

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.
Spirits— <i>continued.</i>		£	£	£	£	£	£
Whiskey—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	4,220	3,298	2,507	1,462	1,889	2,288
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	2,040	1,630	2,615	2,303	3,265	2,976
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	..	..	108	..	290	..
South Australia .. ..	.. ..	..	..	47	..	..	..
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	..	..	116	22	26	..
	16s. per gallon on case spirits, 15s. on bulk till July, 1895, thereafter 16s. per gallon	6,260	4,928	5,393	3,787	5,470	5,264
Spirits of Wine—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	44	..	31	29	..	..
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	1,168	1,006	2,485	1,527	980	1,660
	16s. per proof gallon	1,212	1,006	2,516	1,556	980	1,660
Starch—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	192	535	316	99	45	14
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	52	120	602	610	988	426
	2d. per lb. ..	244	655	918	709	1,033	440
Stationery—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	4,008	3,121	3,731	3,247	3,888	4,085
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	2,074	1,412	2,570	2,710	2,915	4,212
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	..	180	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. ..	.. ..	..	4	5	1	15	28
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	5	5	8	7	..	..
	Various ..	6,087	4,722	6,314	5,965	6,818	8,325
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	1,396	680	601	495	514	655
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	766	601	861	788	677	1,003
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	5	..	..	..	..	..
South Australia .. ..	.. ..	..	1	..	6	..	..
	Free	2,167	1,282	1,462	1,289	1,191	1,658
Steel—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	275	124	257	*	*	*
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	596	398	997	*	*	*
	Free	871	522	1,254	..	..	..
Sugar:							
Raw and Refined—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	34,003	41,964	15,104	15,594	2,511	3,525
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	59,387	102,699	35,562	42,728	8,555	15,385
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	78,648	75,068	90,664	100,991	85,897	95,527
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	100	..	..	..	..	..
	½d. per lb. ..	172,138	219,731	141,330	159,313	96,963	114,437
Glucose—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	91	14	85	156	151	80
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	208	167	488	769	762	540
	1d. per lb. ..	299	181	573	925	913	620
Molasses and Treacle—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	4,742	5,781	118	42	26	13
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	128	58	799	955	275	290
Queensland .. ..	.. ..	..	..	901	1,441	1,213	1,550
	½d. per lb. ..	4,870	5,839	1,818	2,438	1,514	1,853
Tapioca—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	442	1,285	792	†	†	†
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	384	146	142	†	†	†
	Free	826	1,431	934	..	..	..
Tea—							
Victoria .. ..	.. ..	57,835	44,415	43,287	28,041	18,915	17,997
New South Wales .. ..	.. ..	8,841	6,515	13,284	14,317	10,314	16,005
Tasmania .. ..	.. ..	..	75	4	11	..	..
	6d. per lb. to July, 1895, thereafter 4d. per lb.	66,676	51,005	56,575	42,369	29,229	34,002

* Not shown separately ; included under Iron.

† *Vide Sago.*