

EXTERNAL TRADE.

III.—PRODUCE from Islands outside the Cook Islands Federation Exported during the Year ending 30th June, 1892.

Article.	Exported to Auckland, New Zealand.		Exported to Wellington, New Zealand.		Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	\$ c.	lb.	\$ c.	lb.	\$ c.
Bêche-de-mer	2,240	120 00	2,408	96 32	4,648	216 32
Pearl-shell	64,939	11,983 78	22,400	6,000 00	87,339	17,983 78
Copra	116,144	2,765 33	176,800	5,166 90	292,944	7,932 23
Chilian coin	...	14,869 11	...	11,263 22	...	26,132 33
At 3s. to the dollar ... =£2,230 7s. 4d. ... £1,689 9s. 8d. ... £3,919 17s.						

IV.—MERCHANDISE Imported into the Cook Islands and Exported beyond the Federation, during the Year ending 30th June, 1892.

Destination.	After paying Duty.	In Bond.	Total.
	\$ c.	\$ c.	\$ c.
To Auckland, New Zealand	135 35	225 84	361 19
To Tahiti	59 00	...	59 00
To Penrhyn, Manihiki, and Northern Islands ...	12,910 46	13,109 01	26,019 47
Coal, for use of s.s. "Richmond"	...	499 00	499 00
	\$13,104 81	\$13,833 85	\$26,938 66
At 3s. to the dollar =£1,965 14s. 6d. £2,075 1s. 6d. £4,040 16s.			

J. H. GARNIER, Collector.

V.—RETURN of SHIPPING for the Port of Rarotonga for the Year ending 30th June, 1892.

	British.		French.		American.		Native.		Total.	
	No. of Vessels.	Tons.	No. of Vessels.	Tons.	No. of Vessels.	Tons.	No. of Vessels.	Tons.	No. of Vessels.	Tons.
Inwards—										
Sail	42	3,497	8	443	5	210	17	956	72	5,106
Steam	13	8,164	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8,164
	55	11,661	8	443	5	210	17	956	85	12,270
Outwards—										
Sail	42	3,517	7	383	5	210	17	956	71	5,066
Steam	13	8,164	...	...	...	...	...	..	13	8,164
	55	11,681	7	383	5	210	17	956	84	13,230

J. H. GARNIER, Shipping-master.

Enclosure No. 14.

POST OFFICE REGULATIONS (14th June, 1892).

THE following additional regulations were passed by the Government in Council at Avarua on the 14th June, 1892:—

Section 1.—Section No. 3 of the Regulations of 10th June, 1891, is hereby repeated.

Section 2.—Every master of a sailing-vessel leaving Rarotonga or any of the other Islands of the Federation shall carry, free of charge, any mails from the Postmaster of said island to the port of destination of the said vessel. The master shall, if required, give a receipt for the same. He shall also, as soon as possible after arrival at his port of destination, deliver any mails in his charge for or from any of the Islands of the Federation.