

Appendix A

Sources of Information

Much of the material in this exercise is based on interviews. I visited all the large mills in Penang and several of the smaller mills in Province Wellesley and talked with the directors and managing proprietors. The Secretaries to the Penang Oil Millers' Association were helpful in giving an overall picture of the industry and its problems. Much of this information was weighed with the official Government statistics and with reports made available at the Labour Department and the Penang Oil Mill Workers' Union. Several old residents of the Island gave vivid accounts of the early pioneers of the industry and this information has been very helpful in the writing of Chapter II. The Office of Economic Affairs, Penang, rendered invaluable assistance by furnishing the necessary trade statistics of the Island.

I thank all these persons and bodies for their kind assistance.

Appendix B

NET EXPORTS OF COCONUT OIL FROM COPRA PRODUCING COUNTRIES

In thousands of tons

Source of Supply	1934-38 Average	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
Malaya	40.5	69.4	^{65.1} 67.3	^{60.6} 62.4	^{78.5} 80.0	^{91.4} 92.6
Ceylon	61.4	111.5	108.4	95.0	70.0	98.8
Philippines	159.7	76.9	84.8	61.0	66.8	75.0
Indonesia	13.0	.3	1.0	-	.6	1.2

Sources: Commodity Year Book 1955 Published by
Commodity Research Bureau, New York.

Vegetable Oil and Oilseeds 1953 Her
Majesty's Stationery Office.

Appendix C

Copra Production Estates and Smallholdings

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>Estate Production</u>	<u>Estimated Small-holding Production</u>
	tons	tons
1949	36,957	85,980
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1951	39,422	120,620
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1954	39,864	124,295
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1955 September	3,745	9,511
October	3,591	9,730
November	2,850	8,486
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1956 January	2,728	7,808
February	2,713	8,457
March	3,032	6,463
April	2,878	7,808
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Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin of the Federation of Malaya.

Appendix D

Malaya: Area Planted with Coconut

YEAR	Total Area Under Agricultural Crops (in 1000 acres)	Area to Coconut (in 1000 acres)
1940	5315	601
1948	5242	511
1950	5199	485
1951	5348	486
1952	5395	485
1953	5533	485
1954	5357	494

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin of the
Federation of Malaya.

Appendix E

ACREAGE OF COCONUT ESTATES AND SMALL HOLDINGS BY STATES 1952
(IN ACRES)

	<u>Estates</u>	<u>Small Holdings</u>	<u>Total</u>
Perak	45,502	49,070	94,572
Selangor	29,454	70,940	100,394
Negeri Sembilan	386	4,718	5,104
Pahang	2,396	13,542	15,938
Malacca	-	11,165	11,165
Penang & Province Wellesley	14,672	32,122	46,794
Johore	2,662	115,384	118,046
Kedah	465	29,744	30,209
Perlis	-	3,222	3,222
Kelantan	-	39,895	39,895
Trengganu	1,960	17,961	19,921
TOTAL	97,497	387,763	485,260

Source: Monthly Statistical Bulletin.

Appendix F

C O P R A C A K E

Imports, Exports and Malayan Consumption of Copra Cake

	<u>1952</u>	<u>1953</u>	<u>1954</u>	<u>1955</u>
Imports	61	60	46	59
Exports (all from imports)	1	1	5	2
Net Imports	60	59	41	57
Federation Production	52	50	62	60
Singapore Production	17	10	24	21
Malayan Consumption	129	119	127	138

All figures in thousands of long tons.

Source: Malayan Statistics.

	<u>1952</u>	<u>1953</u>	<u>1954</u>	<u>1955</u>
Indonesia (Mainly from Java)	52	54	41	53
Thailand	5	3	3	4
Other Countries	4	3	2	2
TOTAL	61	60	46	59

All figures in thousands of long tons.

Source: Malayan Statistics.

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Appendix G

MALAYA - EXPORTS OF COCONUT OIL BY DESTINATION

1938 and 1950-1955

In thousands of tons

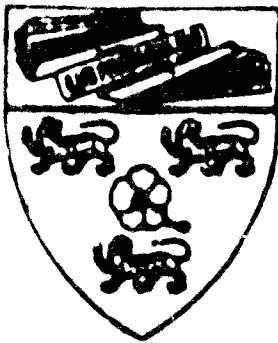
	1938	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955
United Kingdom	13.0	-	8.4	1.8	.3	2.5	15.2
India	18.8	13.5	12.7	11.5	13.3	11.8	11.3
Pakistan	-	.6	.2	-	.1	.4	1.3
Western Germany	X	7.7	7.1	2.4	7.6	3.0	8.8
Netherlands	1.2	7.8	6.7	9.7	9.5	2.4	10.5
Italy	-	8.3	2.0	5.4	6.4	6.3	9.9
Sweden	X	2.5	4.1	0.8	2.1	1.8	^{2.0} 2.3
France	X	-	0.7	0.3	-	-	^{1.8} 1.0
Burma	3.3	3.8	13.8	22.5	9.8	26.3	5.9
China	2.4	-	-	-	5.9	19.8	14.9
Egypt	3.4	1.5	3.7	3.6	.6	.8	-
Others	7.9	12.2	10.0	9.3	6.8	4.9	9.9
	50.0	57.9	69.4	67.3	62.4	80.0	91.0
				66.2	61.4	79.2	91.9

Source: F.A.O., Some Aspects of the Coconut Situation, 1956.

X Included, if any, under "others".

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