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NEW ZEALAND.

**IMPORT, EXPORT, AND SHIPPING RETURNS.**  
(A GENERAL SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR 1878.)

*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 1878.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Agricultural Implements	8,624 packages	£ 64,368	£ s. d. Free
Alkali, Soda Crystals, &c.	449 tons 8 cwt. 2 qr.    ...    ...    ...    ...	6,730	Free
	780 tons 13 cwt. 3 qr.    ...    ...    ...    ...	4,412	
	Warehoused, 4 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...		
	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 2 tons 14 cwt. 3 qr.    ...    ...    ...    ...		
Apparel and Slops	12 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	470	783 8 4 Free
	5,436 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	252,731	
	Warehoused, 39 cases, 662 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...		
	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 776 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...		
Arms and Ammunition—			25,844 14 6
Accoutrements	2 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	188	
Arms, Fire	3,531 number    ...    ...    ...    ...	13,395	
	Warehoused, 1 case, 2 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...		
	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 103 number    ...    ...    ...    ...		
Caps, Percussion	9,985,598 number    ...    ...    ...    ...	2,489	908 10 0 499 6 3
Cartridges and Cases	651 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	4,130	Free
	71,800 number, 603 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	497	53 10 8
Dynamite	400 lb.    ...    ...    ...    ...	60	Free
Fuze	197 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	1,869	Free
Lithofracteur	600 lb.    ...    ...    ...    ...	83	Free
Caps for ditto	3,000 number    ...    ...    ...    ...	3	Free
Other Explosives	18 packages    ...    ...    ...    ...	170	Free
Powder, Blasting	468,350 lb.    ...    ...    ...    ...	11,033	Free
" Gun	65,927½ lb.    ...    ...    ...    ...	7,608	1,648 4 2
Swords	40 number    ...    ...    ...    ...	97	Free
	7 number    ...    ...    ...    ...	56	2 5 0
	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 2 number    ...    ...    ...    ...		
Shot	3,912 cwt. 2 qr.    ...    ...    ...    ...	5,731	
	Warehoused, 20 cwt. 8 kegs    ...    ...    ...    ...		
	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 10 cwt.    ...    ...    ...    ...		
Arrowroot, Bulk	20,086 lb.    ...    ...    ...    ...	436	1,961 7 0 41 17 2
Arsenic	206 cwt.    ...    ...    ...    ...	156	41 4 9

*Note.*—The figures in the duty column represent the amounts collected on articles on first importation and on those cleared from the warehouse.

Articles.		Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Bags and Sacks—Corn...	...	7,101 bales, 717 packages Warehoused, 5,822 bales, 96 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 79 packages	109,829	£ s. d.
" Flour	...	219 bales, 114 packages Warehoused, 72 bales, 155 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 154 packages	9,282	7,787 10 10
" Woolpacks	...	2,360 bales, 987 packages Warehoused, 1,407 bales, 62 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,073 packages	35,798	725 2 3
" Other kinds	...	2 bales, 6 packages Warehoused, 1 package	33	2,495 19 1 2 0 0
Bark	...	3089 tons 12 cwt. 2 qr.	29,141	Free
Basket and Wickerware	...	295 packages Warehoused, 69 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 6 packages	1,663	164 6 2
Beche-de-mer	...	17 cwt.	33	Free
Beer—Bottled	...	166 gallons 191,133½ gallons Warehoused, 8,722 casks, 17,984 cases, 180 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 200,535½ gallons	21 101,500	Free
" Bulk	...	46,917 gallons Warehoused, 1,396 hhd., 246 barrels <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 48,838 gallons	13,686	24,479 2 0
Biscuits—Fancy	...	485 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 48,838 gallons	1,998	4,787 15 0
" Plain	...	205 cwt. 2 qr. Warehoused, 12 bags, 6 casks	287	450 14 1 30 16 9
Blacking and Blacklead	...	1,326 packages Warehoused, 27 cases, 159 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 159 packages	4,697	466 2 6
Boats	...	15 number	574	Free
Bones and Bonedust	...	2,029 tons 11 cwt.	14,430	Free
Books, Printed	...	4,482 packages	113,098	Free
Boots and Shoes	...	10,126 packages Warehoused, 107 trunks, 21 cases, 4,811 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 3,353 packages	231,044	21,261 7 6
Brass	...	85 cwt. 3 qr.	322	Free
Brassware	...	222 packages	5,857	585 14 8
Bricks—Bath	...	3,800 number, 309 packages	123	Free
" Fire	...	53,868 number, 41 packages	462	Free
" Ordinary	...	204,000 number	183	Free
Bridge Materials	...	Value only	30	Free
Brushware and Brooms	...	1,463 packages Warehoused, 27 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 66 packages	17,675	1,819 14 0
Brushes and Combs	...	59 packages Warehoused, 1 case, 6 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 3 packages	1,959	183 19 11
Buckets and Tubs	...	214 nests, 1,216 packages	1,847	184 9 9
Building Materials	...	Value only	446	Free
Butter	...	Value only 686 cwt. 2 qr.	2,732	273 2 8
Candles	...	Warehoused, 40 kegs 17,423 cwt. 1 qr.	2,885	320 9 3
Carriages for Tramway	...	Warehoused, 173 cases, 40,819 boxes, 2,250 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 8,575 cwt. 2 qr.	103,268	11,946 16 5
Carriages and Carts	...	18 number 573 number, 16 packages	3,600	4,260 1 9
Perambulators	...	272 packages Warehoused, 5 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 2 packages	13,228	1,322 7 9
Carriage Materials	...	Value only Value only	1,843	180 14 2
Casks, Empty	...	322 number	3,550	Free
Cement and Plaster of Paris	...	32,093 cwt. 202,793 cwt. 1 qr., 34,659 barrels Warehoused, 306 cwt. 1 qr., 1,050 barrels <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,050 barrels	7,423	742 6 0
Chaff	...	796 tons 11 cwt., 85 bales	384	Free
Chains	...	33 tons 13 cwt. 3 qr.	8,104	Free
Cheese	...	105 tons 6 cwt 2 qr.	73,367	4,916 3 0
Chicory	...	57 cwt. 3 qr. Warehoused, 50 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 19 cwt. 1 qr.	437	216 2 9
China—Porcelain and Parian Ware	...	38,486 lb. Warehoused, 78 cases, 14 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 40,768 lb.	819	35 15 0
Cider and Perry—Bottled	...	711 packages Warehoused, 10 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 8 packages	9,694	990 13 6
		254 gallons Warehoused, 25 cases <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 347 gallons	74	977 12 0
				37 12 11

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Cider and Perry—Bulk	203 gallons	£ 37	£ s. d.
	Warehoused, 1 cask		
	Ex Warehouse, 46 gallons		
Coals	174,148 tons	268,436	12 8 10 Free
Cocoa and Chocolate	224,936 lb.	20,270	
	Warehoused, 462 cases, 131 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 42,849 lb.		
Cocoa Beans	560 lb.	34	3,347 6 2
Coffee	194,523 lb.	23,713	7 0 0
	Warehoused, 6 tierces, 157 barrels, 10 cases, 1,046 bags, 7 crates, 19 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 134,272 lb.		
Coke and Fuel	432½ tons	1,590	4,157 9 10 Free
Confectionery	2,066 packages	13,000	
	Warehoused, 86 cases, 258 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 249 packages		
Boiled Sugars	308,704 lb.	12,206	1,270 6 11
	Warehoused, 202 cases, 162 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 43,638 lb.		
Copper Nails	9 tons 13 cwt. 2 qr.	1,033	2,936 3 5 Free
" Pig, Bar, Sheet	48 tons 6 cwt.	4,314	Free
" Rod and Bolt	1 ton 19 cwt.	178	Free
" Sheathing	18 tons 7 cwt.	1,238	Free
" Ware	47 packages	392	39 3 1
Copra	521 tons	7,213	Free
Cordage Wire	10 cwt. and 2 hawsers	193	Free
Cordage	368 tons 17 cwt. 3 qr.	21,502	
	Warehoused, 142 coils, 170 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 3 tons 19 cwt. 1 qr.		
Cork and Corks	819 packages	5,539	1,864 6 0 Free
Cotton	18,630 lb.	607	Free
Cottons	2,642 packages	142,085	
	Warehoused, 6 cases, 1,277 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 927 packages		
Cotton Seed	33 tons 10 cwt.	110	13,671 3 3 Free
Colton Waste	428 packages	3,556	Free
Curiosities	22 packages	43	Free
Cutlery	285 packages	14,048	
	Warehoused, 1 package		
	Ex Warehouse, 2 packages		
Doors and Sashes	6,083 number	2,508	1,415 7 1
Dock Material	Value only	200	272 19 0 Free
Drapery	25,856 packages	1,223,947	
	Warehoused, 30 bales, 158 cases, 1,997 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 681 packages		
Drugs	341 packages	801	122,054 17 6 Free
	3,661 packages	38,807	
	Warehoused, 144 cases, 951 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 1,287 packages		
Druggists' Wares	2,816 packages	6,047	3,914 9 2 Free
	6,406 packages	36,119	
	Warehoused, 76 cases, 1,348 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 1,867 packages		
Dye	340 packages	1,745	3,681 9 2 Free
Dye Stuffs	2 packages	26	2 12 0 Free
Earthenware	45 packages	352	
	6,589 packages	37,963	
	Warehoused, 93 packages		
Eggs	45 packages	126	3,812 19 3 Free
Engine Packing	93 packages	1,920	Free
Fancy Goods	4,687 packages	92,073	
	Warehoused, 195 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 263 packages		
Felt	475 packages	1,391	9,310 8 5 Free
Fire-engines, Hose, &c.	96 packages	3,824	Free
Fireworks	311 packages	349	34 18 0
Fish—Potted and Preserved	17,891 packages	38,741	
	Warehoused, 1,888 cases, 5,595 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 4,839 packages		
" Salted	4,102 cwt. 1 qr.	8,783	4,365 13 9
	Warehoused, 20 barrels, 177 cases, 260 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 133 cwt. 2 qr.		
Flock	37 cwt.	121	423 12 11 Free
Flour	55,266½ centals	49,909	
	Warehoused, 49 hhd., 37 barrels, 4,810 bags		
	Ex Warehouse, 1,764 centals		
Fruits—Bottled and Preserved	2,268 packages	3,060	2,851 15 11
	Warehoused, 535 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 288 packages		
" Dried	3,172 cwt. 3 qr.	8,748	271 17 0
	Warehoused, 8 tanks, 72 bales, 40 kegs, 417 boxes, 508 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 1,161 cwt. 1 qr.		2,043 18 7

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Fruits—Currants ...	9,486 cwt. Warehoused, 1,413 boxes, 1,470 casks, 1,336 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 6,739 cwt. 1 qr. ... } 5,778 cwt. 2 qr. ... } Warehoused, 53 tanks, 10 bundles, 62 cases, 878 } boxes, 384 packages ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 2,256 cwt. 3 qr. ... } 103,600 packages ... } 31 packages ... } 10,715 packages ... } Warehoused, 7 cases, 109 packets... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 111 packages ... } Value only ... } 4,087 packages... } " Plate ... } 581 packages ... } Warehoused, 12 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 12 packages ... } 15,962 packages ... } Warehoused, 63 packages ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 101 packages ... } 7 packages ... } 3,010 packages ... } Warehoused, 25 cases, 96 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 175 packages ... } 267 cwt. 3 qr. ... } Warehoused, 1 cask, 7 packages ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 20 cwt. 3 qr. ... } 35 packages ... } 3,247 bushels ... } Warehoused, 500 bags ... } " Beans and Peas ... } " Linseed ... } " Maize ... } " Malt ... } 3,476½ bushels ... } 63 bushels ... } 60,154½ bushels ... } 12,214½ bushels ... } Warehoused, 21 tanks, 1,560 bushels } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 3,315½ bushels ... } 3,973 bushels ... } " Peas, Split ... } 1,808 cwt. 2 qr. ... } Warehoused, 95 casks, 1 tank, 33 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 42 cwt. ... } 27,260 cwt. 3 qr. ... } Warehoused, 68 barrels, 23,976 bags, 4 tanks, 600 } mats, 160 pockets ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 13,485 cwt. 3 qr. ... } 67,678 bushels ... } Warehoused, 400 bags ... } " Other Kinds ... } 596 bushels, 428 packages ... } " Grindery ... } 1,791 packages ... } Warehoused, 8 cases, 140 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 122 packages ... } 962½ tons ... } 11 packages ... } 1,604 packages ... } Warehoused, 40 cases, 234 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 273 packages ... } 34 tons 12 cwt., 4,825 yards ... } 414 packages ... } 58,787 packages, 37,025 sash-weights ... } Warehoused, 1 case ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 14 packages ... } 2,576 packages ... } Warehoused, 44 cases, 318 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 372 packages ... } 15 packages ... } 166 tons 7 cwt. ... } 69 tons 15 cwt. ... } 2 packages ... } 453 packages ... } Hops ... } 1848 cwt. 1 qr. ... } Warehoused, 259 pockets, 254 bales, 16 tanks, 27 } packages ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,155 cwt. 1 qr. ... } 636 packages ... } Warehoused, 7 cases, 34 packages } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 53 packages ... } 63 packages ... } 15 packages ... } Warehoused, 7 packages ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 4 packages ... } 1,228 number ... } Warehoused, 14 number ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 21 packages ... } 8 packages ... } 686 packages ... } Warehoused, 13 cases, 26 packages ... } <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 37 packages ... }	£ 24,933 ... 15,965 ... ... 49,011 573 85,494 ... ... 33,241 10,893 7,837 ... 22,717 92 22,120 ... 778 ... 740 984 869 33 13,761 7,752 ... 723 1,644 ... 44,173 ... 19,867 1,080 29,417 ... ... 7,428 233 73,719 ... 295,383 ... 63,094 ... 408 696 1,925 90 4,857 17,083 ... 32,299 ... 3,449 435 ... 42,472 ... 603 20,557 ... 2,006	£ s. d. 7,572 3 11 3,750 18 7 Free Free 8,524 17 9 Free Free 783 14 0 975 15 5 Free 2,257 15 0 28 18 4 Free 68 0 3 30 14 3 1 8 2 1,340 14 4 1,164 11 11 88 19 0 92 10 10 9,507 13 8 1,503 17 6 184 16 3 2,763 19 0 Free 23 6 0 7,353 4 7 Free Free 29,591 0 9 6,812 17 6 Free Free Free Free 435 15 2 4,204 17 6 3,283 19 8 Free 40 4 11 4,280 19 8 Free 2,006 0 2

Instruments, Musical (Pianofortes)

" " (Other kinds)

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Instruments—Optical	110 packages	£ 3,519	£ s. d
"    Scientific	2 packages	39	Free
"	180 packages	4,936	3 17 11
"    Surgical	103 packages	1,305	Free
"    Other kinds	1 package	16	Free
"	8 packages	270	27 0 0
Iron—Bar and Rod	6376 tons 2 cwt. 2 qr.	73,014	Free
"    Castings	127 tons 14 cwt.	2,040	Free
"	1 package	17	1 14 0
"    Fencing	7,277 tons 7 cwt. 1 qr.	100,598	7,293 19 10
"    Galvanized	8,454 tons 18 cwt. 3 qr.	193,028	8,454 14 8
"    Hoop	601 tons 12 cwt.	6,178	Free
"    Pig	3,082 tons 16 cwt.	12,289	Free
"    Pipes	1,168 tons 11 cwt. 2 qr.	12,213	Free
"    Rails	3,665 tons 19 cwt. 3 qr.	34,177	Free
"    Railway Chains and Bolts	1,262 tons 8 cwt.	11,283	Free
"    Sheet	1,141 tons 3 cwt.	14,021	Free
"    Tanks	1,126 number	4,905	Free
"    Undescribed	28 tons 2 cwt. 2 qr., 771 packages	793	Free
Jams and Jellies	23,456 packages	44,660	
	Warehoused, 2,357 cases, 1,288 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 4494 packages		5,893 16 9
Jewellery	226 packages	51,587	
	Warehoused, 14 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 16 packages		5,184 12 6
Lamps and Lanterns	48 packages	794	
	901 packages	9,323	
	Warehoused, 3 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 41 packages		969 12 6
Lead—Pig	161 tons 4 cwt. 2 qr.	3,390	
"    Pipes	22 tons 12 cwt. 3 qr.	499	51 8 11
"    Sheet	832 tons 13 cwt.	18,724	Free
Leadware	181 packages	459	46 0 11
Leather	4,943 cwt. 2 qr.	72,808	
	Warehoused, 37 packages, 1 bale, 3 cases		
	Ex Warehouse, 176 cwt. 3 qr.		2,110 17 3
Leatherware	92 packages	1,554	155 7 9
Linens	464 packages	19,405	
	Warehoused, 5 bales, 9 cases, 42 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 42 packages		1,890 3 11
Live Stock—Deer	1 number	10	Free
"    Dogs	108 number	1,054	Free
"    Horned Cattle	89 number	4,632	Free
"    Horses	229 number	28,536	Free
"    Poultry	22 packages	174	Free
"    Sheep	1,215 number	7,740	Free
"    Unenumerated	66 number	130	Free
Machinery—Agricultural	16,242 packages	141,205	
"    Mill	777 packages	9,162	Free
"    Quartz-crushing	640 packages	4,972	Free
"    Sawing and Planing	674 packages	14,530	Free
"    Sewing	1,381 packages	13,274	Free
"    Steam-engines	91 number	26,889	Free
"    Boilers	14 number, 16 packages	2,202	Free
"    Wool and Hay Press-ing	33 packages	407	Free
"    Other Kinds	4,818 packages	54,619	Free
Maps and Charts	65 packages	1,791	Free
Marble	5 tons 19 cwt., 208 packages	2,090	Free
"    Mantel-pieces	30 packages	205	20 10 0
Matches and Vestas	7,043 packages	34,456	
	Ex Warehouse, 66 packages		3,445 11 4
Mats and Rugs	454 packages	8,245	
	Warehoused, 2 bales, 1 case, 49 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 52 packages		824 8 8
Matting—China	2,992 packages	5,888	
	Warehoused, 108 rolls, 702 packages		
	Ex Warehouse, 418 packages		579 4 0
"    Coir	803 packages	5,023	
	Warehoused, 2 bales, 46 packages		520 8 4
Meal—Linseed	185 cwt. 3 qr.	237	
	Warehoused, 1 cask, 8 packages		14 2 9
	Ex Warehouse, 66 cwt. 3 qr.		
"    Maizena and Corn	1,522 cwt. 1 qr., 457 packages	6,862	
	Warehoused, 1,132 cases, 711 packages		566 7 10
"    Oaten	418 cwt. 3 qr.	436	
	Warehoused, 30 cases, 41 casks		29 3 2
Meats—Potted and Preserved	782 packages	2,378	
	Warehoused, 35 cases, 150 packages		206 18 9
	Ex Warehouse, 15 packages		

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Metal—Composition Sheathing ...	1,714 cwt. 2 qr. ... ... ... ...	£ 6,522	£ s. d. Free
Millinery ... ... ...	459 packages ... ... ... ...	23,057	
	Warehoused, 7 packages ... ... ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 13 packages ... ... ...		
Miscellaneous ... ... ...	Value ... ... ... ...	77,507	2,334 16 11
Nails and Screws ... ... ...	47,054 cwt. 2 qr. ... ... ...	42,050	318 17 9
Nuts—Almond ... ... ...	427 packages ... ... ...	2,611	4,450 2 11
	Warehoused, 10 casks, 12 cases, 50 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 74 packages ... ... ...		
„ Cocoa ... ... ...	49,016 number ... ... ...	709	475 1 1 Free
„ Other Kinds ... ... ...	783 packages ... ... ...	2,533	
	Warehoused, 18 casks, 3 tanks, 99 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 124 packages ... ... ...		
Oakum ... ... ...	863½ cwt. ... ... ...	1,317	698 13 0 Free
Onrs ... ... ...	2,453 number ... ... ...	514	Free
Oil, Castor ... ... ...	72,233½ gallons ... ... ...	15,611	
	Warehoused, 150 cases ... ... ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 707 gallons ... ... ...		
„ Cocoanut ... ... ...	3,979 gallons ... ... ...	669	1,821 1 6
„ Colza ... ... ...	38,104½ gallons ... ... ...	7,848	
	Warehoused, 349 drums, 9 barrels, 55 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 2,277 gallons ... ... ...		
„ Kerosene ... ... ...	311,063 gallons ... ... ...	59,592	1,009 10 10
	Warehoused, 68,192 cases ... ... ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 337,833 gallons ... ... ...		
„ Linseed ... ... ...	168,827½ gallons ... ... ...	... ...	16,222 8 0
	Warehoused, 10 hhd., 920 drums, 37 barrels, 72 packages ...	28,910	
	Ex Warehouse, 5,534 gallons ... ... ...		4,359 1 2
„ Olive ... ... ...	13,370 gallons ... ... ...	4,094	Free
„ Palm ... ... ...	110 gallons ... ... ...	25	Free
„ Paraffin ... ... ...	11,600 gallons ... ... ...	1,650	Free*
„ Sperm ... ... ...	35,679 gallons ... ... ...	10,052	Free
„ Petroleum ... ... ...	1,600 gallons ... ... ...	80	40 0 0
„ Other Kinds ... ... ...	32,630 gallons ... ... ...	4,863	Free
	13,502½ gallons ... ... ...		
	Warehoused, 15 drums, 20 barrels, 820 cases, 17 packages ...	4,198	
	Ex Warehouse, 6,120½ gallons ... ... ...		490 11 9
Oilcloth ... ... ...	1,228 packages ... ... ...	17,430	
	Warehoused, 5 cases, 294 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 193 packages ... ... ...		
Oilmen's Stores ... ... ...	1,262 packages ... ... ...	2,224	1,654 4 8 Free
	31,454 packages ... ... ...	77,474	
	Warehoused, 1,852 cases, 4,557 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 5,363 packages ... ... ...		
Opium ... ... ...	908 lb. ... ... ...	5,351	8,731 1 4
	Warehoused, 26 boxes ... ... ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 1,670 lb. ... ... ...		
Paintings and Engravings ...	539 packages ... ... ...	8,402	2,578 0 0
	Warehoused, 5 cases, 5 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 12 packages ... ... ...		
Paints and Colors—Putty ...	36½ cwt. ... ... ...	24	845 3 8 Free
„ „ ... ...	24,164 cwt. ... ... ...	43,347	
	Warehoused, 948 casks, 832 kegs, 1,131 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 513 cwt. 1 qr. ... ... ...		
Paper—Bags ... ... ...	1,252 packages ... ... ...	9,913	2,467 16 11
	Warehoused, 81 bales, 63 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 231 packages ... ... ...		
„ Hangings ... ... ...	2,048 packages ... ... ...	23,248	1,246 14 4
	Warehoused, 41 bales, 48 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 89 packages ... ... ...		
„ Wrapping ... ... ...	806 packages ... ... ...	6,428	2,324 16 0
	Warehoused, 48 bales, 55 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 119 packages ... ... ...		
„ Other Kinds ... ... ...	83 packages ... ... ...	562	587 10 5 28 11 1
Perfumery ... ... ...	1,075 packages ... ... ...	9,839	
	Warehoused, 23 cases, 359 packages ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 398 packages ... ... ...		
Photographic Goods ... ... ...	161 packages ... ... ...	3,043	985 9 2
	Warehoused, 43 packages ... ... ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 6 packages ... ... ...		
Picture Frame Mouldings ...	6 packages ... ... ...	155	277 5 5 Free
Picture Frames ... ... ...	217 packages ... ... ...	4,716	470 3 0
Pipes—Tobacco ... ... ...	4,375 packages ... ... ...	8,405	
	126 cases, 329 packages ... ... ...		
	Ex Warehouse, 438 packages ... ... ...		
Pitch and Tar ... ... ...	910½ barrels ... ... ...	1,069	851 18 8 45 10 6
Plants ... ... ...	Warehoused, 8 barrels ... ... ...		
	578 packages ... ... ...	4,005	Free

\* For lighthouse purposes.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Plate ... ... ...	49 packages ... Warehoused, 1 case ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 2 packages ...	3,545	£ s. d.
Platedware ... ... ...	590 packages ... Warehoused, 2 cases, 4 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 6 packages ...	20,155	372 9 11
Portmanteaus and Bags ...	82 packages ... Warehoused, 1 package ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 5 packages ...	1,979	1,992 6 8
Potatoes ... ... ...	204 tons 11 cwt. ...	2,027	205 16 9
Printing Material ... ... ...	1,764 packages ...	22,309	Free
Printing Paper ... ... ...	4,300 packages ...	69,632	Free
Provisions—Bacon ...	16 cwt. 2 qr. ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 7 cwt. 3 qr. ...	57	Free
" Beef ...	116 cwt. 1 qr. ... Warehoused, 93 casks ...	666	11 6 2 11 12 2
" Hams ...	67 cwt. ... Warehoused, 8 cases, 9 packages ...	593	Free
" Pork ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 31 cwt. ... 53 cwt. 1 qr. ... Warehoused, 35 barrels ...	261	45 9 8 5 6 9
" Preserved ...	9 cwt. 2 qr., 137 packages ...	138	13 19 0
Pumps ... ... ...	2,778 packages ...	4,007	Free
Quicksilver ... ... ...	228 flasks ...	1,797	Free
Railway Plant—Locomotives ...	Value only ... Trucks ... " Other Kinds ...	35,544 8,417 107,390	Free
Resin ... ... ...	1,767 packages ...	1,884	Free
Saddlery ... ... ...	56 packages ...	1,290	Free
Saddlery and Harness ...	1,991 packages, 1 bale, 23 cases, 227 packages <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 256 packages ...	72,386	7,316 10 5
Sago ... ... ...	1,353 cwt. ... Warehoused, 440 chests, 764 boxes, 505 bags, 60 packages ...	3,505	Free
Salt ... ... ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,045 cwt. ...	239 14 11	Free
Saltpetre ... ... ...	7,761 tons 10 cwt. ... 549 cwt. 3 qr. ... Warehoused, 20 barrels, 111 kegs ...	15,345 1,005	Free
Scrim Cloth ... ... ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 45 cwt. ... 407 packages ... Warehoused, 11 bales, 104 packages	9,103	59 9 5
Seeds—Grass and Clover ...	116,444 bushels ...	80,198	933 16 6
" Other Kinds ...	2,124 packages ...	14,314	Free
Shells ... ... ...	27 tons 3 cwt. ...	2,171	Free
Ship Chandlery—Anchors ...	35 tons 13 cwt. 1 qr. ... " Chain Cables ... " Other Kinds ...	870 2,000 8,874	Free
Silks ... ... ...	241 packages ... Warehoused, 3 packages ...	32,541	Free
Slates ... ... ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 3 packages ...	3,252	2 0
Slabs ... ... ...	1,063,565 number ...	11,610	Free
Soap ... ... ...	420 number ... 1,756 cwt. 3 qr., 15 cases, 11 boxes, 2 packages	210 2,471	Free
Specie—Copper ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 22 cwt. ... Value ...	... 5	311 5 3
" Gold ...	" ...	307,420	Free
" Silver ...	" ...	25,715	Free
Specimens of Natural History ...	54 packages ...	1,886	Free
Spices ... ... ...	950 packages ... Warehoused, 29 casks, 65 cases, 274 packages	7,555	Free
" Pepper ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 277 packages ... 460 cwt. 1 qr. ... Warehoused, 514 bags, 65 packages	... 3,271	1,577 4 3
Spirits—Brandy ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 615 cwt. 1 qr. ... 1,817½ gallons ... Warehoused, 193 hhd., 10 barrels, 5,838 ¼-casks, 105 octaves, 46,894 cases	... 134,459	516 10 10
" Cordials ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 264,218½ gallons ... 124 gallons ... Warehoused, 546 cases, 9 packages	... 1,063	159,621 10 0
" Geneva ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,347½ gallons ... 601½ gallons ... Warehoused, 2 hhd., 269 ¼-casks, 60 octaves, 34,612 cases	... 26,289	882 19 10
" Gin ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 82,607½ gallons ... 148½ gallons ... Warehoused, 6 hhd., 96 ¼-casks, 10 octaves, 8,527 cases	... 7,133	49,925 5 7
" Methylated ...	<i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 20,605½ gallons ... 2,178 gallons ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,306½ gallons ...	... 503	12,452 2 3 Free

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
		£	£ s. d.
Spirits—Perfumed ... ...	1,439½ gallons ... Warehoused, 334 cases, 50 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 962½ gallons ...	5,945 } } ...	1,441 3 1
" Rum ... ...	273 gallons ... Warehoused, 162 hhd., 1,693 ½-casks, 2 puncheons, 77 barrels, 791 cases, 10 octaves ...	13,191 } } ...	46,220 15 11
" Whiskey ... ...	1,559½ gallons ... Warehoused, 30 hhd., 4,154 ½-casks, 594 octaves, 2 puncheons, 25,015 cases ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 189,918½ gallons ...	65,811 } } ...	114,886 7 0
Spirits of Wine ... ...	178½ gallons ... Warehoused, 1 hhd., 255 ½-casks, 8 casks, 9 drums, 15 cases ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 5,463½ gallons ...	1,427 } } ...	3,385 10 0
Spirits—Other Kinds ... ...	289 gallons ... Warehoused, 406 cases ...	774 } } ...	1,301 18 0 3,206 14 4 223 16 7
Spirits, New Zealand—Whiskey... Other Kinds	25 gallons ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,881½ gallons ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 10,689½ gallons ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 746 gallons ...	3 } } } ...	0 12 6
Spirits of Tar ... ...	2,073 cwt. 2 qr., 6,228 packages ...	10,485 } } ...	1,101 15 4
Starch and Blue ... ...	Warehoused, 1,419 cases, 115 boxes, 985 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1,399 packages ...	28,091 } } ...	Free
Stationery ... ...	2,987 packages... 4,346 packages... Warehoused, 22 cases, 111 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 62 packages ...	75,432 } } } ...	6,504 7 9
" Playing Cards ... ...	21,274 packs ... Warehoused, 8 cases, 10 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 12,089 packages ...	1,162 } } ...	834 1 6 Free
Steel—Wire Rope ... ...	5 cwt. ... 156 tons 19 cwt. ...	20 } } ...	156 19 5
Stone—Building ... ...	105 tons 3 cwt., 4 packages ... " Flagging ... 102 tons 17 cwt., 90 packages ... " Grindstones ... 3,012 number ... " Millstones ... 39 number ...	710 } } } } ...	Free Free Free Free
Stoneware ... ...	413 packages ... 4 packages ...	1,672 } } ...	Free 2 12 0
Sugar—Raw ... ...	48 tons 1 cwt. 3 qr. Warehoused, 1,638 pockets, 2,251 mats, 5,767 bags, 849 cases, 32 packs ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 223 tons 3 cwt. ...	10,767 } } } ...	2,578 6 4
" Refined ... ...	3,735 tons 10 cwt. Warehoused, 1,170 kegs, 1,676 casks, 17,249 gunnies, 10,073 pockets, 246,561 mats, 48,825 bags, 1,204 cases, 32,861 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 9,533 tons 9 cwt. 2 qr. ...	513,610 } } } ...	123,842 17 4
" Glucose ... ...	12 tons 10 cwt. 2 qr. ... Warehoused, 110 boxes, 160 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 7 tons 7 cwt. ...	1,403 } } ...	185 7 9
Molasses and Treacle ... ...	122 tons 14 cwt. Warehoused, 89 hhd., 298 casks, 136 kegs, 2 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 48 tons 11 cwt. ...	3,876 } } ...	1,598 16 2
Sulphur ... ...	276 tons 11 cwt. Warehoused, 37 casks, 10 kegs ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 1 ton 10 cwt. ...	3,889 } } ...	278 1 4
Tapioca ... ...	675 cwt. 2 qr. ... Warehoused, 22 bags, 488 boxes, 20 chests, 352 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 130 cwt. ...	1,910 } } ...	80 9 1
Tea ... ...	509,165½ lb. Warehoused, 2,444 chests, 54,039 ½-chests, 764 ¼-chests, 172 cases, 103,385 boxes, 1,809 packages ... <i>Ex</i> Warehouse, 2,387,531 lb. ...	303,858 } } } ...	72,417 8 11
Telegraph Materials ... ...	Value ... ...	8,509 } } ...	Free
Tents and Tarpaulins ... ...	69 packages ... 10 packages ...	2,090 } } ...	Free
Timber—Sawn and Dressed ...	8 8,437 feet ... " Undressed ... 36,600 feet ... " Hewn ... 3,697,010 feet ... " Laths ... 288,622 number ... " Logs ... 3,902 number ... " Posts and Rails ... 58,010 number ... " Palings ... 1,719,414 number ... " Shingles ... 9,274,750 number ... " Spokes, Felloes, and Shafts ... 63,608 number ... " Other Kinds ... 76,695 pieces, 54,845 number ...	32 } } } } } } } } } } ...	3 4 0 818 5 10 Free 28 17 8 Free 167 12 9 1,719 8 8 927 9 4 254 5 5 Free Free
Tin—Block ... ...	495 cwt. 1 qr. ...	1,617 } } ...	Free
" Sheet ... ...	9,311 packages ...	13,884 } } ...	Free
Tinware ... ...	685 packages ...	5,697 } } ...	569 15 2

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
		£	£ s. d.
Tobacco ... ... ...	19,816 $\frac{1}{4}$ lb.		
	Warehoused, 3 hhd., 62 tierces, 55 $\frac{1}{2}$ -tierces, 1,002 $\frac{1}{4}$ -tierces, 218 $\frac{1}{2}$ -tierces, 4,902 cases, 877 boxes, 266 $\frac{3}{4}$ -boxes, 55 $\frac{1}{2}$ -boxes, 177 packages	104,621	
" Cigars ... ...	Ex Warehouse, 1,044,675 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. ...	... ...	133,061 9 11
	5,970 lb. ...	29,892	
" Sheepwash ... ...	Warehoused, 740 cases, 18 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 78,528 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. ...	... ...	21,124 8 6
" Snuff ... ...	775 lb. ...	114	
	Warehoused, 1 hhd., 22 $\frac{1}{2}$ -casks ...	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 28,244 lb. ...	... ...	362 14 9
	688 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. ...	636	
	Warehoused, 32 cases, 3 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 2,211 lb. ...	... ...	724 11 6
Tools and Utensils ... ...	1 package ...	7	Free
	332 packages ...	3,519	
	Warehoused, 1 package ...	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 7 packages ...	... ...	
Toys ... ... ...	307 packages ...	... ...	369 14 2
	Warehoused, 3 cases, 7 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 13 packages ...	... ...	4,004
Turpentine and Varnish ... ...	37,712 gallons ...	... ...	406 15 3
	Warehoused, 28 drums, 365 cases	15,259	
	Ex Warehouse, 4,250 gallons ...	... ...	
Twine ... ... ...	1,943 cwt. 1 qr. ...	12,015	1,048 19 7
	Warehoused, 24 bales, 3 cases, 61 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 165 cwt. ...	... ...	1,173 15 0
Vegetables ... ... ...	3,406 packages ...	2,730	Free
	717 packages ...	... ...	
	Warehoused, 111 packages	696	
	Ex Warehouse, 20 packages ...	... ...	
Vinegar ... ... ...	94,336 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	... ...	27 15 4
	Warehoused, 90 hhd., 100 $\frac{1}{2}$ -hhd., 737 $\frac{1}{2}$ -casks, 1,433 cases	11,951	
	Ex Warehouse, 23,924 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	... ...	2,956 10 6
Waterworks Material ...	Value ...	10,174	Free
Watchmakers' Material ...	5 packages ...	165	Free
Watches and Clocks ...	1,263 packages ...	25,211	
	Warehoused, 81 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 432 packages ...	... ...	
Whiting and Chalk ...	448 tons 1 cwt. 2 qr. ...	1,402	2,679 2 6
	Warehoused, 10 casks, 75 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 13 tons 15 cwt. 1 qr. ...	... ...	
Wine in Wood ... ... ...	5,838 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons ...	52,392	461 15 11
	Warehoused, 108 hhd., 10 butts, 9 pipes, 4,087 $\frac{1}{2}$ -casks, 1 puncheon, 627 octaves, 300 cases, 377 packages	... ...	
" in Bottle ... ...	Ex Warehouse, 122,093 gallons ...	25,586 1 0	
	3,570 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	... ...	
" Sparkling ... ...	Warehoused, 17,276 cases	22,837	
	Ex Warehouse, 36,280 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	... ...	7,969 19 2
" Australian ... ...	1,520 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	21,617	
	Warehoused, 5,853 cases, 274 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 11,974 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	... ...	3,356 3 7
	4,020 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	6,435	
Woodware ... ... ...	Warehoused, 43 hhd., 276 $\frac{1}{2}$ -casks, 822 cases	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 9,592 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	2,722 14 5	
	133 packages ...	321	Free
	10,780 packages ...	... ...	
	Warehoused, 54 packages	10,491	
	Ex Warehouse, 95 packages	... ...	
Wool ... ... ...	30,280 lb. ...	929	1,089 0 2
Woollens ... ... ...	1,661 packages ...	108,424	Free
	Warehoused, 4 bales, 8 cases, 215 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 243 packages ...	... ...	9,829 2 2
Woollen Blankets ... ... ...	861 packages ...	28,783	
	Warehoused, 172 bales, 207 packages	... ...	
	Ex Warehouse, 667 packages ...	... ...	3,620 7 9
Works of Art ... ... ...	39 packages ...	372	Free
Zinc—Sheet ... ...	356 tons 10 cwt. 1 qr. ...	9,955	995 19 3
" Tiles ... ...	1 ton 6 cwt. 3 qr. ...	37	1 6 11
" Manufactures ... ...	73 packages ...	483	48 6 2

	£	s.	d.
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS ...	8,755,667	0	0
TOTAL DUTY RECEIVED ...	1,344,943	18	4

## No. II.—EXPORTS.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Exported from New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Agricultural Implements	3 packages	10	Glue	124 cwt.	145
Alkali, Soda Crystals, &c.	18 <i>1</i> cwt.	110	Gold	311,439 oz. 17 dwt.	1,244,192
Ale and Beer—Bottled	2,946 gallons	694	Grain—Barley	102,472 bushels	24,466
Bulk	766 gallons	101	Beans and Peas	882 bushels	231
" Apparel and Slops	344 packages	6,779	Maize	16 bushels	5
Arms and Ammunition—			Malt	5,951 bushels	2,137
Arms, Fire	2,183 number	248	Oats	302,772 bushels	59,130
Cartridges	2,100 number	17	Peas, Split	3 cwt.	3
Dynamite	486 lb.	89	Rice	720 cwt.	822
Explosives	3 packages	22	Wheat	1,701,013 bushels	423,032
Fuze	3 packages	5	Guano	93 tons	558
Arrowroot—Bulk	3,861 lb.	60	Gum, Kauri	3,445 tons 6 cwt. 1 qr.	132,975
Bags and Sacks—			Haberdashery	19 packages	386
Corn	121 packages	154	Hair	152 cwt. 2 qr.	864
Woolpacks	15 packages	119	Hardware and Iron	582 packages	2,945
Bark	49 tons 11 cwt.	694	mongery		
Beeswax	27 cwt. 2 qr. 14 lb.	123	Hats and Caps	12 packages	201
Biscuits—Plain	4,051 cwt, 2 qr.	5,067	Hay	41 tons 2 cwt.	206
" Fancy	230 packages	221	Hides	10,216 number	9,590
Boats	32 number	748	Honey	30 cwt.	65
Bones	93 tons 8 cwt.	688	Hops	22 cwt. 2 qr.	92
Books, Printed	108 packages	3,497	Horns and Hoofs	18 tons 9 cwt.	366
Boots and Shoes	21 packages	360	Hosiery	5 packages	69
Bran and Sharps	1,078 tons 16 cwt.	5,760	Instruments, Musical—		
	1 qr.		Pianofortes	2 number	145
Brassware	5 packages	18	Other Kinds	9 packages	228
Bricks, Common	13,200 number	30	Instruments—Optical...	2 packages	11
Brushware	11 packages	40	Scientific	1 package	2
Brushes and Combs	6 packages	76	Surgical	1 package	10
Buckets and Tubs	13 packages	18	Iron—Bar and Rod, &c.	1 ton 12 cwt.	18
Butter	3,105 cwt. 2 qr.	12,111	Fencing	1 ton 1 cwt.	18
Candles	11 cwt.	49	Galvanized	7 tons 16 cwt.	265
Canvas	8 packages	71	Hoops	2 tons	32
Carriages and Carts	4 number	270	Sand	2 tons	20
Carriage Materials	Value only	77	Sheet	5 cwt.	10
Casks, Empty	172 number	79	Tanks	10 number	49
Cement	76 cwt.	26	Old Scrap, and	231 tons 18 cwt.	763
Cheese	3,020 cwt. 2 qr.	9,373	Undescribed		
China and Porcelain	2 packages	25	Jams and Jellies	69 packages	135
Coals	6,362 tons	5,139	Jewellery	1 package	5
Cocoa and Chocolate	90 lb.	6	Lamps and Lanterns	14 packages	151
Coffees	1,358 lb.	87	Lard	136 cwt.	321
Coke and Fuel	85 tons	177	Lead	14 tons 2 cwt.	214
Confectionery	11 packages	38	Leather	1,832 cwt. 1 qr.	18,550
Copper—Rod, Bar, &c.	12 tons 8 cwt.	519	Leatherware	5 packages	31
" Nails	3 cwt. 2 qr.	22	Limejuice	6,186 gallons	545
" Sheathing	1 ton 10 cwt.	20	Linseed	307 cwt.	230
Copra	299 tons	4,490	Live Stock—Asses	7 number	41
Cordage	436 cwt.	1,092	Horned	23 number	170
Cork and Corks	2 packages	17	Cattle		
Cotton	14,370 lb.	335	Horses	9 number	3,223
Cottons	364 packages	9,414	Pigs	48 number	132
Cotton Seed	15 tons 3 cwt.	60	Poultry	3 packages	5
Curiosities	42 packages	572	Sheep	3,538 number	3,007
Cutlery	33 packages	480	Machinery—Agricultural	19 packages	36
Doors and Sashes	844 number	551	Mining	80 packages	400
Drapery	269 packages	12,612	Sawing and	1 package	10
Drugs	52 packages	188	Planing		
Druggists' Wares	53 packages	106	Steam - en-	1 number	100
Earthenware	110 packages	146	gines		
Fancy Goods	55 packages	893	Wool-press-	27 packages	240
Fish—Dried	86 cwt. 3 qr.	164	ing		
" Potted	453 packages	654	O t h e r	104 packages	1,222
" Salted	11 cwt.	28	Kinds		
Flour	4,032 tons 1 cwt.	48,451	Marble	12 packages	194
Fruits—Currants	237 cwt. 2 qr.	349	Matches and Vestas	33 packages	434
" Dried	16 cwt.	38	Mats and Rugs	3 packages	67
" Green	43 packages	28	Matting	4 packages	10
" Preserved	13 packages	21	Meal—Maizena, Corn...	4 packages	4
" Raisins	7 cwt.	19	Oatmeal	10,210 cwt.	11,091
Fungus	2,054 cwt.	5,178	Meats—Potted and Pre-	28,292 cwt. 3 qr....	74,449
Furniture	99 packages	455	served		
Gas Plant	Value only	100	Metal, Old	15 tons 10 cwt.	250
Glass—Bottles	30 packages	23	Menageries	1 number	20,000
" Ware	24 packages	75	Millinery	2 packages	47
" Windows	5 packages	211	Minerals—Antimony	4 tons 1 cwt.	102

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Minerals—Copper Ore...	5 tons 12 cwt. ...	115	Skins—Seal ...	820 number ...	1,245
" Manganese ...	2,516 tons ...	10,416	" Sheep ...	186,308 number ...	16,846
" Spelter ...	15 tons 4 cwt. ...	259	" Other Kinds ...	401 number ...	74
Miscellaneous ...	Value only ...	6,963	Soap ...	4,873 cwt. 2 qr. ...	4,785
Nails and Screws ...	67 cwt. 2 qr. ...	120	Specie—Gold ...	Value only ...	105,267
Nuts—Almond ...	1 package ...	4	" Silver ...	Value only ...	4,283
" Other Kinds ...	15 packages ...	58	Specimens, Natural Hist.	29 packages ...	342
Oars ...	84 number ...	31	Spirits—Brandy ...	1,406 $\frac{2}{3}$ gallons ...	924
Oil—Cocoanut ...	5,788 gallons ...	742	" Cordials ...	1 $\frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	4
" Colza ...	15 gallons ...	5	" Geneva ...	3,937 $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{5}{8}$ gallons ...	1,273
" Kerosene ...	12,832 gallons ...	1,054	" Gin ...	57 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	31
" Linseed ...	705 gallons ...	166	" Perfumed ...	47 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	53
" Sperm ...	17,483 gallons ...	4,841	" Rum ...	761 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	204
" Whale ...	37,801 gallons ...	7,718	" Whiskey ...	985 $\frac{3}{4}$ gallons ...	394
" Other Kinds ...	15,539 gallons ...	2,115	" Other Kinds ...	18 $\frac{1}{2}$ gallons ...	6
Oilcloth ...	2 packages ...	13	Starch and Blue ...	11 packages ...	13
Oilmen's Stores ...	432 packages ...	1,029	Stationery ...	51 packages ...	729
Onions ...	894 cwt. 3 qr. ...	612	Playing Cards ...	1,738 packages ...	25
Paintings and Engravings ...	26 packages ...	733	Grindstones ...	19 number ...	6
Paints and Colours ...	139 cwt. 3 qr. ...	319	Sugar—Raw ...	20 tons 16 cwt. 2 qr. ...	660
Paper—Bags ...	3 packages ...	7	" Refined ...	74 tons 8 cwt. 2 qr. ...	2,546
" Hangings ...	124 packages ...	78	" Molasses ...	1 ton 9 cwt. 2 qr. ...	38
" Wrapping ...	10 packages ...	75	Tallow ...	5,018 tons, 17 cwt. ...	178,502
Pearl Barley ...	752 cwt. ...	887	Tea ...	11,065 lb. ...	882
Perfumery ...	22 packages ...	103	Timber—Baulk ...	1,446,132 feet ...	4,674
Phormium, New Zealand ...	623 tons 3 cwt. ...	10,666	" Firewood ...	102 tons ...	37
Tow ...	10 tons 17 cwt. ...	93	" Laths and ...	74,000 number ...	54
Pipes, Tobacco ...	69 packages ...	113	" Shingle ...		
Pitch and Tar ...	6 barrels ...	9	" Logs and Piles ...	847 number ...	5,168
Plants and Trees ...	269 packages ...	1,009	" Sawn ...	2,625,194 feet ...	28,982
Plate ...	1 package ...	35	" Spars ...	70 number ...	250
Platedware ...	3 packages ...	45	" Other Kinds ...	273 packages ...	246
Potatoes ...	9,370 tons 10 cwt. ...	36,908	Tinware ...	1 package ...	2
Printing Material ...	135 packages ...	98	Tobacco ...	47,796 lb. ...	3,098
" Paper ...	20 packages ...	222	" Cigars ...	2,279 $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. ...	980
Provisions—Bacon and Hams ...	3,786 cwt. 1 qr. ...	13,232	Tools and Utensils ...	1 package ...	1
" Beef, Fresh ...	23 cwt. ...	34	Turpentine and Varnish ...	29 gallons ...	7
" Salted ...	2,794 cwt. ...	4,429	Twine ...	2 cwt. 3 qr. ...	51
" Pork " ...	295 cwt. 2 qr. ...	640	Vegetables ...	53 packages ...	37
" Preserved... ...	296 packages ...	328	Vinegar ...	255 gallons ...	93
Rags ...	36 tons 19 cwt. 2 qr. ...	810	Watches and Clocks ...	6 packages ...	22
Railway Plant ...	Undescribed ...	23,000	Whalebone ...	47 cwt. 2 qr. ...	371
Saddlery ...	19 packages ...	250	Whiting and Chalk ...	9 cwt. ...	3
Sago ...	112 lb. ...	2	Wine—In Wood ...	94 gallons ...	40
Salt ...	4 ton 2 cwt. ...	26	" Bottled ...	1,511 $\frac{1}{4}$ gallons ...	890
Sauces ...	15 packages ...	54	" Sparkling ...	16 gallons ...	15
Scrim Cloth ...	7 packages ...	28	" Australian ...	15 gallons ...	5
Seeds—Grass ...	10,418 bushels ...	5,088	Woodware ...	159 packages ...	102
" Other Kinds ...	3 packages ...	5	Wool ...	59,270,256 lb. ...	3,292,807
Shells ...	46 packages ...	176	Woollens ...	17 packages ...	645
Pearl ...	25 ton 10 cwt. 1 qr. ...	2,311	Woollen Blankets ...	27 packages ...	454
Ship Chandlery ...	1 ton 12 cwt. 2 qr. ...	89	Zinc—Ingots ...	20 ton 17 cwt. ...	374
	14 packages ...		" Sheet ...	19 cwt. 2 qr. ...	25
Silks ...	2 packages ...	245	" Manufactures ...	2 packages ...	8
Silver ...	23,018 oz. 13 dwt. ...	5,755		Total value ...	£6,015,700
Skins—Rabbit ...	3,976,409 number	33,460			

## No. III.—EXPORTS.

RETURN showing the Articles Exported for Drawback from New Zealand, the Countries to which Exported, and the Amount Paid under each head, during the Year 1878.

Articles.	Exported to	Amount Paid in 1878.	Articles.	Exported to	Amount Paid in 1878.
Drapery ...		£ s. d. 7 15 9	Apparel ...		£ s. d. 8 1 10
Boots and Shoes ...		10 1 5	Cottons ...		7 8 0
Fancy Goods ...		5 2 9	Drapery ...		108 9 4
Hardware ...		1 2 0			
Saddlery ...		13 5 1	Drapery ...		23 4 9
Silks ...		11 5 7	Rico ...		10 19 4
Boots ...		2 12 0	Preserved Fish ...		0 19 9
Gelatine ...		11 8 0			
Sardines ...		3 12 6	Drapery ...		52 8 1
Treacle ...		3 0 5	Hardware ...		5 7 7
Beer-engine ...		1 17 6	Treacle, &c. ...		3 5 1
Boots ...		5 0 10			
Drugs ...		1 8 0	Drapery ...		9 17 8
Figs ...		1 18 3			
Hats ...		2 1 2	Navigator Islands ...		
Boots ...	Hobart Town ...	2 14 5	Drapery ...		
Boots ...		6 3 6	Hardware ...		13 9 10
Drapery ...		33 5 4	Oil and Paint ...		9 18 6
Fruit, Candles, &c. ...		3 8 2	Oilmen's Stores ...		10 7 1
Glassware ...		4 7 10	Sugar and Fruit ...		1 19 6
Oilmen's Stores ...		0 10 0	Preserved Meats ...		2 16 1
Preserved Meat ...		0 16 0	Blankets ...		3 5 11
Rice ...		4 13 4	Candles ...		
Tea and Sugar ...		5 14 7	Drapery ...		24 13 0
Sugar ...		30 9 11	Fancy Goods ...		41 1 2
" and Candles ...		8 10 7	Hardware and Jams ...		104 3 8
" and Rice ...		3 5 4	Lead and Oil ...		4 18 1
Cutlery ...	New Caledonia	7 6 0	Hats and Apparel ...		3 14 10
Sugar ...		9 6 8	Paint and Oil ...		2 5 0
Drapery ...		369 13 2	Oil ...		68 4 8
Fencing Wire ...		1 8 0	Oilmen's Stores ...		7 0 9
Furniture ...		19 2 1	Potted Meats ...		1 6 0
Hardware ...		87 18 5	Sacks ...		2 9 11
Hats ...		8 3 6	Sugar ...		4 16 0
Oilmen's Stores ...		54 11 11	Woollens ...		1 13 0
Oil ...		0 12 6	Cottons ...		9 12 11
Paint and Oil ...		11 13 2	Drapery ...		1 7 0
Rice, &c. ...		17 5 0	Hats ...		8 3 7
Tobacco Pipes ...		1 10 3			15 15 2
Sugar ...		19 3 10			1 3 4
Treacle, &c. ...		6 8 4			£1,383 19 6

## No. IV.—IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

TABLE showing the Value of the Imports and Exports of the Colony of New Zealand from and to each under-mentioned Country, Colony, or Port, during the Year 1878.

Country, Colony, or Port.	Imports therewith.	Exports thereto.
	£	£
United Kingdom ...	5,333,170	4,727,242
Australia :—		
Queensland ...	1,345	11,044
New South Wales	789,739	239,190
Victoria ...	1,443,702	750,390
South Australia	48,577	51,723
Western Australia	50	...
Tasmania ...	110,450	20,939
Pacific Islands :—		
Norfolk Island	328	3,006
New Caledonia	2,323	4,536
Cook Islands	4,314	11,820
Friendly Islands	3,020	27,532
Society Islands	876	2,579
Fiji Islands ...	13,789	13,511
So. Isds	253	131
New Hebrides	...	23
Navigator Islands	3,790	8,002
Malden Island	...	562
Suwarrow Island	...	1,594
Rotumah Island	1,837	922
Gilbert Islands	540	219
Marshall Islands	1,199	42
Caroline Islands	...	345
Sandwich Islands	47	1,422
Savage Island	1,378	273
Guam ...	...	1,671
Whale Fisheries ...	9,200	1,112
North America :—		
Canada ...	719	...
United States of America :—		
On the Atlantic	373,046	40,784
On the Pacific	59,526	3,159
South America :—		
Chili ...	...	3,516
Peru ...	9,476	20,112
China ...	165,453	21,434
Java ...	10,125	6,960
India ...	131,136	9
Mauritius	207,210	16,173
Africa :—		
Cape Colony	...	23,723
Europe :—		
France ...	25,101	...
Germany ...	1,321	...
Holland	2,503	...
Spain ...	120	...
Totals ...	8,755,663	6,015,700

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## No. V.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels, including their repeated Voyages, that Entered and Cleared Coastwise at each Port in New Zealand, during the Year 1878.

Ports.	Entered.			Cleared.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
Auckland	3,461	212,223	21,539	3,456	217,765	21,798
Onehunga	181	25,130	2,214	183	25,414	2,266
Thames	1,885	93,708	9,434	1,885	93,740	9,439
Russell	623	61,422	5,028	618	59,475	4,835
Mongonui	68	7,997	1,008	67	7,675	982
Hokianga	34	5,399	227	33	5,131	218
Kaipara	91	11,305	523	89	10,981	511
Wangaroa	190	21,339	1,389	188	21,096	1,381
Tauranga	421	56,394	5,278	417	56,254	5,263
Poverty Bay	331	58,229	4,739	327	57,570	4,698
New Plymouth	136	32,089	2,912	136	32,089	2,912
Waitara	79	5,302	571	76	5,130	553
Wanganui	441	32,699	4,198	441	32,595	4,200
Wellington	1,558	283,181	23,051	1,561	283,074	22,803
Napier	604	99,947	7,711	595	95,504	7,682
Wairau	145	8,957	1,698	145	8,957	1,698
Picton	297	61,622	4,808	297	62,038	4,751
Havelock	145	5,520	415	146	5,517	418
Kaikoura	90	5,202	907	90	5,202	907
Nelson	1,395	124,679	12,575	1,405	129,027	12,716
Westport	294	44,488	4,554	286	44,906	4,583
Greymouth	326	48,514	4,839	320	46,453	4,711
Hokitika	204	25,249	2,526	214	24,019	2,550
Lyttelton	1,728	268,017	17,702	1,693	271,238	17,716
Timaru	239	28,309	2,409	235	27,154	2,370
Oamaru	421	56,641	4,159	420	55,665	4,216
Dunedin	1,235	215,235	16,533	1,266	232,417	15,935
Invercargill and Bluff Harbour	352	65,790	5,141	353	63,240	4,984
Riverton	97	5,824	460	97	5,809	456
Totals for 1878	17,071	1,700,411	168,548	17,039	1,985,135	167,552
Totals for 1877	17,260	1,788,303	152,852	17,239	1,771,917	152,734

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## No. VI.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered Inwards at the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Port of Arrival.	Whence.	British.				Foreign.				Totals.			
		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.		With Cargoes.		In Ballast.	
		Crews.	Tons.	Crews.	Tons.	Crews.	Tons.	Crews.	Tons.	Crews.	Tons.	Crews.	Tons.
Auckland ...	28 ...	107	1	70	6,184	81,278	3,720	4	417	23,188	81,695	3,743	21
Thames ...	... ...	1	1	... ...	1	248	9	...	1	248	9	...	1
Russell ...	... ...	4	1	9	4	2,304	140	1	100	5	2,404	147	9
Mongonui ...	... ...	... ...	1	... ...	...	...	...	...	1	265	26	1	265
Kaipara ...	... ...	4	2	1	...	5	1,516	44	2	462	17	6	462
Wellington ...	29 ...	103	... ...	4	129	75,197	2,281	...	129	75,197	2,281	7	3,127
Napier ...	... ...	1	1	22	...	23	5,846	204	...	23	5,846	204	...
Nelson ...	7 ...	16	...	1	...	23	9,343	298	...	23	9,343	298	1
Westport ...	... ...	8	...	...	8	2,160	118	...	8	2,160	118	...	8
Greymouth ...	... ...	19	...	19	2,899	127	...	19	2,899	127	...	19	2,899
Hokitika ...	... ...	23	...	23	7,406	484	...	23	7,406	484	...	23	7,406
Lyttelton ...	33 1	150	...	7	186	86,223	2,500	1	39	16,181	86,262	2,516	10
Timaru ...	... ...	27	...	27	6,782	241	...	27	6,782	241	...	27	6,782
Oamaru ...	... ...	30	...	29	5,904	228	...	29	5,904	228	1	296	11
Dunedin ...	41 ...	73	...	24	111	68,683	1,944	1	93	21,118	68,776	1,965	21
Bluff Harbour ...	6 ...	64	...	70	37,999	2,211	...	70	37,999	2,211	...	70	37,999
Riverton ...	... ...	1	...	1	51	5	...	1	51	5	...	1	51
Totals 1878 ...	145 4	652	4	117	7,843	393,839	14,554	9	1,111	84,852	394,950	14,638	71
Totals 1877 ...	112 1	596	10	84	9,726	320,135	12,530	19	3,839	21,5745	323,974	12,745	66

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## No. VII.—SHIPPING,

**RETURN** showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Cleared Outwards at the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1878.

Ports of Departure.	Destination.		British.						Foreign.						Totals.											
	United Kingdom.	British Possessions.	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.								
			Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.						
Auckland	8	... 9	32	74	6	139	61,240	3,045	35	13,196	368	174	74,436	3,413,22	39,957	1,360	3	1,704	30,25	41,661	1,390	161				
Russell	...	...	10	5,843	323	...	...	...	10	5,843	303	9	2,906	2,906	2,906	2,906	9	2,906	2,906	19	8,749	19	8,749			
Mongonui	...	...	1	164	7	...	...	1	164	1	265	25	25	25	25	25	2	429	32	429	32	429				
Hokianga	...	...	4	1,037	37	...	...	4	1,037	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1,037	37	4	1,037	37	4	1,037		
Kaiapara	...	...	19	2	21	4,779	163	...	21	4,779	163	...	...	...	...	...	21	4,779	163	...	21	4,779	163	...		
Poverty Bay	1	...	...	1	464	13	...	1	464	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	464	13	...	1	464	13	...		
New Plymouth	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	179	9	1	179	9	...	...	...	...	...	1	179	9	1	179	9	1	179	
Wellington	10	...	30	75	2	15	40	34,156	1,076	84	38,219	1,023	124	72,375	2,099	2	865	25	6	3,787	60	8	3,652	85	42	35,021
Nelson	6	...	5	18	...	11	5,460	150	18	5,032	156	29	10,492	306	...	...	...	...	11	5,460	150	18	5,032	156	29	10,492
Westport	...	...	3	...	...	3	489	21	...	3	489	21	...	...	...	...	3	489	21	...	3	489	21	...		
Greytown	...	...	30	...	...	30	4,832	230	...	30	4,832	230	...	...	...	...	30	4,832	230	...	30	4,832	230	...		
Hokitika	...	...	21	...	21	8,497	602	...	21	8,497	602	...	...	...	...	...	21	8,497	602	...	...	21	8,497	602		
Lyttonton	...	30	78	3	100	1,395	79	28,627	793	179	78,755	2,188	2	738	21	9	3,906	9211	4,644	113	102	50,866	1,416	88	32,533	
Timaru	2	...	12	7	1	14	4,162	132	8	2,122	72	22	6,284	204	...	...	...	...	14	4,162	132	8	2,122	72	22	6,284
Damatu	3	...	16	7	2	19	5,378	169	7	1,092	48	26	6,470	217	2	567	19	21	5,945	188	7	1,092	48	28	7,037	
Dunedin	20	...	13	52	22	32	23,319	616	62	32,856	848	94	56,175	1,464	1	241	712	3,932	115	3	4,173	122	33	23,500		
Bluff Harbour	4	...	45	9	1	49	30,006	1,869	10	4,881	99	59	34,887	1,998	...	...	...	...	49	30,006	1,869	10	4,881	99	59	34,887
Totals for 1878	84	...	354	283	94	56	502	241,728	9,917	314	128,480	3,496	816	370,208	1,341,340	45,936	1,731	30	12,329	297	70	58,285	2,028	542	287,684	
Totals for 1877	70	...	378	256	93	51	495	225,314	9,681	284	110,153	3,274	779	335,467	1,295,46	51,914	2,026	23	13,228	353	69	65,142	2,379	541	277,228	

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Secretary of Customs.

## No. VIII.—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 1878.

NATIONALITY OF VESSELS.	ENTERED.								
	WITH CARGOES.			IN BALLAST.			TOTALS.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British ... ...	843	393,839	14,554	9	1,111	84	852	394,950	14,638
Foreign ... ...	71	60,853	2,048	3	687	24	74	61,540	2,072
Totals ... ...	914	454,692	16,602	12	1,798	108	926	456,490	16,710

  

CLEARED.									
British ... ...	502	241,728	9,917	314	128,480	3,496	816	370,208	13,413
Foreign ... ...	40	45,956	1,731	30	12,329	297	70	58,285	2,028
Totals ... ...	542	287,684	11,648	344	140,809	3,793	886	428,493	15,441

## No. IX.—REVENUE.

ABSTRACT of all Duties and Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the Year 1878.

Heads of Receipts.	Rate of Duty.	Quantity.	Amount Collected.
Spirits ...	12s. per gallon ...	650,195 gallons	£390,117
" New Zealand	6s. per gallon ...	11,440 gallons ...	3,432
Cigars and Snuff ...	5s. per lb. ...	87,396 lb. ...	21,849
Tobacco ...	2s. 6d. per lb. ...	1,064,520 lb. ...	133,065
" Sheepwash ...	3d. per lb. ...	28,880 lb. ...	361
Wine ...	4s. per gallon ...	...	*39,635
Ale, Beer, &c. (in bottle)	1s. 3d. per gallon	392,192 gallons	24,512
(in wood) ...	1s. per gallon ...	96,060 gallons ...	4,803
Tea ...	6d. per lb. ...	2,896,720 lb. ...	72,418
Coffee, Cocoa, &c. ...	3d. per lb. ...	676,720 lb. ...	8,459
" Roasted ...	5d. per lb. ...	2,016 lb. ...	42
Sugar and Molasses ...	1d. per lb. ...	30,764,720 lb. ...	128,203
Opium ...	20s. per lb. ...	2,580 lb. ...	2,580
Goods by Weight ...	...	...	92,535
Ad Valorem ...	...	...	364,678
Other Duties not specified above	...	...	58,254
			£1,344,943
Rents, Seizures, &c.	...	...	107
Bonded Warehouse Duty	...	...	5,716
Merchant Shipping Act Fees (£974), and Fees Shipping and Seamen's Act (£330)	...	...	1,304
Arms Act	...	...	1,900
Lighthouse Dues	...	...	12,893
Oyster Act Fees	...	...	9
Gold Duty	...	...	31,373
Pilotage, &c.	...	...	21,131
Distillation	...	...	633
Other Receipts	...	...	47,149
Total Duties and Revenue	...	...	1,467,158

\* This includes £1,976, duty on sparkling wines, at 6s. per gallon.

Customs Department, 31st July, 1879.

WILLIAM SEED,  
Secretary of Customs,

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