

1943
NEW ZEALAND

COST OF COLLECTING CUSTOMS AND OTHER REVENUE BY THE CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT

(RETURN OF) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1943

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

RETURN OF THE AMOUNT COLLECTED (AFTER DEDUCTING REFUNDS AND DRAWBACKS), AND THE COST
OF COLLECTING THE SAME, FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1943

<i>Particulars of Amount collected</i>	£
Customs duties (other than petrol-tax and duties on rubber tires for motor-vehicles) ..	5,088,026
Sales tax	3,600,826
Excise duties on—	
Beer	1,793,541
Cigarette papers and tubes	62,879
Spirits used in manufacturing warehouses	42,178
Sugar	618,967
Tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes	1,457,541
War Expenses Taxation—	
Customs duties	2,353,488
Beer duty	1,171,807
Sales tax	7,354,671
Export levies on—	
Hides	113,340
Wool	21,866
Fees, viz.—	
Brewery supervision fees and hop-beer license fees	1,511
Warehouse license fees	12,681
Customs agents' license fees	359
Distillation Act license fees	130
Tobacco Act license fees	1,443
Sales Tax Act license fees	474
Orchard and Garden Diseases Act fees	629
Marine Department revenue, viz.—	
Light dues	61,459
Shipping fees, pilotage, port charges, Sea-fisheries Act fees, and miscellaneous	1,638
Seizures, fines, &c.	719
Other receipts (including petrol-tax, tire-tax, gold duty, and War Expenses taxation— gold duty)	1,823,545
	£25,583,718

Amount collected at each Port of Entry

Port.	Net Amount collected.	Port.	Net Amount collected.
	£		£
Wellington	8,366,159	Wairau (including Picton)	95,238
Auckland	7,717,865	Hokitika	61,291
Lyttelton	3,041,964	Patea	58,129
Dunedin	2,524,236	Oamaru	56,486
Napier	875,425	Westport	33,168
Invercargill	349,184	Tauranga	24,523
Greymouth	324,352	Kaipara	300
Wanganui	292,499	Collected through Post and Telegraph Department	761,106
New Plymouth	277,174		
Nelson	265,214		
Timaru	253,286	Total	£25,583,718
Gisborne	206,119		

Cost of collecting the above-mentioned revenue = £162,900.

Rate per cent. of cost of collecting the above-mentioned revenue = 12s. 9d.

Customs Department, Wellington.
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