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BRITISH GUIANA

REPORT
OF THE
BRITISH GUIANA
RICE MARKETING BOARD
FOR THE PERIOD
1ST OCTOBER, 1963
TO
30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964

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THIS REPORT OF THE TRANSACTIONS OF THE BOARD FOR THE ACCOUNTING PERIOD 1ST OCTOBER, 1963, TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964, IS MADE IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 21(2) OF THE RICE MARKETING ORDINANCE, CAP. 249. THE AUDITED BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964, AND THE INCOME AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT FOR THE PERIOD ARE APPENDED TO THE REPORT.

ACCOUNTS

The Accounts disclose that the operations of the Board during the period under review resulted in a trading profit of \$557,085.37. \$458,178.91 was expended on Grants and Aids to the Industry and there was thus a nett excess of Income over Expenditure of \$98,906.46. In accordance with the provisions of Section 20(2) of the Ordinance, this surplus was transferred to the General Reserve. An amount of \$236,534.50, representing the remitted Cess on Local Sales, was transferred from the General Reserve to the Special Reserve. This Reserve is now \$2,800,116.80.

2. The main features of the Accounts are set out hereunder:-

		<u>INCOME AND EXPENDITURE</u>	
		\$	%
Gross Proceeds of Sales		27,694,391	(100.0)
Less: Cost of Rice Sold		<u>24,210,211</u>	(87.4)
GROSS PROFIT ON SALES		3,484,180	(12.6)
<u>Less:</u> Warehousing, Processing, and Packaging Expenses	1,930,365	(6.9)	
General Expenses	1,014,709	(3.7)	
		<u>2,945,074</u>	(10.6)
<u>Add:</u> Other Income		539,106	(2.0)
		<u>17,979</u>	(.0)
NETT TRADING PROFIT		557,085	(2.0)
GRANTS AND AIDS TO INDUSTRY		<u>458,179</u>	(1.6)
EXCESS OF INCOME OVER EXPENDITURE		<u><u>\$ 98,906</u></u>	(.4)

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS:			
Fixed	- Land, Buildings, Plant Equipment, Trade Investments, etc.	\$2,906,222	
Current	- Stocks, Prepaid Expenses, Debtors, Cash on Hand, etc.	<u>7,168,479</u>	\$10,074,701
LIABILITIES:			
	Creditors and Bank Overdrafts		<u>6,146,003</u>
RESERVES			<u><u>\$ 3,928,698</u></u>

N.B. : In this Report -

1 bag of paddy	=	140 lbs. nett
1 bag of rice	=	177 $\frac{3}{4}$ lbs. nett/180 lbs. gross
1 ton of paddy or rice	=	2,240 lbs. gross.

OPERATING COSTS

3. Nett operating expenses for the year totalled \$1,656,371 as against \$1,479,937 in the previous year. The total number of bags of rice handled during the year was 1,256,154 as compared with 1,296,315. Operating costs thus worked out at 131.8¢ per bag as against 114.2¢ per bag in the previous year.

PURCHASE AND LOCAL SALE PRICES

4. At the commencement of the year, the purchase and local sale prices for rice and paddy were as follows:-

Purchase Prices:

Extra Super	\$22.50	per bag of 180 lbs. gross delivered
Super	21.05	at the Board's Georgetown Warehouse.
Extra No. 1	19.90	do.
No. 1	18.95	do.
Extra No. 2	16.90	do.
No. 2	15.80	do.
No. 3	13.65	do.
Super Broken	9.85	do.
Broken	8.20	do.
White No. 1	21.96	do.
White No. 2	20.34	do.
White No. 3	18.90	do.
White No. 4	17.48	do.
White No. 5	16.20	do.
White No. 6	14.22	do.
White A Broken	9.00	do.
White B Broken	7.20	do.
Unclassified	7.00	do.

Local Sale Prices:

Super	\$23.95	per bag of 180 lbs. gross.
Brown A	19.70	do.
Brown B	14.45	do.
White A	22.20	do.
White B	19.70	do.
Brewer's Broken	12.90	do.
Mixed Broken	11.35	do.
Stock Feed	8.10	do.
Pearl Brand	10.60	per carton of 60 lbs. nett.
Indian Maid	8.23	per sack of 50 lbs. nett.

Minimum Paddy Price:

\$7.30 per bag of 140 lbs. nett
delivered at a rice factory.

PURCHASES AND SALES

5. The quantity of rice purchased by the Board during the period under review was 1,269,128 bags, equivalent to 101,984 tons.

6. Sales of rice by the Board during the period amounted to 1,241,009 bags/99,724 tons, of which 185,881 bags/14,937 tons were sold for local consumption and 1,055,128 bags/84,787 tons were exported.

7. Contractual and non-contractual exports of rice for the year are set out in Tables A and B at Appendix "F."

DOMESTIC CONSUMPTION

8. In addition to the quantity of 14,937 tons of rice sold by the Board for local consumption, 132,153 bags equivalent to 10,619 tons were retained by producers for their own consumption. The total domestic consumption of rice thus amounted to 25,556 tons.

9. It is estimated that a further quantity of 23,333 tons of paddy, equivalent to 14,000 tons of rice, was used for animal feed and seed planting.

CROP RESULTS AND PROSPECTS

10. The 1963 Autumn and 1964 Spring Crops yielded 140,167 tons of paddy/87,000 tons of rice and 50,807 tons of paddy/31,349 tons of rice respectively, totalling 190,974 tons of paddy/118,349 tons of rice for the year.

11. The total availabilities for the year, including the carry-over of 34,210 tons from the previous crop year, thus amounted to 152,140 tons of rice which were disposed of as follows:

1. <u>Total Stocks for Disposal:</u>	<u>Tons Rice</u>	<u>Tons Rice</u>
Total Yield of 1963 Autumn and 1964 Spring Crops	118,349	
<u>Less:</u> Portion of 1963 Autumn Crop harvested early and delivered to mills in September, 1963	<u>7,473</u>	110,876
<u>Plus:</u> (i) Portion of 1964 Autumn Crop harvested early and delivered to mills during September, 1964	6,993	
(ii) Carry-over from previous Crop Year	34,210	
(iii) Processing Gain	<u>61</u>	<u>41,264</u>
T o t a l		<u>152,140</u>
 2. <u>Disposals:</u>		
E x p o r t s: Rice		84,787
Local Consumption:		
(i) Sales by Board - Rice	14,937	
Chips & Bran	<u>137</u>	15,074
(ii) Retained by farmers for domestic consumption	10,619	
(iii) Equivalent of paddy used for animal feed and seed planting (Estimated)	14,000	<u>39,693</u>
Total Disposals		124,480

B/F		<u>Tons Rice</u>	<u>Tons Rice</u>
	Total Disposals		124,480
3.	<u>Carry-over Stocks at Year End:</u>		
	Old Crop:		
	Rice in Board's possession	14,538	
	Equivalent of paddy in mills	<u>2,612</u>	17,150
	New Crop:		
	Rice in Board's possession	4,830	
	Rice in mills	3,065	
	Equivalent of paddy in mills	<u>2,615</u>	<u>10,510</u>
			<u>27,660</u>
			<u>152,140</u>

RICE CONFERENCES

12. Two Conferences were held with the Little Eight Territories. The first was in February, 1964, in Barbados and the second in September, 1964, in Montserrat. At both of these Conferences, the Board did not secure an increase in existing prices but had the contracts extended for an additional year. The contracts with these territories now shall remain in force until 1969.

EXPORT MARKETS

13. Our main export markets remain the West Indian Islands and Cuba, and the prices obtained from these markets remain the same.

CONSTITUTION OF THE BOARD AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

14. On the 25th of May, 1964, the appointments of Members to the Board expired, and the new Board was constituted as follows:

Chairman:

D. Oodit

Vice Chairman:

D. Ramlakhan

Members:

Chief Agricultural Officer
Principal Assistant Secretary,
Ministry of Trade & Industry
Messrs. E. Ambrose
A. F. Baptiste
B. Bhagwandass
M. Fernandes
M. A. Khan
Beni Persaud
Bhola Persaud
S. Persaud
K. Sankar
R. Sankat
J. Sawh.

15. The Executive Committee was constituted as follows:

Chairman:

D. Oodit

Vice Chairman:

D. Ramlakhan

Members:

Messrs. E. Ambrose
M. Khan
S. Persaud
D. Yankana.

16. With effect from 2nd January, 1964, Mr. Jack A. Alli was appointed to the post of Manager.

17. Mr. H. L. Sobrian, who joined the Board in 1945 as Chief Clerk in the Purchases Department, was appointed to the post of Assistant Manager with effect from 2nd January, 1964, with a probationary period of one year.

18. Mr. N. M. Khan, who joined the Board in 1943 as a District Supervisor, was appointed to the post of Secretary with effect from 2nd January, 1963.

APPENDICES

19. The following Statements are appended to the Report:-

- "A" - Audited Accounts as at 30th September, 1964, with Certificates by the Auditors, Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Graham & Co.
- "B" - Analysis of Purchases and Sales.
- "C" - Analysis of Exports.
- "D" - Detailed Statement of Stocks of Rice.
- "E" - Supply and Utilisation of Rice.
- "F" - Contractual and Non-contractual Exports.
- "G" - Reconciliation of Stocks.
- "H" - Crop Yields.
- "I" - Quality Trends.

D. OODIT - CHAIRMAN

J. A. ALLI - MANAGER

N. M. KHAN - SECRETARY

GEORGETOWN, BRITISH GUIANA
28th December, 1964.

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MUNCE SHEET

30 SEPTEMBER, 1964.

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<u>RESERVES & UNDISTRIBUTED SURPLUS</u>			
\$1,257,889	General Reserve Account	\$ 1,128,581.47	
2,561,197	Special Reserve ("Gess" Remitted)	2,800,066.80	\$2,237,425
<u>8.120</u>	Paddy and Rice Bonds Construction		793,403
<u>3,827,406</u>		<u>3,928,698.27</u>	<u>\$20</u>
			<u>3,031,718</u>
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>			
1,451,722	Sundry Creditors	\$3,906,056.81	
	Bank Overdrafts:-		
1,787,683	Barclays Bank, D.C.O.	\$1,032,930.85	..1&...500
<u>2,700,100</u>	Royal Bank of Canada	<u>1,207,015.50</u>	<u>2,239,946.15</u>
5,580,505			6,146,001.16
			4,408,245
			373,259
			<u>272.702</u>
			5,054,206
			100,074
			17,812
			458,337
			38,353
			<u>712,554</u>
			1,227,056

			1,126,471
			7,032
			<u>17,910</u>
			<u>54,942</u>
			<u>6,335,693</u>
<u>\$9,407,911</u>		<u>\$10,074,701.43</u>	<u>\$9,417,911.</u>

NOTES:

- There is a floating charge in favour of the Royal Bank of Canada and Barclays Bank, D.C.O., on all Fixed Assets, Stocks and Hire Purchase Debts.
- Unpaid Letters of Credit amounting to \$373,735.00, were outstanding at 30th September, 1964.

FIXED ASSETS

Lands and Buildings - at cost less Depreciation	\$2,138,416.72
Plant, Machinery and Sundry Equipment	700,971.78
At cost - Less Depreciation	<u>26,377.31</u>
<u>Construction in Progress</u>	
	\$ 2,865,721.97
<u>TRADE INVESTMENTS</u>	
At cost, less amounts written off	
B.G. Rice Development Co. Ltd., - 1,620 shares at \$100.00 each fully paid (cost \$162,000.00)	40,500.00
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>	
<u>Stocks at the lower of cost and net realisable value</u>	
Rice	\$4,826,376.91
Bags, Packaging Materials, etc.	-M.4,021.52
Sundry Stores, Spices,	5,290,401.11
Loose Tools & Goods in Transit	<u>166,825.71</u>
	5,457,227.22
<u>Prepaid Expenses</u>	
<u>Sundry Debtors</u>	134,968.81
Hire Purchase of Agricultural Machinery	17,812.34
Millers - & Sons (S) Applied	403,013.41
B.G. Credit Corp. - (Rice Crop Loans)	30,481.93
Other	<u>1,210,187.68</u>
	1,661,495.36
Less: Provision for Bad and Doubtful Debts	<u>153,341.36</u>
<u>Cash in Bank and on Hand</u>	1,508,153.80
Georgetown and Depots	47,884.57
G.P.O. Savings Bank - Employees' Savings	<u>20,245.</u>
	<u>68,129.61</u>
	7,168,479.46

\$10,074,701.43

BRITISH GUIANA RICE MARKETING BOARD

Income and Expenditure Account

For the Year ended 30th September, 1964.

Year to <u>30.9.63.</u>			
	<u>Sales of Rice, Viz,</u>		
4,828,498	Local Sales - Bulk	\$ 4,239,635.75	
<u>36,063</u>	Local Sales - Packaged	<u>49,341.34</u>	
4,864,561			\$ 4,288,977.09
9,852,621	Export Sales- Bulk	22,009,926.31	
<u>1,497,426</u>	Export Sales- Packaged	<u>1,395,485.12</u>	
1,350,047			<u>23,405,411.43.</u>
6,214,608			27,694,391.52
	<u>Deduct:</u>		
	<u>Cost of Rice Sold, Viz</u>		
2,667,630	Purchase Cost	\$24,145,063.97	
73,535	do. - Regrades	61,711.12	24,210,211.09
280,211	Processing & Pack, Cost		299,642.80
1,061,192	Warehousing & Blending		1,120,933.68
30,252	Grading		39,463.62
813	Fumigation		3,037.00
<u>432,528</u>	Bags & Twine		<u>467,287.81</u>
4,546,231			26,140,576.30
1,668,377			1,553,815.22
	<u>Deduct:</u>		
	<u>General Expenses, Viz.</u>		
183,086	Administrative Expenses	194,864.55	
36,599	Purchases Department	41,448.95	
32,760	District Supervision	1,328,885.40	
105,238	Property Expenses	151,182.75	
	Contribution to Pension Plan		
	Employees' Savings &		
27,649	Group Life Insurance	9,027.45	
1,326	Board & Committee Expenses	7,431.44	
333,469	Interest Payable	348,214.15	
4,533	Paddy Purchasing & Milling	33.96	
27,714	Miscellaneous	<u>229,550.50</u>	
			<u>1,014,709.15</u>
<u>764,315</u>			<u>1,014,709.15</u>
904,062			Cr. 539,106.07
	<u>Agg't</u>		
	<u>Other Income, Viz.</u>		
4.31	Profit on Sale of Assets	49.20	
<u>19,912</u>	Miscellaneous	1 0.10	
20,343			<u>17,979.30</u>
924,405	Net Trading Profit		Cr.\$ 557,085.37

BRITISH GUIANA RICE MARKETING BOARDIncome and Expenditure AccountFor the Year ended 30th September, 1964.

Year to <u>30.9.63</u>			
\$ 924,405	Net Trading Profit - forward		\$557,085 ,37'
	<u>Grants & Aids to Rice Industry, Viz.</u>		
	Grant to B,G. Rice Producers' Assoc:		
17,584	Balance of Grant for 1963	\$30,436.58	
35,000	Advance on Grant for 1964	<u>40,000.00</u>	\$ 70,436,58
135,236	Loss on Sale of New Bags		198,887,96
96,847	Pest Control (Field)		160,856,52
	Drainage & Irrigation Relief		5,837,29
	B.G. Credit Corp. - Rice Crop Loans:		
1,252	Subsidy of Interest Payable		1,257,30
3,094	Storage of Farmers' Paddy (Net)		2,.811.25
	Coastal Marine Insurance on		
2,863	Farmers' Rice		4,636.15
19,438	R.M.B. Scholarships		11,945,20
	Expenses - R.P.A, Building		1,470,48
38	Expenses - Sale of Acid to Millers		40,18
311,352			<u>458,178.91</u>
613,053	Total Excess of Income Over Expenditure		98,906,46'
613,053	Less Transferred to Appropriation Account		98,906.46

BRITISH GUIANA RICE MARKETING BOARD

Appropriation Account

For the Year ended 20th September. 196L..

By Income and Expenditure Account	\$98,906.46
By General Reserve Account	<u>137,628.04</u>
	236,534.50
To Rice Cess Remission Reserve	<u>236,534.50</u>

FITZPATRICK, GRAHAM & CO.,

THE OEMERARA LIFE BUILDINGS,
Georgetown, Demerara,
19th May, 1965.

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE
BRITISH GUIANA RICE MARKETING BOARD

We have examined the books and accounts of the British Guiana Rice Marketing Board for the year ended 30th September, 1964. We have compared the entries with the vouchers and found them to be in order, and we have obtained **all** the information and explanations we have required.

The foregoing Balance Sheet and Accounts are, in our opinion, properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial position at 30th September, 1964, and of the transactions during the year ended on that date, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the books of the Board, subject to the correct presentation of Sundry Creditors in the Balance Sheet to show Advances on Rice Purchases by Agents of the Government of Cuba (\$2,562,990.80) separately •

FITZPATRICK, GRAHAM & CO.

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

AUDITORS

ANALYSIS OF PURCHASES AND SALES FOR PERIOD 1ST OCTOBER, 1963, TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964.

PURCHASES		
	Bags of 150 lb.	% of total Purchases
Extra Super	249	-
Super	267,406	21.1
Extra No. 1	349,790	27.6
No. 1	202,522	16.0
Extra No. 2	42,973	3.4
No. 2	29,817	2.3
No. 3	15,817	1.2
Super Broken	1,262	.1
Broken	22,586	1.8
Unclassified	11,790	.9
White No. 1	200,550	15.8
White No. 2	64,473	5.1
White No. 3	24,270	1.9
White No. 4	6,528	.5
White No. 5	6,650	.5
White No. 6	2,000	.2
White "A" Broken	7,435	.6
White "5" Broken	13,022	1.0
Rice Chips	100	-
TOTAL	1,269,128	100
EQUIVALENT IN GROSS TONS	101,984	

S A L E S						
Quantity and Proportion of each grade sold Locally and Exported						
GRADES	Total Sales	% of Total Sales	SOLD LOCALLY		EXPORTED	
			Bags of 100 lb.	%	Bags of 100 lb.	%
Packaged Super	43,270	3.5	1,690	.9	41,580	3.9
Super	235,631	19.0	150,815	65.4	76,816	7.3
Brown "A" & First Quality	692,634	55.0	12,733	6.9	669,901	63.5
Brown "B" & Second Quality	5,140	.4	69	-	5,071	.5
Mixed Broken	87	-	87	.1	-	-
Stock Feed	6,548	.5	6,548	3.5	-	-
Packaged White	2,642	.2	30	-	2,612	.2
White "A"	3,645	.3	3,640	2.0	5	-
White "B"	229,271	18.5	1,525	.8	227,746	21.6
White "D"	31,397	2.5	-	-	31,397	3.0
Brewers' Broken	744	.1	744	.4	-	-
TOTAL	1,241,009	100	195,881	100	1,055,128	100
EQUIVALENT IN GROSS TONS	99,724		14,937		84,787	

COMPARATIVE PERCENTAGE OF EACH GRADE SOLD LOCALLY AND EXPORTED

GRADES	Sold Locally	%	Exported	%	Total Sales	Total %
Packaged Super	1,690	3.9	41,580	96.1	43,270	100
Super	150,815	67.4	76,816	32.6	235,631	100
Brown "A" & First Quality	12,733	1.9	669,901	98.1	692,634	100
Brown "B" & Second Quality	69	1.3	5,071	98.7	5,140	100
Mixed Broken	87	100.0	-	-	87	100
Stock Feed	6,548	100.0	-	-	6,548	100
Packaged White	30	1.1	2,612	99.9	2,642	100
White "A"	3,640	99.9	5	.1	3,645	100
White "B"	1,525	.7	227,746	99.3	229,271	100
White "D"	-	-	31,397	100.0	31,397	100
Brewers' Broken	744	100.0	-	-	744	100
TOTAL	195,881	15.0	1,055,128	85.0	1,241,009	100

ANALYSIS OF EXPORTS DURING PERIOD 1ST OCTOBER, 1963, TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964,
SHOWING THE PERCENTAGE THAT EACH GRADE FORMED OF THE TOTAL EXPORTS TO EACH MARKET.

GRADES	TRINIDAD		BARBADOS		WINDWARD ISLANDS		LEeward ISLANDS		JAMAICA		CUBA		CANADA		GERMANY		MARTINIQUE		ST. BARTHELEMY		SHIPS' STORES		TOTAL
	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	
Packaged Parboiled	21,091	5.9	2,930	2.9	1,584	3.4	1,086	3.5	14,416	7.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	392	8.0	14	100	75	19.2	41,580
Super	-	-	-	-	100	.2	17,205	54.5	-	-	59,303	19.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	13.8	76,786
First Quality	339,330	94.1	99,020	97.1	41,983	91.4	13,215	41.8	175,352	91.1	-	-	-	-	124	1.0	-	-	1,741	35.4	280	66.7	669,901
Second Quality	-	-	-	-	2,280	5.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,790	58.6	-	-	1	3	5,071
Pearl Brand	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	57.1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Indian Maid	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	28.6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
Snow Brand	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	14.3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29
Packaged White	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	2,609	1.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
White "E"	-	-	-	-	-	-	75	2	-	-	215,351	70.4	-	-	12,320	99.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
White "D"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,397	10.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	227,746
EQUIVALENT IN GROSS TONS	359,411	100	101,950	100	45,950	100	31,583	100	192,377	100	306,051	100	35	100	12,444	100	4,923	100	14	100	390	100	1,055,128
	28,901		8,192		3,692		2,590		15,459		24,593		3		1,000		396		1		32		84,787

ANALYSIS OF EXPORTS DURING PERIOD 1ST OCTOBER, 1963, TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964,
SHOWING THE PERCENTAGE SHIPPED TO EACH MARKET.

	PROPORTION OF TOTAL EXPORTS OF EACH GRADE																		No. of Bags of 180 lb. each exported	Percentage of Total Exports				
	PKG'D. PARBOILED		SUPER		FIRST QUALITY		SECOND QUALITY		PKG'D. WHITE		WHITE "B"		WHITE "D"		PEARL BRAND		INDIAN MAID				SNOW BRAND			
	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total	Bags of 180 lb.	% Total			Bags of 180 lb.	% Total		
Trinidad	21,091	50.7	-	-	339,330	50.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barbados	2,930	7.1	-	-	99,020	14.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	359,411	34.1
Windward Islands	1,584	3.6	-	1	41,983	6.3	2,280	45.0	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	101,950	9.7
Leeward Islands	1,086	2.6	17,205	22.4	13,215	2.0	-	-	-	-	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45,950	4.3
Jamaica	14,416	34.7	-	-	175,352	26.2	-	-	2,609	99.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,583	3.0
Cuba	-	-	59,303	77.2	-	-	-	-	-	-	215,351	94.6	31,397	100	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	192,377	18.2
Canada	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	100	10	100	5	100	-	-	306,051	29.0
Germany	-	-	124	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,320	5.4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	-
Martinique	392	9	-	-	1,741	2	2,790	55.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12,444	1.2
St. Barthelemy	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,923	.5
Ships' Stores	75	2	54	1	280	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-
EQUIVALENT IN GROSS TONS	41,580	100	76,766	100	669,901	100	5,071	100	2,812	100	227,746	100	31,397	100	20	100	10	100	5	100	-	-	1,055,128	100
	3,341		6,170		53,831		498		210		18,301		2,523		2		1		-		-	-	84,787	

N.B.: ALL QUANTITIES DETAILED IN THE ABOVE STATEMENTS HAVE BEEN CONVERTED TO THE EQUIVALENT OF BAGS OF 180 LB. GROSS WEIGHT, IRRESPECTIVE OF THE ACTUAL SIZES OF SHIPPING CONTAINERS.

Detailed Statement of Rice Stocks on Hand

As at 30th September, 1964.

BULK RICE:

Blended Rice:

	<u>Bags of 180 lbs.</u>
Super	43,010
Brown "A"	--
Brown "B"	10
Mixed Broken	10
Stock Feed	15
White "A"	35
White "B"	45,131
White "D"	9
First Quality	35,491
Second Quality	70
Packaged "B"	1,295
Rice Chips	2
Rice Bran	11
	125,089

Unblended Rice:

Extra Super	--
Super	20,901
Extra No. 1	21,351
No. 1	7,283
Extra No. 2	2,377
No. 2	900
No. 3	699
Super Broken	15
Broken	889
Unclassified	545
White No. 1	31,340
White No. 2	12,714
White No. 3	6,788
White No. 4	2,208
White No. 5	2,918
White No. 6	794
White "A" Broken	281
White "B" Broken	1,269
	113,272

PACKAGED RICE:

Pearl Brand (60-lb. ctns.)	3,185 cartons	1,075
Pearl Brand (25-lb. sacks)	16 sacks	2
Indian Maid (50-lb. sacks)	3,323 sacks	935
Indian Maid (25-lb. sacks)	1,018 sacks	143
Mill Brand (50-lb. sacks)	38 sacks	11
Super (30-lb. sacks)	439 sacks	74
N. - Rich (31½-lb. sacks)	193 sacks	34
Pkgd. White (25-lb. sacks)	2,652 sacks	373
Snow Brand (60-lb. sacks)	38 sacks	13
Yu - Jam (25-lb. sacks)	26 sacks	4
		2,664

Total 241,025

Equivalent in Tons 19,368

SUPPLY AND UTILISATION OF RICE

Year (Oct/Sept)	Pro- duction	Retained By pro- ducers	Animal Feed & Seed +	Deliveries to Rice Marketing Board	Disposals By Board		Year-end Stocks		
					Local Sales	Exports	At Mills	With Board	TOTAL
1949/50	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,829	703	2,532
1950/51	66,420	11,791	17,300	46,570	18,110	28,388	2,588	775	3,363
1951/52	66,667	12,357	7,300	47,426	16,852	31,197	2,172	152	2,324
1952/53	76,038	11,503	5,589	55,981	17,608	36,807	5,137	1,658	6,795
1953/54	79,875	11,471	11,266	57,665	17,725	38,536	4,610	3,062	7,672
1954/55	86,750	11,364	8,958	65,894	18,428	48,494	5,144	2,034	7,178
1955/56	76,454	10,596	9,000	60,194	19,734	41,990	1,808	504	2,312
1956/57	78,309	10,906	8,441	59,560	19,363	40,309	1,210	224	1,434
1957/58	76,822	9,500	8,400	51,963	20,279	21,873	8,169	9,938	18,107
1958/59	75,331	10,419	12,000	56,390	20,148	43,769 ^x	4,691	2,446	7,137
1959/60	122,762	10,951	14,000	92,705	19,757	62,713	9,797	12,589	22,386
1960/61	111,721	10,799	14,000	92,358	19,558	72,343	4,361	12,968	17,329
1961/62	129,292	10,353	14,000	99,013	21,142	88,537	10,287	2,304	12,591
1962/63	143,907	11,685	14,000	111,963	18,283	78,090	16,546	17,664	34,210
1963/64	118,349	10,619	14,000	101,984	15,074	84,787	8,292	19,368	27,660

+ Milled equivalent of paddy estimated
as retained for this purpose.

x Plus: 10,000 metric tons paddy, equivalent
to 6,000 long tons rice.

APPENDIX "F"

Table A

CONTRACTUAL EXPORTS DURING CROP YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964

Destination	Bags of 180 lb. Gross	Long Tons
Antigua	15,775	1,268
Montserrat	1,505	121
St. Kitts	13,215	1,062
Dominica	6,393	514
Grenada	14,010	1,126
St. Lucia	9,470	761
St. Vincent	14,490	1,164
Barbados	99,020	7,957
Trinidad	338,320	27,187
Jamaica	175,352	14,091
C u b a	306,051	24,593
TOTAL 993,611	79,844

Table B

NON-CONTRACTUAL EXPORTS DURING CROP YEAR ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1964

Destination	Packaged Rice (long tons)	Bulk	Rice
		Quantity (long tons)	Grade
Barbados	235	--	--
Trinidad	1,694	--	--
Jamaica	1,368	--	--
Antigua	26	--	--
St. Kitts	61	--	--
Dominica	17	--	--
Grenada	32	--	--
St. Lucia	69	--	--
St. Vincent	9	--	--
St. Barthelemy	1	--	--
Martinique	32	364	Various Grades
Germany	--	1,000	White B & Super
Canada	--	3	Various Grades
Ships' Stores	7	25	Various Grades
TOTAL	... 3,551	1,392	

APPENDIX "G"RECONCILIATION OF STOCKS30th September, 1964

	<u>Tons</u>	<u>Tons</u>	<u>Tons</u>
Stock on hand at 1.10.63			17,664
<u>ADD:</u> Purchased during year		101,984	
<u>Less:</u> Bond sweepings processed and recorded as purchased to bring into stock		<u>444</u>	<u>101,540</u>
			119,204
<u>LESS:</u> Local Sales during year:-			
R i c e	14,937		
Sweepings & Damaged Rice	36		
Rice Bran & Rice Chips	<u>137</u>	15,110	
E x p o r t s		<u>84,787</u>	<u>99,897</u>
			19,307
<u>LESS:</u> Stocks on hand at 30.9.64			<u>19,368</u>
		PROCESSING GAIN:	<u>61</u>

DETAILS OF PROCESSING GAIN

	<u>Tons</u>	<u>Tons</u>
Sweepings recovered and processed	444.0	
Sweepings and Damaged Rice sold	36.0	
<u>ADD:</u> Stock Overages	<u>55.3</u>	535.3
<u>LESS:</u> Loss in weight during Handling, Storage and Processing		<u>467.0</u>
		68.3
<u>LESS:</u> Stock shortages paid for by Sundry Persons	4.0	
Lost overboard in loading and discharging	1.0	
Donations and Samples distributed	<u>2.3</u>	<u>7.3</u>
	G A I N:	<u>61.0</u>

CROP YIELDS

Period	Autumn or Spring Crop	Acreage planted	Acreage reaped	Esti- mated yield in paddy	Esti- mated yield in rice	Total estimated yield for Crop Year in paddy	Total estimated yield for Crop Year in rice
				Tons	Tons	Tons	Tons
Crop Year ended 30.9.46	1945 Autumn	79,214	79,214	89,780	53,868	101,127	60,672
	1946 Spring	8,953	15,140	11,347	6,804		
do. 30.9.47	1946 Autumn	85,623	85,623	96,113	57,668	100,297	60,179
	1947 Spring	4,069	12,016	4,184	2,511		
do. 30.9.48	1947 Autumn	88,886	88,886	89,800	53,880	95,630	57,380
	1948 Spring	8,685	17,711	5,830	3,500		
do. 30.9.49	1948 Autumn	67,058	75,478	93,801	56,280	102,441	61,462
	1949 Spring	9,000	16,544	8,640	5,182		
do. 30.9.50	1949 Autumn	87,631	86,377	103,865	62,322	107,864	64,722
	1950 Spring	-	9,379	3,999	2,400		
do. 30.9.51	1950 Autumn	83,668	93,637	98,903	59,345	110,694	66,420
	1951 Spring	-	20,009	11,791	7,075		
do. 30.9.52	1951 Autumn	100,249	96,863	101,138	60,685	111,108	66,667
	1952 Spring	-	17,515	9,970	5,982		
do. 30.9.53	1952 Autumn	133,301	-	113,552	68,138	126,719	76,038
	1953 Spring	-	21,000	13,167	7,900		
do. 30.9.54	1953 Autumn	111,446	111,100	118,977	71,400	133,102	79,875
	1954 Spring	-	19,328	14,125	8,475		
do. 30.9.55	1954 Autumn	130,075	-	133,479	80,087	144,584	86,750
	1955 Spring	-	17,025	11,105	6,663		
do. 30.9.56	1955 Autumn	125,906	-	118,304	71,023	127,355	76,454
	1956 Spring	-	17,559	9,051	5,431		
do. 30.9.57	1956 Autumn	118,470	-	121,732	73,039	130,515	78,309
	1957 Spring	-	15,485	8,783	5,270		
do. 30.9.58	1957 Autumn	136,990	-	97,940	58,764	113,805	68,283
	1958 Spring	-	-	15,865	9,519		
do. 30.9.59	1958 Autumn	155,140	-	146,035	87,621	149,493	89,696
	1959 Spring	-	-	3,458	2,075		
do. 30.9.60	1959 Autumn	179,180	-	169,660	101,796	187,282	112,369
	1960 Spring	24,932	-	17,622	10,573		
do. 30.9.61	1960 Autumn	195,275	-	181,890	109,134	202,598	121,559
	1961 Spring	-	-	20,708	12,425		
do. 30.9.62	1961 Autumn	226,304	-	201,291	111,598	229,206	128,347
	1962 Spring	35,973	-	27,915	16,749		
do. 30.9.63	1962 Autumn	230,000	219,856	195,423	121,300	224,742	139,495
	1963 Spring	42,000	35,000	29,314	18,195		
do. 30.9.64	1963 Autumn	175,000	166,145	140,167	87,000	190,974	118,349
	1964 Spring	65,000	32,933	50,807	31,349		
do. 30.9.65	1964 Autumn	266,000	240,000	225,000	144,643	255,000	163,927
	1965 Spring	50,000	-	30,000	19,286		

N.B.: The difference between the acreage planted and the acreage reaped - particularly noticeable in respect of the Spring Crop - is, of course, accounted for by the volunteer growth of mature paddy grains shattered during the harvesting of the previous crop.

QUALITY TRENDS

Parboiled Rice

Crop Year	Extra Super	Super	Extra No. 1	No. 1	Extra No. 2	No. 2	No. 3	Other Grades	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1961/62	-	14.2	20.7	27.5	15.5	12.8	1.7	7.6	100
1962/63	.1	27.9	36.4	23.1	5.2	2.3	.7	4.3	100
1963/64	-	28.3	37.2	21.5	4.6	3.2	1.7	3.5	100

White Rice

Crop Year	White No. 1	White No. 2	White No. 3	White No. 4	White No. 5	White No. 6	Other Grades	Total
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1961/62	10.1	8.4	7.5	8.2	6.5	2.2	57.1	100
1962/63	45.1	22.0	12.8	5.4	3.2	1.2	10.3	100
1963/64	61.1	19.7	7.4	2.0	2.0	.6	7.2	100