

RETURN showing the CUSTOMS and EXCISE DUTIES collected at the several Ports of NEW ZEALAND during the QUARTER ended 31st MARCH, 1929—continued.
CUSTOMS DUTIES—continued.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Kaipara.	Tauranga.	Gisborne.	New Plymouth.	Patea.	Wanganui.	Wellington.	Napier.	Waiapu (including Pictou).	Nelson.	Westport.	Greymouth.	Hokitika.	Lyttelton.	Timaru.	Oamaru.	Dunedin.	Invercargill.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1928.
																					Quantities.	Revenue.	
Totals	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
General Tariff	319952	94	292	14435	13960	3740	15156	463762	36430	4317	6519	2522	6949	1280	170937	10669	332	116650	19828	..	1,207,824	1,096,879
British Preferential Tariff	213644	..	228	4959	8245	1066	7937	211515	14264	1529	3780	774	2012	201	101538	16281	2070	76816	11835	..	678,694	635,549
Primage	36750	..	16	543	1693	86	768	35810	1821	192	418	117	275	22	16328	2107	282	11503	1863	..	110,594	105,687
Grand totals	570346	94	536	19937	23898	4892	23861	711087	52515	6038	10717	3413	9236	1503	288803	29057	2684	204969	33526	..	1,997,112	..
Corresponding quarter, 1928	558779	7	569	17806	22656	5146	25803	609580	55143	4930	10259	3536	8753	1450	261158	18722	3497	196001	34320	..	..	1,838,115
Financial year, 1928-29	2202720	113	2629	77152	103750	24144	101854	2804438	220704	20905	54394	16725	41279	6165	1089663	95910	10355	793888	140956	..	7,807,744	..

(a) 25s. 6d. per 1,000 of 2½ lb. and under, and 10s. 6d. per lb.

(b) Fine-cut for cigarettes, 10s. per lb.

EXCISE DUTIES.

HEADS OF REVENUE.	Rates of Duty.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Lyttelton.	Dunedin.	Other Ports.	TOTALS.		Corresponding Quarter, 1928.
							Quantities.	Revenue.	
Beer	(a)	£ 31,531	£ 12,713	£ 22,277	£ 62,096	£ 33,582	3,372,349 gals.	£ 162,199	£ 159,913
Tobacco	6s. 3d., 1s. 8d., 1s. 6d. per lb.	117	395	237	145	13,600	166,060 lb.	14,494	25,867
Cigars and snuff	6s. 6d., 4s. per lb. ..	312	..	..	..	..	1,560 „	312	267
Cigarettes, made by hand	4s. per lb. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cigarettes, manufactured by machinery	5s. 6d. per lb.	12,879	12,444	4,347	3,298	..	119,884 lb.	32,968	23,793
Alcohol used in manufacturing-warehouses in the production of—									
Perfumed spirit	36s. per gallon .. .. .	..	590	..	..	..	328 gals.	590	842
Toilet preparations	30s. „	144	49	118	635	..	631 „	946	1,070
Culinary and flavouring essences	16s. „	716	265	375	914	30	2,875 „	2,300	2,093
Medicinal preparations containing more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit	4s. 6d. „	171	110	153	322	59	3,623 „	815	711
Grand totals .. .. .	..	45,870	26,566	27,507	67,410	47,271	..	214,624	..
Corresponding quarter, 1928 .. .. .	..	42,504	23,321	23,373	66,383	58,975	..	..	214,556
Financial year, 1928-29 .. .. .	..	170,117	100,169	106,336	252,879	180,746	..	810,247	..

(a) Minimum of 11½d. per gallon, increasing by ½d. for every unit of specific gravity above 1047.