No. VI.—REVENUE.

ABSTRACT of all Duties and Revenue collected by the Customs Department during the year 1872.

Head of Receipt.			Rate of Duty.				Quantity.			Amount Collected.
Spirits			12s. per gall	on	•••		464,140 gallons			* £278,532
, (New Zealand)			6s. ,				5,172 gallons			15,517
Cigars and Snuff			5s. per lb.				47,456 lbs.	•••		11,864
Tobacco			2s. 6d. ,,				726,336 lbs.			90,792
" Sheepwash			3d. ,,				30,080 lbs.			376
Wine		[	4s. per gallo	n			166,150 gallons			33,230
Ale, Beer, &c., in wood		]	1s. ,				43,860 gallons	•••		2,193
" in bottle			1s. 3d. "				205,648 gallons	•••		12,853
Tea			6d. per lb.	•••			2,116,280 lbs.	•••		<b>52</b> , 90 <b>7</b>
Coffee, Cocoa, &c.			3d. ,				487,600 lbs.			6,095
"Ground			5d. "				2,592 lbs.		}	54
Sugar and Molasses			1d. "				21,420,240 lbs.			89,251
Firearms			5s. each		•••		412 No		1	103
Powder-Sporting			6d. per lb.		•••		17.480 lbs.	•••		437
Shot			10s. per cwt		•••		1,096 cwt.		,	548
Goods by measurement	•••	{	5s., 3s., 2s. ( 3d., per c	ubic foot	. 6d., 1s.,	6d.,		•••		130,813
" weight		- {	4s., 3s. 6d., 3d., 1d., ½	3s., 2s., d., per lb.	ls., per d	cwt.,	}			48,224
Opium		`	20s. per lb.	•		•••	2,071 lbs.			2,071
Ad valorem	•••		10 and 5 pe	r cent.	•••		l '			3,556
Other duties not specifie	d above	•••	1	•••	•••	•…	•••	•••		33,863
										£813, 279
Rents, Seizures, &c.			•••	•••	•••		***	•••	•••	493
Bonded Warehouse	Duty			•••	•••		•••	•••	•••	4,108
M. S. Act	•••		•••	•••	•••		•••	•••		661
Arms Act	•••			•••			•••	•••	•••	1,725
Lighthouse Dues	•••		•••	• • •	•••			•••	***	6,505
Oyster Act	•••		•••	•••	•••					50.050
Gold Duty					•••		***	•••		53,656
Pilotage, &c				•••	•••		***	•••		10,872
Distillation	•••			***	•••		•••	•••		654
Other Receipts	•••			***	•••		•••	•••		822
			Total D	uties and	Revenue	,		•••		£892,784

<sup>\*</sup> This includes 120 gallons at 6s. per gallon, removed to Excise Warehouse for mixing with New Zealand distilled spirits.

Customs Department, Wellington, 19th June, 1873. WILLIAM SEED, Secretary and Inspector of Customs.

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