

A GENERAL SUMMARY

OF THE

IMPORT, EXPORT, & SHIPPING RETURNS,

AND AN

ABSTRACT OF THE CUSTOMS REVENUE,

OF THE

COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND,

FOR THE YEAR

**1869.**

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A GENERAL SUMMARY OF THE IMPORT, EXPORT, AND SHIPPING RETURNS,  
AND AN ABSTRACT OF THE CUSTOMS REVENUE.

D.—No. 1.

No. I.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Imported into New Zealand during the Year 1869.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	1,699 pkgs. ...	10,839	Chaff ...	1,023 tons 14 cwt.	14,447
Alkali, Soda Crystals,	952 tons 15 cwt. 3	8,583	Chains ...	143 tons 16 cwt.	2,271
Soda Ash, &c.	qrs.			1 qr.	
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	40 kegs, 8 casks ...	639	Cheese ...	432 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	2,139
Apparel and Slops ...	2,800 pkgs. ...	109,932	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	73 cases, 20 pkgs. ...	637
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	124 cases, 341 pkgs.,	19,689	Chicory ...	25,436 lbs. ...	646
	18 bales		<i>Warehoused</i> ...	220 pkgs., 204 cases,	1,814
Arms and Ammunition,				26 casks	
<i>viz.,—</i>			China and Parian Ware	413 pkgs., 12 cases	8,217
Arms ...	552 No. ...	5,602	Cider and Perry—In		
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	37 No. ...	1,117	<i>bulk—</i>		
Swords ...	37 No. ...	196	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 hhds. ...	12
Blasting Powder ...	102,425 lbs. ...	3,424	" Bottled ...	204 gals. ...	72
Caps ...	2,626,500 No. ...	772	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	30 cases ...	40
Cartridges... ..	2,704,608 rounds...	8,839	Coals ...	92,586½ tons ...	139,941
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 pkgs. ...	25	Cocoa and Chocolate ...	94,785 lbs. ...	5,983
Fireworks ...	2 pkgs. ...	50	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	76 cases, 117 pkgs.	1,513
Fuse ...	73 pkgs. ...	859	Coffee ...	111,073 lbs. ...	5,363
Gunpowder ...	36,340 lbs. ...	2,524	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	494 bags, 22 casks,	8,377
Shot ...	911 cwt. 3 qrs. ...	1,766		3 tierces, 8 cases,	
Arrowroot ...	10,066 lbs. ...	248		42 barrels, 147	
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	5 pkgs. ...	50		pkgs.	
Arsenic ...	35 cwt. 1 qr. ...	32	Coke and Fuel ...	692½ tons ...	2,842
Bags and Sacks ...	4,411 pkgs., 5 bales	64,788	Confectionery	1,364 pkgs. ...	11,430
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	370 pkgs., 108 bales	7,112	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	78 pkgs., 185 cases	1,391
Bark ...	751 tons 5 cwt. ...	3,598	Copper—Rod, Bolt, &c.	4 cwt. 1 qr. ...	20
Basket and Wickerware	389 pkgs. ...	1,026	" Sheathing ...	882 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	4,214
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	40 cases, 2 pkgs. ...	44	" Nails ...	117 cwt. ...	1,165
Ale and Beer—Bottled	89,817 gals. ...	23,632	" Ware ...	20 pkgs. ...	304
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 hhds., 12,663 cases,	42,258	Cordage ...	5,158 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	21,302
	9,726 casks		Corks ...	472 pkgs. ...	4,241
Beer—In bulk ...	10,842 gals. ...	1,678	Cottons ...	1,357 pkgs. ...	77,942
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	576 hhds. ...	3,445	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	289 pkgs., 82 cases	21,508
Biscuits—Plain ...	499 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	972	Cotton ...	128 bales, 631 pkgs.,	55,303
" Fancy ...	255 cases ...	1,567		1 truss, 602 tons	
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	5 pkgs. ...	10	Cotton Seed ...	420 tons 16 cwt. ...	3,264
Blacking and Black Lead	825 pkgs. ...	3,251	Cotton Waste ...	74 pkgs. ...	1,427
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	8 cases, 6 pkgs. ...	48	Curiosities ...	14 pkgs. ...	53
Boats ...	17 No. ...	523	Cutlery ...	140 pkgs. ...	5,221
Bones and Bonedust ...	740 tons 15 cwt. ...	4,508	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 cases ...	45
Bran ...	113 tons ...	1,041	Doors and Sashes	4,183 No. ...	2,293
Books—Printed ...	1,866 pkgs. ...	30,189	Drapery ...	10,802 pkgs. ...	444,294
Boots and Shoes ...	9,272 pkgs. ...	183,848	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1,141 pkgs., 169	142,277
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	120 trunks, 83 cases,	24,581		cases, 1 bale	
	1,149 pkgs.		Drugs ...	3,070 pkgs. ...	21,699
Brass and Brassware ...	41 pkgs. ...	793	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	20 kegs, 463 pkgs.,	2,011
Bricks ...	77,471 No. ...	832		392 cases	
" Bath ...	293 pkgs. ...	201	Druggists and Apothe-	2,707 pkgs. ...	13,147
" Fire ...	66,800 No. ...	705	caries' Wares		
Bridge Materials ...	Value ...	125	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	45 kegs, 50 pkgs.,	472
Brushware and Brooms	817 pkgs. ...	7,065		53 cases	
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	178 pkgs., 5 cases...	1,730	Earthenware ...	2,446 pkgs. ...	25,137
Buckets and Tubs ...	657 doz., 10,599 No.	23,735	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 cases ...	30
	22 nests		Eggs ...	567 pkgs. ...	5,003
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	12 nests ...	24	Engine Packing ...	9 pkgs. ...	60
Building Materials ...	Value ...	111	Fancy Goods ...	1,088 pkgs. ...	18,597
Butter ...	1,696 cwt. 3 qrs. ...	8,103	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	13 pkgs. ...	261
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	13 tubs, 33 kegs ...	396	Fire Engines ...	28 pkgs. ...	1,059
Candles ...	8,766 cwt. ...	42,813	Fish—Salted ...	1,412 cwt. ...	3,586
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	13,633 boxes, 440	27,769	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	45 pkgs., 10 cases...	152
	cases, 645 chests,		" Potted and Pre-	4,642 pkgs. ...	13,455
Canvas ...	5,072 pkgs. ...	14,315	served		
Carpeting ...	361 pkgs. ...	25,504	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	80 cases, 20 boxes,	1,409
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	884 pkgs. ...	1,610		395 pkgs.	
	11 pkgs., 36 cases,		Flour ...	6,347½ tons ...	99,655
Carpet Bags and Port-	12 bales		Fruit—Bottled and Pre-	3,139 pkgs. ...	6,713
manteaus ...	67 pkgs. ...	1,427	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	169 pkgs., 50 cases	1,349
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 pkgs. ...	217	" Dried ...	1,511 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	4,616
Carriages and Carts ...	335 No. ...	7,428	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	982 pkgs., 123 cases	2,370
Carriage Materials ...	Value ...	6,094	" Currants ...	4,601 cwt. 1 qr. ...	7,262
Casks—Empty ...	911 No. ...	691	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	418 barrels, 191	3,109
Cement and Plaster of	6,034 pkgs., 1,905	8,098		cases, 411 pkgs.	
Paris	barrels		" Raisins ...	2,851 cwt. 1 qr. ...	6,337
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	75 barrels ...	50			

## IMPORTS—continued.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Fruit—Raisins— <i>Warehoused</i> ...	22 bundles, 77 brls., 1223 boxes, 683 pkgs., 20 cases	£ 2,352	Live Stock—		£
„ Green ...	75,177 pkgs., 496 cases	30,540	Deer ...	12 No. ...	100
Furniture ...	3,619 pkgs. ...	32,616	Dogs ...	7 No. ...	85
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	132 pkgs. ...	613	Goats ...	9 No. ...	71
Gas Plant ...	Value ...	1,188	Horned Cattle ...	1,399 No. ...	28,867
Glass—Bottles ...	17,63 pkgs. ...	5,208	Horses ...	603 No. ...	13,573
„ Plate ...	1,802 pkgs. ...	1,786	Pigs ...	109 No. ...	155
„ Window ...	4,546 pkgs. ...	7,520	Poultry ...	83 pkgs. ...	380
Glassware ...	2,250 pkgs. ...	21,774	Sheep ...	3,181 No. ...	7,221
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	116 pkgs., 22 cases, cases	696	Other kinds ...	3 No. ...	7
Glue ...	182 cwt. ...	586	Machinery—		
Gold Leaf ...	5 pkgs. ...	115	Agricultural ...	1,635 pkgs. ...	31,846
Grain—Barley ...	16,000 bushels, ...	548	Mill ...	219 pkgs. ...	5,190
„ Beans and Peas ...	66 bushels, 36 cwt., 153 pkgs.	90	Quartz Crushing and Mining	5,458 pkgs. ...	35,782
„ Maize ...	107,425 bushels ...	27,187	Sawing and Planing	217 pkgs. ...	2,301
„ Malt ...	100,514½ bushels ...	53,407	Wool and Hay Press- ing	161 pkgs. ...	1,226
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	80 tanks, 10 bags, 59 pkgs.	2,143	Other kinds ...	2,123 pkgs. ...	20,522
„ Oats ...	1,606 bushels ...	365	Maps and Charts ...	11 pkgs. ...	91
„ Rice ...	19,127 cwt. 3 qrs.	18,356	Marble ...	12 pkgs. ...	71
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	24 hhd., 41 casks, 7,006 bags, 176 pkgs.	5,622	Matches and Vestas ...	2,841 pkgs. ...	24,469
„ Wheat ...	183,256 bushels ...	55,392	Mats and Rugs ...	948 pkgs. ...	9,015
Grindery ...	675 pkgs. ...	8,121	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 bales, 9 pkgs. ...	257
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 pkgs. ...	20	Meal, Corn ...	677 pkgs. ...	3,273
Guano ...	216 tons ...	1,978	Meal—Linseed ...	1 cwt. ...	8
Gutta Percha ...	23 pkgs. ...	926	„ Oaten ...	146 pkgs., 172 cwt.	354
Haberdashery ...	824 pkgs. ...	49,419	Meats, potted and pre- served	308 pkgs. ...	840
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	172 pkgs., 28 cases, cases	6,157	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	5 casks, 20 pkgs. ...	105
Hosiery ...	580 pkgs. ...	31,925	Millinery ...	291 pkgs. ...	14,263
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 bales, 9 cases, 96 pkgs.	4,909	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	49 pkgs., 6 cases ...	772
Hair ...	124 cwt. ...	788	Miscellaneous ...	Value ...	44,639
Hardware and Iron- mongery	39,034 pkgs. ...	155,119	Molasses and Treacle ...	146 tons 9 cwt. 2 qrs.	3,418
Hats and Caps ...	1,857 pkgs. ...	58,090	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	42 casks, 5 hhd., 13 kegs, 32 cwt. 1 qr., 18 lbs.	302
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	83 cases, 71 pkgs.	6,024	Nails and Screws ...	1,151 tons 14 cwt. 1 qr.	31,512
Hay ...	408½ tons ...	2,181	Nuts ...	603 pkgs. ...	2,178
Holloware ...	691 pkgs. ...	4,240	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 casks, 8 barrels, 6 pkgs., 7 bags	92
Hops ...	2,270 pockets, 5 cases, 43 pkgs.	25,100	„ Almonds ...	217 pkgs. ...	1,120
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 tank, 5 cases, 441 pockets, 54 pkgs., 1 bale	5,843	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	7 cases ...	59
India Rubber Goods ...	1 pkg. ...	27	„ Cocoa ...	36,530 No. ...	378
Instruments—Musical	385 pkgs. ...	15,624	Oakum ...	54 tons 7 cwt. ...	629
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 pkgs., 3 cases ...	396	Oars ...	3,281 No. ...	1,229
„ Optical ...	10 pkgs. ...	164	Oil—Colza ...	20,062 gals. ...	5,195
„ Scientific ...	65 pkgs. ...	1,008	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	20 pkgs., 95 drums	132
„ Surgical ...	3 pkgs. ...	69	„ Cocoa-nut ...	3,490 gals. ...	691
Iron—Bar and Rod ...	2,156 tons 19 cwt. 2 qrs.	25,938	„ Kerosine ...	263,136 gals. ...	36,803
„ Fencing ...	1,722 tons 15 cwt.	32,036	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	5,908 cases, 3,449 gals.	12,032
„ Galvanized ...	1,657 tons 8 cwt. 1 qr.	49,137	„ Linseed ...	46,418 gals. ...	12,455
„ Hoop ...	206 tons 11 cwt. ...	2,699	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	10 barrels, 680 drums, 31 pkgs.	990
„ Pig ...	748 tons 1 cwt. ...	3,686	„ Olive ...	2,711 gals. ...	962
„ Pipes ...	146 tons 13 cwt. ...	3,184	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	56 cases ...	116
„ Sheet ...	259 tons 17 cwt. 2 qrs.	3,957	„ Paraffin ...	25 gals. ...	4
„ Wire ...	2 tons 14 cwt. 1 qr.	142	„ Sperm ...	14,350 gals. ...	2,718
„ Undescribed ...	86 tons 11 cwt. 62 pkgs.	2,367	„ Other kinds ...	31,417 gals. ...	8,428
Jewellery ...	166 pkgs. ...	10,589	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	89 pkgs., 40 cases, 258 drums	791
Lamps ...	895 pkgs. ...	8,892	Oilcloth ...	137 pkgs. ...	2,569
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 pkgs. ...	19	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 pkgs., 1 truss ...	85
Lead—Pipes ...	45 tons 14 cwt. ...	2,642	Oilman's Stores ...	28,275 pkgs. ...	88,430
„ Sheet ...	147 tons 13 cwt. ...	3,934	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3,804 pkgs., 1,164 cases	13,057
„ Manufactures ...	4 pkgs. ...	45	Opium ...	72½ lbs. ...	2,853
Leather ...	118 tons 16 cwt. ...	20,853	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	15 boxes ...	1,780
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	7 bales, 5 cases, 3 pkgs.	737	Paintings and Engravings	205 pkgs. ...	2,819
Leatherware ...	90 pkgs. ...	2,021	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 cases ...	105
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 pkgs. ...	120	Paints and Colours ...	7,106 cwt. 2 qrs. 1 lb.	13,462
Linens ...	806 pkgs. ...	13,722	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	364 cwt., 489 kegs, 16 cases, 7 pkgs.	2,145
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	9 cases 5 bales 24 pkgs.	2,225	Paper Hangings ...	1,196 pkgs. ...	12,545
			<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 pkgs. ...	67
			Perfumery ...	355 pkgs. ...	4,895
			<i>Warehoused</i> ...	10 pkgs., 33 cases	866
			Photographic Goods ...	36 pkgs. ...	421

AND SHIPPING RETURNS, ETC.

5 D.—No. 1.

IMPORTS—continued.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Pipes—Drain ...	1,683 pkgs. ...	175	Spirits—Other kinds ...	66 cases ...	160
"  Tobacco ...	3,276 pkgs. ...	7,059	"  Of Tar ...	572 gals. ...	109
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	510 pkgs., 980 bxs., 3 cases	717	Starch and Blue ...	2,349 pkgs., 352 cwt. 3 qrs.	3,791
Pitch, Tar, &c. ...	588 pkgs., 374 brls.	1,479	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 casks, 170 cases, 116 pkgs.	789
Plants ...	359 pkgs. ...	1,887	Stationery ...	3,349 pkgs. ...	47,463
Plate ...	23 pkgs. ...	698	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 cases, 28 pkgs., 10 bales	1,062
Plated Ware ...	210 pkgs. ...	4,867	Steel ...	86 tons 10 cwt. ...	2,840
Printing Material ...	194 pkgs. ...	5,647	Stone—Blocks ...	12 cwt. ...	20
"  Paper ...	1,462 pkgs. ...	20,428	"  Building ...	52 tons ...	425
Provisions—Preserved	349 pkgs., 36 cwt. 2 qrs.	1,258	"  Grindstones ...	1,097 No. ...	501
"  Bacon ...	776 cwt. 1 qr. ...	3,113	Stoneware ...	255 pkgs. ...	930
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	12 pkgs., 102 cases	889	Sugar ...	2,258 tons 16 cwt.	96,923
"  Beef ...	1,827 cwt. 3 qrs. ...	2,629	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	40,297 mats, 3,334 gunnies, 180,530 bags, 49,616 pkgs., 772 kgs., 494 csks., 361 barrels	299,491
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	374 trces., 22 brls.	1,326	Sulphur ...	39 tons 16 cwt. 2 qrs.	752
"  Hams ...	792 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	5,167	Tallow ...	378 cwt. ...	118
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	135 cases, 51 pkgs.	2,246	Tapioca ...	45 cwt. 3 qrs. ...	113
"  Pork ...	277 cwt. 1 qr. ...	602	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 casks, 4 bags ...	40
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	33 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	80	Tea ...	474,435½ lbs. ...	44,853
Pumps ...	283 No. ...	691	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4,077 chests, 25,010 half-chests, 14 qr- chests, 28,090 bxs., 605 pkgs., 10 cases	144,254
Quicksilver ...	469 bottles ...	3,093	Telegraph Materials ...	Value ...	2,622
Railway Materials	Value ...	4,502	Tents and Tarpaulins ...	131 pkgs. ...	742
Resin ...	758 pkgs. ...	1,388	Timber—		
Saddlery and Harness	1,064 pkgs. ...	34,532	Sawn ...	4,117,485 ft. ...	37,284
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	21 cases, 4 pkgs. ...	793	Logs and Piles ...	126 No. ...	670
Sago ...	1,229 cwt., 1 qr. ...	2,372	Lathes ...	67,580 bundles ...	281
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	10 cases, 192 cwt. 2 qrs.	532	Posts and Rails ...	22,090 No. ...	759
Salt ...	2,924½ tons ...	10,937	Palings ...	1,186,530 No. ...	6,622
Saltpetre ...	224 cwt. ...	423	Shingles ...	3,325,100 No. ...	2,779
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 casks ...	8	Tin—Block ...	58 cwt. 1 qr. ...	342
Scrim Cloth ...	177 pkgs. ...	3,935	"  Sheet ...	2,151 pkgs. ...	4,833
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	8 bales, 4 pkgs. ...	388	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 pkgs. ...	18
Seeds—Grass ...	85,629½ bushels ...	17,646	"  Ware ...	406 pkgs. ...	4,143
"  Other kinds ...	1,077 pkgs. ...	8,228	Tobacco ...	44,118½ lbs. ...	4,613
Ship Chandlery—			<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 hhds., 142 pkgs., 24 kgs, 2,816 bxs., 26 three-qr.-bxs., 8 half-bxs., 5 qr- bxs., 48 trces., 485 half-tierces, 222 qr-tierces, 1,672 cases	55,751
Anchors ...	149 tons ...	1,867	"  Unmanufactured		
Chain Cables ...	31½ tons ...	334	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 bndls., 28 pkgs. ...	525
Other kinds ...	620 pkgs. ...	6,351	"  Cigars ...	5,965½ lbs. ...	3,335
Silks ...	152 pkgs. ...	12,127	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	471 cases, 63 pkgs. ...	26,770
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 pkgs., 4 trusses ...	866	"  Sheepwash ...	6 hhds., 33 bales, 1,051 lbs. ...	435
Slates ...	211,760 No. ...	2,352	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 hhds., 20 half- trces., 44 bxs., 29 three-qr.-boxes, 10 kegs, 21 cases	1,432
Slate Slabs ...	70 No. ...	31	"  Snuff ...	385½ lbs. ...	122
Soap ...	11,179 cwt. 1 qr. ...	16,483	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 cases, 2 boxes, 3 pkgs. ...	195
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	150 pkgs., 992 bxs., 120 half-boxes	1,468	Tools and Utensils ...	25 pkgs. ...	408
Specie—Copper ...	Value ...	10,050	Twine ...	847 cwt. ...	3,647
"  Gold ...	" ...	123,750	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 pkgs., 1 case ...	86
"  Silver ...	" ...	5,350	Toys ...	227 pkgs., 1 box ...	4,176
Specimens of Natural	6 pkgs. ...	48	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 cases ...	3
History			Turpentine and Varnish	9,458 gals. ...	4,014
Spices ...	508 pkgs. ...	2,618	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	58 cases ...	190
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	9 cases, 5 casks, 80 pkgs.	481	Vegetables ...	10,521 pkgs. ...	5,618
Pepper ...	409 cwt. ...	1,073	Vinegar ...	28,380 gals. ...	4,141
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	117 bags, 281 pkgs. ...	826	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	208 casks, 66 qr- casks, 96 hhds., 139 cases	1,008
Spirits—Brandy ...	2,055½ gals. ...	1,347	Watches and Clocks ...	426 pkgs., 34 No. ...	5,040
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	694 hhds., 5 octaves, 6,398 qr.-casks, 33,308 cases	129,492	Whiting and Chalk ...	6,024 cwt. 1 qr. ...	1,971
"  Cordials ...	368½ gals. ...	437	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	20 kegs ...	126
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1,358 cases ...	2,281			
"  Geneva ...	3,113½ gals. ...	1,533			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	32,584 cases, 13 qr- casks	24,493			
"  Gin, Sweetened	657 gals. ...	430			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 octaves, 14 hhds., 12,192 cases, 65 qr.-casks	12,514			
"  "  Perfumed	825½ gals. ...	2,531			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 pkgs., 38 cases ...	518			
"  Rum ...	896 gals. ...	296			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	470 hhds., 134 brls., 2 puncheons, 1,922 qr.-casks	18,128			
"  Whisky ...	1,098 gals. ...	477			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	15 hhds., 13,498 cases, 284 octaves, 3,056 qr.-casks	35,839			
"  Of Wine ...	310 gals. ...	173			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	8 cases, 3 drums, 5 brls., 30 qr.-csks.	390			

## IMPORTS—continued.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Wine ...	13,365½ gals. ...	8,580	Woollens ...	2,659 pkgs. ...	118,542
Warehoused ...	175 hhds., 21 butts, 15 barrels, 262 octaves, 13 pipes, 4,802 qr.-casks, 14,904 cases	82,864	Warehoused ...	222 pkgs., 146 bales, 52 cases	25,011
Woodware ...	4,893 pkgs. ...	7,607	Works of Art ...	2 No. ...	43
			Zinc ...	159 tons 12 cwt. 1 qr.	5,344
			Total Value of Imports ...		£4,976,126

## No. II.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Exported from New Zealand during the Year 1869.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
Agricultural Implements	112 pkgs. ...	998	Iron—Sand ...	6 tons ...	63
Apparel and Slops ...	96 pkgs. ...	2,709	„ Pig ...	44 tons 10 cwt. ...	200
Arms and Ammunition—			„ Undescribed ...	68 tons ...	210
Firearms ...	21 ...	145	Jewellery ...	1 pkg. ...	91
Cartridges ...	5,000 ...	15	Lead—Pig ...	12 tons ...	64
Gunpowder ...	56 lbs. ...	15	„ Sheet ...	1 ton 8 cwt. ...	40
Shot ...	2 cwt. ...	5	Lime—Phosphate of ...	85 tons ...	400
Bags and Sacks ...	136 pkgs. ...	1,741	Leather ...	877 cwt. ...	3,827
Bark ...	6 tons 10 cwt. ...	103	Live Stock—Horned	10 No. ...	291
Beer—Bottled ...	10,773 gals. ...	2,448	„ Cattle		
„ Bulk ...	6,856 gals. ...	825	„ Horses ...	29 No. ...	2,240
Biscuits—Plain ...	241 cwt. ...	504	„ Pigs ...	3 No. ...	20
Books—Printed ...	21 pkgs. ...	338	„ Poultry ...	16 pkgs. ...	38
Boots and Shoes ...	107 pkgs. ...	1,687	„ Sheep ...	1,228 No. ...	520
Bones ...	20 tons ...	116	Machinery—Agricultural	6 pkgs. ...	110
Brån and Sharps ...	674 tons ...	3,558	„ Other kinds ...	85 pkgs. ...	715
Bricks ...	36,400 ...	140	Matches and Vestas ...	2 pkgs. ...	53
Butter ...	3,264 cwt. ...	17,464	Mead—Oat ...	4,839 cwt. ...	3,070
Candles ...	114½ cwt. ...	599	Meats—Potted and Preserved	464 cwt., 57 pkgs. ...	1,148
Canvas ...	7 pkgs. ...	152	Miscellaneous ...		4,322
Carriages and Carts ...	5 ...	200	Nails ...	209 cwt. ...	365
Casks—Empty ...	297 ...	133	Oilman's Stores ...	967 pkgs. ...	2,622
Cheese ...	2,371 cwt. ...	8,255	Oils—Colza ...	263 gals. ...	65
Coals ...	750 tons ...	800	„ Cocoa-nut ...	2,040 gals. ...	320
Coffee ...	7,739 lbs. ...	343	„ Sperm ...	7,640 gals. ...	1,676
Copper—Ore ...	6 tons 12 cwt. ...	152	„ Whale (Black) ...	22,541 gals. ...	3,938
„ Rod, &c. ...	67 cwt. ...	167	„ Other kinds ...	6,077 gals. ...	2,141
Cordage ...	298 cwt. ...	758	Onions ...	6 tons 10 cwt. ...	80
Corks ...	6 pkgs. ...	100	Paints and Colours ...	77 cwt. ...	149
Cotton Manufactures ...	89 pkgs. ...	3,111	Paintings and Engravings	4 pkgs. ...	28
Cotton ...	861 pkgs., 257 tons	55,677	Plants ...	28 pkgs. ...	211
Cotton Seed ...	164 pkgs., 698 tons	6,483	Plated Ware ...	3 pkgs. ...	110
Curiosities ...	50 pkgs. ...	442	Potatoes ...	2,342 tons ...	8,613
Doors and Sashes ...	1,158 ...	974	Printing Materials ...	31 pkgs. ...	734
Drapery ...	255 pkgs. ...	8,290	Provisions—Bacon and Hams	232½ cwt. ...	1,068
Drugs ...	92 pkgs. ...	713	„ Beef, Salted	1,163 cwt. ...	1,816
Earthenware ...	33 pkgs. ...	94	„ Pork, Salted	83½ cwt. ...	255
Fancy Goods ...	5 pkgs. ...	65	„ Preserved ...	803 pkgs. ...	992
Fish—Preserved ...	451 pkgs. ...	427	Resin ...	30 tons ...	160
„ Salt ...	45½ cwt., ...	103	Saddlery and Harness ...	7 pkgs. ...	117
Flax ...	2,027 tons 17 cwt. ...	45,245	Seeds—Grass ...	4,385 bushels ...	1,250
Flour ...	504 tons ...	7,078	„ Other kinds ...	47 pkgs. ...	210
Fruit—Bottled ...	274 pkgs. ...	671	Shells ...	3 pkgs., 4 tons ...	140
„ Dried ...	25 cwt. ...	70	Ship Chandlery—		
Furniture ...	86 pkgs. ...	731	„ Anchors ...	15 cwt. ...	35
Glassware ...	5 pkgs. ...	102	„ Other kinds ...	3 pkgs. ...	200
Gold ...	614,282 oz. 12 dwt. ...	2,341,592	Silver ...	11,063 oz., 15 dwts. ...	2,993
Grain—Barley ...	92,557 bushels ...	22,990	„ Skins—Seal ...	14 pkgs. ...	134
„ Beans and Peas ...	136 bushels ...	34	„ Sheep ...	80,133 No. ...	6,491
„ Malt ...	3,670 bushels ...	1,271	Soap ...	392 cwt. ...	659
„ Oats ...	342,677 bushels ...	52,664	Specimens Natural History	10 pkgs. ...	104
„ Rice ...	1,799 cwt. ...	1,792	Spices—Pepper ...	71½ cwt. ...	206
„ Wheat ...	81,758 bushels ...	19,616	Spirits—Brandy ...	2,758 gals. ...	1,451
Grindery ...	2 pkgs. ...	50	„ Cordials ...	69 gals. ...	122
Gum—Kauri ...	2,850 tons 18 cwt. ...	111,307	„ Geneva ...	2,463 gals. ...	671
Hardware and Ironmongery	678 pkgs. ...	3,122	„ Gin, sweetened	121 gals. ...	70
Hats and Caps ...	5 pkgs. ...	260	„ Perfumed ...	90 gals. ...	98
Hay ...	11 tons ...	52	„ Rum ...	4,447 gals. ...	900
Hides ...	12,623 ...	8,021	„ Whiskey ...	1,144 gals. ...	608
Hosiery ...	2 pkgs. ...	90	Stationery ...	23 pkgs. ...	341
Holloware ...	27 pkgs. ...	194	Sugar ...	89 tons 11 cwt. 2 qr. ...	3,337
Horns ...	22,800 No., 4 tons	128	Sulphur ...	12 tons 19 cwt. ...	340
Instruments—Musical	2 pkgs. ...	85	Tallow ...	8,513½ cwt. ...	13,935
Iron—Bar and Rod ...	9 tons 15 cwt. ...	136			
„ Fencing ...	3 tons ...	62			
„ Galvanized ...	8 tons 10 cwt. ...	349			

EXPORTS—continued.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Tea ... ..	37,494 lbs. ...	2,776	Vegetables ... ..	137 pkgs. ...	282
Timber—Sawn ... ..	2,889,448 feet ...	14,949	Whalebone ... ..	5,143 lbs. ...	305
" Logs ... ..	1,140 ...	6,168	Wine ... ..	4,818 gals. ...	2,122
" Spars ... ..	233 ...	1,361	Woodware ... ..	210 pkgs. ...	194
Tobacco ... ..	157,674 lbs. ...	6,595	Wool ... ..	27,765,636 lbs. ...	1,371,230
" Unmanufactured ... ..	18,864 lbs. ...	238	Woollens ... ..	21 pkgs. ...	780
" Cigars ... ..	5,885½ lbs. ...	1,403			
Tow ... ..	7 tons 10 cwt. 1 qr.	139		Total ...	£4,224,860

No. III.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels which have been Entered Inwards during the Year 1869.

Ports.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland ... ..	209	61,033	2,593	1	35	4	210	61,068	2,597
Onehunga ... ..	1	106	7	...	...	...	1	106	7
Russell ... ..	16	5,187	470	1	12	2	17	5,199	472
Mongonui ... ..	13	4,700	385	1	173	9	14	4,873	394
Hokianga ... ..	5	1,013	39	...	...	...	5	1,013	39
New Plymouth ... ..	1	139	7	...	...	...	1	139	7
Wanganui ... ..	7	831	47	...	...	...	7	831	47
Wellington ... ..	63	26,124	1,069	...	...	...	63	26,124	1,069
Napier ... ..	11	2,869	101	...	...	...	11	2,869	101
Nelson ... ..	68	27,212	1,843	...	...	...	68	27,212	1,843
Westport ... ..	13	1,712	94	...	...	...	13	1,712	94
Greymouth ... ..	42	4,140	276	...	...	...	42	4,140	276
Hokitika ... ..	70	16,516	1,208	...	...	...	70	16,516	1,208
Okarita ... ..	3	196	15	...	...	...	3	196	15
Lyttelton ... ..	69	22,655	779	1	700	19	70	23,355	798
Akaroa ... ..	...	...	...	1	409	34	1	409	34
Timaru ... ..	4	691	30	...	...	...	4	691	30
Oamaru ... ..	8	1,504	66	...	...	...	8	1,504	66
Dunedin ... ..	105	47,520	1,489	...	...	...	105	47,520	1,489
Invercargill ... ..	2	176	10	...	...	...	2	176	10
Bluff Harbour ... ..	42	23,065	1,551	...	...	...	42	23,065	1,551
Riverton ... ..	1	93	6	...	...	...	1	93	6
Chatham Islands ... ..	6	1,920	177	...	...	...	6	1,920	177
Total ... ..	759	249,402	12,262	5	1,329	68	764	250,731	12,330

No. IV.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels which have been Cleared Outwards during the Year 1869.

Ports.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland ... ..	146	41,498	1,824	62	17,995	624	208	59,493	2,448
Onehunga ... ..	3	463	22	1	106	7	4	569	29
Russell ... ..	16	5,187	470	1	12	2	17	5,199	472
Mongonui ... ..	16	5,277	399	...	...	...	16	5,277	399
Hokianga ... ..	10	2,481	85	...	...	...	10	2,481	85
Wanganui ... ..	3	422	21	4	501	26	7	923	47
Wellington ... ..	15	9,444	515	43	13,211	399	58	22,655	914
Napier ... ..	6	1,449	53	5	1,371	48	11	2,820	101
Wairau ... ..	3	1,289	44	...	...	...	3	1,289	44
Picton ... ..	3	160	13	...	...	...	3	160	13
Havelock ... ..	2	223	10	...	...	...	2	223	10
Nelson ... ..	36	14,939	1,061	13	3,376	117	49	18,315	1,178
Westport ... ..	13	1,634	82	1	240	11	14	1,874	93
Greymouth ... ..	37	13,399	1,012	30	2,941	198	67	16,340	1,210
Hokitika ... ..	55	19,642	1,366	24	3,905	259	79	23,547	1,625
Okarita ... ..	1	52	4	1	72	5	2	124	9
Lyttelton ... ..	37	15,768	498	37	10,433	355	74	26,201	853
Akaroa ... ..	...	...	...	1	409	34	1	409	34
Timaru ... ..	4	1,008	35	...	...	...	4	1,008	35
Oamaru ... ..	6	1,123	50	3	556	19	9	1,679	69
Dunedin ... ..	36	17,022	544	52	20,517	593	88	37,539	1,137
Invercargill ... ..	1	24	3	1	85	6	2	109	9
Bluff Harbour ... ..	31	15,694	1,118	1	971	20	32	16,665	1,138
Riverton ... ..	3	270	18	...	...	...	3	270	18
Chatham Islands ... ..	8	2,595	222	...	...	...	8	2,595	222
Total ... ..	491	171,063	9,469	280	76,701	2,723	771	247,764	12,192

## No. V.

BRITISH and Foreign Vessels Entered and Cleared.—Return of the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered and Cleared at New Zealand Ports during the Year 1869.

	ENTERED.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British ... ..	699	227,023	10,947	4	920	34	703	227,943	10,981
Foreign ... ..	60	22,379	1,315	1	409	34	61	22,788	1,349
Total ... ..	759	249,402	12,262	5	1,329	68	764	250,731	12,330

  

	CLEARED.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British ... ..	448	155,709	8,477	266	71,184	2,529	714	226,893	11,006
Foreign ... ..	43	15,354	992	14	5,517	194	57	20,871	1,186
Total ... ..	491	171,063	9,469	280	76,701	2,723	771	247,764	12,192

## No. VI.

ABSTRACT of all Duties and Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the Year 1869.

Head of Receipt.	Rate of Duty.	Quantity.	Amount Collected.
			£
Spirits ... ..	12s. per gallon	555,528 gallons	333,317
„ (New Zealand) ... ..	6s. „	500 gallons	150
Cigars and Snuff ... ..	5s. per lb.	49,168 lbs.	12,292
Tobacco ... ..	2s. 6d. „	707,624 lbs.	88,453
„ Sheepwash ... ..	3d. „	127,360 lbs.	1,592
Wine ... ..	4s. per gallon	184,950 gallons	36,990
Ale, Beer, &c., in wood ... ..	1s. „	81,740 gallons	4,087
„ „ in bottle ... ..	1s. 3d. „	273,216 gallons	17,076
Tea ... ..	6d. per lb.	1,967,440 lbs.	49,186
Coffee, Cocoa, &c. ... ..	3d. „	586,640 lbs.	7,333
„ Ground ... ..	5d. „	4,944 lbs.	103
Sugar and Molasses ... ..	1d. „	19,269,360 lbs.	80,289
Firearms ... ..	5s. each	632 No.	158
Powder—Sporting ... ..	6d. per lb.	11,560 lbs.	289
Shot ... ..	10s. per cwt.	934 cwt.	467
Goods by measurement ... ..	{ 5s., 3s., 2s. 6d., 2s., 1s. } 6d., 1s., 6d., 3d., per cubic foot	{ ... }	127,299
Goods by weight ... ..	{ 4s., 3s., 2s. 6d., 2s., 1s., } per cwt. 3d., 1d., ½d. per lb.	{ ... }	41,314
<i>Ad valorem</i> ... ..	10 and 5 per cent.	...	2,064
Opium ... ..	20s. per lb.	1,344 lbs.	1,344
Other duties not specified above ... ..	...	...	19,704
			£823,507
Rents, Seizures, &c. ... ..	...	...	197
Bonded Warehouse Duty ... ..	...	...	4,773
M. S. Act ... ..	...	...	412
Arms Act ... ..	...	...	1,382
Lighthouse Dues ... ..	...	...	5,928
Oyster Act ... ..	...	...	14
Gold Duty ... ..	...	...	77,654
Pilotage, &c. ... ..	...	...	8,484
Distillation ... ..	...	...	614
Other receipts... ..	...	...	216
Total Duties and Revenue ... ..	...	...	£923,181