

Total number of trees in nursery at the 31st March is 43,000, value £45 3s.; number of trees sent out to other nurseries during the year is 110,260, value £212 15s. Total number of trees grown at nursery since its inception is 219,000, value £223 3s.

Average daily number of men employed during the year, 2·16.

Amount of horse-feed grown, 14 acres oats, value £40.

Expenditure for the year, £579 0s. 1d.; expenditure to date, £3,070 2s. 7d.

Value of stock and improvements at 31st March, 1908, £2,367 11s. 5d.

The following is a record of the rainfall and temperature for the year:—

Month.	Rainfall.	Number of Days Rain fell.	Maximum Temperature.	Date.	Minimum Temperature.	Date.
1907.						
March	Inches. 1·78	14	Degrees. 88	3rd	Degrees. 33	24th
April	0·78	9	80	8th	28	28th
May	0·78	8	65	1st	22	19th
June	0·11	4	59	30th	22	25th
July	0·37	5	58	3rd	20	11th
August	2·08	7	59	31st	24	5th
September	2·88	12	63	24th	28	14th
October	1·39	8	80	31st	32	9th
November	1·46	6	85	6th	30	14th
December	1·66	10	100	30th	36	26th
1908.						
January	0·53	6	101	8th	37	18th
February	0·61	5	98	7th	32	1st
Totals	14·43	94	...	...	...	...

*Statement of Expenditure.*

	<i>Expenditure.</i>			£	s.	d.
Amount at the 31st March, 1907	...	...	...	2,491	2	6
Tree-growing	...	...	...	128	2	3
General maintenance and repairs	...	...	...	15	9	9
Nursery-formation	...	...	...	20	3	3
Horse-feed purchased and grown	...	...	...	29	3	2
Tree-seeds	...	...	...	7	12	1
Tools, implements, &c.	...	...	...	7	17	9
Seed-frames	...	...	...	6	11	4
Water-supply	...	...	...	7	12	2
Buildings	...	...	...	30	9	1
Miscellaneous works	...	...	...	142	19	3
Proportion of Nurseryman's salary	...	...	...	171	0	0
Supervision	...	...	...	12	0	0
				<b>£3,070</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>

*Value of Stock.*

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Amount at the 31st March, 1907	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,515	14	4
Less value of trees at 31st March, 1907	447	17	0						
Less horse-feed in stock at 31st March, 1907	41	2	6						
				<b>488</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>6</b>			
Trees, as per Schedule 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,026	14	10
Tools and implements	...	...	...	...	...	...	45	3	0
Water-supply	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	17	9
Seed-frames	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	12	2
Nursery-formation	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11	4
Buildings...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	3	3
Improved value	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	9	1
Horse-feed in stock	...	...	...	...	...	...	183	0	0
							<b>40</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
							<b>£2,367</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>5</b>