

RETURN OF THE NUMBER, TONNAGE, AND CREWS OF VESSELS ENTERED INWARDS AND CLEARED OUTWARDS AT THE SEVERAL PORTS OF NEW ZEALAND DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1921.

Ports.	ENTERED.														CLEARED.																	
	Whence.						British.				Foreign.				Total.		Whither.						British.				Foreign.				Total.	
	United Kingdom.		British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.		Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.					
	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.	Ballast (a).																						Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.	Ballast (a).	Cargo.
Auckland	7	1	45	2	14	63	194,914	5,025	6	18,410	230	69	213,324	5,255	..	..	31	21	7	1	55	126,755	3,660	5	10,564	134	60	137,319	3,794	
Kaipara	1	327	14	..	..	..	1	327	14	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1,888	52	..	..	..	2	1,888	52			
Tauranga			
Gisborne	4	..	..	4	2,188	62	..	..	..	4	2,188	62	1	..	2	1	..	..	4	6,931	205	..	..	..	4	6,931	205		
New Plymouth	1	..	..	1	1,208	29	..	..	..	1	1,208	29	..	..	2	2	..	..	3	9,980	140	1	4,497	47	4	14,477	187		
Waitara			
Patea		
Wanganui	3	..	..	3	1,973	62	..	..	..	3	1,973	62	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	5,155	69	..	..	..	1	5,155	69		
Wellington	4	1	22	..	5	32	109,117	3,039	1	1,988	32	33	111,105	3,071	23	..	14	7	3	44	183,399	4,164	3	10,496	140	47	193,895	4,304				
Napier	3	..	..	3	6,451	120	..	..	..	3	6,451	120	..	..	1	1	1	..	2	3,722	78	1	3,415	47	3	7,137	125		
Wairau		
Picton	2	2	2,749	66	2	2,749	66		
Nelson	1	..	..	1	1,208	29	..	..	..	1	1,208	29			
Westport	1	..	..	1	903	26	..	..	..	1	903	26	..	..	1	1	1	..	3	3,277	88	..	..	..	3	3,277	88		
Greymouth	1	..	..	1	1,126	26	..	..	..	1	1,126	26	..	..	9	..	..	..	9	6,994	196	..	..	..	9	6,994	196		
Hokitika		
Lyttelton	10	..	2	9	14,650	294	3	7,373	104	12	22,023	398	2	..	2	8	1	13	33,920	543	..	..	..	13	33,920	543			
Timaru	1	..	..	1	917	22	..	..	..	1	917	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	993	11	1	993	11			
Oamaru	1	..	..	..	1	1,333	29	..	..	..	1	1,333	29			
Dunedin	9	1	1	9	11,465	323	2	3,911	57	11	15,376	380	1	..	2	9	..	10	26,885	539	3	7,652	124	13	34,537	663				
Bluff Harbour	6	..	..	6	10,455	259	..	..	..	6	10,455	259	..	..	6	1	..	6	10,761	337	1	3,495	53	7	14,256	390			
Total	Sailing	Cargo	..	13	..	1	10	6,321	148	4	5,017	60	14	11,338	208	3	..	9	..	..	9	5,073	121	3	9,349	109	12	14,422	230	
		Ballast (a)	1	1	1,988	32	1	1,988	32	6	..	3	6	6,688	117	3	2,554	35	9	9,242	152		
Total	Steam (b)	Cargo	11	..	94	..	21	331,431	8,668	6	21,262	284	126	352,693	8,952	24	..	64	..	13	95	307,252	8,000	6	18,655	263	101	325,907	8,263			
		Ballast (a)	..	2	..	5	6	20,691	551	1	3,415	47	7	24,106	598	..	1	..	46	..	44	103,195	1,891	3	10,554	149	47	113,749	2,040			
Grand total	11	2	107	5	22	136	358,443	9,367	12	31,682	423	148	390,125	9,790	27	1	73	52	13	3	154	422,208	10,129	15	41,112	556	169	463,320	10,685	
Corresponding Quarter, 1920	16	2	128	14	35	174	500,902	12,245	22	48,309	903	196	549,211	13,148	22	..	88	55	14	3	163	475,948	11,281	19	39,954	722	182	515,902	12,543	

(a) "Ballast" means—(1) Inwards, "having no cargo for discharge in New Zealand"; (2) Outwards, "having no cargo loaded in New Zealand."

(b) "Steam" includes "motor."

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