

GENERAL IMPORTS into the Colony of NEW ZEALAND for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1899—continued.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Rate of Duty.	Total Quantities imported.	Value of Total Imports.	Entered for Home Consumption on Importation and ex Warehouse.	Estimated Amount of Duty payable.
Instruments (musical) :			£	£	£ s. d.
Pianofortes—					
Victoria	..	14 number ..	315		
New South Wales ..	..	22 " ..	564		
South Australia ..	..	1 " ..	20		
	20 per cent. ad val.	37 number ..	899	..	180 0 0
Unenumerated—					
Victoria	..	..	23		
New South Wales ..	..	..	366		
	20 per cent. ad val.	..	389	..	78 0 0
Instruments (optical)—					
Victoria	..	..	1		
New South Wales ..	..	..	395		
	Free	..	396		
Instruments (surgical and dental)—					
Victoria	..	..	30		
New South Wales ..	..	..	109		
	Free	..	139		
Iron and Steel :					
Angle—					
Victoria	..	1 ton	3		
New South Wales ..	..	24 "	231		
	Free	25 tons	234		
Bar, Bolt, and Rod—					
Victoria	..	60 tons	504		
New South Wales ..	..	107 "	1,167		
	Free	167 tons	1,671		
Castings for Ships—					
New South Wales ..	Free	..	116		
Hoop—					
Victoria	..	3 tons	25		
New South Wales ..	..	22 "	223		
	Free	25 tons	248		
Pig—					
Victoria	..	161 tons	701		
New South Wales ..	..	85 "	363		
	Free	246 tons	1,064		
Pipes and Fittings—					
Victoria	..	11 tons	177		
New South Wales ..	..	86 "	1,467		
	5 per cent. ad val.	97 tons	1,644	..	82 0 0
Rails—					
Victoria	..	50 tons	155		
New South Wales ..	..	29 "	247		
	Free	79 tons	402		
Sheet and Plate—					
Victoria	..	17 tons	232		
New South Wales ..	..	211 "	2,428		
Tasmania	..	..	3		
	Free	228 tons	2,663		
Wire Fencing (barbed)—					
Victoria	..	10 tons	128		
New South Wales ..	..	19 "	212		
	Free	29 tons	340		
Wire-netting—					
New South Wales ..	Free	..	295		
Wire n.o.e—					
Victoria	..	2 tons	18		
New South Wales ..	..	6 "	106		
	Free	8 tons	124		