

APPENDIX E.—*continued.*STATEMENT SHOWING PRICES PAID TO FISHERMEN, ETC.—*continued.*

("h."=headed; "g."=gutted.)

Port.	Kind of Fish.	Prices paid to Fishermen.	Wholesale Price per Pound.	Retail Price per Pound.
Nelson	..	Proportion of catch sold to Wellington market and to exporters. Local wholesaler pays—		
	Snapper ..	18s. doz., g., approx. 2d. pound Nelson	Local wholesale prices are usually 10 per cent. advance on price paid to fishermen	7½d. to 9d. pound filleted.
	Hapuka (groper) ..	3d., h. and g., Nelson ..	..	..
	Blue cod ..	3d., g., Nelson ..	..	10d. to 1s. smoked.
	Flounder ..	5d., g., Nelson ..	..	9d. each.
	Gurnard ..	1½d., g., Nelson ..	..	..
	Warehou ..	4d., g., Nelson ..	..	..
Napier	..	Prices not constant. In June, 1937, they were—	Prices not constant. In June, 1937, they were—	Retail prices vary with fluctuation in wholesale. In June, 1937, they were: Tarakihi, snapper, moki, hake, dory, hapuka, 10d. cutlets and fillets; gurnard, 8d. fillets; soles, 10d., g.; flounders 1s., g.
	Tarakihi ..	2¾d., g., Napier ..	3½d., g. and cleaned and blooded, Napier	..
	Snapper ..	2¾d., g., Napier ..	3½d., g. and cleaned and blooded, Napier	..
	Moki ..	2¾d., g., Napier ..	3½d., g. and cleaned and blooded, Napier	..
	Hake ..	2¾d., g., Napier ..	3½d., g. and cleaned and blooded, Napier	..
	Dory ..	2¾d., g., Napier ..	3½d., g. and cleaned and blooded, Napier	..
	Hapuka (groper) ..	3¾d., h. and g., Napier ..	4½d., h. and g., cleaned and blooded, Napier	..
	Gurnard ..	1¾d., green, Napier ..	2½d., green, Napier ..	..
	Soles ..	4¾d., g., Napier ..	6d., cleaned, Napier ..	..
	Flounders ..	4¾d., g., Napier ..	6½d., cleaned, Napier ..	..
	Oysters ..	..	Approximately 29s. 6d. per sack	9d. dozen in shell; 10d. to 1s. opened and sold in bottles.
Auckland ..	..	..	..	..
	Snapper ..	2d., green, Auckland .. 2¼d., g., Auckland ..	3d., green, Auckland .. 3½d., g. .. 7d., smoked ..	6d. whole; 8d. steaks. 10d. smoked; 10d. fillets; 11d. skinned fillets, wings on; 1s. skinned fillets, wings off.
	Tarakihi ..	2d., green, Auckland .. 2¼d., g., Auckland ..	3d., green .. 3½d., g. .. 7d. smoked .. 11d. kippered fillets ..	6d. whole; 8d. steaks. 10d. smoked. 1s. 3d. kippered fillets; 10d. fillets; 11d. skinned fillets, wings on; 1s. skinned fillets, wings off.
	Hapuka (groper) ..	3½d., green, Auckland .. 4d., g., Auckland ..	5½d., g. .. 7½d., h. and g., scaled ..	1s. 2d. steaks. 1s. 3d. smoked.
	Flounder ..	5½d., g., Auckland ..	8d., g. ..	1s. g.
	John-dory ..	2d., green, Auckland ..	3½d., green ..	1s. 2d. fillets.
	Kingfish ..	2d., green ..	3d., green ..	8d. steaks.
	..	2¼d., g. ..	3½d., g. ..	9d. smoked.
	Mullet (Auckland) ..	2½d., green ..	4d., green .. 5d., g. .. 8d., smoked ..	7d., g. 10d. smoked.
	Mullet (Kaipara) ..	2s. doz., green ..	3d., green .. 4d., g. .. 7d., smoked ..	5d., g. 9d. smoked.
	Gurnard ..	6d. doz., green ..	1s. 6d. doz., green .. 3s. doz., smoked ..	2d. each, g.; 1½d. per fillet 5d. each, smoked.
	Trevally ..	1s. doz., green ..	4s. doz., green .. 6s. doz., smoked ..	7d. each, cleaned. 8d. each, smoked.
	Crayfish ..	3d., green ..	3s. doz., smoked fillets .. 5d., green, small .. 4½d., green, large .. 5½d., cooked, small .. 5d., cooked, large ..	4d. and 5d. per smoked fillet. 9d., cooked, small. 9d., cooked, large.
New Plymouth ..	..	..	..	..
	Snapper ..	3d. to 3½d., g. ..	Retailers buy from Auckland, Thames, and Wellington—freights, ¾d. to 1d.	6d. to 7d. snapper, whole; 9d. snapper, heads off; 1s. snapper, smoked; 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4d. snapper fillets; 6d. tarakihi, whole; 1s. 3d. to 1s. 4d. tarakihi, fillets; 1s. to 1s. 2d. flounder, g.; 1s. sole, g.; 9d. to 1s. groper fillets; 9d. to 1s. crayfish, cooked.
	Hapuka (groper) ..	3½d., g. ..	..	8d. whole snapper and tarakihi; 10d. steaks, snapper and tarakihi; 1s. fillets, snapper and tarakihi; 1s. steaks, hapuka; 1s. 2d. whole flounder; 1s. 3d. smoked blue cod, hake, and tarakihi; 10d. crayfish, cooked.
Wanganui ..	..	..	..	1s. dozen opened and in bottles
	Snapper ..	2s., g., each, off wharf ..	Retailers buy from Auckland, Thames, Wellington	..
	Blue cod ..	9d., g., each, off wharf ..	..	..
	Oysters ..	..	24s. 6d. per sack Wellington and costs; 32s. per sack in shop	..