

SESSION II.
1906.
NEW ZEALAND.

RECIPROCITY:
AGREEMENT BETWEEN AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND
(RETURN SHOWING LOSS OF REVENUE AS RESULT OF).

Laid upon the Table of the House by Hon. Sir J. G. Ward, with the Leave of the House.

RETURN showing Loss of REVENUE which will arise to each Country as a Result of the Differential Rates. [The actual exports to Australia from New Zealand and the actual exports to New Zealand from Australia, as shown in their respective export returns for 1905, is the basis of this return.]

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| EXPORTED TO AUSTRALIA FROM NEW ZEALAND. | | | | | EXPORTED TO NEW ZEALAND FROM AUSTRALIA. | | | | | |
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| Article. | Quantity. | Value. | Present Rate in Australia. | Proposed Rate for New Zealand Goods. | Actual Loss in Revenue to New Zealand on New Zealand Goods. | Quantity. | Value. | Present Rate in New Zealand. | Proposed Rate for Australian Goods. | Actual Loss in Revenue to New Zealand on Australian Goods. |
| Aerated and mineral waters | 272 doz. | £ 40 | 20 per cent. | Free | £ 8 | 90 lb. | £ 243 | 20 per cent. | Free | £ 48 |
| Bacon and hams | 153 cwt. | 540 | 3d. lb. | 3d. lb. | .. | 439 lb. | 3 | 2d. lb. | 2d. lb. | .. |
| Butter | 4,265 cwt. | 18,763 | 3d. lb. | 3d. lb. | .. | Nil | 21 | 20 per cent. | 20 per cent. | .. |
| Cheese | 1,900 cwt. | 5,137 | 3d. lb. | 3d. lb. | .. | Nil | .. | 20 per cent. | 20 per cent. | .. |
| Candles | Nil | .. | 1d. lb. | 1d. lb. | .. | 24 lb. | 1 | 1d. lb. | 1d. lb. | .. |
| Eggs | 131 doz. | 11 | 6d. dozen | 2½d. dozen | 2 | 3,950 doz. | 411 | 20 per cent. | 2½d. doz. | 41 |
| Fish—Fresh | 10,002 cwt. | 14,664 | 1d. lb. | Free | 4,667 | 9,144 lb. | 107 | 20 per cent. | Free | 21 |
| Oysters | 303,771 doz. | 2,530 | 2s. cwt. | Free | 800 | Nil | .. | .. | .. | 700 (about) |
| Apples, pears, grapes | 480 lb. | 7 | 2s. cental | 2s. cental | .. | 31,592 centals | 12,953 | 3½d. lb. from 14th July to 31st Dec.; 1d. rest of year. | 3½d. lb. from 14th July to 1st March; 1d. rest of year. | .. |
| Fruits, dried— | Nil | .. | 3d. lb. | Free | .. | (Pears and grapes not included in above.) | grapes not | 1d. lb. | Free | 164 |
| Raisins | Nil | .. | 2d. lb. | Free | .. | 39,400 lb. | 411 | 1d. lb. | Free | .. |
| Currents | Nil | .. | .. | .. | .. | Nil | .. | 1d. lb. | .. | .. |
| Grain— | 41,708 bushels | 10,341 | 1s. 6d. cental | 1s. 3d. cental | 260 | 837 centals | 371 | 2s. cental | 1s. 6d. cental | 20 |
| Barley | 18,312 bushels | 4,306 | 1s. 6d. cental | 1s. 3d. cental | .. | 1,137 centals | 597 | 9d. cental | 1s. 3d. cental | .. |
| Beans and peas | 456 bushels | 80 | 1s. 6d. cental | 1s. 3d. cental | .. | 950 centals | 247 | 9d. cental | 1s. 3d. cental | .. |
| Maize | 597 tons | 2,143 | 1s. cental | 9d. cental | 167 | 1,195 centals | 285 | 20 per cent. | 9d. cental | 12 |
| Bran, pollard, and sharps | Nil | .. | 2s. 6d. cental | Free | .. | 8,763 centals | 3,381 | 1s. cental | Free | 438 |
| Flour | 8 bushels | 1 | 1s. 6d. cental | 1s. cental | .. | 83 centals | 34 | 9d. cental | 9d. cental | .. |
| Wheat | 151 centals | 79 | 3d. lb. | 1s. cental | 24 | 27,871 lb. | 292 | 1s. cental | 1s. cental | .. |
| Oatmeal, wheatmeal, and rolled oats | 60 tons | 213 | 1s. cwt. | Free | 60 | 2,848 cwt. | 474 | 20s. ton | Free | 142 |
| Hay and chaff | 3,032 cwt. | 18,361 | 6d. lb. | 6d. lb. | .. | Nil | .. | 6d. lb. | 6d. lb. | .. |
| Hops | 1,381 centals | 746 | 2s. cental | Free | 138 | Nil | .. | 20s. ton | Free | .. |
| Linseed | Nil | .. | 4s. cental | Free | .. | 697 centals | 171 | 15 per cent. | Free | .. |
| Linseedmeal | Nil | .. | 1s. cental | Free | .. | Nil | .. | 20 per cent. | Free | 34 |
| Linseed-oil | Nil | .. | 6s. cental | 6s. cental | .. | Nil | .. | 2s. bushel | 2s. bushel | .. |
| Malt | 676,897 lb. | 14,142 | 1d. lb. | 1d. lb. | .. | Nil | .. | 25 per cent. | 25 per cent. | .. |
| Milk, preserved | Nil | .. | .. | .. | .. | 184 gallons | 61 | 6d. gal. in bulk | .. | 8 (about) |
| Oils— | Nil | .. | 1s. 4d. gal. | Free | .. | .. | .. | 15 per cent. bottle | .. | .. |
| Olive | Nil | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 20 per cent. | Free | .. |
| Eucalyptus | 7,830 cwt. | 3,120 | 1s. cwt. | 1s. cwt. | .. | 17,977 cwt. | 1,867 | 1s. cwt. | 1s. cwt. | 373 |
| Onions | 2 tons | 10 | 1s. cwt. | 1s. cwt. | .. | 37,847 cwt. | 14,629 | 20 per cent. | 20 per cent. | .. |
| Potatoes | Nil | .. | 3d. lb. | 3d. lb. | .. | 8,799 lb. | 367 | 25 per cent. | 25 per cent. | .. |
| Soap, perfumed | 63,917 lb. | 506 | 6s. cwt. | 6s. cwt. | .. | 1,283 cwt. | 1,079 | 3d. lb. | Free | 299* |
| Sugar, refined and unrefined | Nil | .. | .. | .. | .. | 10,098,900 sup. ft. | 66,167 | 2s. 100 sup. ft. | 2s. 100 sup. ft. | .. |
| Timber— | Nil | .. | 6d. 100 sup. ft. | 6d. 100 sup. ft. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Sawn, undressed | Nil | .. | 1s. 100 sup. ft. | 1s. 100 sup. ft. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Undressed Oregon, in sizes of 12 in. by 6 in. and over | Nil | .. | 1s. 100 sup. ft. | 1s. 100 sup. ft. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Undressed, n.e.i., in sizes of 12 in. by 6 in. and over | 20,196 sup. ft. | 98 | 1s. 6d. 100 sup. ft. | 1s. 6d. 100 sup. ft. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Undressed, n.e.i., in sizes of less than 12 in. by 6 in. | 173,572 sup. ft. | 1,595 | 3s. 100 sup. ft. | 3s. 100 sup. ft. | .. | 72,899 sup. ft. | 1,226 | 4s. 100 sup. ft. | 4s. 100 sup. ft. | .. |
| Sawn, dressed | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 43,946 gal. | 15,193 | 5s. gal. | 4s. gal. | 2,197 |
| Wine | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |

* Sugar on which duty to amount of £185,000 odd was collected in 1905 was imported from Fiji.

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