

1873.
NEW ZEALAND.

IMPORT, EXPORT, & SHIPPING RETURNS.

(A GENERAL SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR 1872.)

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by command of His Excellency.

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No. I.—IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Imported into New Zealand during the Year 1872.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	1,522 pkgs. ...	14,514	Books—Printed	2,949 pkgs. ...	48,367
Alkali, Soda Crystals,			Boots and Shoes	9,469 pkgs. ...	174,665
Soda Ash, &c. ...	6,477 cwt. 2 qrs.	5,703	Warehoused	585 trunks, 71 cases,	
Warehoused	156 cwt. 2 qrs. 2 brls.	110	800 pkgs. ...		21,213
Apparel and Slops	3,345 pkgs. ...	119,826	Bran and Sharps	4 tons 15 cwt. ...	52
Warehoused	36 bales, 479 cases,		Brassware and Brass	67 pkgs., 31 cwt.	
	141 pkgs. ...	29,628	1 qr. ...		1,634
Arms and Ammunition—			Bricks	6,139 No. ...	86
Fire Arms	747 No. ...	3,068	" Bath	99 pkgs. ...	90
Warehoused	1 pkg. ...	120	" Fire	26 pkgs., 28,673 No.	250
Swords	19 No. ...	111	Bridge Materials	Value only ...	15,791
Accoutrements	7 cases ...	440	Brushware and Brooms	741 pkgs. ...	11,078
Cartridges and Cases	9½ lbs. 530,308 No.	511	Warehoused	3 cases, 41 pkgs. ...	851
Caps	3,377,422 No. ...	817	Buckets and Tubs	355 nests, 54 pkgs.,	
Fuse	155 pkgs. ...	1,634	8,293 No. ...		1,436
Powder, Blasting	388,670 lbs. ...	13,396	Building Materials	Value only ...	418
" Gun	17,357½ lbs. ...	3,413	Butter	369 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	1,573
Shot	1,090 cwt. 2 qrs.	1,844	Candles	10,085 cwt. 1 qr.	48,378
Arrowroot	8,129 lbs. ...	226	Warehoused	168 chests, 19,886	
Warehoused	24 pkgs. ...	20	boxes, 202 pkgs.		24,552
Arsenic	381 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	369	Canvas	1 bale, 513 pkgs. ...	10,830
Bags and Sacks	561 bales, 4,645 pkgs.	78,184	Carpeting	929 pkgs. ...	20,058
Warehoused	248 bales, 656 pkgs.	13,748	Warehoused	17 bales, 13 cases,	
Bark	1,381 tons 9 cwt.		15 pkgs. ...		1,203
	3 qrs. ...	9,896	Carpet Bags and Port-		
Basket and Wickerware	215 pkgs. ...	1,161	manteaus	126 pkgs. ...	1,781
Beer—Bottled	58,860 gallons ...	15,617	Warehoused	1 pkg. ...	15
Warehoused	9,949 casks, 7,737		Carriages and Carts	378 No. ...	5,799
	cases ...	28,474	Carriage Materials	Value only ...	6,682
Beer—Draught	11,436 gals. ...	1,551	Casks—Empty	1,540 No. ...	1,094
Warehoused	746 hhd., 21 brls.,		Cement and Plaster of		
	250 kegs ...	5,547	Paris	9,258 brls., 2,218	
Biscuits—Plain	381 cwt. 3 qrs., 2		pkgs. ...		10,540
	pkgs. ...	542	Chaff	351 tons 16 cwt.	3,858
Warehoused	48 pkgs. ...	37	Chains	198 tons 15 cwt.	1,809
Fancy	267 pkgs. ...	1,550	Cheese	22 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	132
Warehoused	7 cases ...	91	Chicory	15,308 lbs. ...	285
Blacking and Black Lead	847 pkgs. ...	3,423	Warehoused	28 cases, 2 pkgs. ...	139
Warehoused	12 casks, 19 cases,		China and Parian Ware	379 pkgs. ...	5,176
	55 pkgs. ...	392	Warehoused	2 pkgs. ...	65
Boats	18 No. ...	868	Cider and Perry—Botld.	240 gals. ...	73
Bones and Bone Dust	1,173 tons 15 cwt.	8,150	Warehoused	8 cases ...	32

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
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Cider—Draught ...	282 gallons ...	28	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	25 brls., 10,689 bags, 1,140 pkgs. ...	8,502
Coals ...	106,749 tons ...	162,549	Grain—Wheat ...	72,774½ bushels ...	20,021
Cocoa and Chocolate ...	126,127 lbs. ...	7,505	Other Kinds ...	1,339½ bushels ...	450
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 casks, 122 cases, 108 pkgs. ...	1,783	Grindery ...	759 pkgs. ...	6,365
Coffee ...	138,073 lbs., 1 pkg. ...	5,403	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	12 cases ...	737
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 bri., 85 casks, 12 trcs., 110 bags, 173 pkgs. ...	5,386	Guano ...	241 tons, 5 cwts. ...	3,067
Coke and Fuel ...	2,645 tons 10 cwts. ...	5,370	Gutta Percha ...	8 pkgs. ...	130
Confectionery ...	2,584 pkgs. ...	14,986	Haberdashery ...	773 pkgs. ...	62,019
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	217 cases, 372 pkgs. ...	2,783	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	61 cases, 5 bales, 4 pkgs. ...	3,967
Copra (Dried Coconut)	158 tons 10 cwts. ...	2,048	Hair ...	44 tons 8 cwts. ...	440
Copper—Nails ...	2 tons 10 cwt., 1 pkg. ...	619	Hardware and Iron- mongery ...	31,132 pkgs. ...	150,385
Rod, Bolt, &c. ...	12 tons 5 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	1,351	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	17 pkgs. ...	75
Sheathing ...	32 tons 9 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	3,348	Hats and Caps ...	1,974 pkgs. ...	52,849
Ware ...	14 pkgs. ...	183	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	196 cases, 37 pkgs. ...	6,587
Cordage ...	2,535 cwts. 1 qr. ...	9,439	Hay ...	93 tons 8 cwts. ...	599
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 pkgs. ...	125	Holloware ...	443 pkgs. ...	3,501
Corks ...	709 pkgs. ...	6,093	Hops ...	1,175 pockets ...	20,855
Cottons ...	1,290 pkgs. ...	57,435	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	178 bales, 275 pkts., 2 cases ...	7,318
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	428 bales, 186 cases, 93 pkgs. ...	28,148	Hosiery ...	368 pkgs. ...	17,506
Cotton ...	48,560 lbs. ...	3,757	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 bales, 54 cases, 7 pkgs. ...	3,296
Seed ...	9,700 cwts. ...	3,029	India Rubber Goods ...	13 pkgs. ...	448
Waste ...	66 pkgs., 2 cwts. 1 qr. ...	655	Instruments—Musical ...	609 pkgs. ...	24,360
Curiosities ...	19 pkgs. ...	21	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 cases ...	475
Cutlery ...	137 pkgs. ...	4,692	Optical ...	11 pkgs. ...	178
Doors and Sashes ...	1,574 No. ...	995	Scientific ...	95 pkgs. ...	2,351
Drapery ...	12,431 pkgs. ...	639,886	Surgical ...	7 pkgs. ...	46
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	50 bales, 165 cases, 879 pkgs. ...	51,531	Iron—Bar and Rod ...	3,093 tons 4 cwts. ...	42,427
Drugs ...	1 case, 3,503 pkgs. ...	20,038	Castings ...	1 ton 4 cwts. ...	65
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	320 cases, 1,097 pkgs. ...	4,747	Fencing ...	2,664 tons ...	52,695
Druggists' Ware ...	2,018 pkgs. ...	11,654	Galvanized ...	1,475 tons 17 cwts. ...	38,391
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	162 cases, 425 pkgs. ...	3,339	Hoop ...	452 tons 13 cwts. ...	6,554
Earthenware ...	2,691 pkgs. ...	16,126	Pig ...	886 tons ...	5,739
Eggs ...	9 hhds., 67 pkgs. ...	925	Pipes ...	77 tons 3 cwts. ...	1,378
Engine Packing ...	28 pkgs. ...	512	Sheet ...	339 tons 1 cwt. ...	6,452
Fancy Goods ...	1,375 pkgs. ...	31,645	Undescribed ...	410 tons 17 cwts., 10 pkgs. ...	5,274
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	23 cases, 55 pkgs. ...	1,505	Jewellery ...	201 pkgs. ...	21,556
Fire Engine, Hose, &c. ...	49 pkgs. ...	2,291	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 pkg. ...	4
Fireworks ...	3 pkgs. ...	34	Lamps and Lanterns ...	766 pkgs. ...	6,361
Fish—Potted and Pre- served ...	5,547 pkgs. ...	14,569	Lead—Pig ...	21 tons 16 cwts. ...	710
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	841 cases, 639 pkgs. ...	3,287	Pipes ...	80 tons 12 cwts. ...	2,332
Salted ...	3,064 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	6,962	Sheet ...	184 tons 16 cwts. ...	4,573
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	111 half-brls., 447 cases, 196 pkgs. ...	946	Undescribed ...	5 cwts. 2 qrs., 2 pkgs. ...	23
Flour ...	3,525 tons 11 cwts. ...	58,600	Leather ...	1,929 cwts. 1 qr. ...	20,706
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	704 bags ...	755	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 cases, 20 pkgs. ...	791
Fruit—Bottled and Pre- served ...	3,947 pkgs. ...	6,858	Leatherware ...	68 pkgs. ...	1,097
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	45 cases, 590 pkgs. ...	1,241	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 cases ...	120
Dried ...	1,991 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	5,196	Linens ...	188 pkgs. ...	7,945
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	236 casks, 157 cases, 86 pkgs. ...	1,582	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 bales, 13 cases, 7 pkgs. ...	1,291
Currants ...	7,573 cwts. ...	13,553	Live Stock—Dogs ...	2 No. ...	10
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1,101 brls., 34 bdls., 321 cases, 405 pkgs. ...	5,608	Goats ...	20 No. ...	60
Raisins ...	3,504 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	9,014	Horned Cattle ...	7 No. ...	345
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	100 tanks, 2 bdls., 99 cases, 285 bxs., 230 pkgs. ...	1,331	Horses ...	348 No. ...	10,047
Green ...	55,145 pkgs. ...	26,021	Mules ...	2 No. ...	40
Furniture ...	4,343 pkgs. ...	35,606	Pigs ...	12 No. ...	60
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	8 cases, 15 pkgs. ...	420	Poultry ...	35 No. ...	38
Gas Plant ...	Value only ...	28,207	Sheep ...	1,333 No. ...	13,487
Glass—Bottles ...	2,242 pkgs. ...	5,724	Other Kinds ...	2 No. ...	10
Plate ...	1 case, 61 pkgs. ...	1,357	Machinery—Agricultural ...	1,438 pkgs. ...	16,872
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 case ...	14	Mill ...	117 pkgs. ...	2,378
Window ...	4,254 pkgs. ...	8,760	Qtz-Crushing ...	2,664 pkgs. ...	14,829
Ware ...	1,055 pkgs. ...	11,750	Sawing and Planing ...	95 pkgs. ...	1,843
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	13 cases, 8 pkgs. ...	333	Wool and Hay Pressing ...	220 pkgs. ...	2,872
Glue ...	153 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	648	Other kinds ...	2,123 pkgs. ...	25,000
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	3 casks ...	8	Maps and Charts ...	100 pkgs. ...	600
Gold Leaf ...	4 pkgs. ...	82	Marble ...	50 pkgs. ...	443
Grain—Barley ...	249 bushels ...	94	Matches and Vestas ...	4,270 pkgs. ...	26,227
Beans and Peas ...	1,200½ bushels ...	575	Mats and Rugs ...	598 pkgs. ...	4,868
Maize ...	232,322½ bushels ...	21,600	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 bales, 2 cases, 382 pkgs. ...	847
Malt ...	42,050½ bushels ...	19,667	Meal—Maizena and Corn ...	627 cwts. 3 qrs., 816 pkgs. ...	3,481
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	29 tanks, 5 pkgs. ...	970	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	153 cases ...	183
Oats ...	275 bushels ...	67	Linseed ...	8 cwts. 1 qr. ...	11
Rice ...	29,761 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	33,645	Oaten ...	121 cwts. 1 qr. ...	127
			Meats—Potted and Pre- served ...	157 pkgs. ...	652

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
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<i>Warehoused</i> ...	51 cases, 11 pkgs.	165	Scrim Cloth ...	336 packages ...	8,911
Millinery ...	178 pkgs. ...	10,600	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	22 bales, 11 pkgs....	1,090
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	18 cases ...	602	Ship Chandlery—		
Miscellaneous Articles	Value only ...	36,557	Anchors ...	241 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	434
Molasses and Treacle ...	2,354 tons 2 cwts.	2,036	Cables ...	38 tons 14 cwt. ...	1,006
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	145 brls., 49 qr.-caks., 213 kegs, 75 pkgs., 700 lbs. ...	871	Other kinds ...	943 packages ...	7,755
Nails and Screws ...	20,906 cwts. 3 qrs.	31,659	Silks ...	101 packages ...	12,362
Nuts ...	928 pkgs., ...	2,167	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 cases ...	430
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	12 brls., 10 casks, 220 bags, 8 pkgs.	451	Slates ...	205,600 No., 27 cses. 3 packages ...	2,263
Almonds ...	230 pkgs. ...	935	Slate Slabs ...	33 No. ...	42
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 casks, 5 bags, 1 case ...	88	Soap ...	3,201 cwts. 3 qrs....	4,963
Cocoanuts ...	22 bags, 19 pkgs., 18,600 No. ...	141	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	245 bxs., 370 hlf.-bxs.	500
Other Kinds ...	15 pkgs., ...	30	Specie—Copper	Value ...	254
Oakum ...	17 tons 15 cwts. 2 qrs.	338	Gold ...	Value ...	232,062
Oars ...	1,942 No. ...	845	Silver ...	Value ...	8,322
Oil—Castor ...	1,272 gals. ...	314	Specimens of Natural		
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	50 cases ...	200	History ...	25 packages ...	346
Colza ...	17,311 gals. ...	4,513	Spices ...	465 packages ...	3,599
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	20 drums ...	30	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	7 bales, 18 brls., 26 cases, 44 pkgs....	1,067
Cocoanut ...	7,341 gals., 3 brls.	775	Pepper ...	152 pkgs., 603 cwts., 2 qrs. ...	4,265
Kerosine ...	131,814 gals. ...	23,929	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	23 bags, 70 pkgs....	659
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	24,878 cases ...	21,143	Spirits—Brandy ...	3,255½ gals. ...	2,215
Linseed ...	67,365½ gals. ...	14,830	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	206 hhd., 4,948 qr- caks, 30,330 cases	91,437
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	20 brls., 620 drums	871	Cordials ...	116½ gallons ...	119
Olive ...	2,238 gals. ...	920	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	767 cases, 16 qr.-caks	1,534
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	10 packages ...	29	Geneva ...	502½ gallons ...	183
Sperm ...	10,980 gals., 4 casks	3,080	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 qr.-casks, 15,827 cses, 203 hlf.-cses	11,935
Undescribed ...	44,716½ gals. ...	10,537	Gin, sweetened	234½ gallons ...	236
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	102 cases, 311 pkgs.	942	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	49 qr.-caks, 7,256 cases ...	6,066
Oilcloth ...	96 packages ...	1,331	Perfumed ...	977½ gallons ...	2,698
Oilman's Stores	29,001 pkgs. ...	81,853	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	78 cases ...	1,111
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	20 casks, 4 bags, 1,142 cases, 3,035 packages ...	24,008	Rum ...	640½ gallons ...	215
Opium ...	2 cases, 654½ lbs....	1,717	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	175 hhd., 4 pnchs., 1,587 qr.-casks, 62 brls., 20 octa., and 71 cases ...	12,801
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 case, 8 boxes, 32 packages ...	4,817	Whisky ...	836 gallons ...	400
Paintings and Engraving	277 packages ...	4,813	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	14 hhd., 2,147 qr- caks., 335 octaves, 1 keg, 4,888 caes.	24,234
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	18 cases ...	180	Spirits of Wine—		
Paints and Colours	11,039 packages ...	20,352	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 qr.-cask, 4 drums	60
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 casks, 420 kegs, 6 cases, 14 pkgs ...	375	Other kinds ...	146½ gallons ...	165
Paper Hangings ...	1,216 pkgs. ...	12,817	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	226 cases ...	396
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	6 bales, 46 pkgs. ...	443	Spirits of Tar ...	53 gallons ...	23
Perfumery ...	481 packages ...	4,679	Starch and Blue	854 cwts., 3,554 packages ...	6,932
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	59 cases, 42 pkgs....	1,021	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	30 cases, 153 pkgs., 4,512 packages ...	561
Photographic Goods	45 packages ...	470	Stationery ...	18 bales, 39 cases, 17 packages ...	1,156
Pipes—Drain ...	3,698 No. ...	510	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	47 tons 8 cwts. 1 qr. 31 tons, 10 pkgs. ...	2,269
Tobacco ...	2,007 packages ...	7,282	Grindstones ...	1,383 No. ...	163
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	410 boxes, 2 cases, 265 packages ...	465	Stoneware ...	4 tons, 402 pkgs. ...	1,004
Pitch and Tar ...	118 barrels ...	1,611	Sugar ...	2,405 tons 11 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	96,384
Plants ...	489 packages ...	2,255	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 trcs., 95,853 bags, 7,282 gunnies, 116,669 mats, 1,788 csks., 2,734 kegs, 4,071 pockts, 21,912 pkgs. ...	284,889
Plate ...	34 packages ...	982	Sulphur ...	205 tons 18 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	3,833
Plated Ware... <i>Warehoused</i> ...	194 packages ... 8 cases ...	5,236 480	Tallow ...	8 cwts. ...	10
Printing Materials	734 packages ...	8,528	Tapioca, bulk	31,466 lbs. ...	548
Paper ...	1,794 packages ...	25,913	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 package ...	3
Provisions—Preserved	127 cwts, 95 pkgs.	409	Tea ...	492,876 lbs. ...	45,794
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	10 packages ...	10	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2,495 chests, 21,945 hf.-chsts, 269 qr- chsts, 34,398 bxs., 33 cs., 3,296 pkgs	131,928
Salted, Bacon	20 cwts. 1 qr. ...	92	Telegraph Materials	Value ...	6,466
" Beef...	493 cwts. ...	657	Tents and Tarpaulins	9 packages ...	252
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	76 tierces, 30 casks, 200 cwts. ...	630	Timber—Laths ...	145,000 No., 555 bundles ...	564
Hams ...	47 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	292	Logs and Piles ...	886 No....	1,798
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	5 cases ...	70	Posts and Rails...	22,816 No. ...	774
Pork ...	76 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	122			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	50 barrels ...	250			
Pumps ...	581 No....	1,208			
Quicksilver ...	422 bottles ...	5,781			
Railway Materials	Value ...	118,319			
Resin ...	61 cwts. 1,140 pkgs.	2,557			
Saddlery and Harness...	1,140 packages ...	34,767			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	105 cases, 5 pkgs....	3,397			
Sago—Bulk ...	1,100 cwts. 3 qrs....	1,587			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	11 cases, 6 pkgs. ...	60			
Salt ...	3,755 tons 16 cwts.	13,165			
Saltpetre ...	384 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	842			
Seeds—Grass ...	11,587 bushels ...	14,269			
Other kinds ...	1,287 packages ...	7,882			

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Timber—Palings ...	1,120,123 No. ...	8,884	Twine ...	996 cwts. 1 qr. ...	6,123
„ Sawn ...	3,937,759 feet ...	37,095	Warehoused ...	2 bales, 12 cases ...	240
„ Shingles ...	5,424,360 No. ...	5,022	Turpentine and Varnish ...	14,243½ gallons ...	6,158
„ Undescribed... ..	1,650 No. ...	55	Warehoused ...	20 casks ...	40
Tin—Block ...	111 tons 14 cwts. ...	12,348	Vegetables ...	797 tons 10 cwts., ...	36,533
„ Sheet ...	2 qrs. ...	49,829	„	59,575 pkgs. ...	5,698
„ Ware ...	124 cwts., 24,637 ...	2,695	Vinegar ...	44,883½ gallons ...	1,344
Tobacco ...	packages ...	3,138	Warehoused ...	50 hhds., 547 qr- ...	7,709
Warehoused ...	554 packages ...	54,348	„	casks, 159 cases ...	195
„	28,620½ lbs ...	17,110	Watches and Clocks ...	790 packages ...	1,275
„	7 hhds., 5 tres., 298 ...	2,441	Warehoused ...	41 cases, 1 pkg. ...	5
„	hf.-tres., 284 qr- ...	60	Whiting and Chalk ...	4,222 cwts. 3 qrs... ..	11,410
„	tres., 1,728 boxes, ...	133	Warehoused ...	14 casks ...	68,328
„	347 three-qr.-bxs, ...	17,110	Wine ...	15,937½ gallons ...	9,386
„	1,521 half-boxes, ...	242	Warehoused ...	166 hhds., 7 butts, ...	98,706
„	1,827 cases, 30 ...	580	„	10 pipes, 4,493 ...	24,577
„	bales, 32 kegs, and ...	10,676	„	qr.-casks., 1 brl., ...	512
„	72 packages ...	71	„	334 octs., 12,741 ...	3,047
„	„		„	cases, 25 baskets ...	
„ Cigars ...	4,931½ lbs. ...	602	Woodware ...	9,158 packages ...	
Warehoused ...	402 cases, 103 pkgs. ...	602	Woollens ...	3 bales, 2,097 pkgs. ...	
„ Sheepwash ...	20 bales ...	602	Warehoused ...	177 bales, 110 cases ...	
„ Snuff ...	333 lbs.... ..	602	„	237 packages ...	
Warehoused ...	9 cases, 2 pkgs. ...	602	Wool ...	12,583 lbs. ...	
Tools and Utensils ...	48 packages ...	602	Zinc ...	81 tons 15 cwts. ...	
Toys ...	602 packages ...	602			
Warehoused ...	6 cases ...	602			
				Total ...	£5,142,951

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Alkali ...	22 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	13	Fancy Goods ...	14 pkgs. ...	187
Apparel and Slops ...	15 cases, 106 pkgs. ...	3,349	Fish—Dried ...	225 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	579
Arms and Ammunition—			„ Preserved ...	148 pkgs. ...	162
Fire Arms ...	3 No. ...	20	Flour ...	517 tons 12 cwts. ...	7,780
Pistols ...	58 No. ...	30	Fruit—Bottled ...	7 pkgs. ...	14
Powder, Blasting ...	10,000 lbs. ...	375	„ Dried ...	54 cwts., 25 ½-brls., ...	107
Bags and Sacks ...	63 bales, 303 pkgs. ...	644	„	1 case ...	8
Beer—Bottled ...	3,925 gallons ...	837	„ Green ...	4 cases, 5 cwts. ...	1,927
„ Draught ...	13,403 gallons ...	1,707	Fungus ...	57 tons 13 cwts. ...	1,151
Barley—Pearl ...	18 tons ...	360	Furniture ...	147 pkgs. ...	58
Biscuits—Plain ...	23 tons 9 cwts. ...	675	Glass—Ware ...	15 pkgs. ...	46
„ Fancy ...	336 pkgs. ...	160	„ Window ...	8 pkgs. ...	96
Books—Printed ...	1 case, 26 pkgs. ...	674	Glue ...	31 cwts. 2 qrs., 1 keg ...	1,730,992
Boots and Shoes ...	1 case, 137 pkgs. ...	407	Gold Dust ...	445,370 oz. ...	506
Bones ...	208 tons 17 cwts. ...	1,693	Grindery ...	3 casks, 11 pkgs. ...	2,464
Bran and Sharps ...	471 tons 10 cwts. ...	53	Grain—Barley ...	11,537 bushels ...	79
Brassware ...	3 pkgs. ...	18	„ Beans and Peas ...	350 bushels ...	24
Bricks ...	6,000 No. ...	4,622	„ Maize ...	130 bushels ...	1,193
Butter ...	1,673 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	6	„ Malt ...	3,595 bushels ...	64,015
Candles ...	150 lbs. ...	203	„ Oats ...	565,901 bushels ...	3,253
Canvas ...	30 pkgs. ...	93	„ Rice ...	4,762 cwts. ...	111,219
Carriage Materials ...	2 pkgs. ...	139	„ Wheat ...	477,455 bushels ...	320
Casks—Empty ...	656 No. ...	558	Guano ...	80 tons ...	154,167
Cement ...	16 pkgs., 390 brls. ...	4,379	Gum—Kauri ...	4,811 tons 10 cwts. ...	147
Cheese ...	1,362 cwts. 2 qrs... ..	1	Haberdashery ...	7 pkgs. ...	48
China Ware ...	2 pkgs. ...	970	Hair ...	9 cwts., 2 pkgs. ...	1,244
Coals ...	1,060 tons ...	50	Hardware and Iron- ...	6 cases, 193 pkgs. ...	450
Coke ...	21 tons ...	12	mongery ...	2 cases, 18 pkgs. ...	8
Coffee ...	992 lbs. ...	26	Hats and Caps ...	1 ton ...	31,763
Cocoa and Chocolate ...	224 lbs. ...	1,716	Hay ...	35,122 No. ...	77
Confectionery ...	4 pkgs. ...	45	Hides ...	7 tons 10 cwts. ...	435
Copra (Dried Coconut)	153 tons 15 cwts... ..	567	Horns and Hoofs ...	43 pockets ...	157
Copper—Nails ...	6 cwts. ...	3,508	Hops ...	9 pkgs. ...	15
„ Rod, Bolt, &c. ...	145 cwts. 1 qr. ...	8,912	Hosiery ...	1 No. ...	726
Cordage ...	1,519 cwts. 3 qrs... ..	10,871	Houses ...	71 tons 3 cwts. ...	100
Cotton Manufactures ...	240 pkgs. ...	4,320	Iron—Bar and Rod ...	4 tons 12 cwts. ...	159
Cotton ...	134,993 lbs. ...	443	„ Galvanized ...	31 tons 10 cwts. ...	1,063
Cotton Seed ...	785 cwts. 5 qrs. ...	106	„ Sand ...	127 tons 3 cwts. ...	110
Curiosities ...	29 pkgs. ...	527	„ Undescribed ...	2 pkgs. ...	8
Cutlery ...	5 pkgs. ...	9,528	Instruments—Musical ...	1 pkg. ...	60
Doors and Sashes ...	493 No. ...	331	„ Scientific ...	3 pkgs. ...	25
Drapery ...	5 bales, 3 cases, ...		Jewellery ...	3 pkgs. ...	574
„	187 pkgs. ...		Lamps and Lanterns ...	250 cwts. ...	
Drugs ...	36 pkgs. ...		Lard ...		

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Lead	8 tons 14 cwts. ...	166	Seeds—Other Kinds ...	191 pkgs. ...	419
Leather	3,015 cwts. 3 qrs., 1 pkg. ...	18,224	Shells	65 cases, 426 pkgs.	2,292
„ Ware	7 pkgs. ...	30	Ship Chandlery ...	78 pkgs., 88 cwts.	406
Lime Juice	2,463 gallons ...	310	Silver	37,064 oz. ...	9,910
Live Stock—Cattle ...	1 No. ...	12	Skins—Seal	2,012 No. ...	1,864
„ Horses	10 No. ...	380	„ Sheep	137,178 No. ...	18,245
„ Pigs	32 No. ...	43	Soap	49½ cwts., 1 box ...	548
„ Sheep	355 No. ...	1,678	Specie—Gold	Value only ...	1,500
Machinery—not described	19 pkgs. ...	188	„ Silver ... ..	...	25
Maps and Charts ...	1 pkg. ...	10	Specimens of Natural History	24 pkgs. ...	716
Matches and Vestas ...	14 pkgs. ...	137	Spirits—Brandy ...	3,514½ gallons ...	1,915
Mats and Rugs	3 pkgs. ...	112	„ Cordials	37 gallons ...	36
Meal—Oatmeal	199 tons 10 cwts.	2,902	„ Geneva	4,107½ gallons ...	1,103
Meats—Potted and Pre- served	63,895 cwts. 1 qr., 9 pkgs. ...	161,890	„ Gin, sweetened ...	483½ gallons ...	111
Miscellaneous	Value only ...	8,675	„ Perfumed	75½ gallons ...	189
Molasses and Treacle ...	8 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	8	„ Rum	2,954 gallons ...	694
Nails and Screws	296 cwts. ...	478	„ Whiskey	1,924 gallons ...	451
Oil—Colza	25 gallons ...	8	„ Other kinds	2½ casks, 6 cases ...	22
„ Coconut	2,914 gallons ...	375	Stationery	161 pkgs., 1 box ...	1,109
„ Fish	21,495 gallons ...	4,050	Starch and Blue ...	2 pkgs. ...	14
„ Linseed	226 gallons ...	57	Steel	16 cwt. ...	20
„ Sperm	7,469 gallons ...	1,849	Stone	2 tons 10 cwts., 45 blocks ...	56
„ Whale, Black	14,332 gallons ...	3,022	Sugar	802 cwts. ...	1,003
„ Other Kinds	898 gallons ...	184	Tallow	38,604 cwts. 2 qrs.	68,788
Oilman's Stores	170 pkgs. ...	501	Tea	18,143 lbs. ...	1,355
Onions	88 cwts. ...	93	Timber—Sawn	4,568,435 feet ...	19,431
Paints and Colours ...	67 cwts., 7 pkgs. ...	129	„ Laths and Shingles	260,800 No. ...	211
Paintings and Engravings	9 pkgs. ...	234	„ Logs	1,919 No. ...	6,123
Perfumery	44 pkgs. ...	291	„ Palings	700 No. ...	6
Phormium, N.Z.	3,986 tons 18 cwts.	99,405	„ Spars	153 No. ...	947
Photographic Goods ...	1 pkg. ...	20	„ Other Kinds	283 tons, 634 pkgs.	655
Pipes—Tobacco	8 pkgs. ...	10	Tin	140 pkgs. ...	400
Plants	9 cases, 61 pkgs. ...	364	Tobacco	66,411 lbs. ...	4,009
Plate	1 case ...	20	„ Sheepwash	8,992 lbs. ...	133
Potatoes	108 tons 5 cwts. ...	827	„ Cigars	4,578 lbs. ...	1,007
Printing Materials ...	8 bales, 6 pkgs. ...	196	„ Snuff	46 lbs. ...	3
Provisions—Salted ...	706 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	1,848	Tow	145 tons 9 cwts. ...	1,062
Bacon and Hams— Beef	3,959 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	8,474	Vegetables	198 cwts., 176 pkgs.	182
Pork	140 cwts. 2 qrs. ...	278	Vinegar	200 gallons ...	20
Provisions—Preserved	319 pkgs. ...	551	Whalebone	6,712 lbs. ...	760
Quicksilver	15 bottles ...	300	Wine	2,964½ gallons ...	1,053
Rags	63 cwts. 1 qr., 7 bales	63	Woodware	4 cases ...	17
Railway Materials ...	Value only ...	1,871	Wool	41,886,997 lbs. ...	2,537,919
Saddlery	1 case, 5 pkgs. ...	143	Woolens	4 cases, 18 pkgs. ...	862
Salt	37 cwts. ...	11	Zinc	76 cwts. ...	86
Seeds—Grass	5,787 bushels ...	1,937			
				Total ...	£5,190,665

No. III.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels which have been Entered Inwards during the Year 1872.

Ports.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland	192	84,050	3,237	3	236	13	195	84,286	3,250
Thames	6	915	41	...	...	...	6	915	41
Russell	29	9,027	799	3	286	15	32	9,313	814
Mongonui	6	1,810	183	...	...	...	6	1,810	183
Hokianga	2	327	12	1	216	9	3	543	21
New Plymouth... ..	4	260	20	...	...	...	4	260	20
Wanganui	2	468	21	...	...	...	2	468	21
Wellington	68	28,211	814	...	...	...	68	28,211	814
Napier	12	2,739	118	1	700	17	13	3,439	135
Nelson	72	32,718	2,361	...	...	...	72	32,718	2,361
Westport	14	1,266	75	...	...	...	14	1,266	75
Greymouth	50	11,816	881	...	...	...	50	11,816	881
Hokitika	44	14,183	1,094	...	...	...	44	14,183	1,094
Okarito	1	93	5	...	...	...	1	93	5
Lyttelton	95	36,057	1,155	...	...	...	95	36,057	1,155
Timaru	14	2,996	114	...	...	...	14	2,996	114
Oamaru	12	1,989	91	...	...	...	12	1,989	91
Dunedin	109	52,500	1,554	...	...	...	109	52,500	1,554
Bluff	35	17,439	1,237	...	...	...	35	17,439	1,237
Totals	767	298,864	13,812	8	1,438	54	775	300,302	13,866

No. IV.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels which have been Cleared Outwards during the Year 1872.

Ports.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland	150	68,045	2,702	66	17,264	596	216	84,309	3,298
Thames	5	809	34	...	...	...	5	809	34
Russell	26	8,754	733	...	...	...	26	8,754	733
Mongonui	5	1,430	154	...	...	...	5	1,430	154
Hokianga	11	2,278	84	...	...	...	11	2,278	84
Kaipara	2	272	14	...	...	...	2	272	14
New Plymouth... ..	3	168	14	1	91	6	4	259	20
Wanganui	1	328	14	1	140	9	2	468	23
Wellington	14	6,895	204	47	18,373	489	61	25,268	693
Napier	5	2,454	77	8	2,146	71	13	4,600	148
Wairau	2	1,025	30	...	...	...	2	1,025	30
Nelson	37	18,505	1,306	9	1,893	68	46	20,398	1,374
Westport	7	606	38	7	679	39	14	1,285	77
Greymouth	39	13,132	957	13	2,867	292	52	16,999	1,249
Hokitika	43	16,309	1,183	2	306	17	45	16,615	1,200
Okarito	1	93	4	...	...	...	1	93	4
Lyttelton	46	19,465	609	49	17,634	535	95	37,099	1,144
Timaru	9	1,672	69	3	561	23	12	2,233	92
Oamaru	3	436	22	6	1,099	49	9	1,535	71
Dunedin	41	25,010	687	44	16,772	456	85	41,782	1,143
Bluff Harbour	36	16,769	1,211	...	...	...	36	16,769	1,211
Riverton	1	86	6	...	...	...	1	86	6
Totals	487	204,541	10,152	256	79,825	2,650	743	284,366	12,802

No. V.—SHIPPING.

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 1872.

—	ENTERED.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British	692	246,958	11,573	6	695	34	698	247,653	11,607
Foreign	75	51,906	2,239	2	743	20	77	52,649	2,259
Total	767	298,864	13,812	8	1,438	54	775	300,302	13,866

—	CLEARED.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British	429	161,429	8,244	244	74,153	2,482	673	235,582	10,726
Foreign	58	43,112	1,908	12	6,672	168	70	49,784	2,076
Total	487	204,541	10,152	256	80,825	2,650	743	285,366	12,802

No. VI.—REVENUE.

ABSTRACT of all Duties and Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1872.

Head of Receipt.	Rate of Duty.	Quantity.	Amount Collected.
Spirits	12s. per gallon	464,140 gallons	* £278,532
„ (New Zealand)	6s. „	5,172 gallons	15,517
Cigars and Snuff	5s. per lb.	47,456 lbs.	11,864
Tobacco	2s. 6d. „	726,336 lbs.	90,792
„ Sheepwash	3d. „	30,080 lbs.	376
Wine	4s. per gallon	166,150 gallons	33,230
Ale, Beer, &c., in wood	1s. „	43,860 gallons	2,193
„ in bottle	1s. 3d. „	205,648 gallons	12,853
Tea	6d. per lb.	2,116,280 lbs.	52,907
Coffee, Cocoa, &c.	3d. „	487,600 lbs.	6,095
„ Ground	5d. „	2,592 lbs.	54
Sugar and Molasses	1d. „	21,420,240 lbs.	89,251
Firearms	5s. each	412 No.	103
Powder—Sporting	6d. per lb.	17,480 lbs.	437
Shot	10s. per cwt.	1,096 cwt.	548
Goods by measurement	{ 5s., 3s., 2s. 6d., 2s., 1s. 6d., 1s., 6d., 3d., per cubic foot	{	130,813
„ weight	{ 4s., 3s. 6d., 3s., 2s., 1s., per cwt., 3d., 1d., ½d., per lb.	{	48,224
Opium	20s. per lb.	2,071 lbs.	2,071
Ad valorem	10 and 5 per cent.	...	3,556
Other duties not specified above	...	...	33,863
			£813,279
Rents, Seizures, &c.	...	...	493
Bonded Warehouse Duty	...	...	4,108
M. S. Act	...	...	661
Arms Act	...	...	1,725
Lighthouse Dues	...	...	6,505
Oyster Act	...	...	9
Gold Duty	...	...	53,656
Pilotage, &c.	...	...	10,872
Distillation	...	...	654
Other Receipts	...	...	822
	Total Duties and Revenue	...	£892,784

* This includes 120 gallons at 6s. per gallon, removed to Excise Warehouse for mixing with New Zealand distilled spirits.

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