

TABLE SHOWING THE VARIOUS KINDS OF FISH CAUGHT AND APPROXIMATELY THE TOTAL QUANTITIES AND VALUE OF FISH LANDED AT THE DIFFERENT FISHING-PORTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1926.

(Compiled from the figures given in the District Inspectors' reports for the year.)

Name of Port.	Principal Kinds of Fish caught.	Quantity.	Total Value.
			£ s. d.
Hokianga ..	Snapper, mullet, kahawai, flounder .. .. ..	No returns supplied	£ .. s. ..
Russell ..	Crayfish, mullet, hapuku, snapper, flounder, kahawai, kingfish, maumau	15,800 cwt.	9,600 0 0
Whangarei ..	Snapper, mullet, flounder, hapuku .. .. ..	2,348 cwt.	4,749 1 8
Kaipara ..	Snapper, flounder, mullet, kahawai, trevally, gurnard .. .. ..	4,300 cwt.	9,300 0 0
Toheroa ..	.. .. ..	980 cases	1,715 0 0
Auckland District	Snapper, tarakihi, trevally, flounder, sole, gurnard, hapuku, john-dory, kingfish, moki, rock-cod, kahawai, butterfish, crayfish, barracouta, mullet, garfish, mussels	159,588 cwt.	147,429 0 0
Tauranga ..	Crayfish .. .. .. .. ..	2,220 cases	3,050 0 0
Gisborne ..	Mussels .. .. .. .. ..	1,600 sacks	500 0 0
Napier ..	Snapper, hapuku, trevally, kahawai, rock-cod, garfish, moki, flounder, crayfish	3,000 cwt.	5,599 0 0
New Plymouth ..	Tarakih, gurnard, snapper, flounder, soles, kahawai, hapuku, crayfish	2,514 cwt.	3,752 0 0
Wanganui ..	Tarakih, snapper, moki, kahawai, gurnard, trevally, hapuku, southern kingfish, barracouta, john-dory, flounder, sole, brill	24,224 cwt.	32,580 13 0
Foxton ..	Crayfish .. .. .. .. ..	780 sacks	1,462 10 0
Wellington ..	Whitebait .. .. .. .. ..	3,200 lb.	400 0 0
Picton ..	Shell-fish (pipis, cockles, mussels) .. .. ..	310 sacks	193 15 0
Blenheim ..	Snapper, hapuku, kingfish, tarakihi, kahawai, cod, crayfish, gurnard	1,200 cwt.	1,680 0 0
Nelson ..	Blue-cod, hapuku, flounder, snapper .. .. ..	293 cwt.	463 14 8
Westport ..	Flounder, snapper, hapuku, kahawai, whitebait .. .. ..	500 cwt.	1,600 0 0
Greymouth ..	Tarakih, gurnard, flounder, sole, snapper, ling, warehou, hapuku, moki, butterfish, blue cod, southern kingfish	70,662 cwt.	109,307 0 0
Hokitika ..	Hapuku, moki, butterfish, garfish, crayfish, blue cod .. ..	6,200 cwt.	9,300 0 0
Kaikoura ..	Red cod, sole, flounder, ling, snapper, moki, hapuku gurnard, tarakihi, mackerel, butterfish, crayfish	2,000 cwt.	3,750 0 0
Kaiapoi ..	Snapper, flounder, gurnard, bream, hapuku, cod, crayfish, barracouta	1,400 cwt.	1,517 8 0
Akaroa ..	Red cod, crayfish, flounder, groper, gurnard, hapuku, kahawai, ling, moki, snapper, sole, turbot, whitebait	820 cwt.	3,309 10 0
Lyttelton ..	Flounder, sole, cod, groper, snapper, whitebait, herring .. ..	30 cwt.	168 0 0
Southbridge (Lake Ellesmere)	Whitebait .. .. .. .. ..	24,000 lb.	3,000 0 0
Timaru ..	Groper, snapper, flounder, herring, kahawai .. .. ..	50 cwt.	100 0 0
Oamaru ..	Whitebait .. .. .. .. ..	94,595 lb.	8,904 7 6
Moeraki ..	Groper, ling, trumpetet, southern kingfish, butterfish, terekahi, moki, crayfish	2,319 cwt.	4,200 0 0
Otago District ..	Whitebait, kahawai, flounder .. .. .. .. ..	234 cwt.	980 0 0
Invercargill ..	Groper, ling, conger eel, flounder, sole, brill, blue and red cod, crayfish, barracouta, kingfish, kahawai, moki, butterfish, &c.	1,200 cwt.	1,900 0 0
Bluff ..	Groper, barracouta, red cod, ling, flounder, sole, gurnard, brill	12,000 cwt.	18,000 0 0
Stewart Island ..	Flounder, herring .. .. .. .. ..	500 cwt.	2,000 0 0
Chatham Islands ..	Flounder, sole, brill, groper, ling, red cod, gurnard, kingfish, barracouta	4,400 cwt.	6,600 0 0
	Groper, red cod, blue cod, moki, barracouta, ling .. ..	2,174 cwt.	2,966 0 0
	Groper, red cod, blue cod, moki, crayfish, barracouta, ling .. ..	3,065 cwt.	5,038 0 0
	Groper, ling, red cod, barracouta, kingfish, blue cod, moki, trumpetet, terakihi, trevally, mullet, garfish, kahawai, gurnard, kelpfish, sole, flounder, brill, skate	43,540 cwt.	45,717 0 0
	Blue and red cod, groper, moki, flounder, kingfish, mullet, ling, sole, crayfish, barracouta, whitebait	1,750 cwt.	4,300 0 0
	Groper, blue cod, flounder .. .. .. .. ..	9,686 cwt.	20,893 0 0
	Oysters .. .. .. .. ..	1,562,321 dozen	13,480 0 0
	Blue cod, groper, trumpetet, moki .. .. .. .. ..	7,639 cwt.	12,825 0 0
	Blue cod, hapuku, trumpetet .. .. .. .. ..	4,775 cwt.	
	Totals .. .. .. .. ..	388,211 cwt.	502,329 19 10

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF SACKS AND VALUE OF THE OYSTERS DISPOSED OF IN THE DOMINION AND EXPORTED FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1925.

Locality.	Disposed of in Dominion.	Exported.		Total Number.		Total Value (Wholesale).	
	Sacks.	Sacks.	Cases.	Sacks.	Cases.	£	s. d.
Dredge-oysters.							
Foveaux Strait ..	23,870	1,987	89	25,857	89	17,576	0 0
Rock-oysters.							
Bay of Islands ..	3,418	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whangarei ..	324	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kaipara ..	237	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hauraki Gulf ..	3,131	..	..	8,281	..	10,205	12 0
Coromandel ..	575	..	..	..	..	..	..
Great Barrier ..	596	..	..	..	..	..	..
Totals .. .. ..	32,151	1,987	89	34,138	89	27,781	12 0