

1905.
NEW ZEALAND.

COST OF COLLECTING CUSTOMS AND OTHER REVENUE BY
THE CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT AT EACH PORT OF ENTRY

(RETURN OF) FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1905.

Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly by Command of His Excellency.

RETURN of the Amount collected (after deducting Refunds and Drawbacks), and the Cost of collecting the same, at each Port of Entry for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 1905.

PARTICULARS OF AMOUNT COLLECTED.

Customs duties	£	2,631,983
Rents, seizures, &c.		353
Bonded-warehouse duty		4,616
Beer duty		96,220
Gold duty		22,265
Light dues		29,309
Pilotage and port charges		67,882
Chinese Immigrants Act		14,800
Distillation Act		102
Sea-fisheries Act, fees		83
Shipping Acts		5,443
Timber export duties		661
Other receipts		1,547
							<u>£2,875,264</u>

COST OF COLLECTION AT EACH PORT.

Ports.	Net Collection.	Rate per Cent. of Cost of Collection.	Ports.	Net Collection.	Rate per Cent. of Cost of Collection.
	£	£ s. d.		£	£ s. d.
Auckland	732,794	1 4 8	Oamaru	16,665	2 7 5
Wellington	712,973	1 3 9	Hokitika	14,143	2 6 9
Dunedin and Port Chalmers..	471,392	1 7 7	Westport	13,931	3 2 7
Lyttelton and Christchurch ..	434,776	1 8 10	Wairau	10,820	2 11 9
Invercargill	95,409	1 11 5	Patea	4,541	1 17 10
Napier	89,410	1 11 0	Kaipara	2,380	3 8 0
Wanganui	73,242	1 15 0	Picton	741	4 14 5
Nelson	47,832	2 3 6	Tauranga	717	7 5 1
Timaru	32,163	1 17 2	Parcel-post	*35,516	..
Poverty Bay	30,400	1 10 9			
New Plymouth	28,389	2 1 4			
Greymouth	27,030	2 0 4	Total	2,875,264	1 7 5

* Included in the average for the colony.

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