

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, 1908.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN		DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1908.		ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION TO THE 30th SEPTEMBER, 1908.		TOTAL ENTERED FOR EXPORTATION FROM NEW ZEALAND TO THE 31st DECEMBER, 1908.	
County or Borough.	District.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Oz.	£	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
County of Thames ..	Auckland	1,656	6,035				
" Ohinemuri ..		16,032	56,326				
" Coromandel ..		199	838				
Borough of Thames ..		801	3,377				
" Waihi ..		56,880	234,716				
		75,568	301,292	4,511,842	17,047,011	4,587,410	17,348,303
	Wellington ..	..	..	188	706	188	706
County of Marlborough	Marlborough ..	199	794	89,992	350,574	90,191	351,368
County of Collingwood	Nelson	835	3,339				
" Waimea ..		13	52				
" Takaka ..		34	136				
		882	3,527	1,720,786	6,821,997	1,721,668	6,825,524
County of Buller ..	West Coast	941	3,550				
" Inangahua ..		13,287	50,645				
" Grey ..		3,792	15,294				
" Westland ..		1,820	7,336				
Borough of Ross ..		276	1,104				
		20,116	77,929	5,390,677	21,447,310	5,410,793	21,525,239
	Canterbury ..	..	..	99	387	99	387
County of Taieri ..	Otago	405	1,625				
" Tuapeka ..		4,607	18,533				
" Vincent ..		4,235	17,097				
" Maniototo ..		1,565	6,142				
" Waihemo ..		69	206				
" Waitaki ..		466	1,795				
" Lake ..		549	2,211				
" Wallace ..		1,117	4,524				
" Fiord ..		28	112				
" Southland ..		6,174	24,907				
		19,215	77,152	6,895,332	27,404,400	6,914,547	27,481,552
Unknown	..	..	..	207	824	207	824
Totals	..	115,980	460,694	18,609,123	73,073,209	18,725,103	73,533,903

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

No. 7.

COMPARATIVE RETURN for the Years ended 31st December, 1908 and 1907.

PRODUCE OF THE GOLDFIELDS IN THE DISTRICT OF	DURING THE QUARTER ENDED				TOTALS FOR YEAR 1908.		TOTALS FOR YEAR 1907.	
	31st March, 1908.	30th June, 1908.	30th September, 1908.	31st December, 1908.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	Oz.	£	Oz.	£
Auckland ..	74,634	71,251	75,518	75,568	296,971	1,171,375	298,101	1,187,079
Marlborough ..	35	..	63	199	297	1,145	795	3,009
Nelson ..	457	1,480	377	882	3,196	12,783	3,893	15,274
West Coast ..	23,267	18,610	24,059	20,116	86,052	335,722	87,069	343,146
Otago ..	35,710	29,373	35,609	19,215	119,907	483,900	118,352	478,982
Totals for 1908	134,103	120,714	135,626	115,980	506,423	2,004,925	..	..
Totals for 1907	118,118	108,752	155,211	126,129	..	..	508,210	2,027,490

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