

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1915.

CUSTOMS DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Wairau (including Pictou).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1914.			
																					Quantities.	Revenue.				
Spirits, \pounds gal.	17s.*	22071	..	237	5368	953	510	3070	29947	6216	487	1889	781	2494	246	21850	2877	3	10455	4081	..	..	*133,579 gal.	£ 113,535	£ 166,537
perfumed,	30s.	267	..	..	..	..	..	1	314	5	..	..	..	..	..	114	4	1	226	..	..	..	621	932	608
Cigars and Snuff, \pounds lb.	7s.	1108	..	..	36	182	..	38	1170	86	..	88	39	24	..	1011	13	..	631	82	..	..	12,880 lb.	4,508	6,441
South African, \pounds lb.	17s. 6d.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cigarettes, \pounds 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under.	7s.	12618	..	..	1760	1554	131	1894	17402	3183	282	902	359	1133	109	5738	86	..	3623	1434	..	..	..	52,208	51,825
South African, \pounds 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under.	16s. 11-7d.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. \pounds lb.	6s. 9½d.	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	..	..	42	42
Tobacco, manufactured, \pounds lb.	3s. 6d.	26429	..	..	1651	3410	665	3336	19956	4619	542	1979	420	1818	356	11851	1111	..	10972	4275	..	..	533,657 lb.	93,390	100,078
South African, \pounds lb.	2s. 6d.	174	..	..	13	31	..	..	104	6	6	6	..	..	..	63	..	..	138	13	..	..	4,432	554	528
unmanufactured, \pounds lb.	2s.	82	..	..	..	..	..	..	313	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,950	395	305
Wine, sparkling, \pounds gal.	9s.	88	..	..	..	..	..	8	344	25	..	..	9	9	..	147	5	3	32	..	..	..	1,489 gal.	670	1,069
Australian,	5s.	600	..	..	135	63	6	110	1317	168	74	22	101	164	20	505	75	..	534	77	..	..	15,884	3,971	4,177
other kinds,	6s.	394	..	..	55	18	..	36	821	220	..	24	20	19	..	1142	19	..	347	37	..	..	10,507	3,152	4,300
South African, \pounds gal.	2s.	102	..	3	40	..	..	..	145	7	..	1	4	29	..	171	..	..	14	7	..	..	5,230	523	528
Ale, beer, &c., \pounds gal.	2s.	613	..	1	160	23	8	162	1674	185	..	124	..	27	..	741	187	..	316	..	..	..	42,210	4,221	6,769
Opium, \pounds lb.	40s.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	11	..
Goods by Weight—																										
General Tariff . . . . .	..	19249	..	..	410	553	63	521	18247	1101	69	392	103	370	50	8092	215	76	5318	1188	..	..	..	56,017	48,407
Preferential Tariff . . . . .	..	613	..	..	17	13	2	6	742	12	..	47	1	4	2	198	8	4	221	31	..	..	1,921	1,167	
South African Tariff . . . . .	..	192	..	..	..	14	..	..	39	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	250	..	
Goods <i>ad valorem</i> —																										
General Tariff . . . . .	..	96969	..	146	3235	3953	649	5195	114861	8921	882	2147	651	1162	221	46273	4186	1463	42788	5814	..	..	..	339,516	277,228
Preferential Tariff . . . . .	..	7711	..	6	116	499	67	285	7907	668	113	132	25	67	-1	5486	152	42	2992	533	..	..	..	26,800	23,172
South African Tariff . . . . .	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	3	18	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	41	24
Other Duties—																										
General Tariff . . . . .	..	7821	..	..	179	260	11	348	7300	-312	66	117	87	148	1	3753	338	80	3771	290	..	..	..	24,258	35,178
Preferential Tariff . . . . .	..	425	..	..	6	16	1	15	305	49	1	6	5	11	..	185	25	2	390	43	..	..	..	1,485	1,484
South African Tariff . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Primage . . . . .	..	16016	5	6	420	342	59	586	13846	975	64	249	123	179	17	6634	450	111	5046	829	..	..	..	45,957	..
Surtax . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals (General Tariff)	..	189144	..	384	12989	10982	2043	14720	214875	24436	2402	7684	2570	7368	1003	101509	9132	1626	79321	17340	..	..	..	699,528	704,326
Preferential Tariff . . . . .	..	8783	..	6	139	531	70	306	8984	733	114	185	31	82	1	5885	188	48	3620	608	..	..	..	30,314	25,948
South African Tariff . . . . .	..	497	..	3	53	45	..	3	306	16	6	7	4	29	..	237	5	..	179	20	..	..	..	1,410	1,122
Primage . . . . .	..	16016	5	6	420	342	59	586	13846	975	64	249	123	179	17	6634	450	111	5046	829	..	..	..	45,957	..
Surtax . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Grand Totals . . . . .	..	214440	5	399	13601	11900	2172	15615	238011	26160	2586	8125	2728	7658	1021	114265	9775	1785	88166	18797	..	..	..	777,209	..
Corresponding quarter, 1914 . . . . .	..	201961	2	322	14838	12151	2537	20447	199164	29850	3203	9356	3564	8299	1535	103555	11030	1419	87581	20584	..	..	..	..	731,398

* Including amounts at 16s. per gallon, being adjustments on entries passed prior to 27th August, 1915.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF CUSTOMS DUTIES for the YEARS 1915 and 1914.

Year 1915	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Year 1914	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..