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NEW ZEALAND.

IMPORT, EXPORT, AND SHIPPING RETURNS.

(A GENERAL SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR 1881.)

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

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No. 1.—IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Imported into New Zealand during the Year 1881.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Acid—		£	£ s. d.
Acetic	33,245 lb. ...	962	156 2 9
Carbolic	2,548 gal. ...	557	Free.
Fluoric	15 lb. ...	7	"
Muriatic	16,912 " ...	386	"
Nitric	573 " ...	16	2 9 6
"	225 " ...	11	Free.*
Oleic	7,705 " ...	138	"
Oxalic	5,079 " ...	139	"
Salicylic	2,011 " ...	305	"
Sulphuric	112,923 " ...	1,612	"
Tartaric	146,085 " ...	12,199	555 11 10
Other kinds	1,224 " ...	45	Free.
Aerated and mineral waters ...	10,152 doz. ...	2,322	"
Agricultural implements, unenumerated	2,680 pkg. ...	19,898	"
Alkali—			
Soda ash	19½ cwt. ...	23	"
" bicarbonate	4,277 " ...	2,690	210 3 8
" caustic	7,799 " ...	6,654	Free.
" crystals	21,665½ " ...	5,111	1,083 16 10
" nitrate	190 " ...	167	Free.
" silicate	719 " ...	1,848	"
Alum	55 " ...	38	7 3 5
"	102 " 3 qr. ...	66	Free*
Animals, living—			
Birds	47 numb. ...	22	Free.
Deer	2 " ...	20	"
Dogs	82 " ...	614	"
Ferrets	12 " ...	12	"
Goats	1 " ...	10	"
Horned cattle	52 " ...	1,410	"
Horses	65 " ...	9,887	"
Kangaroo	1 " ...	2	"
Pigs	289 " ...	547	"
Poultry	406 " ...	123	"
Sheep	481 " ...	19,396	"
Anchors	489 cwt. ...	637	"

* From the 26th September, 1881.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
Apparel and slops	6,605 pkg. ...	£ 236,153	£ s. d. 35,038 10 2
Arms, ammunition, and explosives—	46 " ...	1,972	Free.
Accoutrements	12 pkg. ...	272	"
Arms—Military	18 numb. ...	28	4 5 10
" "	2,093 " ...	4,245	Free.
" Sporting	2,194 " ...	6,512	1,017 16 9
Pistols	324 " ...	498	74 13 0
" "	300 " ...	874	Free.
Caps	7,777,360 " ...	1,839	389 1 1
Cartridges	55,980 " ...	307	28 5 9
" "	1,500,000 " ...	4,413	Free.
Cartridge cases	279,800 " ...	301	8 19 10
" "	269,400 " ...	302	Free.
Dynamite	84,698 lb. ...	7,331	"
Fuse	56,964 coils ...	1,981	"
Lithofracteur	1,420 lb. ...	130	"
Other explosives	25 pkg. ...	212	"
Ordnance stores	310 " ...	1,083	"
Powder—Blasting	530,062 lb. ...	9,627	"
" Sporting	50,838 " ...	5,755	1,284 2 7
Shot	4,310½ cwt. ...	3,675	1,674 17 9
Swords	41 numb. ...	63	Free.
Unenumerated	21 pkg. ...	220	"
Art, works of, other than pictures ...	9 " ...	167	24 6 0
" "	31 " ...	392	Free.
Arrowroot	47,959 lb. ...	1,017	"
Arsenic	234¼ cwt. ...	300	"
Bacon and hams—			
Bacon	1,933½ cwt. ...	7,027	"
" "	7½ " ...	28	7 2 8
Hams	600½ " ...	2,804	Free.
" "	61¼ " ...	294	42 12 10
Bags and sacks—Corn-sacks	241,320 doz. ...	96,205	Free.
" Flour-bags	74,598 " ...	13,778	"
" Gunny-bags	12,812 " ...	4,341	"
" Other kinds	635 " ...	211	15 4 10
" "	252 " ...	31	Free.
" Wool-packs	17,476 " ...	27,078	2,141 8 7
Bark	4,257 tons. ...	35,381	Free.
Basket and wickerware	420 pkg. ...	1,282	"
Bêche-de-mer	562 cwt. ...	734	"
Beer—Bottled	391,813 gal. ...	83,313	27,947 12 2
" Bulk	68,555 " ...	8,522	4,001 10 3
Biscuits—Fancy	50,719 lb. ...	1,921	421 17 9
" Plain	323 cwt. ...	187	33 7 10
" "	85 " ...	278	Free.
Blacking	1,679 pkg. ...	3,783	545 1 6
Blacklead	275 " ...	1,788	248 0 9
Blue	158,662 lb. ...	4,771	610 2 0
Boats	24 numb. ...	3,958	Free.
Bones	15 tons ...	48	"
Books	5,332 pkg. ...	100,204	"
Boots and shoes	41,793 doz. prs. ...	131,780	12,504 4 6
Boot-webbing	30,577 yd. ...	1,782	Free.
Borax	19 cwt. ...	98	13 19 6
" "	7½ " ...	32	Free.*
Brass	160¼ " ...	618	"
Brassware	95 pkg. ...	1,977	216 7 7
Bricks—Bath	19,205 numb. ...	119	Free.
" Clay	6,928 " ...	156	"
" Fire	155,124 " ...	868	"
" Fireclay	4½ tons. ...	7	"
Brushware and brooms	685 pkg. ...	8,147	1,253 15 5
Brushes	30 " ...	596	89 9 5
Buckets and tubs—Iron	1,230 " ...	1,749	262 6 0
" Wood	57 " ...	32	4 18 0
Building materials ... ..	... ..	68	10 4 0
" " ... ..	... ..	873	Free.
Butter	412¼ cwt. ...	1,552	"
Candles	23,094½ " ...	74,140	15,841 11 7
" Stearine, for candles	1,261 lb. ...	56	2 17 9
Canes and rattans	3,746 bundles ...	214	Free.
Canvas	344 bales, 354 pkg. ...	19,112	"
Cards, playing	4,310 doz. packs ...	915	840 11 6
Carpeting and druggeting	1,237 pkg. ...	26,586	4,086 19 11
Carriages	132 numb. ...	4,718	707 10 7
Carriage materials ... ..	... ..	12	1 16 0
" " ... ..	... ..	10,520	Free.
" perambulators	278 p'g ...	1,603	"
Carts and wagons	168 numb. ...	2,201	322 18 1
Casks, empty	199 " ...	231	Free.

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Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
		£	£ s. d.
Cement	89,519 brl.	61,361	4,331 7 0
"	47,678 "	38,328	Free.
Chaff	191½ tons	1,441	95 16 11
"	115½ "	978	Free.*
Chains	149 "	1,850	Free.
Chain cables	10 "	136	"
Cheese	75½ cwt.	354	"
Cheese-cloth	20 pkg.	231	Free.*
Chemical manufactures, not otherwise enumerated	...	8,377	Free.
Chicory	14,672 lb.	194	308 0 0
China and porcelain ware	715 pkg.	7,701	1,176 2 5
Cider and perry—Bottled	532 gal.	144	41 8 0
" " In wood	568 "	78	45 17 0
Clocks	13,991 numb.	7,529	1,090 17 11
Coals	129,962½ tons	157,825	Free.
Coke	1,122 "	2,187	"
Charcoal	8½ cwt.	4	"
Cocoa and chocolate	327,815 lb.	25,464	3,889 9 0
Cocoa-beans	1,120 "	69	7 18 8
Coffee—Raw	501,180 "	20,430	4,794 16 11
" Roasted	2,884 "	182	68 5 3
Confectionery	2,218 pkg.	9,738	1,450 17 3
" Boiled sugars, &c.	360,844 lb.	10,783	2,897 4 11
Copper—Nails	153 cwt. 2 qr.	824	Free.
" Pig, bar, and sheet	1,547 "	4,278	"
" Rod and bolt	14 "	65	"
" Sheathing	128 "	409	"
" Copperware	59 pkg.	430	64 11 5
Copra	1,354 tons	14,678	Free.
Cordage	233 tons 9 cwt.	12,031	1,203 11 4
" " "	50 " 4 "	2,459	Free.
" Galvanized iron	39 " 4 "	1,726	"
Cork	55 cwt. 3 qr.	139	"
Corks, cut	58,837 gross	5,312	678 12 3
Cotton piece goods—			
Calico, white and grey	721 pkg.	19,761	Free.*
Coloured cotton shirtings	346 "	12,803	"
Corduroy, cotton	31 "	449	"
Cotton dress-prints	220 "	9,798	"
Moleskins	78 "	1,871	"
Other kinds	64 "	1,088	"
" " "	3,444 "	107,397	11,815 19 8
Cotton—Raw	230,914 lb.	8,951	"
" Waste	1,890 cwt.	2,634	"
" Wick	13,161 lb.	912	"
Curiosities	30 pkg.	108	"
Cutlery	351 "	13,405	1,950 10 3
Cutch	3 "	10	Free.
Doors	1,924 numb.	1,400	192 12 0
Drapery	26,458 pkg.	1,033,857	152,506 17 0
" " "	4 "	41	Free.
" Tailors' trimming	226 "	9,275	Free.*
Drugs	4,547 "	36,600	5,507 4 8
" " "	6 "	11	Free.
Druggists' wares	4,175 "	30,293	4,271 9 9
" " "	4,326 "	17,060	Free.
Dyes	1,621 "	5,248	"
Earthenware	5,344 "	33,142	4,912 8 0
" " "	272 "	2,188	Free.
Eggs	101 "	256	"
Electroplated ware	186 "	6,411	942 2 0
Engine-packing	424½ cwt.	2,393	Free.
Fancy goods	5,081 pkg.	95,087	14,136 17 2
Feathers, ornamental	2 "	177	26 11 0
" other kinds	60 cwt.	317	Free.
Felt, sheathing	430 pkg.	1,129	"
Fire-engines	8 numb.	122	"
Fire-hose and other appliances	86 pkg.	2,895	"
Fireworks	201 "	620	"
Fish—Dried, pickled, and salted	3270 cwt.	6,278	329 14 2
" " "	23 pkg.	23	Free.
" Potted and preserved	1,193,443 lb.	36,422	5,004 1 6
Flock	85,787 lb.	1,235	Free.
Flour	36,208 centals	22,976	1,839 6 3
Flowers, artificial	4 pkg.	131	19 13 0
Fruits—Bottled and preserved	1,214 doz.	448	72 0 9
" Dried	2,671 cwt.	6,015	2,268 19 10
" Currants	22,940 "	33,354	19,678 2 2
" Raisins	8,346½ "	19,635	7,283 16 3
" Fresh	143,884 pkg.	70,871	Free.
Furniture and upholstery	5,032 "	39,593	5,970 19 2
" " "	126 "	2,326	Free.

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Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
		£	£ s. d.
Gasaliers and chandeliers ...	36 pkg. ...	489	73 6 11
Gas-plant ...	...	16,718	Free.
Glass—Bottles ...	4,210 pkg. ...	8,214	...
" Plate ...	723 " ...	5,575	860 0 11
" Window ...	11,165 " ...	11,955	1,344 12 3
" " ...	3 " ...	83	Free.
Glassware ...	3,206 " ...	19,998	3,026 15 4
" ...	22 " ...	251	Free.
Glue ...	475 cwt. ...	1,201	...
Gold leaf ...	66 pkg. ...	939	...
Goods, manufactured, unenumera- rated	...	4,803	...
Goods, unmanufactured, unenumera- rated	...	2,372	...
Grain and pulse—Barley ...	1,202 centals ...	292	22 13 10
" Pearl barley ...	13½ cwt. ...	21	0 13 6
" Beans and peas ...	1,945 bush. ...	1,001	41 12 6
" Linseed ...	1,067 " ...	411	21 9 0
" Maize ...	50,032 " ...	7,821	Free.
" " ...	8,061 " ...	1,786	*174 18 6
" Malt ...	1,269 " ...	514	127 2 0
" Oats ...	79 " ...	26	1 3 10
" Peas, split ...	1,031½ cwt. ...	669	52 1 5
" Peanuts ...	432 centals ...	318	16 5 2
" " ...	29 " ...	23	Free.
" Rice ...	52,539½ cwt. ...	44,668	11,493 1 8
" Wheat ...	24,077 bush. ...	6,301	522 7 7
" Other kinds ...	104 pkg. ...	295	8 2 0
Grindery ...	322 " ...	2,936	209 18 5
" " ...	1,750 " ...	23,277	Free.
Gutta-percha goods ...	18 " ...	219	...
Haberdashery ...	1,175 " ...	49,290	7,459 11 6
" Sewing cottons, silks, and threads	30 " ...	682	Free.
" " ...	216 " ...	6,419	" †
Hair ...	255 cwt. ...	1,068	...
" Curled ...	226½ " ...	1,218	...
Hair-seating ...	76 pkg. ...	575	...
Hardware and ironmongery	{ 37,987 pkg. 25,520 sash-weights }	163,628	24,475 11 1
Ditto ...	2,998 pkg. ...	20,628	Free.
Ditto, axes and hatchets ...	786 " ...	2,160	" †
Ditto, spades, shovels, and forks ...	589 " ...	4,398	" †
Hats and caps—			
Straw ...	799 " ...	15,123	2,256 2 9
Felt and other materials ...	1,273 " ...	32,571	4,933 15 3
Hatters' materials ...	89 " ...	3,461	Free.
Hay ...	1 ton 5 cwt. ...	6	...
Hemp ...	121 " 10 " ...	4,394	...
Hides ...	23,088 numb. ...	22,516	...
Holloware ...	573 pkg. ...	3,778	591 8 6
Honey ...	4,024 lb. ...	175	Free.
Hops ...	2,971 cwt. 1 qr. 17 lb. ...	22,062	7,936 7 3
Hosiery ...	597 pkg. ...	26,049	3,908 12 4
India-rubber goods ...	10 " ...	255	38 4 0
" " ...	147 " ...	4,802	Free.
Ink—Printing ...	467 " ...	2,133	...
" Writing ...	252 " ...	1,086	177 5 3
Instruments, musical—Harmoniums	66 numb. ...	994	151 17 6
" " ...	1 " ...	62	Free.
" Organs ...	180 " ...	2,481	391 17 8
" " ...	13 " ...	2,592	Free.
" Pianos ...	1,177 " ...	35,940	5,309 16 7
" Other kinds ...	267 pkg. ...	5,643	869 8 3
Instruments—Optical ...	110 " ...	1,545	Free.
" Scientific ...	209 " ...	3,762	...
" Surgical ...	173 " ...	2,687	...
" Surveying ...	34 " ...	588	...
Iron—Angle ...	35 tons 10 cwt. ...	350	...
" Bar, bolt, and rod ...	7,181 " 2 " ...	57,455	...
" Bolts and nuts ...	262 " 7 " ...	5,005	...
" Castings ...	28 " ...	530	...
" Galvanized corrugated ...	6,461 " 4 cwt. ...	128,455	12,872 18 0
" " plain sheet ...	805 " 7 " ...	16,591	Free.
" Gates and posts ...	26 cwt. 1 qr. 19 lb. ...	47	5 6 2
" Hoop ...	629 tons 3 cwt. ...	5,749	Free.
" Pig ...	2,832 " ...	10,574	...
" Pipes, cast ...	6,148 " ...	46,903	...
" " wrought ...	298 " 19 cwt. ...	3,742	...
" Plate ...	507 " 17 " ...	4,975	...
" Rails ...	6,609 " ...	41,957	...
" Railway bolts and fastenings	228 " 10 " ...	2,654	...
" Sheet ...	434 " ...	4,959	...

* Duty imposed on the 26th September, 1881.

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Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
		£	£ s. d.
Iron—Tanks	2,136 numb. ...	7,600	529 7 6
„ Wire, fencing	6,125 tons 17 cwt.	81,667	6,023 11 7
„ „ for reapers and binders	377 „ 9 „ ...	15,701	Free.
„ Telegraphic	42 „ 12 „ ...	1,145	„
Isinglass	6,533 lb. ...	1,399	191 11 7
Jams and jellies	1,814,687 „ ...	45,499	8,389 4 3
Jewellery	443 pkg. ...	48,764	7,515 7 6
Lamps and lanterns	1,099 „ ...	6,777	966 17 0
„ „	16 „ ...	233	Free.
Lard	281 cwt. ...	228	„
Lead—Pig	113 ton ...	2,284	„
„ Pipe	35 „ 1 cwt. ...	863	122 13 10
„ Sheet	770 „ 6 „ ...	13,815	Free.
„ Manufactures	30 pkg. ...	47	7 2 0
Leather	11,811 cwt. 0qr. 7lb.	91,198	2812 18 0
„ „	267 „ 3 „ ...	4,704	Free.
„ Manufactures	496 pkg. ...	9,713	1,758 5 1
Lighthouse materials ... ..	... ..	227	Free.
Limejuice—Sweetened	6,143 gal. ...	2,039	241 19 3
„ Unsweetened	44,569 „ ...	3,346	Free.
Linen manufactures	291 pkg. ...	6,445	1,289 4 11
„ Rough brown-hollands	117 „ ...	3,051	Free. †
Maccaroni and vermicelli	499½ cwt. ...	1,645	Free.
Machinery—			
Agricultural	5,167 pkg. ...	63,742	„
For flour-mills	243 „ ...	3,961	„
„ quartz-crushing	367 „ ...	1,640	„
„ saw-mills	137 „ ...	3,032	„
„ spinning and weaving	731 „ ...	10,758	„
Steam-engines	81 numb. ...	20,659	„
Steam-boilers	2 „ ...	624	„
For wool- and hay-pressing	67 pkg. ...	673	„
„ harbour works ... ..	... ..	2,569	„
„ refrigerating ... ..	... ..	1,650	„
„ sulphuric acid works	... ..	666	„
Other kinds ... ..	... ..	52,066	„
Machines, sewing	8,599 numb. ...	30,801	„
Manures—Bonedust	4,776 tons ...	28,665	„
„ Guano	1,659 „ ...	8,391	„
„ Other kinds	302 „ ...	2,308	„
Maps and charts	33 pkg. ...	509	„
Marble—Wrought	219 „ ...	1,211	„
„ Unwrought	79 ton ...	781	„
Matches and vestas	9,689 pkg. ...	36,874	9,304 17 11
Mats and rugs	190 „ ...	2,568	589 14 8
Matting—China	2,836 „ ...	3,125	479 3 11
„ Coir	598 „ ...	3,052	439 0 8
„ Other kinds	151 „ ...	303	74 11 3
Meal—Linseed	599 cwt. 3 qr. 18 lb.	625	32 12 10
„ Maizena and corn-flour	8,700 pkg. ...	9,408	Free.
„ „ „	1,290 „ ...	1,960	*36 4 10
„ Oaten	30 cwt. 2 qr. 10 lb.	17	1 13 6
„ Other kinds	374 „ 3 „ 14 „	1,018	22 1 2
Meats, potted and preserved	564 pkg. ...	1,816	276 6 3
Metal, sheathing, other than copper	75 tons 2 cwt. 3 qr.	5,043	Free.
Milk, preserved	8,408 pkg. ...	12,072	1,600 4 0
Millinery	460 „ ...	20,602	3,087 11 8
Mustard	165,940 lb. ...	24,596	705 15 2
Nails	42,454 cwt. ...	38,752	5,657 17 7
Naphtha	172 gal. ...	50	4 6 0
Nuts—Almonds, in shell	23,227 lb. ...	508	170 3 6
„ „ shelled	32,122 „ ...	2,398	394 15 9
„ Barbary, &c.	12,709 „ ...	467	Free.
„ Coconuts	176,981 numb. ...	972	„
„ Other kinds	59,064 lb. ...	989	518 19 11
Oakum	187 cwt. ...	274	Free.
Oars	3,422 numb. ...	728	„
Oil—Castor	122,500 gal. ...	18,558	2,972 7 3
„ Chinese	20,775 „ ...	3,688	460 5 9
„ Coconut	1,465 „ ...	177	Free.
„ Cod-liver	3,391 „ ...	1,952	„
„ Colza	43,275 „ ...	5,337	870 12 10
„ Kerosene	839,397 „ ...	43,366	19,121 19 3
„ „	1,472 „ ...	55	Free.
„ Linseed	229,029 „ ...	33,385	5,497 11 4
„ Olive	20,265 „ ...	3,880	Free.
„ Palm	18,220 „ ...	1,847	„
„ Paraffin	10,800 „ ...	1,060	„
„ Petroleum	5,169 „ ...	570	121 14 9
„ Salad	3,613 pkg. ...	4,992	704 14 10
„ Whale, black	28,511 gal. ...	3,398	Free.
„ „ sperm	40,841 „ ...	6,934	„

* Duty imposed on the 26th September, 1881.

† Made free on the 26th September, 1881.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Received.
		£	£ s. d.
Oil—Other kinds	43,106 gal.	6,648	1,061 17 6
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	41,794 ”	6,220	Free.
Oil and other floorcloths	1,543 pkg.	16,355	2,347 19 1
Oilmen's stores	16,038 ”	36,350	6,380 13 8
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	1,125 ”	3,298	Free.
Opium	3,067½ lb.	7,668	4,102 4 5
Paintings and engravings	546 pkg.	6,943	1,025 6 3
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	1 ”	8	Free.
Paints and colours—Unmixed	30,600 cwt.	40,645	”
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	744 ”	2,156	72 18 9
Paper—Bags	9,246 ”	15,104	2,327 9 0
” Haugings	2,177 pkg.	24,518	3,696 17 3
” Printing	26,322 cwt. 2 qr.	57,208	Free.
” Wrapping	7,819 ”	11,272	857 7 11
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	200 ”	450	Free.
” Writing	413 pkg.	5,809	”
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	5 ”	37	5 12 9
” Other kinds	71 ”	1,242	Free.
Perfumery	508 ”	3,869	952 2 8
Photographic goods	623 ”	6,263	Free.
Pickles	8,270 ”	8,631	877 0 4
Picture frames and mouldings	197 ”	3,431	503 13 6
Pipes—Drain	55,613 numb.	2,302	Free.
” Tobacco	2,026 pkg.	9,137	1,451 8 11
Pitch and tar	1,052 brl.	1,131	Free.
Plants, shrubs, trees, and flower-roots	833 pkg.	2,981	”
Plaster of Paris	1,460 brl.	554	73 9 0
Plate, silver	43 pkg.	1,964	290 2 0
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	10 ”	324	Free.
Platedware	369 ”	9,594	1,470 0 3
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	2 ”	105	Free.
Portmanteaus and travelling bags	83 ”	1,202	183 14 11
Potatoes	159 tons 9 cwt.	880	Free.
Printing materials	756 pkg.	9,988	”
Provisions—Beef, salted	145 cwt.	216	”
” Pork ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	68½ ”	134	”
” Preserved	14 pkg.	80	12 1 0
Precious stones, cameos, &c., unset	5 ”	545	1 1 1
Pumps	2,055 numb.	2,922	Free.
Putty	2,177 cwt.	1,204	”
Quicksilver	10,876 lb.	1,085	”
Railway Plant—Carriages	9 numb.	2,057	”
” Locomotives	12 ”	17,996	”
” Trucks	4 ”	142	”
” Other kinds	8,781 pkg.	25,341	”
Resin	8,964 cwt.	2,764	”
Rugs, opossum and other fur	252 numb.	707	102 12 7
Saddlery and harness	942 pkg.	27,713	4,352 11 1
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	7 ”	149	Free.
Saddlers' ironmongery	435 ”	8,740	”
Sago	3,283 cwt.	3,344	”
Salt	7,054 tons.	16,680	”
” Rock	210 ”	541	”
Saltpetre	39 tons 4 cwt.	1,110	”
Sauce	17,071 doz. pints...	12,871	1,728 12 1
Sausage-skins	781 pkg.	3,338	Free.
Seeds—Grass and clover	86,217 bush.	105,232	”
” Other kinds	2,452 ”	18,843	”
Shells, pearl	1,473 cwt.	9,590	”
Ship chandlery	869 pkg.	6,546	”
Silks	252 ”	25,154	3,796 8 10
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	4 ”	110	Free.
Skins, furs, and pelts	3,517 numb.	1,185	”
” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ” ”	3 ”	6	1 0 3
Slate—Roofing	785,953 ”	5,774	Free.
” Slabs	159 ”	50	”
Soap—Common	1,047 cwt.	1,674	184 5 5
” Fancy	818 pkg.	5,429	882 13 1
Specie—Gold ... ..	...	114,350	Free.
” Silver ... ..	...	40,679	”
Specimens illustrative of natural history	146 pkg.	2,171	”
Spices—Ginger	67,663 lb.	1,830	758 9 1
” Pepper	161,329 ”	5,406	755 10 5
” Other kinds	51,557 ”	3,807	629 5 8
Spirits—Brandy	230,182 gal.	126,313	130,889 11 0
” Cordials and bitters	1,218 ”	1,002	680 17 0
” Geneva	91,642 ”	22,636	45,912 13 10
” Gin	23,641 ”	6,517	11,578 0 2
” Methylated	2,705 ”	643	Free.
” Perfumed	1,398 ”	4,096	1,509 8 10
” Rum	57,471 ”	11,372	43,736 12 9

No. II.—EXPORTS.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Exported from New Zealand during the Year 1881.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
Acid—Sulphuric ...	180 lb. ...	£ 2	Coffee—Roasted ...	90 lb. ...	£ 7
" Tartaric ...	28 " ...	4	Confectionery ...	16 pkg. ...	62
" Other kinds ...	56 " ...	2	" boiled sugars ...	448 lb. ...	18
Aerated and mineral waters ...	184 doz. ...	69	Copper, pig, bar, and sheet ...	58 cwt. 2 qr. ...	110
Agricultural implements ...	84 pkg. ...	341	Copperware ...	1 pkg. ...	4
Alkali—Soda bicarbonate... ..	1 cwt. ...	1	Copra ...	1,307 tons 10 cwt. ...	14,435
" crystals ...	4 " ...	4	Cordage ...	387 cwt. 2 qr. ...	807
Animals, living—Birds ...	10 numb. ...	10	" galvanized iron ...	1 " ...	4
" Cattle ...	1 " ...	10	Cork ...	12 " 3 " ...	40
" Dogs ...	2 " ...	5	Corks, cut ...	400 gross ...	54
" Horses ...	27 " ...	2,423	Colton—Piece goods ...	194 pkg. ...	5,233
" Pigs ...	10 " ...	23	" Corduroy ...	1 " ...	22
" Poultry... ..	109 " ...	35	" Dress prints ...	49 " ...	1,322
" Sheep ...	1,359 " ...	1,095	" Other kinds ...	6 " ...	142
Anchors ...	9 cwt. 3 qr. ...	20	Cotton, raw ...	260,396 lb. ...	12,419
Apparel and slops ...	446 pkg. ...	6,819	Curiosities ...	53 pkg. ...	1,106
Arms, ammunition, and explosives—			Cutlery ...	39 " ...	592
Accoutrements ...	4 pkg. ...	8	Doors ...	3,944 numb. ...	2,631
Military ...	4 numb. ...	9	Drapery ...	329 pkg. ...	9,868
Sporting ...	5 " ...	72	Drugs ...	21 " ...	147
Pistols ...	5 " ...	8	Druggists' wares ...	46 " ...	152
Caps, percussion ...	4,000 " ...	2	Earthenware ...	444 " ...	391
Cartridge cases ...	300 " ...	1	Engine-packing ...	10 cwt. ...	83
Fuse ...	250 coils ...	8	Fancy goods ...	96 pkg. ...	832
Powder—Blasting ...	2,400 lb. ...	65	Feathers, unenumerated ...	28 cwt. ...	66
" Sporting ...	305 " ...	32	Fire-hose and other appliances ...	1 pkg. ...	115
Shot ...	2 qr. ...	2	Fire-clay ...	10 cwt. ...	1
Arrowroot ...	19,322 lb. ...	148	Fish—Dried, pickled, and salted ...	220 " ...	340
Bacon and hams ...	141 cwt. ...	543	" Potted and preserved ...	67,132 lb. ...	2,139
Bags and sacks—			Flour ...	3,221 tons 17 cwt. ...	35,008
Corn ...	458 doz. ...	206	Fruits—		
Gunny ...	501 " ...	151	Bottled and preserved ...	117 doz. ...	69
Other unenumerated ...	50 " ...	20	Dried, unenumerated ...	24 cwt. ...	52
Woolpacks ...	8 " ...	17	Currants ...	11 " 1 qr. ...	34
Bark ...	1 ton 5 cwt. ...	8	Raisins ...	10 " 1 " ...	35
Bêche-de-mer ...	620 cwt. ...	740	Fresh ...	41 pkg. ...	19
Beer, ale, and porter—			Furniture and upholstery ...	265 " ...	4,143
Bottled ...	4,249 gal. ...	1,131	Fungus ...	4,328 cwt. ...	9,735
Draught ...	775 " ...	99	Gas plant ...	Value ...	166
Beeswax ...	36 cwt. 2 qr. ...	145	Glass—Bottles ...	6 pkg. ...	6
Biscuits, plain ...	3,018 cwt. ...	3,592	" Plate ...	12 " ...	34
Blue ...	343 lb. ...	12	" Window ...	11 " ...	139
Boats ...	12 numb. ...	263	" Ware ...	157 " ...	145
Bones ...	90 tons 8 cwt. ...	541	Glue ...	7 tons 13 cwt. ...	222
Books, printed ...	152 pkg. ...	2,146	Glycerine ...	1,530 gal. ...	565
Boots and shoes ...	303½ doz. pairs ...	1,009	Gold ...	250,683 oz. ...	996,867
Bran and sharps ...	3,465 tons ...	14,795	Grain and pulse—		
Brassware ...	15 pkg. ...	23	Barley ...	494,911 bush. ...	79,881
Bricks—Bath ...	24 numb. ...	1	" pearl ...	590 cwt. ...	459
" Clay ...	50,050 numb. ...	126	Beans and peas ...	49,563 bush. ...	9,657
" Fire ...	200 " ...	3	Maize ...	40 " ...	9
Brushware and brooms ...	5 pkg. ...	8	Malt ...	60,747 " ...	17,937
Brushes and combs ...	8 " ...	8	Oats ...	1,499,260 " ...	142,569
Buckets and tubs—Iron ...	17 " ...	16	Peas, split ...	7 cwt. 2 qr. ...	5
" Wood ...	8 " ...	5	Rice ...	1,265 cwt. ...	990
Butter ...	2,775 cwt. ...	8,789	Wheat ...	3,761,258 bush. ...	745,739
Candles ...	10 " ...	38	Other kinds ...	579 pkg. ...	383
Canes and rattans ...	192 bundl. ...	68	Gravel ...	10 cwt. ...	1
Canvas ...	21 bales ...	85	Grindery ...	2 pkg. ...	13
Carpeting and druggeting ...	2 pkg. ...	4	Gum, kauri ...	5,460 tons 17 cwt. ...	253,778
Carriages ...	10 numb. ...	153	Haberdashery ...	12 pkg. ...	477
Carriage materials ...	Value ...	301	Hair ...	155 cwt. 3 qr. ...	606
" perambulators ...	3 pkg. ...	7	Hardware & ironmongery ...	507 pkg. ...	4,327
Casks, empty ...	482 numb. ...	157	Hats and caps ...	8 " ...	99
Cement ...	4,071 brl. ...	3,130	Hatters' materials ...	1 " ...	150
Chains ...	1 cwt. 1 qr. ...	2	Hay ...	14 tons 13 cwt. ...	64
Cheese ...	3,066 cwt. 1 qr. ...	6,164	Hides ...	9,296 numb. ...	9,194
Chemical manufactures and products unenumerated ...	1 pkg. ...	1	Hollowware ...	8 pkg. ...	29
China and porcelain ...	5 " ...	27	Hops ...	5 cwt. 3 qr. ...	47
Clocks ...	57 numb. ...	51	Honey ...	257 cwt. 1 qr. ...	612
Coals ...	6,626 tons 10 cwt. ...	5,621	Horns and hoofs ...	45 tons ...	611
Coke ...	223 " ...	353	Hosiery ...	3 pkg. ...	65
Cocoa and chocolate ...	1,582 lb. ...	86	Indiarubber goods ...	3 " ...	324
Coffee—Raw ...	69,422 " ...	1,225	Ink, writing ...	1 " ...	10

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Instruments—			Paints and colours ...	120 cwt 3 qrs. ...	171
Musical—Organs ...	1 numb. ...	40	" mixed ready for use	17 " 2 " ...	39
" Pianofortes ...	9 " ...	329	Paper—Bags ...	2 " ...	3
" Other kinds ...	17 pkg. ...	416	" Hangings ...	2 pkg. ...	15
Optical ...	1 " ...	1	" Printing ...	30 cwt. ...	95
Scientific ...	21 " ...	388	" Wrapping ...	4 " 1 qr. ...	9
Surgical ...	1 " ...	45	" Other kinds ...	23 tons ...	154
Surveying ...	6 " ...	256	Perfumery ...	15 pkg. ...	69
Iron—Bar, bolt, and rod ...	67 tons 15 cwt. ...	727	Photographic goods ...	6 " ...	33
" Bolts and nuts ...	1 " 17 " ...	116	Phormium ...	1,307 tons 15 cwt. ...	26,285
" Castings ...	2 cwt. ...	2	" Tow ...	75 " 15 " ...	812
" Galvanized, corru- gated ...	12 tons 11 cwt. ...	327	Pickles ...	53 pkg. ...	75
" Galvanized, plain sheet ...	1 " 10 " ...	42	Picture-frames and mould- ings ...	3 " ...	107
" Hoop ...	1 " 12 " ...	26	Pipes—Drain ...	54 numb. ...	35
" Pig ...	116 " ...	580	" Tobacco ...	25 pkg. ...	46
" Plate ...	7 cwt. ...	7	Pitch and tar ...	4 " ...	7
" Rails ...	74 tons ...	491	Plants and shrubs ...	128 " ...	542
" Railway bolts and fastenings ...	41 " ...	729	Plate, silver ...	5 " ...	818
" Sheet ...	2 " 18 cwt. ...	77	Platedware ...	3 " ...	28
" Tanks ...	191 numb. ...	571	Portmanteaus and travel- ling bags ...	3 " ...	25
" Wire fencing ...	4 cwt. 3 qr. ...	30	Potatoes ...	12,100 tons 5 cwt. ...	30,119
" Old, undescribed ...	399 tons 15 cwt. ...	1,074	Potato-flour ...	17 cwt. ...	10
Jams, jellies, and preserves	5,266 lb. ...	161	Precious stones ...	1 pkg. ...	344
Jewellery ...	11 pkg. ...	274	Printing materials ...	11 " ...	223
Lamps and lanterns ...	11 " ...	137	Provisions—		
Lard ...	312 cwt. ...	894	Beef, salted ...	1,381 cwt. 1 qr. ...	2,370
Lead—Pig ...	10 " ...	9	Pork ...	138 " 2 " ...	321
" Sheet ...	1 ton 15 cwt. ...	35	Preserved ...	10 pkg. ...	29
" Old ...	1 " 3 " ...	16	Fresh meat ...	16 cwt. 2 qr. ...	26
Leather ...	13,605 cwt. ...	43,072	Other kinds ...	67 pkg. ...	132
" manufactures ...	33 pkg. ...	871	Quicksilver ...	336 lb. ...	27
Limejuice, unsweetened ...	33,252 gal. ...	2,409	Railway plant, other kinds	14 tons 10 cwt. ...	290
Linen manufactures ...	1 pkg. ...	5	Rags ...	17 " 17 " ...	308
Machinery—Agricultural	83 " ...	636	Rugs, opossum and other fur ...	5 pkg. ...	212
" Printing ...	12 " ...	110	Saddlery and harness ...	26 " ...	189
" Saw-mill ...	14 " ...	232	Saddlers' ironmongery ...	1 " ...	4
" Steam-engines	4 numb. ...	880	Sago ...	19 cwt. ...	35
" Other kinds	95 pkg. ...	851	Salt—Fine ...	5 tons 16 cwt. ...	31
Machines, sewing ...	285 numb. ...	1,253	" Rock ...	10 cwt. ...	2
Manures—Bonedust ...	11 cwt. ...	5	Sashes, window ...	2,800 numb. ...	736
" Guano ...	5 " ...	2	Sauces ...	171 doz. pints ...	206
Maps and charts ...	4 pkg. ...	68	Sausage-skins ...	10 pkg. ...	121
Matches and vestas ...	26 " ...	144	Seeds, Grass ...	20,027 bush. ...	4,913
Mats and rugs ...	5 " ...	111	" Cotton ...	132 cwt. ...	20
Matting ...	1 " ...	2	" Other kinds ...	114 pkg. ...	424
Meal—Maizena and corn—	15 " ...	32	Shells—Pearl ...	2,024 cwt. ...	8,372
" Oaten ...	12,511 cwt. ...	8,223	" Other kinds ...	374 pkg. ...	1,418
Meats, potted and preserved	9,595 " ...	22,391	Ship chandlery—		
Metal sheathing, other than copper ...	145 " ...	315	Unenumerated ...	60 " ...	775
Metals, old ...	659 tons 6 cwt. ...	4,030	Silks ...	1 " ...	35
Milk, preserved ...	77 pkg. ...	116	Silver ...	18,885 oz. ...	4,236
Millinery ...	1 " ...	7	Skins—Basils ...	219,797 numb. ...	5,755
Minerals—Antimony ore ...	2 tons 4 cwt. ...	24	" Rabbit ...	8,514,685 " ...	84,774
" Copper ore ...	4 " 16 " ...	36	" Seal ...	1,259 " ...	1,717
" Manganese ...	1,271 tons ...	3,283	" Sheep ...	332,789 " ...	42,616
" Silver ore ...	5 cwt. ...	25	" Other kinds ...	17,501 " ...	657
Miscellaneous ...		4,028	" Pelts ...	21,384 " ...	224
Mustard ...	960 lb. ...	64	Soap—Common ...	3,669 cwt. ...	3,534
Nails ...	263 cwt. 2 qr. ...	337	" Fancy ...	4 pkg. ...	10
Nuts, cocoa ...	200 numb. ...	1	Specie—Gold ...	Value ...	131,509
Oars ...	236 " ...	87	" Silver ...	" ...	34,239
Oil—Castor ...	17 gal. ...	3	Specimens illustrative of natural science ...	52 pkg. ...	1,115
" Chinese ...	10 " ...	4	Spices—Ginger ...	140 lb. ...	8
" Coconut ...	2,274 " ...	323	" Unenumerated ...	660 " ...	54
" Colza ...	20 " ...	5	Spirits—Brandy ...	1,622 gal. ...	991
" Kerosene ...	8,859 " ...	598	" Cordials & bitters	14 " ...	19
" Linseed ...	538 " ...	111	" Geneva ...	2,984 " ...	850
" Olein ...	2,295 " ...	392	" Gin ...	38 " ...	13
" Olive ...	5 " ...	1	" Perfumed ...	43 " ...	85
" Paraffin ...	700 " ...	52	" Rum ...	1,547 " ...	330
" Salad ...	13 " ...	6	" Whiskey ...	1,126 " ...	407
" Whale, black ...	5,783 " ...	780	" Other kinds ...	169 " ...	141
" " sperm ...	23,186 " ...	5,459	Starch ...	8 cwt. ...	16
" Seal ...	1,460 " ...	175	Stationery ...	145 pkg. ...	1,215
" Other kinds ...	543 " ...	74	Steel ...	9 tons 7 cwt. ...	236
Oil and other floorcloth	1 pkg. ...	3	Stone, building ...	677 " ...	935
Oilmen's stores ...	280 " ...	443	Sugar—Raw ...	111 cwt. 3 qr. ...	157
Onions ...	804 cwt. 2 qr. ...	432	" Refined ...	445 " 2 " ...	584
Oysters ...	900 doz. ...	6	" Glucose ...	289 " ...	328
Paintings and engravings	41 pkg. ...	1,9	" Molasses & treacle	13 " ...	32

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Tallow ..	4,157 tons 15 cwt.	120,611	Vegetables, preserved ...	29 pkg. ...	31
Tapioca ...	2 cwt. 2 qr. ...	5	Vinegar ...	173 gal. ...	16
Tea ...	13,090 lb. ...	1,094	Watches ...	523 numb. ...	1,159
Timber—Logs ...	1,709 numb. ...	6,184	Watchmakers' materials	1 pkg. ...	28
" Palings ...	600 " ...	6	Whalebone ...	10 cwt. ...	132
" Sawn, undressed	7,133,926 ft. ...	29,573	Whiting and chalk ...	6 " 2 qr. ...	2
" " dressed ...	6,046,394 " ...	35,596	Wine—In wood ...	238 gal. ...	77
" Shingles ...	26,000 numb. ...	19	" Bottled ...	989 " ...	488
" Other kinds ...	2,965 pkg. ...	2,526	" Sparkling ...	92 " ...	161
" Firewood ...	48 tons ...	22	" Australian ...	56 " ...	24
Tin, sheet ...	1 box ...	2	Woodenware ...	228 pkg. ...	266
Tinsmiths' fittings	1 pkg. ...	7	Wool—Greasy ...	45,316,744 lb. ...	1,960,557
Tobacco—Manufactured	44,491 lb. ...	2,495	" Scoured ...	7,384,823 " ...	508,997
" Cigars ...	1,493 " ...	314	" Washed ...	681,997 " ...	444,492
" Cigarettes ...	139 " ...	68	Woollens ...	38 pkg. ...	2,229
" Sheepwash ...	6,581 " ...	110	" Blankets ...	6 " ...	60
Tools, artificers' ...	49 pkg. ...	984	" Clippings ...	2 tons 15 cwt. ...	83
Toys ...	1 " ...	6	Zinc—Plain sheet ...	190 cwt. ...	90
Turpentine ...	3,664 gal. ...	392	" Perforated sheet	47 pkg. ...	26
Twine ...	11 pkg. ...	44	" Manufactures ...	1 " ...	1
Umbrellas and parasols	6 " ...	82	" Old scrap ...	10 tons ...	40
Varnish ...	6 gal. ...	4	" Spelter ...	3 " ...	48
Vegetables, fresh ...	147 pkg. ...	66			
TOTAL ...	...	...	...	...	£6,060,866

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 1881.

Exported to	Articles.	Amount Paid in 1881.	Exported to	Articles.	Amount Paid in 1881.	
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.	
London	Boot uppers ...	118 15 7	Rarotonga— <i>continued.</i>	Hardware ...	40 13 10	
	Cutlery ...	16 8 3		Kerosene ...	2 0 0	
	Drapery ...	64 8 2		Oilmen's stores ...	3 9 2	
	Druggists' sundries ...	4 6 0		Stationery ...	7 8 6	
	Fancy goods ...	1 19 4		Saddlery ...	1 19 11	
	Nails ...	11 14 0		Sugar ...	1 7 4	
	Platedware ...	1 13 0		Vestas ...	2 17 0	
Sydney	Boots ...	24 16 10	Fiji	Drapery ...	15 5 9	
	Cement ...	40 16 0	Iron, galvanized ...	2 0 0		
	Drapery ...	15 15 5	Society Islands	Drapery ...	28 4 3	
	Fancy goods ...	6 3 8		Kingsmill Island	Drapery ...	1 14 5
	Fruits, dried ...	156 4 3	Drapery ...		98 2 11	
	Hardware ...	9 16 0	Fish, preserved... ..	36 17 4		
	Paper-bags ...	1 5 9	Hardware ...	14 11 3		
	Pianos ...	11 5 0	Hops ...	1 1 0		
	Picture-frame mouldings ...	9 0 0	Jam ...	3 16 4		
	Sugar ...	2 0 5	Matches ...	8 3 0		
Tea ...	6 13 4	Meats, preserved ...	1 11 10			
Newcastle, N.S.W.	Cement ...	74 18 0	Samoa or Navigator Islands	Oilmen's stores ...	6 1 4	
Melbourne	Dates ...	19 9 4	Sugar ...	9 13 1		
	Drapery ...	19 18 2	Suvarrow Island	Drapery ...	43 6 3	
	Fruits, dried ...	14 7 2		Fish, preserved... ..	16 6 1	
	Fish, preserved... ..	21 9 2		Fruits, dried ...	0 12 6	
	„ salted ...	8 4 3		Jam ...	3 11 5	
	Haberdashery ...	37 7 9		Rice ...	11 13 4	
	Nails ...	25 18 0		Rotumah Island	Drapery ...	48 9 9
	Tea ...	52 13 4			Fish, preserved... ..	5 15 0
Turpentine ...	76 12 0	Hardware ...			2 6 1	
Candles ...	3 2 5	Jam ...	1 17 6			
Norfolk Island...	Drapery ...	60 4 6	Oilmen's stores ...	2 11 4		
	Fish, preserved... ..	1 0 2	Sugar ...	0 14 0		
	Fruits, dried ...	7 9 10	Hervey Island	Drapery ...	22 0 9	
	Hardware ...	7 11 11		Oilmen's stores ...	1 17 0	
	Jam ...	1 6 0	Wallis Island	Drapery ...	41 2 0	
	Kerosene ...	6 15 6		Oilmen's stores ...	8 9 0	
	Milk, condensed ...	1 14 0		Marshall Islands	Drapery ...	48 7 1
	Rice ...	10 0 8			Fruits, dried ...	1 11 10
	Sugar ...	15 9 1	Fancy goods ...		6 18 9	
	Tea ...	10 0 6	Hardware ...		11 16 6	
Friendly Islands	Confectionery ...	1 17 4	Oilmen's stores ...	7 2 1		
	Drapery ...	163 4 9	Sugar ...	4 18 6		
	Fish, potted ...	24 18 0	Tea ...	2 4 0		
	Fruits, dried ...	6 5 6	Savage Island	Hardware ...	8 19 2	
	Hardware ...	39 6 1		Oil ...	1 0 0	
	Jam ...	2 15 0	Long Island ...	Drapery ...	2 5 2	
	Oilmen's stores ...	12 14 4		Pickles and split peas ...	0 7 6	
	Piano ...	1 17 6	Tabiti	Drapery ...	53 4 10	
Sugar ...	3 10 11	Oilmen's stores ...		2 1 0		
Cook Islands ...	Drapery ...	56 9 2		Vestas ...	1 10 0	
	Fish, preserved... ..	0 12 6		Total ...	2,235 18 10	
	Hardware ...	7 3 2				
Rarotonga	Drapery ...	269 12 5				
	Earthenware ...	4 16 9				
	Fish, preserved... ..	8 16 2				
	Fruits, dried ...	1 15 4				
	Furniture ...	1 14 6				

No. IV.—IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

RETURN 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 1881.

Country, Colony, or Port.	Imports therefrom.	Exports thereto.
	£	£
United Kingdom	4,530,316	4,475,601
Australia,—		
Queensland	5,201	3,464
New South Wales	606,338	375,236
Victoria	1,197,971	612,808
South Australia	22,532	43,022
Western Australia	2,000	...
Tasmania	118,725	2,759
Pacific Islands,—		
Kermadec Island ... ..	...	6
Norfolk Island	2,720	3,725
New Caledonia	1,498	3,490
Chesterfield Island	210	...
Admiralty Island	465	102
Long Island ... ..	...	101
Cook Islands	19,059	13,033
Friendly Islands	5,056	13,709
Fiji Islands	21,193	19,474
Society Islands	10,705	6,124
Ellice Islands ... ..	...	63
Gilbert Islands	750	13
Kingsmill Islands ... ..	...	147
Navigator Islands	1,537	2,796
Suwarow Island ... ..	...	1,112
Rotumah Island	2,311	454
Swain's Island	1,088	...
Union Islands	854	...
Marshall Islands	900	1,605
Mitchell Island ... ..	...	303
Sandwich Islands	19	7,146
Savage Island	2,799	708
Sunday Island ... ..	...	49
Malden Island	3,082	37
Lord Howe's Island	145	69
Macquarrie Island	4,170	...
Guam ... ..	...	9,460
Whale Fisheries	8,374	533
United States,—		
On the Atlantic	302,138	116,620
On the Pacific	41,507	239,158
China	149,228	...
Japan	95	...
Singapore	4,497	...
India,—		
Bengal	115,774	...
Bombay	10	11,098
Ceylon	262	...
Africa,—		
Cape Colony	707	43,178
Natal	150	2,130
Mauritius	243,709	...
Europe,—		
France	18,014	51,464
Spain	630	...
Portugal	2,404	...
Austria	20	...
Switzerland	5	...
Germany	5,779	...
Norway	4	...
Sweden	5	...
Holland	1,941	...
Belgium	26	...
Greece	122	...
Totals	7,457,045	6,060,866

No. VI.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered Inwards at the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1881.

Ports of Arrival.	Whence.						British.						Foreign.						Totals.													
	United Kingdom.			Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.			In Ballast.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			With Cargoes.			Totals.							
	With	In	Crews.	With	In	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.					
	Cargoes.	Ballast.		Cargoes.	Ballast.																											
Auckland ...	23	...	127	3	62	3192	82,327	4,933	5	291	20197	82,618	4,953	20	45,077	1,508	1	72	821	45,149	1,516	212	127,404	5,541	6	363	28	218	127,767	5,569		
Onehunga ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	60	4	...	...	1	60	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	60	4	...	...	...	1	60	4
Thames ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	312	10	...	...	1	312	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	312	10	...	...	...	1	312	10
Russell	2	7	1	3	213	15	213	15	7	2,274	202	7	2,274	202	7	2,274	202	3	213	15	10	2,487	217
Mongonui	1	1	384	39	1	384	39	1	384	39	1	384	39	
Whangaroa	2	1	...	61	6	2	818	22	879	28	1	61	6	2	818	22	3	879	28	
Kaipara ...	...	...	4	3	...	4	562	25	3	871	27	1,433	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	562	25	3	871	27	7	1,433	52
New Plymouth	1	...	...	...	...	1	815	20	...	...	1	815	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	815	20	...	...	...	1	815	20
Wellington ...	27	...	64	...	2	92	59,599	1,694	92	59,599	1,694	1	491	11	1	491	11	93	60,090	1,705	93	60,090	1,705	
Napier ...	1	...	16	...	...	17	4,261	134	...	...	17	4,261	134	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	4,261	134	...	...	...	17	4,261	134
Nelson ...	4	...	8	1	...	12	4,936	124	1	21	4	4,957	128	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	4,936	124	1	21	4	13	4,957	128
Westport ...	...	...	1	3	...	3	457	20	1	263	26	720	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	457	20	1	263	26	4	720	46
Greymouth ...	...	...	14	...	...	14	2,240	89	...	...	14	2,240	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2,240	89	...	...	...	14	2,240	89
Hokitika ...	...	...	10	...	...	10	3,798	165	...	...	10	3,798	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	3,798	165	...	...	...	10	3,798	165
Lyttelton ...	27	...	95	6	4	120	71,207	1,882	6	6,199	136	77,406	2,018	6	2,544	64	...	...	...	...	6	73,751	1,946	6	6,199	136	132	79,950	2,082	
Timaru	20	4	...	19	5,482	172	4	3,424	67	8,906	239	1	602	14	1	602	14	20	6,084	186	4	3,424	67	24	9,508	253
Oamaru ...	...	...	14	...	...	14	3,001	105	...	...	14	3,001	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	3,001	105	...	...	...	14	3,001	105
Dunedin ...	39	...	77	1	18	120	65,539	1,884	1	192	8	65,731	1,892	14	6,115	137	...	...	...	...	14	71,654	2,021	1	192	8	135	71,846	2,029	
Bluff Harbour ...	3	...	63	1	...	66	44,831	2,677	1	795	15	45,626	2,692	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	44,831	2,677	1	795	15	67	45,626	2,692
Totals, 1881 ...	125	1	516	23	96	4687	349,488	13,944	27	13087	340	362,575	13,384	50	57,487	1,975	1	72	851	57,559	1,983	737	406,975	15,019	28	13,159	348	765	420,134	15,367		
Totals, 1880 ...	113	1	512	12	90	2670	339,311	13,428	15	7776	231	347,087	13,659	45	48,588	1,680	...	...	...	...	...	45	387,899	15,108	15	7,776	231	730	395,675	15,339

No. VII.—SHIPPING.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Cleared Outwards at the several Ports of New Zealand during the Year 1881.

Ports of Departure.	Destination.						British.						Foreign.						Totals.																
	United Kingdom.			Foreign Possessions			Foreign Countries and Whale Fisheries.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.			With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.										
	With	In	Ballast.	With	In	Ballast.	With	In	Ballast.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.								
	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.	Cargoes.							
Auckland ...	8	...	93	76	9157	57,793	3,226	32	9,455	301	189	67,248	3,527	20	43,871	1,487	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	301	209	111,119	5,014
Onchunga ...	...	...	1	...	1	180	6	...	...	...	1	180	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	180	6
Russell ...	...	...	...	8	...	335	9	...	...	...	1	335	9	7	2,274	202	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2,609	211
Mongonui ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	384	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	384	36
Whangaroa ...	...	...	18	...	18	4,272	145	...	...	...	18	4,272	145	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	4,272	145
Hokianga ...	...	...	4	...	6	659	35	...	...	...	6	659	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	659	35
Kaipara ...	...	...	49	...	49	10,879	378	...	...	...	49	10,879	378	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	49	10,879	378
Wanganui ...	...	...	2	...	2	205	12	...	...	...	2	205	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	205	12
Wellington ...	12	...	30	37	43	35,662	1,265	44	22,960	523	87	58,622	1,788	88	59,153	1,798		
Napier ...	8	...	5	10	13	6,591	174	10	2,175	73	23	8,766	247	73	23	8,766	247	
Nelson ...	1	...	4	...	2	2,005	53	1	251	8	6	2,256	61	19	7	2,747	72	
Westport	1	...	1	191	7	1	143	6	2	334	13	6	2	334	13	
Greymouth	15	...	15	2,442	96	15	2,442	96	15	2,442	96		
Hokitika	10	...	10	7,542	374	10	7,542	374	10	7,542	374	
Lyttelton ...	65	...	39	21	102	76,203	1,870	20	6,561	186	122	82,764	2,056	6	3,127	72	2	1,310	24	8	4,437	96	108	79,330	1,942	22	7,871	210	130	87,201	2,152				
Timaru ...	13	...	10	3	23	13,901	345	3	1,134	33	26	15,035	378	1	602	13	33	27	15,637	391
Oamaru ...	10	...	13	...	1	7,149	197	1	1,099	21	21	8,248	218	6	2,353	59	21	27	10,601	277
Dunedin ...	18	...	20	16	35	25,589	672	31	15,137	398	66	40,726	1,070	6	2,065	52	72	42,791	1,122	
Bluff Harbour ...	6	...	57	3	63	44,125	2,615	4	1,841	48	67	45,966	2,663	48	67	45,966	2,663
Totals, 1881 ...	141	...	371	113	99	38,564	295,723	11,479	147	60,756	1,597	711	356,479	13,076	47	54,676	1,921	4	2,332	45	51	57,008	1,966	611	350,399	13,400	151	63,088	1,642	762	413,487	15,042			
Totals, 1880 ...	144	1	350	173	88	30,541	299,928	11,763	192	72,336	2,102	733	372,264	13,865	41	46,813	1,639	12	4,964	129	53	51,777	1,768	582	346,741	13,402	204	77,300	2,231	786	424,041	15,633			

No. VIII.—SHIPPING.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN VESSELS ENTERED AND CLEARED.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Crews of Vessels Entered and Cleared at New Zealand Ports during the Year 1881.

Nationality of Vessels.	ENTERED.								
	With Cargoes.			In Ballast.			Totals.		
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.
British	687	349,488	13,044	27	13,087	340	714	362,575	13,384
Foreign	50	57,487	1,975	1	72	8	51	57,559	1,983
Totals	737	406,975	15,019	28	13,159	348	765	420,134	15,367

CLEARED.

British	564	295,723	11,479	147	60,756	1,597	711	356,479	13,076
Foreign	47	54,076	1,921	4	2,332	45	51	57,008	1,966
Totals	611	350,399	13,400	151	63,088	1,642	762	413,487	15,042

No. IX.—REVENUE.

ABSTRACT of all Duties and Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the Year 1881.

Heads of Receipts.	Rate of Duty.	Quantity.	Amount Collected.
			£
Spirits	21s. and 14s. per gallon ...	573,267 gallons	401,793
Cigars and snuff	6s. per lb.	75,643 lb. ...	22,693
Tobacco	3s. 6d. per lb.	1,063,674 „ ...	186,143
„ sheepwash	3d. per lb.	5,920 „ ...	74
Wine	6s., 5s., and 4s. per gallon...	165,460 gallons	40,522
Ale, beer, &c., in bottle	1s. 6d. per gallon...	373,186 „	27,988
„ in wood	1s. 3d. „	64,784 „	4,049
Tea	4d. per lb.	3,887,340 lb. ...	64,789
Coffee, cocoa, &c.	3d. „	719,440 „ ...	8,993
„ roasted	5d. „	3,312 „ ...	69
Sugar and molasses	½d. per lb.	37,712,640 „	78,568
Opium	20s. per lb.	4,103 „ ...	4,103
Goods by weight ... ..	... ..	... ..	130,230
<i>Ad valorem</i> , 25 and 15 per cent. ... ..	... ..	... ..	386,728
Other duties not specified above ... ..	... ..	... ..	64,867
			1,421,609
Rents, seizures, &c. ... ..	... ..	... ..	98
Bonded warehouse duty ... ..	... ..	... ..	5,516
Merchant Shipping Act fees ... ..	... ..	... ..	138
Arms Act fees ... ..	... ..	... ..	181
Shipping and Seamen's Act fees ... ..	... ..	... ..	1,713
Excise duty, beer ... ..	... ..	... ..	57,802
Lighthouse dues... ..	... ..	... ..	6,918
Oyster Act fees ... ..	... ..	... ..	11
Gold duty ... ..	... ..	... ..	27,060
Pilotage, &c.	18,637
Distillation	471
Other receipts	44,895
			£1,585,049

Customs Department,
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