

No. 6.

RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND from 1st APRIL, 1857, to 31st DECEMBER, 1899.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN		DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31ST DEC., 1899.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 30TH SEPT., 1899.		TOTAL ENTERED* FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 31ST DEC., 1899.	
County or Borough.	District.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
County of Coromandel ..	Auckland	Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
" Thames ..		4,859	20,466				
" Ohinemuri ..		4,630	19,026				
" Piako ..		37,462	135,820				
Borough of Thames ..		159	677				
		1,525	6,391				
		48,635	182,380	2,400,487	9,029,537	2,449,122	9,211,917
	Wellington ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
County of Marlborough	Marlborough ..	..	..	86,385	336,415	86,385	336,415
County of Collingwood ..	Nelson ..	419	1,571	1,674,859	6,640,045	1,675,278	6,641,616
County of Buller ..	West Coast	3,323	13,290				
" Inangahua ..		8,530	34,120				
" Grey ..		5,786	23,142				
" Westland ..		5,170	20,678				
Borough of Hokitika ..		149	600				
" Ross ..		604	2,416				
		23,562	94,246	4,446,107	17,684,297	4,469,669	17,778,543
County of Ashburton ..	Canterbury ..	5	20	47	187	52	207
County of Taieri ..	Otago	440	1,765				
" Tuapeka ..		7,712	31,134				
" Vincent ..		13,002	52,595				
" Maniototo ..		2,213	9,056				
" Waitaki ..		708	3,016				
" Lake ..		1,220	4,957				
" Wallace ..		1,991	8,033				
" Waikouaiti ..		292	1,157				
" Waibemo ..		629	2,530				
" Bruce ..		957	3,807				
" Fiord ..		85	345				
" Southland ..		1,162	4,678				
		30,411	123,073	5,523,973	21,873,197	5,554,384	21,996,270
	Unknown ..	..	..	207	824	207	824
Totals ..	..	103,032	401,290	14,132,253	55,565,208	14,235,285	55,966,498

No. 7.

COMPARATIVE RETURN of the QUANTITY and VALUE of GOLD ENTERED for DUTY* for EXPORTATION from NEW ZEALAND for the YEARS ended 31st DECEMBER, 1899 and 1898.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN THE DISTRICT OF	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED—				TOTALS FOR YEAR 1899.		TOTALS FOR YEAR 1898.	
	31st March, 1899.	30th June, 1899.	30th September, 1899.	31st December, 1899.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Auckland ..	Oz. 35,205	Oz. 42,429	Oz. 42,500	Oz. 48,635	Oz. 168,769	£ 624,737	Oz. 142,383	£ 527,786
Marlborough ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	781	3,003
Nelson ..	..	..	..	419	419	1,571	1,720	6,882
West Coast ..	19,959	25,552	20,958	23,562	90,031	360,149	79,948	319,789
Canterbury ..	12	6	5	5	28	111	..	..
Otago ..	37,642	32,241	29,932	30,411	130,226	526,265	55,343	223,231
Unknown ..	..	85	..	..	85	340	..	..
Totals for 1899	92,818	100,313	93,395	103,032	389,558	1,513,173	..	..
Totals for 1898	69,468	66,563	66,642	77,502	..	..	280,175	1,080,691

* Gold duty abolished in the South Island on the 31st March, 1891, by "The Gold Duty Abolition Act, 1890."

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