

1874.
NEW ZEALAND.

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

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 1873.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	2,787 pkgs. ...	21,694	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1,041 trunks, 56 cases, 1,106 pkgs.	37,050
Alkali, Soda Crystals, &c.	16,398 cwts. 2 qrs.	14,634	Brass and Brassware ...	35 cwt., 88 pkgs. ...	2,369
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 cases, 8 pkgs., 24 cwts. 1 qr. ...	56	Bricks ...	8 casks, 60,599 No.	564
Apparel and Slops ...	3,846 pkgs. ...	162,097	„ Bath ...	30 casks, 10 cases, 323 pkgs. ...	185
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	46 bales, 745 cases, 207 pkgs. ...	42,339	„ Fire ...	21 casks, 3 cases, 3 pkgs., 49,811 No.	554
Arms and Ammunition—			Bridge Materials ...	Value only ...	10,272
Fire Arms ...	1,095 No. ...	5,301	Brushware and Brooms	1,048 pkgs. ...	14,384
Swords ...	335 No. ...	424	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	5 cases, 12 pkgs. ...	329
Blasting Powder ...	565,525 lbs. ...	15,177	Buckets and Tubs ...	232 nests, 628 pkgs., 5,487 No. ...	907
Caps ...	4,283,025 No. ...	1,009	Building Materials ...	Value only ...	544
Cartridges and Cases	14,000 No., 6½ lbs.	59	Butter ...	128 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	448
Fuse ...	274 pkgs. ...	2,625	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	135 kegs ...	490
Gunpowder ...	17,624 lbs. ...	2,479	Candles ...	9,351 cwts. 3 qrs. ...	44,529
Shot ...	1,208 cwts. ...	2,157	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	724 cases, 20,345 boxes, 272 chests, 425 pkgs. ...	27,471
Arrowroot, bulk ...	10,394½ lbs. ...	274	Canvas ...	525 pkgs. ...	17,879
Arsenic ...	282 cwts. ...	231	Carpet Bags and Port- manteaus ...	132 pkgs. ...	2,477
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 pkg. ...	3	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	1 bale, 3 cases, 5 pkgs. ...	412
Bags and Sacks ...	30 bales, 7,107 pkgs.	102,149	Carpeting ...	1,168 pkgs. ...	36,169
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	161 bales, 773 pkgs.	13,199	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	78 bales, 20 pkgs.	2,775
Bark ...	2,176 tons 16 cwts.	18,372	Carriages and Carts ...	551 No. ...	11,511
Basket and Wickerware	363 pkgs. ...	1,853	Carriage Material ...	Value only ...	7,947
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	8 pkgs. ...	95	Casks—Empty ...	13 pkgs., 909 No., 6,184 pieces ...	1,587
Beer—Bottled ...	97,450 gals. ...	26,638	Cement and Plaster of Paris ...	18,414 brls., 8,451 pkgs.	23,235
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	7,372 casks, 10,599 cases ...	31,726	<i>Warehoused</i> ...	100 barrels ...	100
„ Bulk ...	28,829 gals. ...	3,866	Chaff ...	217 tons 5 cwts. ...	2,137
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	475 hlds., 12 brls.	3,024	Chains ...	127 tons 9 cwts. ...	4,057
Biscuits—Plain ...	610 cwts. 2 qrs., 36 pkgs. ...	688	Cheese ...	38 cwts. 1 qr. ...	178
„ Fancy ...	344 pkgs. ...	1,384	Chicory ...	28,589 lbs. ...	668
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	4 cases, 27 pkgs. ...	226			
Black and Black Lead	950 pkgs. ...	3,469			
<i>Warehoused</i> ...	2 cases, 73 pkgs. ...	256			
Boats ...	18 No. ...	1,015			
Bones and Bone Dust ...	834 tons ...	5,613			
Books—Printed ...	3,304 pkgs. ...	67,564			
Boots and Shoes ...	10,575 pkgs. ...	216,474			