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## COST OF COLLECTING CUSTOMS AND OTHER REVENUE BY THE CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT

(RETURN OF) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1930.

*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, 1930.**

	£
Customs duties (other than duties on motor-spirit and rubber tires for motor-vehicles)	8,631,399
Duty on motor-spirit (petrol-tax) .. . . . .	1,028,894
Duty on rubber tires for motor-vehicles (tire-tax) .. . . . .	157,474
Excise duties on—	
Beer .. . . . .	620,312
Tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes .. . . . .	244,841
Spirits used in manufacturing-warehouses .. . . . .	20,806
Gold duty .. . . . .	10,264
Export levies on—	
Meat .. . . . .	35,267
Dairy-produce .. . . . .	34,686
Kauri-gum .. . . . .	1,807
Honey .. . . . .	586
Fees, viz.—	
Brewery supervision fees and hop-beer license fees .. . . . .	1,428
Warehouse license fees .. . . . .	9,723
Customs Agents' license fees .. . . . .	388
Distillation Act license fees .. . . . .	196
Tobacco Act license fees .. . . . .	300
Marine Department revenue, viz.—	
Light dues .. . . . .	83,337
Shipping fees, pilotage, port charges, Sea-fisheries Act fees, and miscellaneous .. . . . .	3,270
Seizures, fines, &c. .. . . . .	89
Immigration Restriction Acts—Deposits and receipts .. . . . .	3,980
Other receipts .. . . . .	2,833
Total amount collected .. . . . .	£10,891,880

*Amount collected at each Port of Entry.*

Port.	Net Amount collected.	Port.	Net Amount collected.
	£		£
Wellington .. . . . .	3,703,368	Greymouth .. . . . .	41,919
Auckland .. . . . .	2,974,977	Westport .. . . . .	23,397
Lyttelton .. . . . .	1,477,482	Wairau (including Picton) .. . . . .	20,146
Dunedin .. . . . .	1,187,380	Patea .. . . . .	19,471
Napier .. . . . .	312,538	Hokitika .. . . . .	14,255
Invercargill .. . . . .	162,636	Oamaru .. . . . .	11,224
New Plymouth .. . . . .	132,070	Tauranga .. . . . .	2,598
Timaru .. . . . .	121,673	Kaipara .. . . . .	534
Wanganui .. . . . .	98,648	Collected through Postal Department .. . . . .	422,868
Gisborne .. . . . .	88,665		
Nelson .. . . . .	76,031	Total .. . . . .	£10,891,880

Cost of collecting the above-mentioned revenue = £117,952.

Rate per cent. of cost of collecting the above-mentioned revenue = £1 1s. 8d.

Customs Department,  
Wellington, 19th June, 1930.

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