

Table showing the Various Kinds of Fish caught, and approximately the Total Quantities and Value of Fish Landed, at the different Fishing-ports for the Year ended 31st March, 1917.

(Compiled from the figures given in the District Inspectors' reports for the year.)

Name of Port.	Kinds of Fish caught.	Total Weight.	Total Value.
		Cwt.	£
Russell	Mullet, schnapper, crayfish, kahawai, kingfish, garfish, tarakihi ..	2,800*	2,800
Hokianga	Mullet, schnapper, kahawai, hapuku	642	600
Whangarei	Mullet, schnapper, hapuku, flounder	1,400	1,000
Kaipara	Mullet, schnapper, flounder	4,800	2,750
Auckland	Schnapper, flounder, trevally, tarakihi, moki, gurnard, triggerfish	68,580	17,842
Thames	Flounder, schnapper	..	..
Tauranga	Schnapper, kahawai, trevally	668	600
Gisborne	Schnapper, flounder, sole, gurnard, kingfish	Not supplied.	..
Napier	Gurnard, blue cod, red cod, mullet, flounder, sole, butterfish, horse-mackerel, schnapper, hapuku, moki, trumpeter, ling, barracouta, kingfish, trevally, warehou, crayfish	15,423†	14,260
New Plymouth ..	Schnapper, gurnard, kahawai, hapuku, herring, crayfish, white-bait	3,040	2,360
Wanganui	Schnapper, blue cod, hapuku, flounder, mullet, kahawai ..	1,610	1,942
Foxton	Flounder, schnapper, whitebait	390	480
Wellington	Hapuku, hake, schnapper, tarakihi, kahawai, trumpeter, blue cod, red cod, flounder, sole, warehou	16,000	15,000
Pieton	Blue cod, flounder, butterfish	2,200	2,053
Blenheim	Sole, tarakihi, red cod, ling, flounder, moki, turbot, brill, crayfish, whitebait	833	1,031
Nelson	Flounder, sole, hapuku, butterfish, schnapper, moki, warehou ..	Not supplied.	..
Westport	Hapuku, schnapper, blue cod, kahawai, sole, herring, flounder, whitebait, crayfish	645‡	1,220
Greymouth	Sole, flounder, hapuku, schnapper, red cod, ling, herring ..	164	344
Hokitika	Whitebait, herring, groper, cod, kahawai, ling, flounder, sole, schnapper, elephant-fish	4,141	997
Kaikoura	Hapuku, trumpeter, moki, ling, blue cod, sole, flounder ..	5,840	4,390
Rangiora	Whitebait, flounder, herring	91	615
Kaipoi	Whitebait, flounder, herring, kahawai	153	426
New Brighton ..	Whitebait	13	150
Southbridge	Flounder, red cod	200	120
Lytelton	Groper, ling, red cod, conger-eel, flounder, sole, trevally, herring, garfish, butterfish, moki	13,460	12,562
Akaroa	Groper, blue cod, red cod, trevally, moki, butterfish, flounder, sole, ling, crayfish	2,300§	1,995
Timaru	Groper, sole, brill, barracouta, kingfish, gurnard, ling, red cod ..	3,020	2,911
Oamaru	Groper, red cod, moki, blue cod, barracouta, warehou ..	6,860	3,209
Dunedin and Port Chalmers	Groper, trumpeter, mullet, garfish, bream, kingfish, ling, blue cod, red cod, barracouta, moki, tarakihi, trevally	52,980	42,148
Invercargill	Blue cod, groper, trout	1,443	2,127
Bluff	Blue cod, groper, trout, flounder, trevally	11,401	15,923
Stewart Island ..	Blue cod, groper, butterfish, moki	4,838	5,990
Chatham Islands ..	Blue cod, hapuku	10,484	6,189
Totals		236,419	164,034

* 700 sacks crayfish.

† 300 sacks crayfish.

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§ 500 sacks crayfish.

Oysters.

Locality.	Disposed of in Dominion.	Exported.	Total Number.	Total Value.
	Sacks.	Sacks.	Sacks.	£ s. d.
Foveaux Straits	26,482	2,727	29,209	14,628 0 0
Rock-oysters.				
Bay of Islands	3,878			
Hauraki Gulf	4,232			
Hokianga	56			
		...	8,166	5,479 17 6
Total	...	...	...	20,107 17 6

Whaling.

Whaling-station.	Number of Whales taken.	Yield of Oil.	Bonedust.	Total Value.
		Tons.	Tons.	£ s. d.
Whangamumu	25	100	20	2,120 0 0
Marlborough Sounds and Cook Strait ..	57	200	...	3,800 0 0
Totals	82	300	20	5,920 0 0