

No. 2.—RETURN showing the VALUE of PRINCIPAL ARTICLES EXPORTED from NEW ZEALAND to AUSTRALIA and TASMANIA, &c.—*continued.*

Article, and Countries to which exported.	Rate of Duty in each Colony.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Goods, Miscellaneous— <i>ctd.</i>		£	£	£	£	£	£
Unmanufactured—							
Victoria	..	308	36	11	105	66	146
New South Wales ..	..	840	1,004	131	140	89	586
South Australia ..	..	76	..	..	..	..	..
Queensland ..	..	..	12	5	..	..	..
..	..	1,224	1,052	147	245	155	732
Parcels Post—							
Victoria	Various ..	846	897	777	658	752	765
New South Wales ..	" ..	200	750	1,112	1,654	2,202	2,679
Queensland ..	" ..	132	120	132	219	182	161
South Australia ..	" ..	90	81	103	148	107	128
Western Australia ..	" ..	84	64	213	132	146	142
Tasmania ..	" ..	160	134	108	157	171	159
..	..	1,512	2,046	2,445	2,968	3,560	4,034
Articles not enumerated—							
Victoria	..	3,209	5,585	6,062	8,853	7,966	5,596
New South Wales ..	..	6,662	6,196	12,102	12,520	13,465	18,923
Queensland ..	..	49	202	395	99	787	261
South Australia ..	..	60	250	168	610	290	367
Western Australia ..	..	129	115	40	11,240	1,201	425
Tasmania ..	..	494	220	1,399	1,117	996	2,270
<i>Total Value of Articles exported.</i>							
Victoria	..	527,500	319,637	350,931	486,871	387,782	400,773
New South Wales ..	..	678,904	500,755	625,691	641,175	735,850	910,416
Queensland ..	..	28,316	11,355	20,384	30,828	28,868	29,523
South Australia ..	..	19,439	15,029	12,689	23,472	33,120	30,829
Western Australia ..	..	6,525	14,154	19,049	84,857	72,819	63,065
Tasmania ..	..	14,106	9,470	7,009	19,798	65,345	40,551
Grand total ..	..	1,274,790	870,400	1,035,753	1,287,001	1,323,784	1,475,157

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 28th September, 1899.

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

No. 3.—RETURN showing VALUE of all GOODS TRANSHIPPED during the last Five Years from NEW ZEALAND to the AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES, or from the Australasian Colonies to New Zealand.

[INFORMATION cannot be given. Goods transhipped in Australia for New Zealand always appear in the New Zealand returns as imports from the country where they were originally shipped, and the same is the case as to goods transhipped in New Zealand. Such goods would not appear as trade between Australia and New Zealand.]

Department of Trade and Customs,
Wellington, 9th October, 1899.

W. T. GLASGOW,
Secretary and Inspector.

No. 4.—RETURN showing the CHIEF ITEMS of VICTORIAN PRODUCTS EXPORTED from VICTORIA to NEW ZEALAND during the Years 1893–98, also showing the Present Rate of Duty charged thereon in New Zealand.

Article.	Duty leviable in New Zealand.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
		£	£	£	£	£	£
Acids n.o.e.	Free	..	..	..	..	1,786	1,680
Animals (horses) ..	£1 per head ..	3,857	1,252	..	..	..	..
Agricultural implements ..	Free	..	..	..	..	..	2,347
Bark	"	9,552	13,833	10,972	8,969	9,511	9,978
Bonedust	"	1,466	1,225	..	..	..	..
Books	"	..	..	..	1,185	1,794	1,742
Bicycles	20 per cent. ad val.	..	..	..	4,170	14,800	18,784
Cartridges	1s. 6d. per 100 ..	..	..	1,604	..	..	..
Drugs	20 per cent. ad val.	..	..	1,403	..	..	..
Fruit—	val. and free						
Fresh	1d., ½d. per lb., and free	2,635	2,579	2,090	1,017	1,337	1,730
Raisins	2d. per lb. ..	..	..	1,129	..	..	2,524
Furniture	25 per cent. ad val.	2,379	..	1,631	975	1,259	1,454
Furs	25	1,847	..	..	..	..	..