

RETURN OF INTERPROVINCIAL TRADE ETC..

III.—RETURN showing the Number and Tonnage of all Vessels built in the Colony during the Year ended 30th June, 1872, distinguishing Steam from Sailing Vessels, and the Provinces in which they were built. Also, the Number, Tonnage, and Number of Crews of the said Vessels engaged in the Coasting Trade of the Colony on the 30th June, 1872; together with the Number, Tonnage, and Number of Crews of any Foreign Vessels now engaged in the Coasting Trade.

Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steamers.	Sailing Vessels.	Provinces in which built.
13	562	3	10	Auckland.
...	...	...	...	Taranaki.
1	39	1	...	Wellington.
...	...	...	...	Hawke's Bay.
1	40	...	1	Marlborough.
...	...	...	...	Nelson.
...	...	...	...	County of Westland.
1	27	...	1	Canterbury.
7	162	...	7	Otago (including late Province of Southland).
23	830	4	19	

RETURN of the Number, Tonnage, and Number of Crews of the above Vessels engaged in the Coasting Trade of the Colony, on the 30th June, 1872.

Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Crews.	Provinces to which they belong.																						
197	6,456	581	<table><tr><td rowspan="7">{</td><td>Auckland</td><td>...</td><td>142 vessels.</td></tr><tr><td>Wellington</td><td>...</td><td>7 "</td></tr><tr><td>Marlborough</td><td>...</td><td>1 "</td></tr><tr><td>Nelson</td><td>...</td><td>10 "</td></tr><tr><td>Westland</td><td>...</td><td>1 "</td></tr><tr><td>Canterbury</td><td>...</td><td>15 "</td></tr><tr><td>Otago</td><td>...</td><td>21 "</td></tr></table>	{	Auckland	...	142 vessels.	Wellington	...	7 "	Marlborough	...	1 "	Nelson	...	10 "	Westland	...	1 "	Canterbury	...	15 "	Otago	...	21 "
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RETURN of the Number, Tonnage, and Number of Crews of Foreign Vessels engaged in the Coasting Trade.

Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Crews.	—
2	4,288	136	"Nevada" and "Nebraska."

RETURN of the Number, Tonnage, and Number of Crews of British Vessels owned and registered in New Zealand, engaged in the Coasting Trade on 30th June, 1872.

Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Crews.	Steamers.	Sailing Vessels.
271	12,018	1,149	45	226

RETURN of the Number, Tonnage, and Number of Crews of British Vessels not owned and registered in New Zealand, engaged in the Coasting Trade of New Zealand, on 30th June, 1872.

Number of Vessels.	Tonnage.	Number of Crews.	Steamers.	Sailing Vessels.
15	5,323	393	12	3

Customs Department,
Wellington, 3rd December, 1872.

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(for the Secretary of Customs).