

1916.
NEW ZEALAND.

COST OF COLLECTING CUSTOMS AND OTHER REVENUE BY
THE CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT AT EACH PORT OF ENTRY

(RETURN OF) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1916.

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, AT EACH PORT OF ENTRY FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED
31ST MARCH, 1916.

Particulars of Amount collected.

	£
Customs duties	3,366,305
Rents, seizures, &c.	319
Bonded-warehouse license fees	5,459
Beer duty	157,891
Gold duty	33,211
Light dues	35,549
Pilotage and port charges	1,481
Distillation Act	92
Sea-fisheries Act	7,090
Shipping Acts	1,367
Timber-export duties	39
Other receipts	5,099
	£3,613,902

Cost of Collection at each Port.

Ports.	Net Collection.	Rate per Cent. of Cost of Collection.	Ports.	Net Collection.	Rate per Cent. of Cost of Collection.
	£	£ s. d.		£	£ s. d.
Wellington	1,011,836	1 7 5	Greymouth	31,902	2 11 1
Auckland	965,352	1 10 6	Wairau (including Picton)	13,308	3 7 4
Lyttelton	507,933	1 16 4	Westport	13,237	4 1 9
Dunedin	468,286	1 17 2	Patea	10,336	2 13 3
Napier	118,812	1 13 7	Hokitika	6,799	3 5 0
Invercargill	88,096	2 9 0	Oamaru	6,385	4 9 11
Wanganui	80,803	1 19 1	Kaipara	1,369	5 15 5
Gisborne	60,388	1 14 8	Tauranga	1,260	4 4 2
New Plymouth	47,282	2 3 10	Parcel-post	94,986	*
Timaru	46,755	2 13 1			
Nelson	38,777	2 19 3	Total	3,613,902	1 12 11

* Included in the average for the Dominion.

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