

RETURN OF CUSTOMS REVENUE.

RETURN of CUSTOMS REVENUE on SPIRITS, TOBACCO, &c., in 1864, 1865, and 1866—continued.

CANTERBURY.

ARTICLES.	1864.			1865.			1866.		
	Total Population	...	32,276	Total Population	...	48,618	Total Population	...	58,752
	Rates of Duty.	Quantity.	Revenue.	Rates of Duty.	Quantity.	Revenue.	Rates of Duty.	Quantity.	Revenue.
Spirits	9s., 12s.	171,189	£ 32,254	12s.	127,455	£ 76,473	12s.	207,953	£ 124,772
Cigars	3s., 4s. 6d.	5,465	828	4s. 6d.	13,915	3,131	4s. 6d., 5s.	21,338	4,926
Tobacco	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d.	70,991	5,609	2s. 6d.	132,488	16,561	2s. 6d.	234,230	29,279
Wine	3s., 4s., 5s.	35,924	5,480	4s., 5s.	60,450	13,212	4s., 5s.	83,539	17,299
Ale and Beer	6d., 9d., 1s., 1s. 6d.	202,690	7,320	9d., 1s. 6d.	181,408	10,093	9d., 1s., 1s. 3d., 1s. 6d.	259,503	18,976
Tea	4d., 6d.	237,291	4,055	6d.	347,840	8,696	6d.	566,600	14,165
Coffee	3d.	86,160	1,077	3d.	93,760	1,172	3d.	211,360	2,642
Sugar	1d.	1,768,080	7,367	1d.	3,103,440	12,931	1d.	5,050,800	21,045

NOTE.—The above includes Hokitika and Greymouth. The numbers of the population for 1865 and 1866 cannot be depended upon. See separate Return at end of East Canterbury alone.

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ARTICLES.	1864.			1865.			1866.		
	Total Population			Total Population			Total Population		
	Rates of Duty.	Quantity.	Revenue.	Rates of Duty.	Quantity.	Revenue.	Rates of Duty.	Quantity.	Revenue.
Spirits	9s., 12s.	206,490	£ 92,803	12s.	147,710	£ 88,626	12s.	133,466	£ 80,080
Cigars	3s., 4s. 6d.	26,372	3,965	4s. 6d.	17,911	4,030	4s. 6d., 5s.	12,491	2,889
Tobacco	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d.	211,773	16,277	2s. 6d.	139,032	17,379	2s. 6d.	138,704	17,338
Wine	3s., 4s., 5s.	71,334	10,786	4s., 5s.	27,818	12,428	4s., 5s.	43,501	9,013
Ale and Beer	6d., 9d., 1s., 1s. 6d.	452,916	16,768	9d., 1s. 6d.	355,040	16,851	9d., 1s., 1s. 3d., 1s. 6d.	185,511	10,490
Tea	4d., 6d.	503,398	8,408	6d.	500,400	12,510	6d.	429,120	10,728
Coffee	3d.	240,080	3,001	3d.	229,760	2,872	3d.	151,120	1,889
Sugar	1d.	4,341,840	18,091	1d.	4,189,920	17,458	1d.	4,184,640	17,436

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