ - | - - |

^{1) 1} ton = 1,016 kg. 2) Right-whales. 3) 1 right-whale and 3 Bryde-whales. 4) Bryde-whales. 5) 2 right-whales and 64 Bryde-whales. 6) 3 right-whales and 47 Bryde-whales.

| | | 1 | | Species o | f whale | s caught | | | | E | xpedition | ıs. |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------|----------------|------------|-----------|----------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Geograph | ical areas. Years. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| North | Atlantic and Arctic. | | | | - | | | | Barrel == 1/6 ton. | | | |
| Summer | 1920 | 77 | 843 | 4 | 510 | 12 | ¹) 10 | 1,456 | 35,989 | 12 | | 33 |
| ,, | 1921 | 7 | 211 | 1 | 91 | | - | 310 | 6,661 | 2 | - | 6 |
| ,, | 1922 | 45 | 568 | 141 | 159 | 1 | ²) 1 | | 23,095 | 5 | 1 | 19 |
| ,, | 1923 1924 | 48 129 | 738 $1,238$ | 155 | 255 | ł | ³) 4 | 1,204 1,667 | 30,446 41,563 | 7 9 | 1 2 | 25 26 |
| " | 1925 | 52 | 1,138 | 55 40 | 218 270 | 1 | - | 1,523 | 38,208 | 10 | _ | 29 |
| ,, | 1926 | 47 | 1,285 | 26 | 221 | i | ²) 1 | | 42,732 | 10 | 1 | 29 |
| ,, | 1927 | 28 | 1,077 | 89 | 179 | | 1 1 | 1,403 | 1 | 10 | 1 | 31 |
| 19 | 1928 | 71 | 1,200 | 26 | 200 | 1 | | 1,561 | 48,854 | 11 | - | 33 |
| 17 | 1929 | 58 | 907 | 17 | 142 | 20 | ¹⁵) 15 | 1,159 | 39,729 | 9 | 2 | 31 |
| Pac | rific (north). | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Summer | 1920 | 19 | 41 | 8 | 4 | 67 | 1)1,624 | 1,763 | 42,000 | 10 | - | ? 20 |
| ,, | 1921 | - | | - | - | | 4) 129 | 129 | | 1 | - | 4 |
| " | 1922 | - | - | - | - | - | 1,356 | 1,356 | | 7 | | ? 19 |
| " | 1923 | 29 | 151 | 155 | 1 | 16 | ^b) 1,011 | 1,363 | | 8 | | ? 19 |
| 1) | 1924 1925 | 256 | - 004 | - | - | 0.7 | 4) 1,102 | 1,102 | | 7 | | ? 17 24 |
| " | 1926 | 254 | 234 179 | 686 881 | 45 | 37 | (4) 634 (4) 485 | i ' | | | 1 | |
|) 1 | 1927 | 188 | 124 | 1,026 | 48 | 6 | 6) 672 | 2.064 | , | .7 | | |
| ,, | 1928 | 207 | 1 | 179 | 3 | 2 | 7) 1,020 | 1,412 | | 4 | | |
| " | 1929 | 115 | 1 | 16 | • | - | 8) 1,109 | 1,241 | 44,466 | 4 | 2 | 21 |
| Coast of | Chile and Peru, etc. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1919-20 | and summer 1920 | 54 | 24 | 91 | | 21 | | 120 | 4 600 | 1 | | 2 |
| 1920-21 | ,, ,, 1921 | 78 | 19 | 21 21 | | 63 | | 181 | , , | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| $1921 \cdot 22$ | ,, ,, 1922 | 85 | 21 | 19 | | 77 | | 202 | | 1 | l l | 3 |
| 1922-23 | ,, ,, 1923 | - | - | - | - | - | - | | - | - | - | - |
| 1923-24 | ,, ,, 1924 | | 116 | 34 | - | 52 | 2) 7 | | ca. 10,000 | | | 3 |
| 1924 - 25 $1925 - 26$ | ,, ,, 1925 1926 | 112 | 233 | 348 | 13 | | | | | 2 2 | | _ |
| 1926 - 27 | ,, ,, 1926 ,, ,, 1927 | 444 199 | $656 \\ 294$ | 347 22 | 32 | 80 156 | , · | 1,568 | | | | |
| 1927-28 | ,, ,, 1928 | 100 | 234 | - | | 130 | | 10) | 1 . | | | 4 |
| 1928-29 | " " 1929 | - | - | - | - | - | - | ? | 11) | 11) - | - | 11) - |
| Japa | n and Corea. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Summer | 1920 | 35 | 438 | 83 | 393 | 245 | 12) 85 | 1,279 | 13) - | | ١ . | 30 |
| ,, | 1921 | 37 | 475 | 101 | 477 | | | | 18) - | - | - | 30 |
| ,, | 1922 | 34 | 390 | | 391 | 562 | ¹²) 47 | 1,506 | 13) - | - | - | 30 |
| ,, | 1923 | 35 | 431 | 70 | 488 | | | | | - | - | 30 |
| " | 1924 1925 | 33 | 337 | 160 | 642 | 1 | | | 1 | - | 1 | 30 |
| " | 1926 | 35 36 | 562 636 | 230 119 | 499 568 | | 1 / 02 | | | | 1 | |
| " | 1927 | 9 | 441 | 95 | 531 | | 1 / - • | | 13) | - | | 30 |
| ,, | 1928 | 10 | 455 | | 551 | 1 | 14) 19 | 1,607 | 13) - | - | - | 30 |
| ,, | 1929 | 16 | 386 | 74 | 364 | 606 | ¹²) 17 | 1,463 | 13) 7,248 | - | - | 29 |

^{1) 1} right-whale and 9 bottlenoses. 2) Right-whales. 3) 2 right-whales and 2 bottlenoses. 4) No specification. 5) 1 right-whale and 2 Greenland-whales and 1,008 without specification. 6) 29 grey-whales and 643 without specification. 7) 9 grey-whales and 1,011 without specification. 8) 2 grey-whales and 1,107 without specification. 9) No returns from Chile. The production is estimated at about 12,000 barrels which must be added to the total world production. 10) No returns; the number of whales is estimated at about 300. 11) No figures available. There is 1 shore station with probably 4 catchers; the production of oil is approximately 15 000 barrels. 12) Grey-whales. 13) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food. 14) 10 grey-whales and 9 right-whales. 15) See note 2 page 15.

| | | 1 | Species o | f whale | s caught | | | | E2 | xpedition | 15. |
|---|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|--|-------------------|---|------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Geographical areas. Years, | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| | | | | | | | | Barrel = | | | |
| West Australia. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Summer 1920 | - | _ | _ | | - | _ | _ | - | _ | - | _ |
| " 1921 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| $\frac{1922}{1002}$ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| ,, 1923 ,, 1924 | - | - | | | - | - | - | | - | - | _ |
| $ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$ | - | - | 669 | | - | | 669 | 19,300 | 1 | - | 3 |
| ,, 1926 | 5 | - | 735 | - | - | - | 740 | 21,300 | 1 | - | 3 |
| ,, 1927 | 3 | - | 996 | - | - | - | 999 | 32,179 | 1 | • | 4 |
| ,, 1928 ,, 1929 | 1 - | - | 1,033 | - | - | - | 1,034 | 35,340 | 1 | - | 4 |
| ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | , | | | ************************************** | | Angelia Angelia de Antificia applica el | | | | | |
| III.—Specification for years:— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1919-20 and summer 1920. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 987 | 1,673 | 79 | 71 | 8 | 1) 14 | 2,832 | 147,029 | 6 | - | 26 |
| South Shetland | 887 215 | $1,540 \\ 387$ | $\frac{182}{168}$ | 142 | 396 | 1) 2 | 2,609 1,310 | 125,788 $51,921$ | 4 | 6 | 18 25 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 77 | 843 | 168 | 510 | | | , | | 12 | - | 33 |
| Pacific (north) | 19 | 41 | 8 | 4 | | 3) 1,624 | 1,763 | | 10 | - | ? 20 |
| Coast of Chile | 54 | 24 | 21 | - | 21 | - | 120 | 4,600 | 1 | - | 2 |
| Japan and Corea | 35 | 438 | 83 | 393 | | 4) 85 | | 5) - | - | | 30 |
| Total | 2,274 | 4,946 | 545 | 1,120 | 749 | 1,735 | 11,369 | 407,327 | 33 | 6 | 154 |
| 1920-21 and summer 1921. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 856 | 2,643 | 103 | 36 | 31 | ¹) 13 | | 177,137 | 5 | - | 21 |
| South Shetland Coast of Africa | 1,761 | 2,848 | 157 | - | - | 1) - | 4,766 | 213,490 | 1 3 | 8 | 26 20 |
| Coast of Spain | 248 | $\frac{385}{323}$ | 220 | 83 | 322 33 | 1 / | 1,263 356 | 48,453 10,500 | 1 | _ | 20 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 7 | 211 | 1 | 91 | 1 | j - | 310 | 6,661 | 2 | - | 6 |
| Pacific (north) | - | - | - | - | - | ³) 129 | 1 | 5,000 | 1 | - | 4 |
| Coast of Chile Japan and Corea | 78 37 | 19 | 21 | 477 | 63 | 4) 95 | 181 | 9,900 ⁵) - | 1 | - | 30 |
| Total | 2,987 | $\frac{475}{6,904}$ | $\frac{101}{603}$ | 687 | $\frac{302}{751}$ | 242 | - | | 14 | 8 | |
| Total | 2,901 | 6,904 | 603 | 687 | 751 | 242 | 12,114 | 471,141 | 14 | | 112 |
| 1921-22 and summer 1922. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 2,570 | 710 | 9 | 103 | 3 | - | 3,395 | | 5 | - | 20 |
| South Shetland | 1,846 | 1,782 | - | 400 | | 6) | 3,628 | | 1 5 | 8 | 1 |
| Coast of Africa | 695 | $\frac{452}{571}$ | 911 | 128 | 145 29 | 1 / | 2,335 600 | 76,680 19,784 | 5 1 | - | 23 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 45 | 568 | 141 | 159 | 1 | 1) 1 | 918 | | 5 | 1 | 19 |
| Pacific (north) | - | - | - | - | - | 8)1,356 | 1,356 | 57,000 | 7 | - | ? 19 |
| Coast of Chile Japan and Corea | 85 | 21 390 | 19 | 201 | 77 | | 202 | - ' | 1 | - | 30 |
| Total | $\frac{34}{5,275}$ | $\frac{390}{4,494}$ | 1 1 69 | 391 | | | | | 25 | 10 | |
| Total | 0,275 | 4,494 | 1,162 | 781 | 820 | 1,408 | 13,940 | 639,276 | 25 | 1 10 | 142 |

¹⁾ Right-whales. 2) 1 right-whale and 9 bottlenoses. 3) No specification. 4) Grey-whales (California Grey). 5) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food. 6) 1 right-whale and 3 Bryde-whales.

| | , | species o | i wnaies | s caught. | • | | ()*1 | | TAL A | |
|---|---|---|---|------------------------------------|--|---|---|---|---|--|
| Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | production. | Shore sta- tions. | ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| | | | | | | | $ \text{Barrel} = \begin{vmatrix} & 1/6 & \text{ton.} \end{vmatrix} $ | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3,569 | 1,445 | 320 | 10 | 19 | - | 5,363 | 347,553 | 5 | 1 | 23 |
| , | | | - | 4 | - | | | 1 | | 35 2 |
| 1,074 | 646 | 1,082 | 144 | Į. | | 3,105 | 99,073 | 7 | 2 | 38 |
| 48 | 738 | 155 | 255 | i | 2) 4 | | 38,472 30,446 | 7 | 1 | 2 25 |
| 29 | 151 | 155 | 1 | | | 355 | 10,026 | 1 | - | 2 ? 15 |
| 35 | 431 | 70 | 488 | 364 | | | ⁵) 5 | - | - | ? 15 30 |
| 6,869 | 6,723 | 1,979 | 898 | 599 | 1,052 | 18,120 | 817,314 | 29 | 16 | 174 |
| 1,927 1,384 210 211 903 - 129 - 48 33 4,845 | 1,378 1,565 82 10 950 1,218 1,238 116 337 6,894 | 130 100 3 - 724 - 55 - 34 160 1,206 | 666 - 218 - 642 | 320 149 27 - 52 336 | ⁷) 12 ¹) 86 ⁶)1,102 ⁷) 7 ⁴) 18 | 3,080 295 221 3,649 1,367 1,667 1,102 257 3,526 | 182,346 17,570 17,299 125,732 44,663 41,563 29,610 ca. 10,000 | 1 - 7 1 9 7 1 | 11 1 1 2 2 2 2 | 10 26 ? 17 8 30 |
| 3,512 1,593 190 408 1,388 | 2,016 312 19 1,090 | 1,010 | 245 | 35 - 6 634 | 7) 1 | 3,741 502 427 4,384 | 235,750 23,315 31,850 150,985 | - 8 | 10 1 1 4 | 5 |
| $\frac{2}{52}$ | | | | 2 | | | , | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| 256 | | | | i | | | | | 1 | |
| 112 | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| 35 | 562 | 5 | 499 | 497 | 4) 5 | | | | 1 | |
| 7,548 | 9,121 | l | 1,098 | 1,439 | 710 | _ | - | -) | - | |
| | 3,569 2,038 76 1,074 - 48 29 - 35 6,869 1,927 1,384 210 2111 903 - 48 33 4,845 3,512 1,593 190 408 1,388 2 256 112 35 | 3,569 1,445 2,038 1,994 76 238 1,074 646 1,074 646 1,074 1,378 29 151 35 431 6,869 6,723 1,927 1,378 1,565 82 210 211 10 903 950 1,218 129 1,238 116 337 4,845 6,894 3,512 2,019 1,593 1,090 408 19 1,388 1,090 2 1,498 52 1,138 256 234 112 233 35 562 | 3,569 1,445 320 2,038 1,994 188 76 238 9 1,074 646 1,082 - 1,080 - 48 738 155 29 151 155 - 35 431 70 6,869 6,723 1,979 1,927 1,378 130 1,384 1,565 100 210 82 3 211 10 903 950 724 - 1,218 129 1,238 55 - 48 116 34 33 337 160 4,845 6,894 1,206 3,512 2,019 262 1,593 2,016 97 1,593 1,388 1,090 1,010 2 1,498 1 1,388 1,090 1,010 2 1,498 52 1,138 40 234 686 112 233 348 256 234 686 | 3,569 | 3,569 | 3,569 | 3,569 | Blue Fin Hump Sei Sperm Others Wales Sperm Others Wales Sperm Sperm | Blue Fin Hump back Sei Sperm Others Total of whales Production Stations | Blue Fin Hump Sei Sperm Others Total of whales Total of whales Start Start Sperm Start Sperm Start Sperm Start Sperm Start Sperm Sperm Start Sperm Sperm |

¹⁾ Bryde-whales. 2) 2 right-whales and 2 bottlenoses. 3) 1 right-whale and 2 Greenland-whales. 4) Grey-whales (California Grey). 5) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food. 6) No specification. 7) Right-whales.

| | | 8 | Species o | f whales | caught | | | 0.5 | Ex | pedition | S. |
|---|--------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|--------|--------------------|---------------------|--|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catchers. |
| 1925-26 and summer 1926. | | | | | | | | $ \text{Barrel} = \frac{1}{6} \text{ ton.} $ | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,855 | 5,709 | 236 | 13 | 12 | | 7,825 | 404,457 | 5 | 1 | 23 |
| South Shetland | 2,151 | 2,396 | 110 | 3 | 24 | - | 4,684 | 294,986 | 1 | 11 | 35 |
| South Orkney | 44 523 | 573 | 4 | • | 1 | 1) 1 | 1 | 27,050 | - | 1 | 3 5 |
| Pelagic whaling in Ant- | 923 | 8 | - | - | - | - | 531 | 39,630 | - | 1 | , , |
| arctic | 124 | 230 | 14 | 179 | - | 1) 9 | 1 | 17,184 | - | 1 | 4 |
| Coast of Africa Coast of Spain and Por- | 1,744 | 1,218 | 566 | 433 | | ²) 66 | , , | , | 8 | 1 | 47 14 |
| tugal North Atlantic and Arctic | 47 | 1,374 $1,285$ | 26 | $\frac{45}{221}$ | 61 | 3) 1 | 1,480 1,588 | 44,234 42,732 | 3 10 | 1 1 | 29 |
| Pacific (north) Chile, Peru, Ecuador and | 254 | 179 | 881 | - | 5 | 4) 485 | | | 6 | 1 | 21 |
| West India | 444 | 656 | 347 | 32 | 1 | | , | 54,336 | 2 | | 15 |
| Japan and Corea West Australia | 36 | 636 | 119 735 | 568 | 772 | 5) 17 | 2,148 | | 1 | 1 | 35 3 |
| Total | | 14,264 | 3,038 | 1,494 | 1,582 | 588 | 28,193 | | 36 | 23 | 234 |
| 1926-27 and summer 1927. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 3,689 | 1,144 | - | 365 | 17 | - | 5,215 | 417,292 | 5 | 1 | 23 |
| South Shetland | 1,327 | 3,396 | | - | 19 | | 4,836 | | 1 | 1 | 35 |
| South Orkney | 284 1,068 | 301 89 | 4 82 | - | - | | 589 1,239 | | - | 1 3 | 3 15 |
| Pelagic whaling in Ant- | 1,000 | | 02 | | | | 1,200 | 110,010 | | | |
| arctic | 177 | 172 | 1 | 413 | | 1) 12 | | 1 ' | i | 1 | 44 |
| Coast of Africa Coast of Spain and Por- | 1,743 | 1,201 | 131 | 460 | 580 | ³) 29 | 4,144 | 135,031 | 7 | - | 44 |
| _tugal | - | 369 | - | 1 | 53 | | 423 | 12,058 | 2 | - | 7 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 28 | 1,077 | 1 | 179 | | | 1,403 | | 10 | | |
| Pacific (north) Coast of Chile and Peru | 188 199 | 124 294 | , , , , , , | 48 | 156 | , | 2,064 | | | 1 | |
| Japan and Corea | 9 | | 1 | 531 | 1 | | | | - | - | 30 |
| West Australia | 3 | | 996 | - | - | | 999 | | - | | , 4 |
| Total | 8,715 | 8,608 | 2,548 | 1,997 | 1,314 | 738 | 23,915 | 1,176,382 | 34 | 22 | 232 |
| 1927-28 and summer 1928. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia South Shetland and pelagic whaling in West | 2,125 | 1,357 | - | 95 | 60 | | 3,637 | 303,480 | 5 | 1 | 23 |
| Antarctic | 2,937 | 2,588 | 4 | 1 | . 12 | | 5,542 | 400,370 | 1 | 10 | 32 |
| South Orkney Pelagic whaling in West | 299 | 280 | | - | - | | 580 | | | 1 | . 3 |
| Antarctic and on the coast of Patagonia | 891 | 124 | . 2 | 787 | | 1) | 1,808 | 102,417 | | . 8 | 11 |
| Ross Sea | 2,082 | | 1 | 101 | | . ' | - 2,208 | 1 ' | | . a | 1 |
| Coast of Africa | 1,004 | 938 | 130 | 658 | 1 ' | | 3,83 | 135,229 | 7 | 1 | |
| North Atlantic and Arctic Pacific (north) | 207 | 1,200 | 1 | 200 | 1 | | 1,561 | | | 1 | 1 |
| Coast of Chile | 201 | - | 119 | - | 2 | /1,020 | | ca. 12,000 | | | |
| Japan and Corea | 10 | | | 551 | 482 | ¹²) 19 | 1,607 | 6) - | | . - | |
| West Australia | 1 | | 1,033 | | | - | 1,034 | · | _ | | 4 |
| Total | 9,627 | 7,053 | 1,481 | 2,290 | 1,680 | 1,09 | 3 23,224 | 1,319,294 | 30 |) 20 | 221 |

¹⁾ Right-whales. 2) 2 right-whales and 64 Bryde-whales. 3) Bryde-whales. 4) No specification. 5) Grey-whales. 6) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food. 7) 29 grey-whales and 643 without specification. 5) No returns from Chile. The production is estimated at about 12,000 barrels which must be added to the total world production. 9) 3 right-whales and 47 Bryde-whales. 10) 9 grey-whales and 1,011 without specification. 11) No returns; the number of whales is estimated at about 300. 12) 10 grey-whales and 9 right-whales.

| | | | Species o | f whale | s caught | | | | E | xpedition | 18. |
|------------------------------------|--------|-------|----------------|---------|----------|---------|---------------------|---|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei, | | | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| 1928-29 and summer 1929. | | | | | | | | $\begin{array}{c} \mathrm{Barrel} = \\ ^{1}/_{6} \ \mathrm{ton.} \end{array}$ | | , | |
| South Georgia | 1,560 | 3,130 | 15 | 396 | 31 | - | 5,132 | 348,629 | 5 | 1 | 23 |
| South Orkney | 452 | 101 | - | | - | - | 553 | | - | 1 | 3 |
| Patagonia Companies without li- | 4,881 | 2,653 | 2 | 411 | 19 | - | 7,966 | 629,217 | 1 | 13 | 40 |
| censes | 3,846 | 748 | 14 | - | 10 | - | 4,618 | 407,751 | - | 8 | 30 |
| Ross Sea | 1,995 | 57 | 17 | 1 | 2 | | 2,072 | 185,592 | - | 3 | 15 |
| Coast of Africa | 727 | 1,149 | 149 | 235 | 1,073 | 1) 29 | 3,362 | 145,065 | 6 | - | 45 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 58 | 907 | 17 | 142 | 20 | 1 - | | 39,729 | 9 | 2 | 31 |
| Pacific (north) | 115 | 1 | 16 | - | - | 2)1,109 | | 44,466 | 4 | 2 | 21 |
| Japan and Corea | 16 | 386 | 74 | 364 | 606 | *) 17 | 1,463 | 7,248 | - | - | 29 |
| Total 4) | 13,650 | 9,132 | 304 | 1,549 | 1,761 | 1,170 | 27,566 | 1,867,848 | 25 | 30 | 237 |

Table No. 2.—Norwegian whaling in the years 1919/20—1928/29.

| | | | Species o | f whale | s canoht | | | | E | xpedition | s. |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|---------|--|--|---|---------------------|--|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catch- ers. |
| I.—Summary for all geo- graphical areas in the years:— | | | | | | | | $\begin{array}{c} \text{Barrel} =\\ ^{1}/_{6} \text{ ton.}^{5}) \end{array}$ | | | |
| 1919-20 and summer 1920 1920-21 , , , 1921 1921-22 , , , 1922 1922-23 , , , 1923 1923-24 , , , 1924 1924-25 , , , 1925 1925-26 , , , 1926 1926-27 , , , 1927 1927-28 , , , 1928 1928-29 , , , 1929 | 1,285 1,903 2,621 3,248 2,586 4,066 4,255 4,947 6,259 10,181 | 2,766 4,038 2,617 3,718 3,188 4,968 7,441 4,774 3,630 4,366 | 125 151 753 1,420 670 2,553 2,206 1,697 1,279 70 | 318 94 134 253 500 420 538 1,037 432 318 | 48 32 97 192 263 200 258 181 | | 6,240 6,157 8,738 7,180 12,461 14,727 12,754 11,791 | 278,590 332,039 439,401 366,963 597,040 662,641 689,425 799,361 | 14 5 8 10 10 16 16 12 10 8 | 1 | 54 35 48 70 77 112 113 108 86 110 |
| II.—Specification for years:— 1919-20 and summer 1920. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia South Shetland North Atlantic and Arctic Pacific (north) Total | 415 799 52 19 | 737 1,321 667 41 2,766 | 38 75 4 8 125 | 32 282 4 318 | 12 67 | | 2,195 1,026 139 | 111,426 26,369 7,695 | 10 1 | 5 | 9 15 27 3 54 |

¹⁾ Bryde-whales. 2) 2 grey-whales and 1,107 without specification. 3) Grey-whales. 4) Not including 1 shore station with probably 4 catchers from Chile. The production of oil is estimated at about 15,000 barrels. 5) 1 ton = 1,016 kg. 6) Right-whales. 7) 1 right-whale and 8 bottlenoses.

| , | | | Species o | f whales | caught. | | | | E | xpedition | ıs. |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------|----------|---------|-------------------|---------------------|--|----------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| | | | | | | | | Barrel == | | | |
| 1920-21 and summer 1921. | | | | | | | | ²/6 ton. | | | |
| South Georgia | 319 | 1,177 | 40 | 9 | 15 | 1) 6 | 1,566 | 72,600 | 2 | - | 8 |
| South Shetland | 1,583 | 2,501 | 111 | - | - | ' - | 4,195 | 193,390 | 1 | 7 | 23 |
| Coast of Spain | | 323 | - | | 33 | - | 356 | 10,500 | 1 | - | 2 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic Total | 1 200 | 37 | | 85 | | - | 123 | 2,100 | 1 | - | 2 |
| 10ta1 | 1,903 | 4,038 | 151 | 94 | 48 | 6 | 6,240 | 278,590 | 5 | 7 | 35 |
| 1921-22 and summer 1922. | | | | | : | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 981 | 260 | - | 34 | - | - | 1,275 | 95,225 | 2 | - | 8 |
| South Shetland | 1,608 | 1,599 | - | - | - | - | 3,207 | 184,740 | 1 | 7 | 23 |
| Coast of Africa Coast of Spain | | 571 | 613 | 1 | 29 | _ | 614 600 | 20,000 | 1 1 | 1 | 4 2 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 32 | 187 | 140 | 99 | 3 | _ | 461 | 19,784 12,290 | 3 | Í | 11 |
| Total | 2,621 | 2,617 | 753 | 134 | 32 | - | 6,157 | 332,039 | 8 | 9 | 48 |
| 1922-23 and summer 19 2 3. | | , | | | | | | , | | | |
| | | | | _ | | | | | _ | | |
| South GeorgiaSouth Shetland | 1,501 1,386 | 663 $1,446$ | 173 140 | 5 | 10 4 | - | 2,352 | 146,355 | 2 | 8 | 11 26 |
| South Orkney | 76 | 238 | 1 | - | | - | 2,976 323 | 186,784 13,594 | 1 | 1 | 20 |
| Coast of Africa | 262 | 28 | | 5 | 44 | - | 1,286 | 38,215 | 3 | | |
| Coast of Spain | | 1,080 | - | | 36 | - | 1,116 | | 1 | - | 2 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 23 | 263 | 151 | 243 | 3 | 2) 2 | i | 15,981 | 3 | | i |
| Total | 3,248 | 3,718 | 1,420 | 253 | 97 | 2 | 8,738 | 439,401 | 10 | 13 | 70 |
| 1923-24andsummer 1924. | | | | | | | | And a second sec | | | |
| South Georgia | 936 | 632 | | 98 | 22 | - | 1,738 | | 2 | | |
| South Shetland South Orkney | 942 | 1,090 | | 2 | 9 | ³) 12 | | | | 8 | 1 |
| Ross Sea | 210 211 | 82 10 | 1 | | - | - | 295 221 | 17,570 17,299 | | 1 1 | 1 |
| Coast of Africa | 230 | 24 | 1 | 245 | 17 | 4) 32 | | | 3 | | |
| Coast of Spain | - | 880 | | - | 142 | - | 1,022 | 1 | | 1 | |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 57 | 470 | | 155 | | | 721 | | 3 | | |
| ${f Total}$ | 2,586 | 3,188 | 670 | 500 | 192 | 44 | 7,180 | 366,963 | 10 | 16 | 77 |
| 1924-25 and summer 1925. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,575 | 999 | 103 | 1 | 12 | | 2,690 | 182,100 | 2 | 1 | 11 |
| South Shetland | 1,264 | 1,484 | 50 |] - | 33 | - | 2,831 | | _ | | 1 |
| South Orkney | 190 | 312 | - | - | - | - | 502 | | | 1 | 1 |
| Ross Sea | 408 364 | 19 138 | | 100 | 63 | 1) 17 | 427 1,516 | / | | 1 4 | 1 |
| Coast of Mexico | 220 | 130 | 493 | 45 | | 5) 140 | 903 | | 1. | 2 | 1 |
| West India | - | - | 100 | - | - | | 100 | | | | 2 |
| tugal | 2 | 1,296 | - | 7 | 124 | - | 1,429 | | | 1 | 10 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 2 | 416 | 1 | 248 | | 5) 60 | 672 | | | 6\ | 14 |
| Kamtchatka | 5 | 152 | 72 669 | 6 | 18 | 5) 33 | 286 669 | . , | | 6) 1 | 3 |
| Coast of Peru | 36 | 151 | 231 | 13 | 5 | - | 436 | | | 1 | 1 |
| Total | 4,066 | 4,968 | | 420 | - | 190 | 12,461 | | | I | |

¹⁾ Right-whales. 2) Bottlenoses. 3) 11 right-whales and 1 bottlenose. 4) Bryde-whales. 5) Greywhales. 6) The same material as used on the coast of Mexico.

| | | | Species o | f whale | s caught | | | | E2 | pedition | s. |
|------------------------------------|--|------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--|-------------------|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catchers. |
| | | | | | | | | Barrel = | | | |
| 1925-26 and summer 1926. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South GeorgiaSouth Shetland | 915 1,529 | $2,626 \\ 1,681$ | 114 81 | 5 3 | 11 24 | - | 3,671 3,318 | 188,491 208,890 | 2 1 | 1 8 | 1 1 2 6 |
| South Orkney | 1,329 | 573 | 4 | - | 1 | 1) 1 | | 27,050 | - | 1 | 8 |
| Ross Sea | 523 | 8 | - | • | - | - | 531 | 39,630 | - | 1 | 5 |
| arctic | 124 | 230 | 14 | 179 | | 1) 9 | 1 | | - | 1 | 4 |
| Coast of Africa Coast of Mexico | 530 239 | 84 | 423 498 | 78 | 58 | ²) 76 | 1,173 816 | | 3 | 1 2 | 1 |
| West India | 200 | - | ca. 70 | - | - | - | 70 | | 1 | - | |
| Coast of Spain and Portugal | - | 1,133 | - | 45 | 61 | | 1,239 | 33,734 | 3 | | 10 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | - | 438 | 5 | 192 | 2 | ⁸) 1 | 638 | 15,241 | 5 | 1 | 14 |
| Kamtchatka | 4 5 | 236 | 4 735 | 4 | 35 | _ | 283 740 | | - 1 | 4) 1 | |
| Coast of Peru and Ecua- | | | | | | | | , | - | | |
| dor Total | 4,255 | 432 7,441 | $\frac{258}{2,206}$ | 32 538 | | | $\frac{1,069}{14,727}$ | 36,586 662,641 | 16 | $-\frac{2}{19}$ | 11: |
| 10001 | 1,200 | 1,221 | 2,200 | 330 | 200 | | 14,121 | 002,041 | 10 | | 11. |
| 1926-27 and summer 1927. | | | | | To a commentation of the commentation of | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,719 | 517 | - | 151 | 1 | 1 | 2,394 | | 2 | | 1 |
| South Shetland South Orkney | 833 284 | $2,474 \\ 301$ | 77 | | 18 | - | 3,402 589 | | 1 - | 8 | 2 |
| Pelagic whaling in Antarctic | 1.55 | | | 440 | | 1) 16 | | 90.070 | | | |
| Ross Sea | 1,068 | 172 89 | 9 82 | 413 | 3 | 1) 12 | 786 1,239 | -, - | - | 3 | . 1 |
| Coast of Africa | 503 | 153 | | 306 | 1 | 5\ 00 | 1,014 | | 2 | 2 | |
| Coast of Spain and Por- | 153 | 2 | 472 | 45 | 3 | ⁵) 29 | 704 | 26,445 | • | 2 | |
| tugal | 8 | 369 403 | | ·1 121 | | 1 | 423 533 | | 2 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Coast of Peru | 199 | 294 | | 121 | § | 1 | | | - | 1 | 1 |
| West Australia | 3 | | 996 | | - | | 999 | · | 1 | | |
| Total | 4,947 | 4,774 | 1,697 | 1,037 | 258 | 41 | 12,754 | 689,425 | 12 | 18 | 10 |
| 1927-28 and summer 1928. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,037 | 527 | - | 41 | . 26 | | 1,631 | 143,925 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| South Shetland South Orkney | 1,830 | 2,155 | | 1 | 1 | | ,,,,,, | | | 1 . | |
| West Antarctic, others. | 299 482 | 280 59 | | - | - | | 580 1 542 | | | 1 | |
| Ross Sea | 2,082 | 110 | 16 | | | | 2,208 | 186,211 | - | 3 | 1 |
| Coast of Mexico | 319 207 | 71 1 | 1 | 247 | | | 824 | | | | 1 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 2 | 427 | 2 | 140 | | , | 579 | 14,808 | 4 | · - | |
| West Australia Total | $\begin{array}{ c c c c c }\hline & 1 \\ \hline & 6,259 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 3,630 | $\frac{1,033}{1,279}$ | 432 | 181 | 14 | $\frac{1,034}{011,791}$ | | | - | |
| Lotai | 6,239 | 0,030 | 1,279 | 457 | 181 | 1 | 11,19. | 199,561 | 1 | 14 | |

 $^{^{1})}$ Right whales. $^{2})$ 34 Bryde-whales and 42 grey-whales. $^{3})$ Bryde-whale. $^{4})$ The same material as used on the coast of Mexico. $^{5})$ Grey-whales.

| | | Species of whales caught. | | | | | | | Expeditions. | | |
|---|------------|---------------------------|----------------|------|--------|-------------------|------------------|--|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | <u> </u> | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catchers. |
| 1928-29 and summer 1929. | | | | | | | | $\begin{array}{c} \text{Barrel} = \\ \frac{1}{6} \text{ ton.} \end{array}$ | | | |
| South Georgia South Orkney West Antarctic, others: Companies with li- | 880 452 | 1,193 101 | 10 | 186 | 7 | - | 2,276 553 | 157,525 60,151 | 2 | 1 | 11 3 |
| censes | 3,198 | 1,885 | - | 10 | 11 | - | 5,104 | 418,673 | 1 | 9 | 27 |
| censes | 3,276 | 688 | 14 | - | 10 | - | 3,988 | 342,051 | - | 7 | 26 |
| Ross Sea | 1,995 | 57 | 17 | 1 | 2 | - | 2,072 | 185,592 | - | 3 | 15 |
| Coast of Africa | 234 | 101 | 10 | | 10 | - | 355 | 20,600 | 1 | - | 8 |
| Coast of Mexico | 115 | 1 | 16 | - | - | 1) 2 | 134 | 8,346 | - | 1 | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 31 | 340 | 3 | 121 | 4 | ²) 15 | 514 | 17,297 | 4 | 2 | 16 |
| Total | 10,181 | 4,366 | 70 | 318 | 44 | 17 | 14,996 | 1,210,235 | 8 | 24 | 110 |

Table No. 3.—British whaling in the years 1919/20—1928/29.

| | | | Species o | f whale | e conaht | | | | E | pedition | ıs. |
|--|---------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|------------|------------------|--|---|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------|
| Years. Geographical areas, | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catchers. |
| l Commission Com all | | | | | | | And the second s | $\begin{array}{c c} \text{Barrel} = \\ ^{1/_{6}} \text{ ton.}^{3}) \end{array}$ | | | |
| I.—Summary for all geographical areas in the years:— | | | | | | | TAMENTAL AND | | | | |
| 1919-20 and summer 1920 | 792 | 1,460 | 312 | 405 | 401 | 8 | 3,378 | | 8 | 1 | 4 (|
| 1920-21 ,, ,, 1921 | 826 | 1,711 | | 107 | 329 | 12 | , | | 5 | 1 | 31 |
| 1921-22 ,, ,, 1922 | 2,219 | 1,215 | | 212 | 148 | 4 | | | 7 | 1 | 34 |
| 1922-23 ,, ,, 1923 | 3,144 | 1,998 | 1 | 154 | 116 | 5 | ., | | | 8 3 | 47 55 |
| 1923-24 ,, ,, 1924 1924-25 1925 | 1,921 | 2,545 | 324 | $\frac{565}{167}$ | 350 604 | 5 4 | 5,759 6,835 | | | $\frac{3}{2}$ | 56 56 |
| 1095-96 " 1096 | 2,913 $2,588$ | 2,759 4,848 | 392 280 | 387 | 566 | 66 | | | 11 | 3 | 61 |
| 1096 97 " 1097 | 3,197 | 2,902 | 201 | 326 | 593 | 29 | 7,248 | 389,087 | 12 | 3 | 64 |
| 1927-28 , , , 1928 | 2,930 | 2,498 | 107 | 498 | 996 | 50 | | 400,162 | 12 | 4 | 69 |
| 1928-29 ,, ,, 1929 | 2,954 | 3,608 | 154 | 387 | 1,098 | | | | 10 | 4 | 65 |
| II.—Specification for years:— | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1919-20 and summer 1920. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 464 | 678 | 37 | 35 | 5 | ⁴) 5 | 1,224 | 61,545 | 2 | - | 12 |
| South Shetland | 88 | 219 | 107 | - | - | - | 414 | 14,362 | - | 1 | 8 |
| Coast of Africa | 215 | 387 | 168 | 142 | 396 | 4) 2 | 1,310 | 51,921 | 4 | 0 | 25 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 25 | 176 | | 228 | - | ⁵) 1 | 430 | 9,620 | 2 | 0 | 6 |
| Total | 792 | 1,460 | 312 | 405 | 401 | 8 | 3,378 | 137,448 | 8 | 1 | 46 |

 $^{^{1})}$ Grey-whales. $^{2})$ 6 beaked whales, 6 bottlenoses and 3 caing-whales. $^{3})$ 1 ton = 1,016 kg. $^{4})$ Right-whales. $^{5})$ Bottlenose.

| | 1 | \$ | Species o | f whale: | s caught | | | | E: | xpedition | ıs. |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------|--|-------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| | | | | | | | | Barrel = | | | |
| 1920-21 and summer 1921. | | | | | | | | 1/6 ton. | | | |
| South Georgia | 400 | 979 | 49 | 24 | 7 | 1) 7 | 1,466 | 72,814 | 2 | | ٤ |
| South Shetland | 178 | 347 | 46 | - | - | ٠. | 571 | 20,100 | - | 1 | |
| Coast of Africa | 248 | 385 | 220 | 83 | 322 | 1) 5 | 1,263 | 48,453 | 3 | | 20 |
| Total | 826 | 1,711 | 315 | 107 | 329 | 12 | 3,300 | 141,367 | 5 | 1 | 31 |
| 1921-22 and summer 1922. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,275 | 354 | 9 | 41 | 3 | - | 1,682 | 113,817 | 2 | _ | |
| South Shetland | 2 38 | 183 | - | - | - | | 421 | 18,735 | - | 1 | |
| Coast of Africa | 695 | 452 | 298 | 127 | 145 | ²) 4 | 1,721 | 56,680 | 4 | - | 19 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 11 | 226 | | 44 | | <u>.</u> | 281 | 6,854 | $-\frac{1}{7}$ | - | 34 |
| Total | 2,219 | 1,215 | 307 | 212 | 148 | 4 | 4,105 | 196,086 | 1 | 1 | 34 |
| 1922-23 and summer 1923. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,657 | 454 | 72 | 5 | 3 | - | 2,191 | 147,207 | 2 | - | 8 |
| South Shetland Coast of Africa | 652 | 548 | 48 | - | - | 9: 0 | 1,248 | 66,616 | | 3 | 9 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 812 23 | 618 378 | 135 | 139 10 | 112 1 | *) 3 1) 2 | | 60,858 11,584 | 3 | - | 2 |
| Total | 3,144 | 1,998 | 258 | 154 | 116 | 5 | | 286,265 | | 3 | 47 |
| 1923-24 and summer 1924. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 735 | 499 | 63 | 87 | 17 | _ | 1,401 | 95,561 | 2 | _ | |
| South Shetland | 442 | 475 | 38 | - | 8 | - | 963 | 57,563 | - | 3 | , , |
| Coast of Africa | 673 | 926 | | 421 | 303 | ⁸) 54 | , , , | | 4 | - | 2 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 71 | 645 | 17 | 57 | 22 | | 812 | 18,533 | 4 | - | - : |
| Total | 1,921 | 2,545 | 324 | 565 | 350 | 54 | 5,759 | 258,079 | 10 | 3 | 55 |
| 1924-25 and summer 1925. | | | | | | | | | | , | |
| South Georgia South Shetland | 1 511 | 690 | 134 | - | 12 | - | 2,347 | 175,053 | 2 | - | 9 |
| Coast of Africa | 329 1,024 | 53 2 952 | 47 176 | 145 | $\begin{array}{c c} 2\\ 571 \end{array}$ | - | 910 2,868 | 54,700 99,385 | 5 | 2 | 3(|
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 49 | 585 | 35 | 22 | 19 | - | 710 | 18,400 | 4 | - | 10 |
| Total | 2,913 | 2,759 | 392 | 167 | 604 | - | 6,835 | 347,538 | 11 | 2 | 56 |
| 1925-26 and summer 1926. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 706 | 2,270 | 90 | 8 | 1 | - | 3,075 | 161,540 | 2 | - | 1 |
| South Shetland | 622 | 715 | 29 | - | - | | 1,366 | 86,096 | - | 3 | 9 |
| Coast of Africa North Atlantic and Arctic | 1,214 | 1,134 729 | 143 | 355 | 561 | 4) 66 | 3,473 | 108,492 | 5 4 | - | 34 10 |
| Total | $\frac{46}{2,588}$ | 4,848 | $\frac{18}{280}$ | $\frac{24}{387}$ | <u>4</u> 566 | 66 | $\frac{821}{8,735}$ | $\frac{23,979}{380,107}$ | 11 | 3 | |
| 1926-27 and summer 192 7 . | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 1,445 | 428 | | 194 | | | 9 000 | 164 150 | 6 | _ | |
| South Shetland | 1,445 | $\frac{428}{922}$ | | 130 | 6 | | 2,009 1,434 | 164,156 90,546 | | 3 | |
| Coast of Africa | 1,240 | 1,048 | | 154 | l . | ³) 29 | | 111,151 | 5 | - | 3 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 18 | 504 | | 42 | 23 | - | 675 | 23,234 | | - | 15 |
| Total | 3,197 | 2,902 | 201 | 326 | 593 | 29 | 7,248 | 389,087 | 12 | 3 | 64 |

Total | 3,197 | 2,902 | 201 | 326 | 593 | 29 | 7,248 | 389,087 | 12 | 3 | 64 |

1) Right-whales. 2) 1 right-whale and 3 Bryde-whales. 3) Bryde-whales. 4) 2 right-whales and 64 Bryde-whales.

| | | | Species o | f whale | s canoht | | | | E | xpedition | ıs. |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------------|---------------------|---|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catch- ers. |
| 1927-28 and summer 1928. | | | | | | | | $\begin{array}{c} \text{Barrel} =\\ {}^{1}\!/_{6} \text{ ton.} \end{array}$ | | | |
| South Georgia | 666 | 637 | - | 41 | 17 | _ | 1,361 | 104,716 | 2 | - | 8 |
| South Shetland | 1,107 | 433 | 3 | - | - | - | 1,543 | 120,503 | - | 3 | 9 |
| South Sandwich | 406 | 64 | - | - | - | - | 470 | 44,055 | - | 1 | 3 |
| Coast of Africa | 685 | 867 | 83 | 406 | 920 | 1) 50 | 3,011 | 105,424 | | - | 35 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 66 | 497 | 21 | 51 | 59 | - | 694 | 25,464 | 5 | - | 14 |
| Total | 2,930 | 2,498 | 107 | 498 | 996 | 50 | 7,079 | 400,162 | 12 | 4 | 69 |
| 1928-29 and summer 1929. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 413 | 1,473 | 2 | 145 | 16 | - | 2,049 | 129,081 | 2 | - | 8 |
| South Shetland | 1,451 | 620 | - | - | 6 | - | 2,077 | 175,900 | - | 3 | 9 |
| South Sandwich | 570 | 60 | - | - | - | - | 630 | 65,700 | - | 1 | 4 |
| Coast of Africa | 493 | 1,048 | 139 | 235 | 1,063 | ²) 29 | 3,007 | 124,465 | 5 | - | 37 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 27 | 407 | 13 | 7 | 13 | - | 467 | 17,465 | 3 | - | 7 |
| Total | 2,954 | 3,608 | 154 | 387 | 1,098 | 29 | 8,230 | 512,611 | 10 | 4 | 65 |

Table No. 4.—Whaling of other countries in the years 1919/20—1928/29.

| | | | Species o | f whales | s caught | | | | E | xpedition | ıs. |
|--|-------|--------------------|----------------|----------|----------|---------|------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil produc- tion. | Shore sta- tions. | Floating factories. | Catch- ers. |
| I.—Summary for all geographical areas in | | | | | | | | Barrel == 1/6 ton. | | · | |
| the years:— | | | | | | | 3) | 8) | | | |
| 1919-20 and summer 1920 | 197 | 720 | 108 | 397 | 267 | 1,712 | 3,401 | 59,220 | 11 | - | 54 |
| 1920 - 21 ,, ,, 1921 | 258 | 1,155 | | 486 | 374 | | 1 1 | 51,184 | 4 | - | 46 |
| 1921-22 ,, ,, 1922 | 435 | $\boldsymbol{662}$ | 102 | 435 | 640 | 1,404 | | 111,151 | 10 | - | 60 |
| 1922-23 ,, ,, 1923 | 477 | 1,007 | 301 | 491 | 386 | 1,045 | | 91,648 | 10 | - | 57 |
| 1923 24 ,, ,, 1924 | 338 | 1,161 | 212 | 654 | | 1,127 | 3,900 | 91,204 | 12 | 1 | 62 |
| 1924-25 , , 1925 | 569 | 1,394 | 397 | 506 | 572 | 520 | | 95,830 | 10 | 1 | 66 |
| 1925 26 ,, , 1926 | 384 | 1,975 | 552 | 569 | 816 | 435 | | 109,788 | 9 | 1 | 60 |
| 1926-27 ,, ,, 1927 1927-28 1928 | 571 | 932 | 650 | 634 | 463 | | 1 /- (| 97,870 | 10 | 1 | 60 |
| 1927 28 ,, ,, 1928 1928 29 ,, ,, 1929 | 438 | 925 | 95 | 1,360 | | , | | 119,771 | 8 | $\frac{2}{2}$ | 66 |
| 1920-29 ,, ,, 1929 | 515 | 1,158 | 80 | 844 | 619 | 1,124 | 4,340 | 145,002 | - 1 | z | 62 |
| II.—Specification for years:— | | | | | | | | : | | | |
| 1919 20 and summer 1920. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 108 | 258 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 4) 3 | 378 | 20,315 | 1 | _ | 5 |
| Coast of Chile | 54 | 24 | 21 | - | 21 | / - | 120 | 4,600 | î | - | 2 |
| Pacific (north) | - | -: | - | - | - | 5)1,624 | | 34,305 | 9 | - | ca. 17 |
| Japan and Corea | 35 | 438 | 83 | 393 | 245 | | | 7) - | - | - | 30 |
| Total | 197 | 720 | 108 | 397 | | 1,712 | | 59,220 | 11 | | 54 |
| 10001 | 131 | 120 | 100 | 331 | 201 | 1,112 | 0,401 | 00,220 | 11 | | 94 |

^{1) 3} right-whales and 47 Bryde whales. 2) 2 right-whales and 27 Bryde-whales. 3) The discrepancy between number of whales and barrels of oil is due to the whaling of Japan. For this country the whales are included in the figures, while the oil production is excluded; the whales being used to a great extent for human food. 4) Right-whales. 5) No specification. 6) Grey-whales (California Grey). 7) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food.

Expeditions.

| | | | Species o | of whale | a aguaht | | | | Æ | xpedition | ıs. | |
|--|----------|------------|-----------------|----------|-----------|--------------------|------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|------|-----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- | Sei. | Sperm. | Others, | Total of whales. | Oil production. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Cate | |
| | | | | | | | | Barrel = | | | | |
| 1920-21 and summer 1921. | | | | | | | | 1/6 ton. | | | | |
| South Georgia | 137 | 487 | 14 | 3 | 9 | - | 650 | 31,723 | 1 | 1 | | 5 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 6 | 174 | 1 | 6 | - | - | 187 | 4,561 | 1 | 1 | | 4 |
| Pacific (north) | 78 | - 10 | - | - | - | ¹) 129 | 129 181 | $5,000 \\ 9,900$ | 1 1 | i | | 4 3 |
| Japan and Corea | 37 | 19 475 | 21 101 | 477 | 63 302 | ²) 95 | | 5) - | - | | | 30 |
| Total | 258 | 1,155 | 137 | 486 | 374 | 224 | 2,634 | 51,184 | 4 | | | 46 |
| 10001 | 230 | 1,100 | 101 | 400 | 311 | 221 | 2,001 | 01,101 | - | | | 10 |
| 1921-22 and summer 1922. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 314 | 96 | - | 28 | - | - | 438 | 40,000 | 1 | - | | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 2 | 155 | 1 | 16 | 1 | 4) 1 | 176 | 3,951 | 1 | 1 | | 4 |
| Pacific (north) | | - | - | • | | 1)1,356 | | 57,000 | 7 | 1 | ca. | 19 |
| Coast of Chile | 85 | 21 | 19 | - | 77 | 2) 47 | 202 | 10,200 | 1 | - | | 3 |
| Japan and Corea | 34 | 390 | 82 | 391 | 562 | 2) 47 | 1,506 | 5) - | | - | | 30 |
| Total | 435 | 662 | 102 | 435 | 640 | 1,404 | 3,678 | 111,151 | 10 | - | | 60 |
| 1922-23 and summer 1923. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 411 | 328 | 75 | - | 6 | - | 820 | 53,991 | 1 | - | | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 2 | 97 | 1 | 2 | - | - | 102 | 2,881 | 1 | - | | 4 |
| Pacific (north) | 29 | 151 | 155 | 1 | 16 | | | ., | 1 | | | 4 |
| Pacific, others | | | - | | ! | 1)1,008 | , | | 7 | - | ca. | 15 |
| Japan and Corea | 35 | 431 | 70 | 488 | 364 | ²) 34 | | 5) - | • | - | | 30 |
| Total | 477 | 1,007 | 301 | 491 | 386 | 1,045 | 3,707 | 91,648 | 10 | - | | 57 |
| 1923-24 and summer 1924. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 256 | 247 | 17 | 6 | 10 | - | 536 | 34,702 | 2 | - | | 4 |
| Coast of Spain | - | 338 | - | - | 7 | - | 345 | | - | 1 | | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 1 | 123 | 1 | 6 | | | 134 | , | 2 | | | 4 |
| Pacific (north) | - | | - | - | | 1)1,102 4) 7 | | | 7 | 1 | ca. | 17 |
| Coast of Chile Japan and Corea | 48 33 | 116 337 | | 642 | 52 336 | | 1 | ca. 10,000 ⁵) - | 1 | - | | 30 |
| Total | 338 | 1,161 | '- - | 654 | - | | 3,900 | | 12 | | | $\frac{30}{62}$ |
| | | 1,101 | | 001 | 100 | 1,121 | 0,000 | 01,202 | | _ | | ٠. |
| 1924-25 and summer 1925. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia Coast of Spain and Por- | 426 | 330 | 25 | - | - | - | 781 | 49,023 | 1 | | | 4 |
| tugal | _ | 202 | - | 13 | 4 | _ | 219 | 6,100 | _ | 1 | | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 1 | 137 | 1 | - | - | - | 141 | 3,657 | 1 | | | 5 |
| Pacific (north) | 36 | 233 | 193 | - | 33 | | 989 | 27,600 | 7 | - | | 17 |
| Coast of Chile, etc | 76 | 82 | | - | 56 | | | 9,450 | 1 | - | | 6 |
| Japan and Corea | 30 | 410 | | 493 | | ²) 19 | | 5) - | | - | | 30 |
| Total | 569 | 1,394 | 397 | 506 | 572 | 52 0 | 3,957 | 95,830 | 10 | 1 | | 66 |
| 1925 26 and summer 1926. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 234 | 813 | 32 | | | - | 1,079 | 54,426 | 1 | - | | 4 |
| Coast of Spain and Por- | 231 | 010 |] | | | | 2,010 | 32,220 | • | | | - |
| tugal | - | 241 | - | - | - | - | 241 | 10,500 | - | 1 | | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 1 | 118 | | 5 | | - | 129 | | 1 | | | 5 |
| Pacific (north) | 15 | 179 | 1 | | 2 | 1) 409 | | | 6 | 1 | | 13 |
| Coast of Chile, etc | 102 | 224 | 1 | - | 75 | 4) 9 | 1 | | 1 | | | 20 |
| Japan and Corea | 32 | 400 | 115 | 564 | 737 | ²) 17 | 1,865 | 5) - | - | - | | 30 |
| Total | 384 | 1,975 | 552 | 569 | 816 | 435 | 4,731 | 109,788 | 9 | 1 | | 60 |

 ¹⁾ No specification.
 2) Grey-whales (California Grey).
 3) 1 right-whale and 2 Greenland-whales.
 4) Right-whales.
 5) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food.

| , | | | Species o | f whale | s canabt | | | | \mathbf{E}_{i} | xpedition | ıs. |
|--|-------|-------------|----------------|---------|----------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Years. Geographical areas. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | Others. | Total of whales. | Oil produc- tion. | Shore sta- tions. | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. |
| | | | | | | | | Barrel = | | | |
| 1926-27 and summer 1927. | | | | | | | | 1/6 ton.j | | | |
| South Georgia | 525 | 199 | - | 84 | 4 | | 812 | 59,681 | 1 | - | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 2 | 170 | 1 | 16 | 6 | - | 195 | 5,189 | 1 | - | 5 |
| Pacific (north) | 35 | 122 | 554 | 3 | 3 | 1) 643 | 1,360 | 33,0 00 | 7 | 1 | 17 |
| Coast of Chile | - | - | - | | - | - | - | ²) - | . 1 | - | 4 |
| Japan and Corea | 9 | 4 41 | 95 | 531 | 450 | 7) 20 | 1,546 | ³) - | | - | 30 |
| Total | 571 | 932 | 650 | 634 | 463 | 663 | 3,913 | 97,870 | 10 | 1 | 60 |
| 400th 00 7 4000 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1927-28 and summer 1928. | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia Pelagic whaling in West | 422 | 193 | - | 13 | 17 | - | 645 | 54,839 | 1 | - | 4 |
| Antarctic | 3 | 1 | 2 | 787 | | 4) 3 | 796 | 12,550 | _ | 1 | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | 3 | 276 | 3 | 9 | 4 | , . | 295 | 8,582 | 2 | - | 7 |
| Pacific (north) | - | - | - | - | | 1)1,011 | 1,011 | 31,800 | 4 | 1 | 17 |
| Coast of Chile | - | | _ | _ | | ,1,011 | 1 - ' | ca. 12,000 | 1 | | 4 |
| Japan and Corea | 10 | 455 | 90 | 551 | 482 | ⁶) 19 | | 3) - | - | - | 30 |
| Total | 438 | 925 | 95 | 1,360 | | 1,033 | | 119,771 | 8 | 2 | 66 |
| 10141 | 430 | 923 | 99 | 1,360 | 505 | 1,055 | 4,554 | 113,111 | O | | 00 |
| 1928-29 and summer 1929. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| South Georgia | 267 | 464 | 3 | 65 | 8 | _ | 807 | 62,023 | 1 | - | 4 |
| West Antarctic, others. | 232 | 148 | 2 | 401 | 2 | - | 785 | 34,644 | - | 1 | 4 |
| North Atlantic and Arctic | - | 160 | 1 | 14 | 3 | | 178 | 4,967 | 2 | - | 8 |
| Pacific (north) | - | - | - | - | - | 1)1,107 | 1,107 | 36,120 | 4 | 1 | 17 |
| Japan and Corea | 16 | 386 | 74 | 364 | 606 | 7) 17 | | 7,248 | - | - | 29 |
| Total 8) | 515 | 1,158 | 80 | 844 | 619 | 1,124 | 4,340 | 145,002 | 7 | 2 | 62 |

Table No. 5.—Whaling Results for the various countries in 1928/29 and the summer of 1929.

| | | | Species o | f whale | s canaht | | | | Expeditions. | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|-------|----------------|---------|----------|--------------------|---------------------|---|--------------|----------------------------------|----------------|--|
| Countries. | Blue. | Fin. | Hump- back. | Sei. | Sperm. | | Total of whales. | Oil production. Shore stations. | | Float- ing fac- tories. | Catch- ers. | |
| | | | | | | | | $\begin{array}{c} \text{Barrel} = \\ ^{1/6} \text{ ton.} \end{array}$ | | | | |
| Norway | 10,181 | 4,366 | 70 | 318 | 44 | | 14,996 | 1,210,235 | | 24 | 110 | |
| British Empire | 2,954 | 3,608 | 154 | 387 | 1,098 | ¹⁰) 29 | 8,230 | 512,611 | 10 | 4 | 65 | |
| Argentine | 499 | 612 | 5 | 466 | 10 | | 1,592 | 96,667 | 1 | 1 | 8 | |
| Japan | 16 | 386 | 74 | 364 | 606 | 7) 17 | 1,463 | $^{3})$ 7,248 | - | - | 29 | |
| Denmark (Faroe Islands) | | 160 | 1 | 14 | 3 | ´ . | 178 | 4.967 | 2 | - | 8 | |
| Pacific (north) | - | - | - | - | | ¹)1,107 | 1,107 | 36,120 | 4 | 1 | 17 | |
| Total 8) | 13,650 | 9,132 | 304 | 1,549 | 1,761 | 1,170 | 27,566 | 1,867,848 | 25 | 30 | 237 | |

¹⁾ No specification. 2) The production is estimated at about 12,000 barrels, which must be added to the total world production. 3) Small production of oil, as the whale is used to a great extent for human food. 4) Right-whales. 5) Calculated at about 300 whales. 6) 10 Grey-whales and 9 right-whales. 7) Grey-whales. 8) Not including 1 shore station with probably 4 catchers from Chile. Production of oil about 15,000 barrels. 9) 2 grey-whales, 6 beaked whales, 6 bottlenoses and 3 caing-whales. 10) 2 right-whales and 27 Bryde-whales.

Table No. 6.—Average production of oil per blue-whale in the Antarctic in the seasons 1924/25—1928/29.

Other whales are reduced to blue-whale equivalents on the following basis:— 1 blue-whale = 2 fin-whales = $2\frac{1}{2}$ humpbacks = 6 sei-whales.

| | | D1 1 1 | Oil pr | oduction. |
|---|----------------|----------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Season. Geographical areas. | Company. | Blue-whale equivalents. | Total. | Per blue-whale |
| 1924—25. | | | Barrel = 1/6 ton. 1) | Barrel = 1/6 ton. 1) |
| A. South Georgia | No. 1 | 1,079 | 100,647 | 93.3 |
| 1. South Georgia | Ω | 657 | 59,350 | 90.3 |
| | ′′ 9 | 805 | 71,650 | 89 |
| | " 3 | 831 | 73,806 | 88.8 |
| 1 | ,, 5 | 1,001 | 49,023 | 81.6 |
| | ,, 6 | 653 | 50,500 | 77.3 |
| Average | | | | 87.5 |
| | | | | |
| B. Other areas in Antarctic | No. 1 | 375 | 34,400 | 96.3 |
| | " 2 | 221 | 20,600 | 93.2 |
| | ", з | 231 | 21,300 | 92.2 |
| l de la companya de | ,, 4 | 226 | 20,550 | 90.9 |
| | ,, 5 | 212 | 19,150 | 90.3 |
| | ,, 6 | 306 | 26,500 | 86.6 |
| | " 7 | 390 | 33,700 | 86.4 |
| | ,, 8 ,, 9 | 441 | 37,700 | 85.5 |
| | ′′ 10 | 257 418 | 20,200 | 78.6 76.2 |
| | ″ 11 | 346 | 31,850 23,315 | 67.3 |
| Average | ,, 11 | | | 85 |
| 1925—26. | | | | |
| A. South Georgia | No. 1 | 893 | 81,306 | 91 |
| | " 2 | 683 | 58,200 | 85.2 |
| | " 3 | 653 | 54,426 | 83.3 |
| | ,, 4 | 1,035 | 86,000 | 83 |
| | " 5 | 985 | 80,234 | 81.5 |
| | ,, 6 | 555 | 43,850 | 79 |
| Average | | | _ | 84 |
| 3. Other areas in Antarctic | No. 1 | 950 | 04 991 | 02.0 |
| | 0 | 259 344 | $24,331 \\ 31,950$ | 93.9 92.9 |
| | ິ 9 | 452 | 41,400 | 91.6 |
| | ,, 3 ,, 4 | 278 | 24,500 | 88.1 |
| | " 5 | 291 | 25,000 | 85.9 |
| | ,, 6 | 270 | 23,160 | 85.7 |
| | ,, 7 | 243 | 20,700 | 85.2 |
| | ,, 8 | 298 | 24,500 | 82.2 |
| | ,, 9 | 357 | 29,146 | 81.6 |
| | ,, 10 | 332 | 27,000 | 81.3 |
| | ,, 11 ,, 12 | 322 527 | 25,760 | 80 75.2 |
| | ,, 12 | 921 | 39,630 | 10.4 |

 $^{^{1}}$) 1 ton = 1,016 kg.

| | | Blue-whale | Oil pro | duction. |
|--|---|--------------|-------------------|---|
| Season. Geographical areas. | Company. | equivalents. | Total. | Per blue-whale equivalent. |
| | | | Barrel = 1/6 ton. | Barrel=1/6 ton |
| I926— 27. | | | | |
| | M. 1 | | F0.000 | 107 |
| A. South Georgia | No. 1 | 554 710 | 59,220 73,900 | 107 104.1 |
| | ,, ² | 789 | 78,300 | 99.3 |
| | ,, 4 | 638.5 | 59,681 | 93.1 |
| | ,, 5 ,, 6 | 971 | 90,000 | 92.7 |
| Awaraga | ,, 0 | 660 | 55,600 | 84.3 96.4 |
| Average | | | | 90.4 |
| B. Other areas in Antarctic | No. 1 | 460 | 48,500 | 105.4 |
| | " 2 | 246 | 24,770 | 100.7 |
| | ,, 3 | 274 | 26,899 | 98.2 |
| | ,, 4 | 436 | 42,000 | 96.3 |
| | $\begin{array}{ccc} & 5 \\ & 6 \end{array}$ | 250 331 | 23,700 31,000 | 94.8 93.6 |
| | ,, 0 | 195 | 16,800 | 86.2 |
| | " 8 | 323 | 27,830 | 86.2 |
| | ,, 9 | 289 | 24,750 | 85.6 |
| | ,, 10 | 334 | 28,600 | 85.6 |
| | " 11 " 12 | 282 440 | 23,680 36,800 | 84 83.7 |
| | ,, 12 ,, 13 | 219 | 18,233 | 83.3 |
| | ,, 14 | 184 | 14,700 | 80 |
| Average | | _ | | 91.1 |
| 1927—28. | | | | |
| A South Georgia | No. 1 | 324 | 36,511 | 112 7 |
| ass. g.u. | ,, 2 | 593 | 65,550 | 110.5 |
| | ,, 3 | 551 | 59,505 | 108 |
| | " 4 | 390 | 40,564 | 104 |
| | " 5 " 6 | 521 438 | 53,989 43,500 | 103.6 99.3 |
| Average | ,, 0 | | | 106.4 |
| | | | | |
| 3. Other areas in Antarctic | No. 1 | 439 | 44,700 | 101.8 |
| | $ \begin{array}{ccc} & 2 \\ & 3 \end{array} $ | 449 438 | 45,200 44,055 | 100.7 |
| | ,, 3 ,, 4 | 366 | 36,300 | 100.6 99.2 |
| | $\ddot{,}$ $\bar{5}$ | 394 | 38,782 | 98.5 |
| | "6 | 418 | 40,545 | 97 |
| and the state of t | ,, 7 | 810 | 78,400 | 96.8 |
| | " 8 " 9 | 392 469 | 37,933 $44,082$ | $\begin{array}{c} 96.8 \\ 94 \end{array}$ |
| | ,, 10 | 400 | 37,258 | 93.1 |
| | ,, 11 | 433 | 40,320 | 93.1 |
| | ,, 12 | 406 | 36,650 | 90.3 |
| | ,, 13 | 512 | 45,812 | 89.5 |
| | " 14 " 15 | 589 508 | 50,000 42,700 | 84.9 |
| | 1.0 | 744 | 57,811 | 84.1 77.7 |
| Average | ,, 10 | | | 92.8 |

Table No. 6 (continued).

| | | Blue whale | Oil pro | duction. |
|-----------------------------|--|--------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| Season. Geographical areas. | Company. | equivalents. | Total. | Per blue-whale equivalent. |
| | enter en | | Barrel = 1/6 ton. | Barrel = 1/6 ton. |
| 1928—29 . | | | | |
| A. South Georgia | No. 1 | 580 | 63,556 | 109.7 |
| | ,, 2 | 427 | 46,700 | 109.4 |
| i | ,, 3 | 595 | 64,750 | 108.8 |
| | "4 | 699 | 75,500 | 108 |
| | .,, 5 | 511 | 53,657 | 105 |
| Average | | | _ | 108.2 |
| B. Other areas in Antarctic | No. 1 | 502 | 60.151 | 119.7 |
| b. Other areas in Amarcia | | 447 | 60,151 50,000 | 111.7 |
| | ,, 2 ,, 3 ,, 4 | 600 | 65,700 | 109.5 |
| | ,, o | 166.5 | 18,180 | 109.3 |
| | ,, t | 605 | 65,500 | 108.3 |
| | $\frac{0}{1}$, $\frac{1}{6}$ | 478 | 50,200 | 105.5 |
| | 7 | 691 | 71,600 | 103.6 |
| | . 0 | 516 | 53,366 | 103.4 |
| | 0 | 456 | 46,565 | 102.1 |
| | ", 10 | 682.8 | 69,500 | 101.9 |
| | ", îi | 421 | 41,500 | 98.6 |
| | $\frac{7}{12}$ | 990.5 | 96,750 | 97.7 |
| 1 | ,, 13 | 724.8 | 70,000 | 96.6 |
| | ,, 14 | 686.1 | 66,000 | 96.2 |
| I | ,, 15 | 772.6 | 72,900 | 94.4 |
| | ,, 16 | 410 | 38,400 | 93.7 |
| | ,, 17 | 374 | 34,544 | 92.4 |
| | ,, 18 | 382.1 | 35,000 | 91.6 |
| | ,, 19 | 537.5 | 49,000 | 91.2 |
| | ,, 20 | 592 | 53,800 | 90.9 |
| | " 21 | 625.9 | 56,000 | 89.5 |
| | ,, 2 2 | 336.5 | 29,950 | 89.1 |
| | ,, 23 | 720 | 63,592 | 88.3 |
| : | ,, 24 | 405 | 31,961 | 78.9 |
| Average | | | | 98.3 |

| Firm: |
|-------------------------|
| Manager: |
| Catching fields: |
| Season commenced closed |

Report on number of whales, oil production, etc. Season 19

| | Catcher:Gunner: | | | | | Catcher : Gunner : | | | | | | Catcher: Gunner: | | | | | | Total production of oil of the whaling firm. | | | | | Production of Guano and Bonemeal | | | | | | |
|-------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|-------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------|-------|------|-----|---------------|--|-------|----------------|-------|-------|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--|---|
| Month | Blue | Fin whale | Hump- back | Sei whale | Sperm whale | Right whale | Total | Blue whale | Fin whale | Hump- back | Sei whale | Sperm | Right whale | Total | Biue | Fin | Hump- back | Sei whale | Sperm | Right whale | Total | No. 0 | No. 2 | No. 3 | No. 4 | Sperm | Total | | |
| January . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | *************************************** |
| February | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| March | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| April, etc. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | و ميهن و دامندو و در د |

Report on whales caught from by — whaling firm in the season 19 —19

| Date | Smaring of myhalas | Length 1) | Contact of Stones | 6 | | Females 2 |) | |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--|----------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| | Species of whales | Length 1) (Ft.) | Contents of Stomach | Sex | Pregnant | Accompanied by calf. | Length of the calf or foetus | Remar ks |
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¹⁾ The length shall be the length of a straight line taken from the tip of the snout to the notch between the flukes of the tail.
2) These rubrics must be filled in as exactly as possible.

