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NEW ZEALAND.

GENERAL IMPORTS INTO THE COLONY OF NEW ZEALAND

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1899.

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GENERAL IMPORTS into the Colony of New Zealand for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1899.

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.
Acid:			£	£	£ s. d.
Acetic—					
Victoria .. ..	..	14,670 lb.	115		
New South Wales ..	..	62,409 "	541		
	1½d. per lb. ..	77,079 lb.	656	..	482 0 0
Sulphuric—					
Victoria .. ..	..	146,239 lb.	1,230		
New South Wales ..	..	18,325 "	137		
	Free	164,564 lb.	1,367		
Unenumerated—					
Victoria .. ..	..	224 lb.	6		
New South Wales ..	..	33,259 "	550		
	Free	33,483 lb.	556		
Alkali:					
Soda Ash—					
Victoria .. ..	..	89 cwt. ..	35		
New South Wales ..	..	794 " ..	246		
	Free	883 cwt. ..	281		
Soda (caustic)—					
New South Wales ..	Free	161 cwt. ..	117		
Potash and Caustic Potash—					
Victoria .. ..	..	54 cwt. ..	101		
New South Wales ..	..	320 " ..	481		
	Free	374 cwt. ..	582		
Animals (living):					
Cattle—					
New South Wales ..	10s. each ..	1 number ..	158	..	1 0 0
Horses—					
Victoria .. ..	..	10 number ..	405		
New South Wales	192 " ..	3,358		
	£1 each ..	202 number ..	3,763	..	202 0 0
Horses—					
New South Wales ..	Free*	12 number ..	720		

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Animals (living)—continued.					
Dogs—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria	18 number ..	69		
New South Wales	19 " ..	376		
	Free	37 number ..	445		
Sheep—					
Victoria .. ..	..	2 number ..	20		
New South Wales ..	..	1 " ..	10		
Tasmania .. ..	..	3 " ..	103		
	Free	6 number ..	133		
Apparel and Slops n.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,961		
New South Wales ..	..	..	2,171		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	1		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	4,133	..	1,033 0 0
Apparel and Slops n.o.e.—					
New South Wales ..	Free* .. ..	..	280		
Arms (firearms)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	62 number ..	48		
New South Wales ..	..	134 " ..	299		
Tasmania .. ..	..	24 " ..	12		
	20 per cent. ad val.	220 number ..	359	..	72 0 0
Bags and Sacks (cornsacks)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	6,580 dozen ..	1,628		
New South Wales ..	..	13,034 " ..	3,111		
	Free	19,614 dozen ..	4,739		
Beer—					
Victoria .. ..	..	556 gallons ..	173		
New South Wales ..	..	609 " ..	148		
	2s. per gallon ..	1,165 gallons ..	321	..	117 0 0
Belting:					
Leather—					
Victoria .. ..	..	57 lb. ..	10		
New South Wales ..	..	771 " ..	104		
	4d. per pound ..	828 lb. ..	114	..	14 0 0
Other than Leather—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	111		
New South Wales ..	..	..	72		
	Free .. ..	..	183		
Beverages:					
Aerated & Mineral Waters—					
Victoria .. ..	..	42 dozen ..	11		
New South Wales ..	..	825 " ..	149		
	20 per cent. ad val.	867 dozen ..	160	..	32 0 0
Limejuice (unsweetened)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	2,344 gallons ..	426		
New South Wales ..	..	777 " ..	115		
	Free	3,121 gallons ..	541		
Bicycles, &c.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	153 number ..	1,594		
New South Wales ..	..	235 " ..	2,352		
	20 per cent. ad val.	388 number ..	3,946	..	789 0 0
Materials for—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,187		
New South Wales ..	..	..	316		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	1,503	..	301 0 0
Unenumerated—					
Victoria	6,958		
New South Wales	479		
	Free	7,437		

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Blacking—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria	211		
New South Wales	99		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	310	..	62 0 0
Blacklead—			7		
Victoria .. ..	..	..	321		
New South Wales ..	..	..	
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	328	..	66 0 0
Blue—					
New South Wales ..	..	23,950 lb. ..	649		
	2d. per lb. ..	23,950 lb. ..	649	..	200 0 0
Bones—					
Victoria .. ..	..	5 tons ..	17		
New South Wales ..	..	1,398 " ..	5,555		
	Free	1,403 tons ..	5,572		
Books (printed)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	8,794		
New South Wales ..	..	..	5,039		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	13		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	4		
	Free .. ..	..	13,850		
Boots and Shoes—					
Victoria .. ..	..	363 dozen pairs ..	878		
New South Wales ..	..	1,274 " ..	2,888		
	22½ per cent. ad val.	1,637 dozen pairs ..	3,766	..	847 0 0
Brass Manufactures—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	16		
New South Wales ..	..	..	205		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	221	..	44 0 0
Brushware (materials for)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	13		
New South Wales ..	..	..	316		
	Free .. ..	..	329		
Building Materials—					
New South Wales ..	Free .. ..	..	295		
Canes and Rattans—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	123		
New South Wales ..	..	..	529		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	20		
	Free .. ..	..	672		
Canvas—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	251		
New South Wales ..	..	..	255		
	Free .. ..	..	506		
Carriages—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3 number ..	207		
New South Wales ..	..	14 " ..	178		
	20 per cent. ad val.	17 number ..	385	..	77 0 0
Materials for—					
Victoria	137		
New South Wales	82		
Tasmania	1		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	220	..	44 0 0

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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		

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Cork (cut)—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria	354		
New South Wales	408		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	762	..	152 0 0
Cotton Piece-goods:					
Calico (white and grey)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	60		
New South Wales ..	..	..	333		
	Free .. ..	..	393		
Cottons n.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	173		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,762		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	1,935	..	387 0 0
Cottons n.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	126		
New South Wales ..	..	..	620		
	10 per cent. ad val.	..	746	..	75 0 0
Cutlery—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1		
New South Wales ..	..	..	221		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	222	..	44 0 0
Doors (plain)—					
New South Wales ..	2s. each ..	492 number ..	239		49 0 0
Drapery—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	441		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,244		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	1,685	..	337 0 0
Ribbons and Crape—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	270		
New South Wales ..	..	..	89		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	359	..	90 0 0
Tailor's Trimmings—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	273		
New South Wales ..	..	..	421		
	Free .. ..	..	694		
Drugs, &c.:					
Chemicals n.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	185		
New South Wales ..	..	..	223		
	20 per cent. ..	..	408	..	82 0 0
Cream of tartar—					
Victoria .. ..	..	29,344 lb. ..	1,104		
New South Wales ..	..	27,356 " ..	1,028		
	1d. per lb. ..	56,700 lb. ..	2,132	..	236 0 0
Sundries—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,984		
New South Wales ..	..	..	2,352		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	5		
South Australia ..	..	..	2		
Western Australia ..	..	..	13		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	4,356	..	871 0 0
Tinctures, &c.—					
New South Wales ..	1s. per lb. ..	2,444 lb. ..	184	..	122 0 0
Anhydrous Ammonia—					
New South Wales ..	Free	1,403		

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Drugs, &c.—continued.			£	£	£ s. d.
Food Preservative—					
Victoria	177		
New South Wales	52		
	Free	229		
Gums—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	127		
New South Wales ..	..	..	98		
	Free .. ..	..	225		
Maltine—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	6		
New South Wales ..	..	..	200		
	Free .. ..	..	206		
Medicinal Barks—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	18		
New South Wales ..	..	..	116		
	Free .. ..	..	134		
Potassium Cyanide—					
Victoria .. ..	..	398 cwt. ..	2,436		
New South Wales ..	..	54 " ..	364		
	Free	452 cwt. ..	2,800		
Sheep-dip—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	344		
New South Wales ..	..	..	10		
	Free .. ..	..	354		
Unenumerated—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	511		
New South Wales ..	..	..	976		
	Free .. ..	..	1,487		
Dyes—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	484		
New South Wales ..	..	..	530		
	Free .. ..	..	1,014		
Earthenware—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	151		
New South Wales ..	..	..	385		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	536	..	107 0
Essences (flavouring):					
Spirituous—					
Victoria .. ..	..	75 gallons ..	218		
New South Wales ..	..	44 " ..	98		
	16s. per gal. ..	119 gallons ..	316	..	95 0 0
Essential Oils—					
Eucalyptus—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3,131 lb. ..	794		
New South Wales ..	..	1,309 " ..	77		
South Australia ..	..	372 " ..	32		
Tasmania .. ..	..	131 " ..	14		
	20 per cent. ad val.	4,943 lb. ..	917	..	183 0 0
Other kinds—					
Victoria .. ..	..	1,593 lb. ..	248		
New South Wales ..	..	2,182 " ..	257		
	Free	3,775 lb. ..	505		
Fancy Goods and Toys—					
Victoria	793		
New South Wales	1,897		
Western Australia	1		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	2,691	..	538 0 0

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Felt Sheathing— New South Wales ..	Free	£ 264	£	£ s. d.
Fire-hose, &c.— Victoria	15		
New South Wales	134		
	Free .. ..	..	149		
Fish (potted and preserved)— Victoria ..	..	2,401 lb.	80		
New South Wales ..	..	37,253 "	831		
	2d. per lb. ...	39,654 lb.	911	..	330 0 0
Floorecloth and Oilcloth— Victoria ..	..	..	145		
New South Wales ..	..	..	98		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	243	..	49 0 0
Flour— New South Wales ..	1s. per cental ..	2,760 centals	982	..	138 0 0
Foods for Animals n.o.e.— Victoria ..	..	..	71		
New South Wales ..	..	..	119		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	190	..	38 0 0
Foods (farinaceous): Maizena and Cornflour— Victoria ..	..	224 lb.	2		
New South Wales ..	..	32,220 "	456		
Queensland ..	..	280 "	6		
	1d. per lb. ..	32,724 lb.	464	..	34 0 0
Sago and Tapioca— Victoria ..	..	746 cwt. ..	520		
New South Wales ..	..	45 " ..	30		
	Free	791 cwt. ..	550		
Unenumerated— Victoria ..	..	..	266		
New South Wales ..	..	..	55		
	Free .. ..	..	321		
Fruits (bottled and pre- served)— Victoria ..	..	246 dozen	62		
New South Wales ..	..	4,815 "	1,215		
	25 per cent. ad val.	5,061 dozen	1,277	..	319 0 0
Fruits (dried): Currants— Victoria ..	..	20,114 lb.	159		
New South Wales ..	..	169,793 "	1,384		
	2d. per lb. ..	189,907 lb.	1,543	..	1,583 0 0
Raisins— Victoria ..	..	153,439 lb.	2,626		
New South Wales ..	..	95,792 "	1,785		
	2d. per lb. ..	249,231 lb.	4,411	..	2,077 0 0
Unenumerated— Victoria ..	..	28,997 lb.	533		
New South Wales ..	..	18,757 "	321		
Tasmania ..	..	4,500 "	112		
	2d. per lb. ..	52,254 lb.	966	..	435 0 0
Fruits (fresh): Apples, Pears, &c.— Victoria ..	..	76,624 lb.	948		
New South Wales	78,067 "	863		
Tasmania	37,657 "	514		
	1d. per lb. ..	192,348 lb.	2,325	..	801 0 0

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Fruits (fresh)—continued.			£	£	£ s. d.
Currants, Raspberries—					
Victoria	2,226 lb.	45		
Tasmania	80,347 "	1,382		
	½d. per lb.	82,573 lb.	1,427	..	172 0 0
Lemons—					
Victoria .. ..	..	31,492 lb.	425		
New South Wales ..	..	91,781 "	1,012		
	½d. per lb.	123,273 lb.	1,437	..	257 0 0
Fruits (fresh) : Other kinds—					
Victoria .. ..	..	210,090 lb.	1,833		
New South Wales ..	..	560,043 "	4,629		
Queensland .. ..	..	4,300 "	35		
	Free	774,433 lb.	6,497		
Preserved by Sulphurous Acid—					
Tasmania	1d. per lb.	16,065 lb.	242	..	67 0 0
Furniture, &c.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	729		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,613		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	4		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	7		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	2,353	..	588 0 0
Kapok—					
Victoria .. ..	..	1,055 cwt.	3,158		
New South Wales ..	..	661 "	2,088		
	Free	1,716 cwt.	5,246		
Polish—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	243		
New South Wales ..	..	..	46		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	289	..	58 0 0
Furs—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1		
New South Wales ..	..	..	584		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	585	..	146 0 0
Gelatine and Isinglass—					
Victoria .. ..	..	2,843 lb. ..	290		
New South Wales ..	..	1,751 " ..	224		
	20 per cent. ad val.	4,594 lb. ..	514	..	103 0 0
Glass : Bottles (empty)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	769		
New South Wales ..	..	..	5,360		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	1		
	Free .. ..	..	6,130		
Plate (bevelled)—					
New South Wales ..	25 per cent. ad val.	..	113	..	28 0 0
Glassware—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	66		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,223		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	1		
South Australia ..	..	..	2		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	1		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	1,293	..	259 0 0
Glassware—					
Victoria	630		
New South Wales	850		
	Free	1,480		

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Grain (n.o.e.)—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria	5 cents	6		
New South Wales	192 "	142		
Tasmania	23 "	15		
	9d. per cental ..	220 cents	163	..	8 0 0
Grease—					
Victoria .. ..	..	59 cwt. ..	59		
New South Wales ..	..	341 " ..	269		
	20 per cent. ad val.	400 cwt. ..	328	..	66 0 0
Grindery n.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	712		
New South Wales ..	..	..	143		
	Free .. ..	..	855		
Haberdashery—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	417		
New South Wales ..	..	..	85		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	502	..	160 0 0
Buttons, &c.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	276		
New South Wales ..	..	..	121		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	3		
	Free .. ..	..	400		
Sewing Cottons—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,437		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,002		
	Free .. ..	..	2,439		
Hardware—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,769		
New South Wales ..	..	..	2,814		
South Australia ..	..	..	7		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	46		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	4,636	..	927 0 0
Coffin Furniture—					
Victoria	20 per cent. ad val.	..	144		29 0 0
Hats and Caps—					
Victoria .. ..	..	237 dozen	228		
New South Wales ..	..	214 "	426		
	25 per cent. ad val.	451 dozen	654	..	164 0 0
Hides—					
New South Wales ..	Free	759 number	878		
Hops—					
Victoria .. ..	..	18,875 lb.	625		
New South Wales ..	..	2,692 "	113		
	6d. per lb. ..	21,567 lb.	738	..	539 0 0
Hosiery—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	17		
New South Wales ..	..	..	447		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	464		93 0 0
Indiarubber Goods—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	89		
New South Wales ..	..	..	383		
	Free .. ..	..	472		
Ink (printing)—					
Victoria	1,706 lb.	162		
New South Wales	1,506 "	82		
	Free	3,212 lb.	244		

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Instruments (musical) :			£	£	£ s. d.
Pianofortes—					
Victoria	14 number ..	315		
New South Wales	22 " ..	564		
South Australia ..	..	1 " ..	20		
	20 per cent. ad val.	37 number ..	899	..	180 0 0
Unenumerated—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	23		
New South Wales ..	..	..	366		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	389	..	78 0 0
Instruments (optical)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1		
New South Wales ..	..	..	395		
	Free .. ..	..	396		
Instruments (surgical and dental)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	30		
New South Wales ..	..	..	109		
	Free .. ..	..	139		
Iron and Steel :					
Angle—					
Victoria .. ..	..	1 ton	3		
New South Wales ..	..	24 "	231		
	Free	25 tons	234		
Bar, Bolt, and Rod—					
Victoria .. ..	..	60 tons	504		
New South Wales ..	..	107 "	1,167		
	Free	167 tons	1,671		
Castings for Ships—					
New South Wales ..	Free .. ..	..	116		
Hoop—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3 tons	25		
New South Wales ..	..	22 "	223		
	Free	25 tons	248		
Pig—					
Victoria .. ..	..	161 tons	701		
New South Wales ..	..	85 "	363		
	Free	246 tons	1,064		
Pipes and Fittings—					
Victoria .. ..	..	11 tons	177		
New South Wales ..	..	86 "	1,467		
	5 per cent. ad val.	97 tons	1,644	..	82 0 0
Rails—					
Victoria .. ..	..	50 tons	155		
New South Wales ..	..	29 "	247		
	Free	79 tons	402		
Sheet and Plate—					
Victoria .. ..	..	17 tons	232		
New South Wales ..	..	211 "	2,428		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	3		
	Free	228 tons	2,663		
Wire Fencing (barbed)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	10 tons	128		
New South Wales ..	..	19 "	212		
	Free	29 tons	340		
Wire-netting—					
New South Wales ..	Free	295		
Wire n.o.e—					
Victoria	2 tons	18		
New South Wales	6 "	106		
	Free	8 tons	124		

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Jewellery—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria	1		
New South Wales	282		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	283	..	57 0 0
Jewellery—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	118		
New South Wales ..	..	..	10		
	Free .. ..	..	128		
Lamps, Lanterns—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	47		
New South Wales ..	..	..	2,378		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	2,425	..	485 0 0
Lead, &c. :					
Pigs and Bars—					
New South Wales ..	Free	202 tons ..	2,783		
Pipe—					
New South Wales ..	3s. 6d. per cwt. ..	219 cwt. ..	215	..	38 0 0
Sheet—					
New South Wales ..	1s. 6d. per cwt. ..	6,247 cwt. ..	5,859	..	469 0 0
Leather—					
Victoria .. ..	..	35,590 lb. ..	3,695		
New South Wales ..	..	43,213 " ..	3,856		
Tasmania .. ..	..	572 " ..	89		
	Various	79,375 lb. ..	7,640	..	661 0 0
Leather—					
Victoria .. ..	..	239 lb. ..	32		
New South Wales ..	..	973 " ..	152		
	Free*	1,212 lb. ..	184		
Leather—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3,590 lb. ..	655		
New South Wales ..	..	2,495 " ..	496		
	Free	6,085 lb. ..	1,151		
Leather Manufactures, Boot-uppers, &c.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	221		
New South Wales ..	..	..	882		
	22½ per cent. ad val.	..	1,103	..	249 0 0
Linen Piece-goods (hessians and scrim)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	59		
New South Wales ..	..	..	739		
	Free .. ..	..	798		
Machinery :					
Agricultural—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	109		
New South Wales ..	..	..	732		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	1		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	842	..	42 0 0
Agricultural—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	415		
New South Wales ..	..	..	734		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	211		
	Free	1,360		
Ploughs and Harrows—					
Victoria	1,264		
New South Wales	179		
	Free	1,443		

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Machinery—continued.			£	£	£ s. d.
Dairying—					
Victoria	109		
New South Wales	21		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	130	..	7 0 0
Dairying—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	279		
New South Wales ..	..	..	421		
	Free .. ..	..	700		
Electric—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	123		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,380		
	10 per cent. ad val.	..	1,503	..	150 0 0
Gas-engines—					
New South Wales ..	Free	5 number ..	365		
Flour-milling—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	712		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,196		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	1,908	..	95 0 0
Gas-making—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	34	..	
New South Wales ..	..	..	226	..	
	10 per cent. ad val.	..	260	..	26 0 0
Mining—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	289		
New South Wales ..	..	..	173		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	462	..	23 0 0
Portable and Traction Engines—					
New South Wales ..	5 per cent. ad val.	3 number ..	828		41 0 0
Printing—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	821		
New South Wales ..	..	..	172		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	993	..	50 0 0
Refrigerating—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	193		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,081		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	1,274	..	64 0 0
Sewing and Knitting—					
Victoria .. ..	..	364 number ..	1,433		
New South Wales ..	..	559 " ..	1,745		
	Free	923 number ..	3,178		
Wood-working—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	691		
New South Wales ..	..	..	322		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	1,013	..	51 0 0
Woollen-milling—					
New South Wales ..	5 per cent. ad val.	..	121	..	6 0 0
Unenumerated—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	566		
New South Wales ..	..	..	3,315		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	3,881	..	776 0 0
Unenumerated—					
New South Wales ..	Free*	103		

* For Government use.

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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.
Machinery—<i>continued</i>.			£	£	£ s. d.
Unenumerated—					
New South Wales ..	10 per cent. ad val.	..	2,009	..	201 0 0
Unenumerated—					
Victoria ..	..	..	62		
New South Wales ..	..	..	298		
	5 per cent. ad val.	..	360	..	18 0 0
Materials and Parts—					
Victoria ..	..	..	189		
New South Wales ..	..	..	362		
	Free .. ..	..	551		
Manures :					
Bone-dust—					
New South Wales ..	..	1,593 tons ..	8,018		
Queensland ..	..	138 " ..	781		
	Free	1,731 tons ..	8,799		
Guano—					
Victoria ..	..	66 tons ..	198		
New South Wales ..	..	121 " ..	364		
Queensland ..	..	185 " ..	555		
	Free	372 tons ..	1,117		
Manures n.o.e.—					
Victoria ..	..	5 tons ..	23		
New South Wales ..	..	291 " ..	1,238		
South Australia ..	..	337 " ..	410		
	Free	633 tons ..	1,671		
Marble :					
Dressed and Polished—					
Victoria ..	..	..	104		
New South Wales ..	..	..	382		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	486	..	122 0 0
Hewn or Rough-sawn—					
Victoria ..	..	21 tons ..	171		
New South Wales ..	..	67 " ..	456		
	Free	88 tons ..	627		
Mats and Matting—					
Victoria ..	..	..	51		
New South Wales ..	..	..	111		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	162	..	32 0 0
Medicines (patent)—					
Victoria ..	..	..	200		
New South Wales ..	..	..	895		
	40 per cent. ad val.	..	1,095	..	438 0 0
Metal Manufactures n.o.e.—					
Victoria ..	..	..	280		
New South Wales ..	..	..	236		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	516	..	103 0 0
Rivets and Washers—					
Victoria ..	..	19 cwt. ..	24		
New South Wales ..	..	122 " ..	129		
	Free	141 cwt. ..	153		
Typewriters—					
Victoria	6 number ..	91		
New South Wales	51 " ..	777		
Western Australia	1 " ..	5		
	Free	58 number ..	873		

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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.
Metal Manufactures— <i>contd.</i>					
Unenumerated—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria .. ..	..	..	828		
New South Wales ..	..	..	2,015		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	2		
	Free .. ..	..	2,845		
Metal Sheathing (other than copper)—					
New South Wales ..	Free	28 cwt. ..	114		
Milk (preserved)—					
New South Wales ..	Free*	12,624 lb. ..	236		
Millinery:					
Feathers (ornamental)—					
New South Wales ..	25 per cent. ad val.	..	204		51 0 0
Other Kinds—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	379		
New South Wales ..	..	..	113		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	492	..	123 0 0
Nails (iron)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	96 cwt. ..	237		
New South Wales ..	..	154 " ..	225		
	2s. per cwt. ..	250 cwt. ..	462	..	25 0 0
Nuts (almonds, barberry, &c.)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	1,542 lb. ..	32		
New South Wales ..	..	4,534 " ..	227		
	Free	6,076 lb. ..	259		
Oils:					
Castor (in bulk)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	28 gallons ..	5		
New South Wales ..	..	700 " ..	101		
	6d. per gallon ..	728 gallons ..	106	..	18 0 0
Fish and Penguin—					
Victoria .. ..	..	831 gallons ..	103		
New South Wales ..	..	3,510 " ..	258		
Tasmania .. ..	..	10,840 " ..	732		
	Free	15,181 gallons ..	1,093		
Linseed—					
Victoria .. ..	..	2,750 gallons ..	280		
New South Wales ..	..	100 " ..	10		
	6d. per gallon ..	2,850 gallons ..	290	..	71 0 0
Mineral—					
Victoria .. ..	..	30,255 gallons ..	3,057		
New South Wales ..	..	6,298 " ..	578		
	6d. per gallon ..	36,548 gallons ..	3,635	..	914 0 0
Neatsfoot—					
Victoria	6d. per gallon ..	2,398 gallons ..	240	..	60 0 0
Unenumerated (bulk)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	18,064 gallons ..	1,522		
New South Wales ..	..	2,382 " ..	267		
	6d. per gallon ..	20,446 gallons ..	1,789	..	511 0 0
Unenumerated (bulk)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3,519 gallons ..	131		
New South Wales ..	..	5,994 " ..	276		
	Free	9,513 gallons ..	407		
Oilmen's Stores—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	117		
New South Wales	14		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	131	..	26 0 0

* Returned New Zealand produce.

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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.
Onions—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	335 cwt.	161		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	2 "	1		
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	12 "	8		
	1s. per cwt.	349 cwt.	170	..	17 0 0
Opium—					
New South Wales	£2 per lb.	145 lb.	220	..	290 0 0
Paints:					
Ground in Oil—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	120 cwt.	160		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	29 "	56		
	2s. 6d. per cwt.	149 cwt.	216	..	19 0 0
Mixed (ready for use)—					
New South Wales	5s. per cwt.	72 cwt.	277	..	18 0 0
Paper:					
Butter—					
New South Wales	Free	73 cwt.	172		
Printing—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	481 cwt.	572		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	659 "	837		
	Free	1,140 cwt.	1,409		
Wrapping—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	18 cwt.	52		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	163 "	248		
	5s. per cwt.	181 cwt.	300	..	45 0 0
Writing—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	104 cwt.	305		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	73 "	140		
	Free	177 cwt.	445		
Perfumery:					
Perfumed Spirits—					
New South Wales	30s. per gallon	20 gallons	125	..	30 0 0
Toilet Preparations—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	163		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	232		
	25 per cent. ad val. .. ..	.. ..	395	..	99 0 0
Photographic Goods—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	127		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	113		
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	3		
	20 per cent. ad val. .. ..	.. ..	243	..	49 0 0
Sensitized Surfaces—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	117		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	231		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	348		
Pictures, Paintings—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	53		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	133		
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	21		
	20 per cent. ad val. .. ..	.. ..	207	..	41 0 0
Picture-frames and Mounts—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	5		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	242		
	20 per cent. ad val. .. ..	.. ..	247	..	49 0 0

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.
Plants and Shrubs—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	420		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	603		
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	1,025		
Plate and plated ware—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	156		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2,425		
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	2,582	..	516 0 0
Printing Type, &c.—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1,163		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	821		
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	18		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	2,002		
Provisions n.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	336		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	142		
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	29		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	507	..	101 0 0
Pumps—					
New South Wales	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	225	..	45 0 0
Rags—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	31 tons	136		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	3 "	17		
	Free	34 tons	153		
Resin—					
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	1,757 cwt.	515		
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	80 "	29		
	Free	1,837 cwt	544		
Rice—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	3,943 cwt.	2,580		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	2,152 "	1,377		
	6s. per cwt.	6,095 cwt.	3,957	..	1,829 0 0
Rugs—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	105		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	445		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	550	..	110 0 0
Saccharine—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	1,328 oz.	170		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	432 "	56		
	1s. 6d. per oz.	1,760 oz.	226	..	132 0 0
Saddlery and Harness—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	108		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	117		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	225	..	45 0 0
Harness Oil, &c.—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	22		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	725		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	747	..	149 0 0
Saddlers' Ironmongery—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	211		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	11		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	222		

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.
Salt—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria ..	..	207 tons ..	576		
New South Wales ..	..	646 " ..	1,661		
South Australia ..	..	3,786 " ..	6,346		
	10s. per ton ..	4,639 tons ..	8,583	..	2,320 0 0
Rock—					
New South Wales ..	Free	157 tons ..	370		
Saltpetre—					
Victoria ..	..	10 tons ..	2		
New South Wales ..	..	10 tons ..	142		
	Free	10 tons ..	144		
Sausage-skins—					
Victoria ..	..	8,223 lb. ..	533		
New South Wales ..	..	652 " ..	23		
	3d. per lb. ..	8,875 lb. ..	556	..	111 0 0
Seeds n.o.e.—					
Victoria ..	..	..	316		
New South Wales ..	..	..	664		
	Free .. ..	..	980		
Shale—					
New South Wales ..	Free	279 tons ..	809		
Ship-chandlery—					
New South Wales ..	Free .. ..	..	138		
Silks—					
Victoria ..	..	..	1,428		
New South Wales ..	..	..	905		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	2,333	..	583 0 0
Skins and Pelts :					
Fur Skins—					
New South Wales ..	Free	5,341 number ..	191		
Slates (roofing)—					
New South Wales ..	Free	13,000 number ..	173		
Soap n.o.e.—					
Victoria ..	..	25,173 lb. ..	1,631		
New South Wales ..	..	22,615 " ..	583		
	25 per cent. ad val.	47,788 lb. ..	2,214	..	554 0 0
Specie :					
Copper—					
Victoria ..	..	..	100		
New South Wales ..	..	..	290		
	Free .. ..	..	390		
Silver—					
Victoria ..	..	..	5,100		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,100		
	Free .. ..	..	6,200		
Spices :					
Unground—					
Victoria ..	..	27,391 lb. ..	1,027		
New South Wales ..	..	16,255 " ..	228		
	2d. per lb. ..	43,646 lb. ..	1,255	..	364 0 0
Spirits :					
Bitters and Cordials—					
Victoria ..	..	199 gallons ..	194		
New South Wales ..	..	254 " ..	250		
	16s. per gallon ..	453 gallons ..	444	..	362 0 0

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.
Spirits—continued.					
Brandy—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria .. ..	..	8,597 gallons ..	3,126		
New South Wales ..	..	1,140 " ..	878		
South Australia ..	..	1,057 " ..	468		
	16s. per gallon ..	10,794 gallons ..	4,472	..	8,635 0 0
Geneva and Gin (unsweetened)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	1,166 gallons ..	443		
New South Wales ..	..	3,048 " ..	1,116		
	16s. per gallon ..	4,214 gallons ..	1,559	..	3,161 0 0
Rum—					
Victoria .. ..	..	219 gallons ..	47		
New South Wales ..	..	625 " ..	141		
	16s. per gallon ..	844 gallons ..	188	..	844 0 0
Whiskey—					
Victoria .. ..	..	4,143 gallons ..	1,480		
New South Wales ..	..	4,395 " ..	1,643		
	16s. per gallon ..	8,538 gallons ..	3,123	..	6,830 0 0
Spirits of Wine—					
New South Wales ..	16s. per gallon ..	13,463 gallons ..	902	..	550 0 0
Starch—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3,920 lb. ..	48		
New South Wales ..	..	28,760 " ..	425		
	2d. per lb. ..	32,680 " ..	473	..	272 0 0
Stationery :					
Manufactured—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,291		
New South Wales ..	..	..	1,697		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	10		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	2,998	..	750 0 0
N.o.e.—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	314		
New South Wales ..	..	..	551		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	2		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	867	..	173 0 0
Apparatus for teaching—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1		
New South Wales ..	..	..	13		
	Free .. ..	..	14		
Bookbinders' Materials—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	212		
New South Wales ..	..	..	112		
	Free .. ..	..	324		
Cardboard-boxes—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	77		
New South Wales ..	..	..	234		
	Free .. ..	..	311		
Stone (building)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	41 tons ..	107		
New South Wales ..	..	5 " ..	8		
	Free	46 tons ..	115		
Sugar (refined)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	3,272 cwt. ..	2,688		
New South Wales ..	..	20,952 " ..	16,011		
Queensland .. ..	..	65,780 " ..	48,421		
	½d. per lb. ..	90,004 cwt. ..	67,120	..	21,001 0 0

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.
Sugar (molasses)—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria ..	..	23 cwt. ..	27		
New South Wales ..	..	12 " ..	7		
Queensland ..	..	1,527 " ..	1,000		
	½d. per lb. ..	1,562 cwt. ..	1,034	..	364 0 0
Tanning Materials:					
Bark—					
Victoria ..	..	1,093 tons ..	9,286		
New South Wales ..	..	70 " ..	578		
South Australia ..	..	505 " ..	4,309		
Tasmania ..	..	457 " ..	3,412		
	Free	2,125 tons ..	17,585		
Other kinds—					
Victoria ..	..	..	986		
New South Wales ..	..	..	593		
South Australia ..	..	..	3		
	Free .. ..	..	1,582		
Tea—					
Victoria ..	..	171,785 lb. ..	7,297		
New South Wales ..	..	398,814 " ..	16,090		
	4d. per lb. ..	570,599 lb. ..	23,387	..	9,510 0 0
Textiles, Articles made up from—					
Victoria ..	..	..	31		
New South Wales ..	..	..	320		
South Australia ..	..	..	7		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	358	..	90 0 0
Timber:					
Laths and Shingles—					
New South Wales ..	2s. per thousand..	104,000 number ..	142	..	10 0 0
Logs—					
New South Wales ..	Free	466 number ..	1,626		
Logs (hewn)—					
New South Wales ..	Free	1,407,213 sup. ft. ..	15,542		
Palings—					
Tasmania ..	2s. per 100 ..	205,679 number ..	1,154	..	206 0 0
Posts—					
Tasmania ..	8s. per 100 ..	4,850 number ..	201	..	19 0 0
Sawn (undressed)—					
Victoria ..	..	94,258 sup. ft. ..	1,038		
New South Wales ..	..	651,590 " ..	5,656		
South Australia ..	..	1,021 " ..	12		
Tasmania ..	..	844,831 " ..	4,047		
	2s. per 100 sup. ft.	1,591,700 sup. ft. ..	10,753	..	1,592 0 0
Sawn (undressed)—					
New South Wales ..	Free*	535,720 sup. ft. ..	5,204		
N.o.e.—					
New South Wales ..	Free .. ..	..	1,433		
Tin:					
Block—					
Victoria ..	..	10 cwt. ..	56		
New South Wales ..	..	814 " ..	4,404		
Tasmania ..	..	68 " ..	380		
	Free	892 cwt. ..	4,840		
Sheet—					
New South Wales	3,763 cwt. ..	2,970		
Tasmania	44 " ..	31		
	Free	3,807 cwt. ..	3,001		

* For Government use.

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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.
Tinware—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria ..	..	..	95		
New South Wales ..	..	..	230		
	25 per cent. ad val.	..	325	..	81 0 0
Tobacco :					
Unmanufactured—					
Victoria ..	..	565 lb. ..	55		
New South Wales ..	..	859 " ..	116		
	2s. per lb. ..	1,424 lb. ..	171	..	142 0 0
Manufactured—					
Victoria ..	..	71,833 lb. ..	6,625		
New South Wales ..	..	14,958 " ..	1,394		
Tasmania ..	..	11 " ..	1		
	3s. 6d. per lb. ..	86,802 lb. ..	8,020	..	15,190 0 0
Cigars—					
Victoria ..	..	1,653 lb. ..	584		
New South Wales ..	..	15,433 " ..	4,093		
South Australia ..	..	66 " ..	48		
	7s. per lb. ..	17,152 lb. ..	4,725	..	6,003 0 0
Cigarettes—					
New South Wales ..	..	3,391 lb. ..	988		
Victoria ..	..	2 " ..	1		
	17s. 6d. per 1,000	3,393 lb. ..	989	..	1,188 0 0
Tools :					
Engineers' Machine—					
Victoria ..	..	..	341		
New South Wales ..	..	..	41		
	Free .. ..	..	382		
N.o.e.—					
Victoria ..	..	..	376		
New South Wales ..	..	..	462		
	Free .. ..	..	838		
Turpentine and Driers—					
New South Wales ..	Free	926 gallons ..	113		
Twine (binder)—					
Victoria ..	..	632 cwt. ..	993		
New South Wales ..	..	1,519 " ..	2,478		
Queensland ..	..	312 " ..	521		
	Free	2,463 cwt. ..	3,992		
Varnish and Goldsize—					
Victoria ..	..	25 gallons ..	10		
New South Wales ..	..	319 " ..	128		
	2s. per gallon ..	344 gallons ..	138	..	34 0 0
Watches—					
Victoria ..	..	96 number ..	119		
New South Wales ..	..	2,168 " ..	2,196		
	20 per cent. ad val.	2,264 number ..	2,315	..	463 0 0
Wax :					
Paraffin—					
Victoria ..	..	179,290 lb. ..	1,777		
New South Wales ..	..	112 " ..	3		
	1½d. per lb. ..	179,402 lb. ..	1,780	..	1,121 0 0
Beeswax—					
Victoria	11 cwt. ..	75		
New South Wales	43 " ..	297		
Queensland	3 " ..	14		
	Free	57 cwt. ..	386		

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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.
Wine :			£	£	£ s. d.
Australian—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	927 gallons ..	311		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	2,317 " ..	832		
South Australia .. ..	.. ..	18,494 " ..	5,837		
	5s. per gallon ..	21,738 gallons ..	6,980	..	5,435 0 0
Sparkling—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	102 gallons ..	141		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	358 " ..	773		
	9s. per gallon ..	460 gallons ..	914	..	207 0 0
Other Kinds—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	1,647 gallons ..	571		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	1,034 " ..	385		
	6s. per gallon ..	2,681 gallons ..	956	..	804 0 0
Woodenware—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	482		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	694		
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	83		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	1,259	..	252 0 0
Woodenware—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	751		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	40		
	Free* .. ..	.. ..	791		
Mouldings—					
New South Wales	15 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	199	..	30 0 0
Woollen Piece-goods—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1,735		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	5,621		
	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	7,356	..	1,471 0 0
Blankets—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	284 pairs ..	116		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	390 " ..	143		
	20 per cent. ad val.	674 pairs ..	259		52 0 0
Yarns—					
Victoria	20 per cent. ad val.	.. ..	250	..	50 0 0
Coir, Flax, and Hemp—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	60		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	94		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	154		
Articles and Materials used solely in the manufacture of Goods in the Colony—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	253		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	396		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	649		
Miscellaneous Goods (manufactured—					
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	374		
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	257		
South Australia .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	5		
	Free .. ..	.. ..	636		
Goods (unmanufactured)—					
Victoria	464		
New South Wales	42		
	506		

* Returned empties.

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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.
Parcels Post—			£	£	£ s. d.
Victoria .. ..	..	..	1,546		
New South Wales ..	..	..	3,693		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	90		
South Australia ..	..	..	43		
Western Australia ..	..	..	28		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	19		
	Various ..	..	5,419	..	1,100 0 0
Sundry (small items)—					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	3,533		
New South Wales ..	..	..	6,496		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	364		
South Australia ..	..	..	87		
Western Australia ..	..	..	57		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	150		
	Various ..	..	10,687	..	2,564 0 0
TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS INTO NEW ZEALAND FROM AUSTRALIAN COLONIES.					
Victoria .. ..	..	..	150,200		
New South Wales ..	..	..	329,832		
Queensland .. ..	..	..	54,658		
South Australia ..	..	..	17,638		
Western Australia ..	..	..	104		
Tasmania .. ..	..	..	12,914		
Grand Total of Imports from Australia (including Tasmania) ..			565,346		
Total estimated Duty payable on above	122,489 0 0

Department of Trade and Customs,
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