

No. 6.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 31st DECEMBER, 1898.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN		DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST DEC., 1898.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 30TH SEPT., 1898.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 31ST DEC., 1898.	
County or Borough.	District.	Qu'ntity	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
County of Coromandel ..	Auckland	3,581	15,110				
Thames ..		2,716	11,440				
Ohinemuri ..		36,459	133,549				
Piako ..		4	16				
Borough of Thames ..		1,706	7,187				
		44,466	167,302	2,235,887	8,419,878	2,280,353	8,587,180
	Wellington ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
County of Marlborough	Marlborough ..	..	..	86,385	336,415	86,385	336,415
County of Collingwood ..	Nelson ..	..	..	1,674,859	6,640,045	1,674,859	6,640,045
County of Buller ..	West Coast	4,831	19,326				
Inangahua ..		6,213	24,850				
Grey ..		6,001	24,002				
Westland ..		5,756	23,022				
Borough of Kumara ..		118	471				
Hokitika ..		53	212				
Ross ..		965	3,860				
		23,937	95,743	4,355,701	17,322,651	4,379,638	17,418,394
	Canterbury ..	..	..	24	96	24	96
County of Taieri ..	Otago	1,105	4,284				
Tuapeka ..		2,128	8,501				
Vincent ..		1,687	6,629				
Maniototo ..		824	3,272				
Waitaki ..		556	2,215				
Lake ..		29	116				
Wallace ..		1,319	5,276				
Bruce ..		294	1,176				
Fiord ..		512	2,048				
Southland ..		630	2,520				
Stewart I. ..		15	60				
		9,099	36,097	5,415,059	21,433,908	5,424,158	21,470,005
	Unknown ..	..	..	122	484	122	484
Totals ..	..	77,502	299,142	13,768,225	54,154,183	13,845,727	54,453,325

No. 7.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND for the YEARS ended 31st DECEMBER, 1897 and 1898.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN THE DISTRICT OF	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED—				TOTALS FOR YEAR 1898.		TOTALS FOR YEAR 1897.	
	31st March, 1898.	30th June, 1898.	30th September, 1898.	31st December, 1898.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland ..	29,405	29,157	39,355	44,466	142,363	527,786	105,477	392,337
Marlborough ..	160	18	603	..	781	3,003	810	3,195
Nelson ..	..	1,462	258	..	1,720	6,882	1,892	7,055
West Coast ..	25,207	16,107	14,697	23,937	79,948	319,789	58,817	235,430
Otago ..	14,696	19,819	11,729	9,099	55,343	223,231	84,649	342,187
Totals for 1898	69,468	66,563	66,642	77,502	280,175	1,080,691	..	..
Totals for 1897	69,621	60,046	60,222	61,756	..	..	251,645	980,204

* Gold duty abolished in the South Island on the 31st March, 1891, by "The Gold Duty Abolition Act, 1890."

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