

No. 1.—RETURN showing the VALUE of the PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED into NEW ZEALAND from AUSTRALIA and TASMANIA, &c.—*continued.*

Article, and Countries whence imported.	How treated under New Zealand Tariff.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Candles—		£	£	£	£	£	£
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	96	136	202	179	171	137
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	9	21	105	367	164	149
South Australia .. ..	.. ..	..	..	93	..	..	..
	2d. per lb. ..	105	157	400	546	335	286
Canes and Rattans—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	112	75	133	186	381	237
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	208	248	266	531	607	709
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	34	29	23	14	14	28
	Free	354	352	422	731	1,002	974
Canvas—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	290	366	164	777	230	367
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	244	994	603	742	371	679
	Free	534	1,360	767	1,519	601	1,046
Carpeting and Druggeting—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	276	93	92	82	79	72
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	255	227	163	73	196	198
	15 per cent. to July, 1895, thereafter 20 per cent.	531	320	255	155	275	210
Carriages, &c. :							
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Victoria		17	166	130	20	565	44
New South Wales		774	483	337	1,023	690	372
Queensland		7	..	..	..	..	..
	20 per cent. ad val.	798	649	467	1,043	1,255	416
Carts, Drays, and Wagons—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	48	41	17	..	70	..
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	107	122	251	78	11	151
	20 per cent. ad val.	155	163	268	78	81	151
Bicycles and Tricycles—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	875	3,415	3,721	4,313	7,636	7,444
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	..	656	152
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	30	31	97	2,493	8,090	5,756
	20 per cent. ad val.	905	3,446	3,818	6,806	16,382	13,352
Materials—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	57	2,484	3,408	2,538	4,024	3,728
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	54	10	220	664	870	2,742
	20 per cent. ..	111	2,494	3,628	3,202	4,894	6,470
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	562	1,608	2,407	*11,216	*12,747	*16,671
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	147	136	204	622	771	1,464
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	47	12	11	12	..	..
	Free	756	1,751	2,622	11,850	13,518	18,135
Casks, Empty—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	..	..	1	..	..	89
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	347	220	422	829	1,602	1,616
	15 per cent. to July, 1895, thereafter 20 per cent.	347	220	423	829	1,602	1,705
Cement—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	24	1,684	6	..	76	..
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	302	147	603	1,275	2,011	70
	2s. per barrel ..	326	1,831	609	1,275	2,087	70
Charcoal—							
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2,006
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	..	..	..	2,156	4,233	..
	Free	..	..	..	2,156	4,233	2,006

* The bulk of this amount are bicycle materials.