

COMPARATIVE TABLE of CUSTOMS DUTIES collected during the Years 1887 and 1890—*continued*.

Articles.	1887.		1890.		Increase in 1890.	Decrease in 1890.
	Rate.	Duty collected.	Rate.	Duty collected.		
Iron—continued.		£		£	£	£
Galvanised hoop	free	..	1s. 6d. per cwt. ..	133	133	..
Tanks	5s. each	487	10s. each	1,076	589	..
"	2s. 6d. each	50	5s. "	98	48	..
Wire (fencing)	1s. per cwt.	7,089	(1s. per cwt.	5,980	2,543	..
			2s. "	2,827		
			20 per cent.	775		
Galvanised manufactures		..	25 "	369	369	..
Pipes—						
Cast	free	..	5 "	506	506	..
Wrought	"	..	5 "	485	485	..
Isinglass	15 per cent.	137	15 "	132	..	5
Jams, &c.	1½d. per lb.	2,425	2d. per lb.	1,978	..	447
Jewellery	15 per cent.	2,809	20 per cent.	2,674	..	135
Lamps and lanterns	15 "	1,222	15 "	1,176	..	46
Lead—						
Pipe	3s. 6d. per cwt. ..	20	3s. 6d. per cwt. ..	9	..	11
Sheet	free	..	1s. 6d.	708	708	..
Manufactures	"	..	15 per cent.	64	64	..
Leather—						
Boot-uppers	various	2,006	various	2,943	937	..
Manufactures	15 per cent.	445	20 per cent.	504	59	..
Chamois	15 "	922	(20 "	1,946	1,024	..
Limejuice	15 "	..	15 "	87	87	..
Linen (piece-goods)	15 per cent.	201	20 "	118	..	83
Linen (piece-goods)	15 "	721	20 "	1,030	309	..
Machinery—						
Engines (steam)	free	..	20 "	158	158	..
Boilers	"	..	20 "	375	375	..
Parts of	"	..	20 "	241	241	..
Flourmill	"	..	20 "	146	146	..
Sawmill	"	..	20 "	61	61	..
Spinning and weaving	"	..	20 "	292	292	..
Unenumerated	"	..	20 "	3,141	3,141	..
Marble—						
Wrought	"	..	20 "	484	484	..
Unwrought	"	..	5 "	53	53	..
Matches and vestas	25 per cent.	7,700	various	16,094	8,394	..
Mats and rugs	15 "	388	(15 per cent.	323	..	65
Matting	15 "	421	20 "	782	361	..
Meal—						
Linseed	1s. per cental. ..	6	15 per cent. drug- gists' wares	..	..	6
Maizena and cornflour	1s. "	290	½d. per lb.	570	280	..
Oaten	1s. "	2	1s. per cental. ..	2	..	..
Unenumerated	1s. "	21	1s "	16	..	5
Meats—						
Potted and preserved	15 per cent.	194	20 per cent.	219	25	..
Salted	free	..	20 "	1	1	..
Medicine (patent)	under Drugs	..	25 "	7,225	7,225	..
Milk (preserved)	15 per cent.	1,477	20 "	2,081	604	..
Millinery	15 "	4,317	20 "	4,261	..	56
Mustard	1d. per lb.	759	2d. per lb.	1,428	669	..
Nails	2s. and 3s. per cwt.	3,083	2s. and 3s. per cwt.	3,529	446	..
Naphtha	6d. per gal.	9	6d. per gal.	20	20	..
Nuts—						
Almonds	2d. and 3d. per lb. ..	584	2d. and 3d. per lb. ..	389	..	195
Unenumerated	2d. per lb.	505	2d. per lb.	415	..	90
Oil—						
Castor	6d. per gal.	1,781	6d. per gal.	1,382	..	399
" (in bottle)	15 per cent.	45	15 per cent.	155	110	..
Chinese	6d. per gal.	235	6d. per gal.	103	..	132
Colza	6d. "	483	6d. "	493	10	..
Kerosene	6d. "	22,452	6d. "	31,022	8,570	..
Linseed	6d. "	3,170	6d. "	2,693	..	477
Olive	free	..	6d. "	588	588	..
Paraffin	6d. per gal.	8	6d. "	5	..	3
Petroleum	6d. "	8	6d. "	211	203	..
Salad	15 per cent.	625	15 per cent.	539	..	86
Unenumerated	6d. per gal.	1,184	6d. per gal.	2,371	1,187	..
" (in bottle)	15 per cent.	149	15 per cent.	135	..	14
Oil- and floor-cloth	15 "	2,760	15 "	4,531	1,771	..
Oilmen's stores	15 "	3,329	(15 "	1,820	..	235
			20 "	1,274		
			40s. per lb.	7,554		
Opium	20s. per lb.	4,425	15 per cent.	825	3,129	..
Paintings and engravings	15 per cent.	486	..	..	339	..
Paints and colours—						
Ground in oil	free	..	2s. per cwt.	1,996	1,996	..
Mixed	2s. per cwt.	119	4s. "	233	114	..
Paper—						
Bags	5s. "	1,731	(7s. 6d. per cwt. ..	255	..	491
			25 per cent.	985		