

1875.
NEW ZEALAND.

A GENERAL SUMMARY OF THE
IMPORT, EXPORT, AND SHIPPING RETURNS, AND AN ABSTRACT
OF THE CUSTOMS REVENUE.

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

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No. I.—IMPORTS.

RETURN showing the Quantity and Value of Articles Imported into New Zealand during the Year 1874.

Articles.	Quantity.	Value.	Articles.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	3,101 pkgs. ...	23,285	Bones and Bone Dust	757 tons 15 cwt. ...	4,884
Alkali, Soda Crystals, &c.	13,928 cwt. 1 qr. ...	8,793	Books—Printed	3,654 pkgs. ...	72,352
<i>Warehoused</i>	1 cask ...	2	Bran and Sharps	301 pkgs., 15 cwt. ...	203
Apparel and Slops	4,584 pkgs., 5 cases...	210,754	Boots and Shoes	7,508 pkgs. ...	144,883
<i>Warehoused</i>	176 cases, 1,331 pkgs.	63,225	<i>Warehoused</i>	1,474 tanks, 64 cases, 3,252 pkgs.	70,353
Arms and Ammunition—			Brass and Brassware	84 pkgs., 5 cwt. 1 qr.	1,896
Fire Arms	3,742 No. ...	14,111	Bricks—Bath	440 pkgs., 5,856 No.	276
Accoutrements	7 pkgs. ...	245	" Fire	204,199 No. ...	1,799
Blasting Powder	343,235 lbs. ...	9,738	" Ordinary	55,200 No. ...	439
Caps	3,983,180 No. ...	851	Bridge Materials	Value only ...	52,658
Cartridges and Cases	1,040,556 No., 4 pkgs.	4,678	Brushware and Brooms	1,015 pkgs. ...	17,421
Fuze	372 pkgs. ...	2,748	<i>Warehoused</i>	1 case, 5 pkgs. ...	101
Gunpowder	22,214½ lbs. ...	2,766	Brushes and Combs	74 pkgs. ...	1,860
Shot	1,084 cwt. 2 qrs.	1,755	Buckets and Tubs	4 nests, 809 pkgs., 1,828 No. ...	824
Swords	11 No. ...	31	Building Materials	Value only ...	1,983
Arrowroot, bulk	2,224 lbs. ...	59	Butter	2,418½ cwt. ...	12,892
Arsenic	355½ cwt. ...	317	<i>Warehoused</i>	53 kegs, 20 pkgs. ...	263
Bags and Sacks, corn	32 bales, 4,227 pkgs.	60,361	Candles	13,977 cwt. ...	60,058
<i>Warehoused</i>	80 bales, 325 pkgs. ...	6,483	<i>Warehoused</i>	19 chests, 1 case, 21,789 boxes, 913 pkgs. ...	23,532
Bags and Sacks, flour	323 pkgs. ...	5,917	Canvas	50 bales, 665 pkgs. ...	24,526
<i>Warehoused</i>	18 bales, 123 pkgs. ...	2,963	Carpeting	1,023 pkgs. ...	35,209
Bags and Sacks, woolpks.	2,852 pkgs. ...	28,412	<i>Warehoused</i>	26 bales, 114 pkgs. ...	5,094
<i>Warehoused</i>	139 bales, 366 pkgs. ...	5,471	Carriages and Carts	682 No., 129 pkgs. ...	12,586
Bark	1,372 tons 7 cwt. ...	11,030	" Perambulators	30 pkgs. ...	303
Basket and Wicker Ware	568 pkgs. ...	1,507	<i>Warehoused</i>	2 pkgs. ...	21
Beer, bottled	185,443 gals. ...	49,409	Carriage Materials	Value only ...	13,012
<i>Warehoused</i>	17,253 casks, 21,583 cases, 351 pkgs. ...	76,447	Casks—Empty	3,459 No. ...	3,533
" bulk	29,530 gals. ...	3,890	Cement and Plaster of Paris	36,528½ brls. ...	34,640
<i>Warehoused</i>	842 hhd. 437 brls., 12 kilderkins ...	6,937	<i>Warehoused</i>	120 brls. ...	60
Biscuits—Plain	4,583 cwt. ...	2,486	Chaff	272 tons 3 cwt. ...	1,800
<i>Warehoused</i>	5 cases ...	17	Chains	150 tons 18 cwt. ...	3,523
" Fancy	589 pkgs. ...	1,951	Cheese	25 cwt. 2 qrs. ...	137
<i>Warehoused</i>	1 case, 25 pkgs. ...	67	Chicory	17,136 lbs. ...	328
Blacking and Blacklead	1,004 pkgs. ...	3,052	<i>Warehoused</i>	31 cases, 51 pkgs. ...	250
<i>Warehoused</i>	21 cases, 1 cask, 68 pkgs. ...	297			
Boats	16 No. ...	632			