

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st DECEMBER, 1920.

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, 1919.
																					Quantities.	Revenue.	
Spirits, $\text{£}$ gal. ..	18s.	48266	..	227	5521	2567	243	5090	41840	6378	1002	1256	570	1709	165	23714	1593	..	16359	5881	180,367 gal.	£ 162,331	£ 154,306
perfumcd, ..	30s.	848	..	..	8	29	..	13	1115	28	..	15	..	4	..	616	16	4	468	105	2,179	£ 3,269	£ 1,108
Cigars and Snuff, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	12s.	4777	..	43	294	125	..	225	2653	299	..	56	..	58	..	3081	110	..	1120	74	21,525 lb.	£ 12,915	£ 7,823
Cigarettes ..	See below*	33339	..	..	4779	5801	..	4317	32382	4982	944	1691	382	1793	281	14127	1160	..	12736	3521	..	£ 122,235	£ 117,151
South African ..	Above rates less 3%	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tobacco, manufactured, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	3s. 6d.	38578	..	..	3342	5850	..	4637	31633	5680	1039	2002	427	1492	325	15395	1573	..	16705	6308	771,346 lb.	£ 134,986	£ 138,716
South African, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	2s. 6d.	55	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	544	£ 68	£ 373
unmanufactured, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	2s.	213	..	..	..	..	..	..	8563	32	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	88,078	£ 8,808	£ 4,943
Wine, sparkling, $\text{£}$ gal. ..	15s.	761	..	..	37	37	..	23	927	78	8	16	8	12	..	239	..	..	105	15	3,021 gal.	£ 2,266	£ 1,937
South African, $\text{£}$ gal. ..	5s.	39	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	181	£ 45	£ 28
Australian, $\text{£}$ gal. ..	5s.	1550	..	..	172	98	3	177	2051	153	12	11	56	71	..	871	152	..	696	73	24,585	£ 6,146	£ 4,704
other kinds, ..	6s.	898	..	..	43	22	..	78	1025	151	..	..	..	12	..	1654	53	..	439	11	14,618	£ 4,386	£ 3,006
South African, $\text{£}$ gal. ..	2s.	441	..	7	..	19	..	65	360	42	9	7	..	52	..	643	5	..	50	52	17,519	£ 1,752	£ 2,700
Ale, beer, &c., $\text{£}$ gal. ..	2s.	400	..	..	..	46	..	20	894	43	13	15	4	24	..	66	20	..	95	7	16,471	£ 1,647	£ 897
Chicory, Cocoa, and Chocolate—																							
General Tariff, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	3d.	747	..	5	6	..	9	24	590	3	..	..	..	..	..	70	9	8	712	14	175,753 lb.	£ 2,197	£ 4,625
Preferential Tariff, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	3d.	104	..	..	1	..	..	2	23	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	112	1	100,893	£ 252	£ 152
Tea—																							
General Tariff, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	3d., 5d.	3061	..	..	3	39	24	33	2534	105	19	10	..	1	..	2489	4	232	2779	142	912,126	£ 11,475	£ 38,424
Preferential Tariff, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	2d.	1	..	..	2	13	..	3	57	12	..	2	..	..	..	55	3	2	449	8	72,826	£ 607	£ 2,189
Opium, $\text{£}$ lb. ..	40s.	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	4	..	9	£ 18	£ 9
Goods by Weight—																							
General Tariff ..	..	20843	..	11	481	652	59	1028	18376	1034	46	130	35	135	11	10728	241	24	7713	1406	..	£ 62,953	£ 52,622
Preferential Tariff ..	..	511	..	..	17	11	..	17	433	46	..	7	4	..	5	224	14	..	268	22	..	£ 1,579	£ 1,342
South African Tariff ..	..	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	..	..	..	..	..	Less 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	£ 75	£ 70
Goods <i>ad valorem</i> —																							
General Tariff ..	..	340653	..	170	8930	11201	1911	18371	357011	27585	1476	3990	1076	2063	122	230937	11388	3806	170942	17466	..	£ 1,209,098	£ 444,824
Preferential Tariff ..	..	64052	..	13	514	3328	199	1816	67828	3737	275	400	58	131	10	47277	903	169	24905	2738	..	£ 218,353	£ 108,411
South African Tariff ..	..	Less 11	..	1	..	..	..	41	Less 24	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	£ 12	£ 74
Other Duties—																							
General Tariff ..	..	14929	..	3	261	264	85	466	13519	681	12	84	11	18	12	6966	239	23	5792	646	..	£ 44,011	£ 24,250
Preferential Tariff ..	..	2000	..	..	17	34	..	55	2016	56	..	..	..	..	..	491	23	1	477	22	..	£ 5,192	£ 1,650
South African Tariff ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Primage ..	..	56158	15	26	1144	1516	253	2088	51275	3616	193	538	163	346	27	31100	2075	350	21767	3612	..	£ 176,262	£ 75,227
Totals																							
General Tariff ..	..	509865	..	459	23877	26731	2334	34502	515115	47232	4571	9276	2569	7392	916	310963	16558	4097	236665	35619	..	£ 1,788,741	£ 999,345
Preferential Tariff ..	..	66668	..	13	551	3386	199	1893	70357	3852	275	409	62	131	15	48055	943	172	26211	2791	..	£ 225,983	£ 113,744
South African Tariff ..	..	574	..	8	..	19	..	106	385	42	9	8	..	52	..	640	5	..	51	53	..	£ 1,952	£ 3,245
Primage ..	..	56158	15	26	1144	1516	253	2088	51275	3616	193	538	163	346	27	31100	2075	350	21767	3612	..	£ 176,262	£ 75,227
Grand totals ..	..	633265	15	506	25572	31652	2786	38589	637132	54742	5048	10231	2794	7921	958	390758	19581	4619	284694	42075	..	£ 2,192,938	£ ..
Corresponding quarter, 1919 ..	..	337592	10	300	15472	21303	914	22268	383894	37027	3940	8041	2123	6405	1207	174269	11785	1536	135780	27695	..	£ ..	£ 1,191,561

\* 25s. 6d. per 1,000 of  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb. and under, and 10s. 6d. per lb.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of CUSTOMS DUTIES for the YEARS 1920 and 1919.

Year 1920 ..	2223469	15	1281	95710	111440	7675	125699	2588474	194580	18668	42746	10957	31624	4200	1269057	75518	14290	993642	144432	..	£ 7,953,477	£ ..
Year 1919 ..	1236547	95	951	61598	76103	3445	87068	1462188	130502	14080	30910	8435	25281	4309	687127	43135	5996	530767	93817	..	£ ..	£ 4,502,354