

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 30th JUNE, 1914.

| PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN | | DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1914. | | ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 31ST MARCH, 1914. | | TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1914. | |
|------------------------------|----------------|---|---------|--|------------|--|------------|
| County or Borough. | District. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. |
| | | Oz. | £ | Oz. | £ | Oz. | £ |
| County of Thames .. | Auckland | 1,704 | 6,582 | | | | |
| " Ohinemuri .. | | 19,662 | 82,556 | | | | |
| " Coromandel .. | | 611 | 2,566 | | | | |
| " Piako .. | | 136 | 574 | | | | |
| Borough of Thames .. | | .. | .. | | | | |
| " Waihi .. | | 23,928 | 93,758 | | | | |
| Great Barrier Island .. | | .. | .. | | | | |
| | | 46,041 | 186,036 | 5,867,256 | 22,369,397 | 5,913,297 | 22,555,493 |
| | Wellington .. | .. | .. | 188 | 706 | 188 | 706 |
| County of Marlborough | Marlborough .. | 625 | 2,425 | 92,777 | 361,329 | 93,402 | 363,754 |
| County of Collingwood | Nelson | 850 | 3,401 | | | | |
| " Waimea .. | | 42 | 163 | | | | |
| " Takaka .. | | 3 | 12 | | | | |
| | | 895 | 3,581 | 1,730,402 | 6,860,415 | 1,731,297 | 6,863,996 |
| County of Buller .. | West Coast | 235 | 940 | | | | |
| " Inangahua .. | | 18,912 | 71,124 | | | | |
| " Grey .. | | 1,409 | 5,762 | | | | |
| " Westland .. | | 1,783 | 7,272 | | | | |
| Borough of Kumara .. | | .. | .. | | | | |
| " Hokitika .. | .. | .. | | | | | |
| " Ross .. | 574 | 2,296 | | | | | |
| | | 22,913 | 87,394 | 5,867,290 | 23,316,790 | 5,890,203 | 23,404,184 |
| | Canterbury .. | .. | .. | 99 | 387 | 99 | 387 |
| County of Taieri .. | Otago | 46 | 190 | | | | |
| " Tuapeka .. | | 2,100 | 8,535 | | | | |
| " Vincent .. | | 3,905 | 15,789 | | | | |
| " Maniototo .. | | 432 | 1,786 | | | | |
| " Waihemo .. | | 151 | 550 | | | | |
| " Waitaki .. | | 87 | 349 | | | | |
| " Lake .. | | 410 | 1,641 | | | | |
| " Wallace .. | | 1,276 | 5,101 | | | | |
| " Waikouaiti .. | | .. | .. | | | | |
| " Bruce .. | | 360 | 1,439 | | | | |
| " Clutha .. | | .. | .. | | | | |
| " Fiord .. | | .. | .. | | | | |
| " Southland .. | | 4,719 | 19,123 | | | | |
| " Stewart Island | .. | .. | | | | | |
| | | 13,486 | 54,503 | 7,417,300 | 29,505,457 | 7,430,786 | 29,559,960 |
| Unknown .. | .. | 81 | 322 | 2,210 | 8,517 | 2,291 | 8,839 |
| Totals .. | .. | 84,041 | 334,261 | 20,977,522 | 82,422,998 | 21,061,563 | 82,757,259 |

* Duty payable on gold exported, the produce of the North Island, 2s. 3d. per oz.; duty payable on gold exported, the produce of the South Island, 3d. per oz.; duty payable on gold exported, contained in jewellers' and dentists' sweepings, free. *Vide* sections 1 and 2 of the Gold Duty Act, 1908, section 16 of the Mining Amendment Act, 1910, and section 2 of the Gold Duty Amendment Act, 1912.

COMPARATIVE RETURN for the HALF-YEARS ended 30th JUNE, 1914 and 1913.

| District of | Half-year ended 30th June, 1914. | | Half-year ended 30th June, 1913. | |
|---------------------|----------------------------------|---------|----------------------------------|---------|
| | Quantity. | Value. | Quantity. | Value. |
| | Oz. | £ | Oz. | £ |
| Auckland | 89,456 | 351,894 | 92,803 | 365,575 |
| Wellington | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Marlborough | 918 | 3,565 | 355 | 1,370 |
| Nelson | 895 | 3,581 | 453 | 1,808 |
| West Coast | 49,823 | 194,545 | 41,032 | 160,347 |
| Canterbury | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Otago | 36,010 | 144,546 | 35,423 | 142,329 |
| Unknown | 149 | 585 | 216 | 866 |
| Totals | 177,251 | 698,716 | 170,282 | 672,295 |

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