

No. IX.—REVENUE.

ABSTRACT of all DUTIES and REVENUE collected by the Department of Trade and Customs during the Years 1886 and 1885.

Heads of Receipts.	Rate of Duty.	1886.		1885.	
		Quantity.	Amount collected.	Quantity.	Amount collected.
Customs duties—			£		£
Spirits	12s. per gal.	..	..	1,995 gal.	1,197
"	14s. "	..	..	248,903 "	174,232
"	14s. 6d. "	473,368 gal.	343,191	256,915 "	186,264
"	21s. "	1,108 "	1,163	1,173 "	1,232
Cigars and snuff	6s. per lb.	94,305 lb.	28,292	100,566 lb.	30,170
" New Zealand manufacture	1s. "	..	*	5,700 "	285
Tobacco	3s. 6d. "	1,117,977 lb.	195,646	1,184,880 "	207,354
" unmanufactured	2s. "	7,840 "	784	2,610 "	261
" New Zealand manufacture	1s. "	..	†	10,920 "	546
" sheepwash	3d. "	160 lb.	2	560 "	7
Wine	5s. per gal.	..	..	53,548 gal.	13,387
"	5s. 6d. "	87,644 gal.	24,102	50,228 "	13,813
" sparkling	6s. "	..	..	4,767 "	1,430
"	6s. 6d. "	7,467 gal.	2,427	5,092 "	1,655
" Australian	4s. "	..	..	17,660 "	3,532
"	4s. 6d. "	28,242 gal.	6,355	18,493 "	4,161
Ale, beer, &c., in bottle	1s. 6d. "	297,694 "	22,327	382,852 "	28,714
" in wood	1s. 3d. "	36,464 "	2,279	39,936 "	2,496
Tea	4d. per lb.	4,045,500 lb.	67,425	4,081,920 lb.	68,032
Coffee, cocoa, &c.	3d. "	602,960 "	7,537	681,520 "	8,519
" roasted	5d. "	1,056 "	22	2,880 "	60
Sugar and molasses	½d. "	45,257,760 "	94,287	45,293,280 "	94,361
Opium	20s. "	4,367 "	4,367	4,606 "	4,606
Goods by weight	..	..	101,735	..	118,964
<i>Ad valorem</i> , 25 and 15 per cent.	..	..	338,374	..	388,941
Other duties not specified above	..	..	71,493	..	74,590
Excise duties—			1,311,808	..	1,428,809
Beer	..	..	53,047	..	55,034
*Cigars and cigarettes	..	..	247	..	..
†Tobacco	..	..	699	..	..
Bonded warehouse duty	..	..	5,697	..	5,855
Rents, seizures, &c.	..	..	119	..	354
Merchant Shipping Act, fees	..	..	86	..	125
Shipping and Seamen's Act, fees	..	..	2,288	..	2,386
" " lighthouse dues	..	..	7,222	..	7,511
Oyster Act, fees	..	..	6	..	5
Gold duty	..	..	22,707	..	23,738
Pilotage and port charges, &c.	..	..	26,492	..	29,121
Chinese Immigrants Act.	..	..	480	..	710
Distillation Act	..	..	24	..	28
Other receipts	..	..	6,581	..	6,538
			£1,437,503	..	£1,560,214

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