

GENERAL IMPORTS into the Colony of NEW ZEALAND for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1899—continued.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Rate of Duty.	Total Quantities imported.	Value of Total Imports.	Entered for Home Consumption on Importation and ex Warehouse.	Estimated Amount of Duty payable.
Carriages—continued. Shafts, Spokes, &c. (in the rough)— Victoria New South Wales Tasmania			£ 278 1,205 91	£	£ s. d.
Free			1,574		
Casks (empty)— New South Wales ..	20 per cent. ad val.	708 number ..	486	..	97 0 0
Cement— New South Wales ..	2s. per barrel ..	124 barrels ..	137	..	12 0 0
Chains and Chain-cables— Victoria New South Wales ..		6 cwt. 323 "	7 291		
Free		329 cwt.	298		
Charcoal— New South Wales Queensland		40 cwt. 12,800 "	11 2,240		
Free		12,840 cwt.	2,251		
Cheese— New South Wales ..	Free*	134 cwt.	285		
Chinaware— Victoria New South Wales Queensland			51 157 1		
20 per cent. ad val.			209	..	42 0 0
Clocks— Victoria New South Wales ..		2 number 400 "	5 136		
20 per cent. ad val.		402 number	141	..	28 0 0
Coals— Victoria New South Wales Queensland		363 tons 55,955 " 456 "	281 51,611 342		
Free		56,774 tons	52,234		
Cocoa and Chocolate— Victoria New South Wales ..		2,324 lb. 13,954 "	171 1,718		
3d. per lb. ..		16,278 lb.	1,889	..	203 0 0
Coffee (raw)— Victoria New South Wales ..		22,271 lb. 15,990 "	960 756		
2d. per lb. ..		38,261 lb.	1,716	..	319 0 0
Coke— Victoria New South Wales ..		10 tons 399 "	23 837		
Free		409 tons	860		
Copper (pig, bar, &c.)— Victoria New South Wales ..		3 cwt. 498 "	10 1,514		
Free		501 cwt.	1,524		
Cordage— New South Wales ..	20 per cent. ad val.	284 cwt.	670	..	114 0 0
Iron and Steel— Victoria New South Wales ..		100 cwt. 499 "	249 1,380		
Free		599 cwt.	1,629		

* Returned New Zealand produce.