

RETURN showing the Quantity of Oil consumed at the New Zealand Lighthouses during the Financial Year 1875-76.

Name of Lighthouse.	Quantity of Oil consumed.
	Gallons.
Tiri Tiri	471
*Manukau	439
Farewell Spit	432
Nelson	120
Mana Island	540
Pencarrow Head	546
Cape Campbell	420
Godley Head	538
Taiaroa Head	344
Nugget Point	522
Dog Island	594
Total for 1875-76	4,966
Total for 1874-75	4,860

* Paraffin.

RETURN showing the Number of Masters and Mates Examined during the Financial Year 1875-76, distinguishing the Number of Successful and Unsuccessful Candidates.

Class examined for.	Auckland.			Wellington.			Dunedin.			Totals.		
	Passed.	Failed.	Total.	Passed.	Failed.	Total.	Passed.	Failed.	Total.	Passed.	Failed.	Total.
Foreign-going Certificates	19	10	29	2	7	9	6	2	8	27	19	46
Home-trade Certificates	7	2	9	13	6	19	1	1	2	21	9	30
River-service Certificates	1	...	1	4	...	4	5	...	5
	27	12	39	15	13	28	11	3	14	53	28	81

RETURN of Masters, Mates, and Engineers to whom Certificates of Service have been granted under "The Merchant Ships Officers Examination Act Amendment Act, 1871," during the Financial Year 1875-76.

Name.	Rank for which Certificate has been granted.	Class of Certificate.	Date of Issue of Certificate.	Number of Certificate.
Hoggarth, John	Master	Home Trade	29 July, 1875	2,409
Keane, Edward	"	Foreign "	29 " "	2,410
Robinson, William	"	Home "	29 " "	2,411
Phipps, Samuel	Mate	Foreign "	29 " "	2,412
Shephard, William	Master	" "	23 Aug., "	2,413
Keyes, Daniel	Mate	Home "	23 " "	2,414
Stevens, James	Master	" "	28 Sept., "	2,415
Burr, Robert	"	Foreign "	28 " "	2,416
Warren, Charles	"	Home "	28 " "	2,417
Rawson, Thomas	"	" "	28 " "	2,418
McKay, George	"	" "	28 " "	2,419
Ryland, Edward James	Mate	Foreign "	14 Oct., "	2,420
Coffey, James	Master	Home "	22 " "	2,421
Ross, Hector	"	" "	27 " "	2,422
Joseph, Frank	"	" "	4 Nov., "	2,423
Jones, Joseph	"	" "	15 " "	2,424
Ngaru, Henry	"	" "	22 " "	2,425
Foster, Joseph	"	Foreign "	1 Feb., 1876	2,426
Heyer, Johan Henri	"	Home "	1 " "	2,427
Savory, Samuel Richard	"	Foreign "	1 " "	2,428
Nicol, John	Mate	" "	1 Mar., "	2,429
Baxter, Robert	Master	Home "	19 May, "	2,430
Fowler, James	"	" "	19 " "	2,431
Binstead, James	Engineer	Second Class	19 Feb., "	1,028