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HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.

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CUSTOMS DUTIES,

1873—1874.

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## CUSTOMS' DUTIES, 1873 AND 1874.

*RETURN showing the CUSTOMS' DUTIES received for the Years 1873 and 1874.*

PERIOD.	DUTIES COLLECTED.						DRAW- BACKS.	NET DUTIES.							
	<i>Hobart Town.</i>		<i>Launceston.</i>		TOTAL.										
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
1873. 1 January to 31 December	96,654	19	2	74,015	7	11	170,670	7	1	2767	8	0	167,902	19	1
1874. 1 January to 31 December	101,235	9	9	81,215	15	7	182,451	5	4	2982	4	7	179,469	0	9

NOTE.—1873. Total Collections .....	£	s.	d.	
	167,902	19	1	£
Miscellaneous Receipts .....	92	13	7	s.
	—————	—————	—————	d.
				£167,995
				12
				8
1874. Total Collections .....	179,469	0	9	
Miscellaneous Receipts .....	94	6	8	
	—————	—————	—————	£179,563
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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing Amount of Duties collected at the Port of  
HOBART TOWN during the Years 1873 and 1874.

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, galls.	9636 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	5782 4 5	10,399 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	6236 3 0
Geneva, galls.	7543 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	4526 3 0	8019 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	4811 14 3
Gin, galls.	523 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	314 1 4	513 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	308 2 4
Whiskey, galls.	1125 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	675 5 11	1521 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	912 18 0
Cordials, galls.	89 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	53 16 8	87	52 4 1
Rum, galls.	16,143 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	9685 17 6	17,424 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	10,454 11 0
Perfumed, galls.	219 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	131 19 10	261 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	156 19 8
Tobacco, lbs.	83,993	11,501 16 6	86,413	12,961 19 0
Cigars, lbs.	3458	764 14 0	4334	1083 10 0
Snuff, lbs.	1184	271 2 0	975	243 15 0
Sheepwash, Tobacco, &c.	35	0 8 9	—	—
Almonds, lbs.	2659	22 3 2	1416	11 16 0
Alum, lbs.	672	0 14 0	5048	5 5 2
Arrowroot, lbs.	5026	41 17 8	2530	21 1 8
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	142	1 3 8	432	3 12 0
Bagging, yards	45,711	19 1 9	88,005	36 13 8
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	51,854	39 0 7	54,787	41 3 11
Blue, lbs.	11,061	92 3 6	10,417	86 16 2
Butter, lbs.	13,528	112 14 8	19,953	166 5 6
Candles, lbs.	56,172	468 2 0	39,736	331 2 8
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	8983	18 14 4	14,615	30 9 0
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	5	50 0 0	12	120 0 0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	Nil.	Nil.	—	—
Cheese, lbs.	57	0 9 6	314	2 12 4
Chicory, lbs.	35,603	445 0 9	37,252	465 13 0
Chocolate, lbs.	2520	31 10 0	2252	28 3 0
Coal, tons	4563 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	228 3 6	4390 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	219 10 9
Cocoa, lbs.	8149	101 17 3	10,880	136 0 0
Coffee, Green, lbs.	44,130	551 12 6	40,173	502 3 3
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.	380	6 6 8	572	9 10 8
Coir Matting, feet	2528	63 4 0	2256	56 8 0
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	20,436	21 5 10	8914	9 5 9
Corn Sacks, No.	83,550	174 1 3	110,930	231 2 1
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	10,698	187 5 8	7856	196 8 0
Dried Fruits, lbs.	189,157	1182 5 10	216,639	1354 1 4
Fish, Dried, lbs.	7794	16 4 10	7100	14 16 1
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	3216	1 12 6	3700	1 17 0
Ginger, lbs.	5075	42 5 10	5248	43 14 8
Glass, Crown, feet	19,224	28 16 9	42,162	63 6 0
Ditto, Plate, feet	342	1 4 0	1050	3 3 0
Glue, lbs.	3926	16 7 2	4938	20 11 6
Grain—Maize, lbs.	352,900	147 3 4	135,713	56 13 10
Barley, lbs.	—	—	43,200	18 0 0
Beans, lbs.	18,335	7 12 11	—	—
Wheat, lbs.	896,359	373 10 5	—	—
Gunny Bags, No.	33,609	35 0 4	31,520	32 16 11
Gunpowder, lbs.	17,839	297 6 4	4700	78 6 8
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	19,875	82 16 3	14,325	59 13 9
Hams, lbs.	Included	with Bacon.	Included	with Bacon.
Hops, lbs.	38,777	323 2 10	27,717	230 19 6
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hol- loware, &c., at 5s. per cwt.	—	1579 19 6	—	1761 1 3
Ditto, at 2s. 6d. ditto	—	—	—	—
Ditto, at 9d. ditto	—	107 14 7	—	73 7 8
Ditto, at 6d.	—	21 5 1	—	14 13 4
Jewellery and Plate	1307 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	77 16 0	1191 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	80 16 6

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
Lamp Black, lbs.	3304	£ 3 8 11	1807	£ 1 17 8
Lead, sheet, lbs.	—	—	—	—
Liquorice, lbs.	4653	38 15 6	1354	11 5 8
Live Stock—Cattle, head	901	1351 10 0	781	1171 10 0
Sheep	10,154	761 11 0	16,285	1221 7 6
Macaroni, lbs.	1298	10 16 4	532	4 8 8
Malt, bushels	8000	400 0 0	150	7 10 0
Malt Liquors, in wood, galls.	8512	212 16 0	7846	196 3 0
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	5952 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	595 4 4	7257 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	725 14 8
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	2957 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	147 17 7	2778 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	138 18 6
Methylated Spirits, gallons	200	30 0 0	101 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	15 4 6
Molasses, cwts.	191 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	33 10 4	280 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	49 2 9
Mustard, lbs.	12,654	105 9 0	15,162	126 7 0
Nutmegs, lbs.	971	16 3 8	295	4 18 4
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	4070	33 18 4	7705	64 4 2
Oatmeal	112	0 4 8	4704	9 16 0
Oil, at 1s. per gallon	45,058	2252 18 0	34,438 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1721 18 6
Paints, lbs.	44,168	92 0 4	53,416	111 5 7
Ditto, dry, lbs.	8788	9 3 8	9922	10 7 2
Pearl Barley, lbs.	22,832	47 11 4	20,272	42 4 8
Peas, split, lbs.	13,454	28 0 7	11,241	23 8 5
Pepper, lbs.	20,349	169 11 6	22,583	188 3 10
Perry and Cider, gallons	<i>Nil.</i>	—	60	1 0 0
Pianos, No.	71	355 0 0	114	570 0 0
Pickles, dozen quarts	—	—	9	1 7 0
Ditto, dozen pints	1018	101 16 0	1868	186 16 0
Pimento	1264	10 10 8	2344	19 10 8
Rice, lbs.	226,474	471 16 6	117,460	244 14 3
Rope, cwts.	1255	94 3 9	1105	82 18 3
Sago, lbs.	21,333	177 15 6	13,780	114 16 8
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	10,449 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	783 14 4	12,099 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	907 9 8
Sauces, dozen pints	109 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	16 7 6	57	8 11 0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	545	54 10 0	342 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	34 4 6
Seeds, lbs.	7118	14 16 8	9130	19 0 5
Shot, lbs.	10,052	41 17 8	3360	14 0 0
Soap, lbs.	15,104	62 18 8	14,989	62 9 1
Soda Crystals, lbs.	170,734	177 17 3	140,570	146 8 8
Spices, lbs.	2066	34 8 8	2003	33 7 8
Spirits of Tar, galls.	<i>Nil.</i>	—	—	—
Starch, lbs.	35,168	146 10 8	28,784	119 18 8
Sugar, cwts.	53,420	16,026 0 0	52,717	15,815 2 0
Sulphur, lbs.	154,072	160 10 0	65,636	68 7 6
Tallow, lbs.	327,364	491 19 8	317,536	477 10 6
Tapioca, lbs.	2924	24 7 4	934	7 15 8
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	1344	22 8 0	1615	26 18 4
Tea, lbs.	425,334	10,633 7 0	340,740	8518 10 0
Timber, at 8s. per load, loads	67 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	27 2 11	8	3 4 0
Ditto, at 6d. per foot, feet	2023	50 11 6	1256 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	31 8 3
Tubs and Buckets, No.	2327	29 1 9	2880	36 0 0
Turpentine, galls.	563	28 3 0	911	45 11 0
Twine, lbs.	13,607	56 13 11	16,150	67 5 10
Varnish, gallons	791 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	39 11 6	329 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	16 9 6
Vinegar, gallons	8442	140 14 0	10,177	169 12 4
White Lead, lbs.	35,310	73 11 3	6108	12 14 6
Wines in wood, gallons	13,397	1339 14 0	11,666	1166 12 0
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	651 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	214 11 0	453 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	136 1 6
Ditto, ditto, dozen pints	232 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	38 0 6	178	26 14 0
Wool Packs, No.	19,264	200 13 6	18,156	189 2 6
Measurement Goods ( <i>detailed on page 6.</i> )	—	16,895 14 4	—	20,628 11 4
Harmoniums and Cabinet Organs, No.	8	20 0 0	22	55 0 0
Sugar, Refined, lbs.	44,116	183 16 4	153,877	641 3 1
<i>Ad valorem</i> Goods	—	347 6 1	—	842 8 11
		£96,654 19 2		£101,235 9 9

ARTICLES.	1873.			1874.						
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.					
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>										
Apparel and Slops, feet	3884½	861	12	6	2530	632	10	0		
Basket and Wickerware, feet	169½	10	10	6	192½	11	0	0		
Blacking, feet	660½	78	14	0	800	120	0	0		
Blankets and Rugs, feet	2712	299	17	0	3636	545	8	0		
Boots and Shoes, feet	3015	753	15	0	2972	743	0	0		
Biscuits, feet	1017½	101	15	0	1343½	134	7	0		
Brushes and Combs	185½	46	7	6	646½	161	12	6		
Carpets, feet	2643	336	11	6	4534	680	2	0		
Confectionery, feet	2364½	354	13	6	3882	582	6	0		
Corn Flour and Maizena, feet	1268	126	16	0	501	50	2	0		
Drapery, feet	44,641	9959	5	0	52,668	13,167	0	0		
Earthen & Glassware, at 9d., ft.	13,608½	510	6	10	16,661	624	16	10		
Fish, Pickled, feet	259	12	19	0	447	22	7	0		
Furniture, feet	2115	250	12	0	2938	293	16	0		
Hats and Caps, feet	1119½	257	13	6	509½	127	7	6		
Matches, Lucifer, feet	3600	180	0	0	2352	117	12	0		
Medicines and Drugs, feet	1999	450	19	0	1997	499	5	0		
Musical Instruments, feet	314	62	16	0	Now ad	valorem.				
Oilmen's Stores, feet	1404½	210	13	6	1876½	281	9	6		
Printing and Wrapping Paper, &c., feet	7720	579	0	0	8668	650	2	0		
Perfumery, feet	<i>Nil.</i>	—			—	—				
Room Papers, feet	—	Included			with printing	and wrapping paper.				
Saddlery, feet	736	147	4	0	1442	288	8	0		
Stationery, feet	1733½	346	14	0	1838½	367	14	0		
Toys, feet	1550½	77	10	6	2159	107	19	0		
Wax Vestas, feet	74	9	0	0	56½	8	9	6		
Woodware, &c., feet	1707½	341	10	0	Now ad	valorem.				
Woollens, feet	2002	443	14	6	1647½	411	17	6		
Unenumerated	426	85	4	0	Now ad	valorem.				
		£16,895		14	4		£20,628		11	4

T. T. WATT, Collector.

Custom House, Hobart Town,  
5th April, 1875.

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of Duties in Detail collected at the Port of  
LAUNGESTON during the Years 1873 and 1874.**

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT. £ s. d.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT. £ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, galls.	13,197 <sup>3/4</sup>	7918 16 11	15,993 <sup>5/8</sup>	9596 4 4
Geneva, galls.	8923 <sup>3/4</sup>	5354 6 5	10,171 <sup>3/4</sup>	6103 4 1
Gin, galls.	306 <sup>3/4</sup>	184 4 5	449 <sup>1/4</sup>	269 13 6
Whisky, galls.	1261 <sup>3/4</sup>	757 3 10	1649 <sup>1/4</sup>	989 16 9
Cordials, galls.	48 <sup>3/4</sup>	29 3 2	42 <sup>1/4</sup>	25 12 2
Rum, galls.	8000 <sup>3/4</sup>	4800 0 9	8886 <sup>1/4</sup>	5331 18 5
Perfumed, galls.	177 <sup>1/2</sup>	106 7 5	106 <sup>1/4</sup>	63 12 8
Tobacco, lbs.	75,696	10,334 5 6	67,960	10,194 0 0
Cigars, lbs.	2300	508 16 0	2535	633 15 0
Snuff, lbs.	—	—	90	22 10 0
Sheepwash, Tobacco, &c.	—	—	137	1 14 3
Almonds, lbs.	—	—	2136	17 16 0
Alum, lbs.	4051	4 4 6	2250	2 7 0
Arrowroot, lbs.	4379	36 9 10	2691	22 8 6
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	—	—	263	2 3 10
Bagging, yards	42,090	17 10 9	29,620	12 6 10
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	21,677	16 6 3	22,750	17 1 3
Blue, lbs.	14,822	123 10 4	15,416	128 9 4
Butter, lbs.	—	—	—	—
Candles, lbs.	23,180	193 3 4	27,740	231 3 4
Canary and Hemp Seed, lbs.	—	—	8756	18 4 11
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	6734	14 0 7	3714	7 14 9
Coir Matting, feet	809 <sup>1/2</sup>	20 4 9	722	18 1 0
Coffee, Roasted, lbs.	5240	87 6 8	6104	101 14 8
Ditto, Green, lbs.	38,393	479 18 3	32,935	411 13 9
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	10,222	10 13 0	7978	8 6 3
Cheese, lbs.	—	—	591	4 18 6
Chicory, lbs.	21,541	269 5 3	16,532	206 13 0
Chocolate, lbs.	750	9 7 6	4170	52 2 6
Cocoa, lbs.	7161	89 10 3	12,257	153 4 3
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	5274	97 2 0	9412	235 6 0
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	18	180 0 0	18	180 0 0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	—	—	—	—
Coal, tons	3711 <sup>1/2</sup>	185 11 6	2638	131 18 0
Corn Sacks, No.	415,900	866 9 1	276,742	576 10 11
Dried Fruits, lbs.	162,765	1017 7 0	161,305	1008 3 3
Fish, Dried, lbs.	8568	17 17 0	6491	13 10 6
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	800	0 8 0	100	0 1 0
Ginger, lbs.	5640	47 0 0	4074	33 19 0
Glass, Plate, feet	200	0 12 0	1500	4 10 0
Ditto, Crown, feet	27,325	40 19 9	50,700	76 1 0
Gunpowder, Sporting, lbs.	10,367	172 15 8	3435	57 5 0
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	19,775	82 7 11	8625	35 18 9
Glue, lbs.	1355	5 12 11	2149	8 19 1
Gunny Bags, No.	65,480	68 4 4	24,888	25 18 7
Grain and Pulse, lbs.	—	—	—	—
Grain—Maize, lbs.	9600	4 0 0	1524	0 12 9
Barley, lbs.	—	—	—	—
Beans, lbs.	—	—	100	0 0 10
Oats, lbs.	—	—	2725	1 2 9
Rye, lbs.	—	—	5900	2 9 3
Wheat, lbs.	—	—	300	0 2 6
Hams, lbs.	—	—	—	—
Hops, lbs.	11,199	93 6 6	6999	58 6 6
Ironmongery, Hardware, at 5s. per cwt.	2937 <sup>3/4</sup>	734 8 9	5663 <sup>1/4</sup>	1415 16 3
Ditto, at 2s. 6d. ditto	4505 <sup>1/4</sup>	563 3 3	5873 <sup>3/4</sup>	734 4 5
Ditto, at 9d. ditto	8692 <sup>1/2</sup>	325 19 5	5024 <sup>1/4</sup>	188 10 3
Ditto, at 6d. ditto	156	3 18 0	71 <sup>1/2</sup>	1 15 9
Jewellery and Plate, ozs.	1664 <sup>1/2</sup>	162 13 4	2070	162 2 0
Liquorice, lbs.	1680	14 0 0	2721	22 13 6

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
Live Stock—Sheep, No.	3043	£ 228 4 6	4703	£ 352 14 6
Cattle	17	25 10 0	9	13 10 0
Macaroni, lbs.	—	—	863	7 4 8
Malt, bushels	57	2 17 0	—	—
Malt Liquors, in wood, galls.	1738	43 9 0	3155	78 17 6
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts.	4278 $\frac{1}{2}$	427 17 10	10,449 $\frac{1}{2}$	1044 18 2
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	1637	81 17 0	5781	289 1 0
Methylated Spirits, gallons	69	10 7 9	77	11 11 0
Molasses, cwts.	46 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 3 9	98 $\frac{3}{4}$	17 5 9
Mustard, lbs.	8367	69 14 6	11,746	97 17 8
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	4325	36 0 10	7724	64 7 4
Oatmeal	—	—	—	—
Oil, at 1s. per gallon	48,631	2431 11 0	41,875	2093 15 0
Paints, mixed, lbs.	47,947	99 18 1	58,490	121 17 2
Ditto, dry, lbs.	9008	9 7 8	13,904	14 9 9
Pearl Barley, lbs.	6636	13 16 6	—	—
Peas, Split, lbs.	—	—	1241	2 11 9
Pepper, lbs.	13,258	110 9 8	13,879	115 13 2
Perry and Cider, gallons	—	—	—	—
Pianos, No.	62	310 0 0	85	425 0 0
Pickles, dozen quarts	40	6 0 0	6	0 18 0
Ditto, dozen pints	522	52 4 0	1880	188 0 0
Pimento	—	—	140	1 3 4
Rice, lbs.	239,731	499 8 10	121,254	252 12 3
Rope, cwts.	438 $\frac{3}{4}$	32 19 0	439 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 19 3
Sago, lbs.	3907	32 11 2	10,061	83 16 10
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	9585 $\frac{1}{2}$	718 19 8	7725	579 7 6
Sauces, dozen pints	29	4 7 0	73	10 19 0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	435	43 10 0	295	29 10 0
Seeds, lbs.	9496	19 15 8	—	—
Shot, lbs.	19,320	80 10 0	11,648	48 10 8
Soap, lbs.	12,403	51 13 7	20,139	83 18 3
Soda Crystals, lbs.	116,172	121 0 5	83,457	86 18 9
Spices, lbs.	2729	45 9 8	2856	47 12 0
Spirits of Tar, galls.	10	0 5 0	—	—
Starch, lbs.	33,506	139 12 2	15,960	66 10 0
Sugar, raw, cwts.	29,265 $\frac{3}{4}$	8779 14 6	32,166	9649 16 0
Sulphur, lbs.	52,480	54 13 7	3494	3 12 10
Tallow, lbs.	49,793	74 15 6	26,000	39 0 0
Tapioca, lbs.	1661	13 16 10	2692	22 8 8
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	478	7 19 4	1988	33 2 8
Tea, lbs.	310,332	7758 6 0	243,869	6096 14 6
Timber, at 8s. per load, loads	30 $\frac{3}{4}$	12 6 0	63	25 4 0
Ditto, at 6d. per foot, feet	8375 $\frac{1}{2}$	209 7 9	3596	89 18 0
Tubs and Buckets, No.	190 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 11 6	420	63 0 0
Turpentine, galls.	719	35 19 0	574	28 14 0
Twine, lbs.	13,062	54 8 6	14,381	59 18 5
Varnish, gallons	98	4 18 0	345	17 5 0
Vinegar, gallons	12,241	204 0 4	3558	59 6 0
Wines, in wood, gallons	6485	648 10 0	6494	649 8 0
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	602 $\frac{3}{4}$	219 16 4	629 $\frac{6}{8}$	188 17 0
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints.	106	18 2 0	395 $\frac{3}{4}$	59 5 9
Wool Packs, No.	13,844	144 4 3	8138	84 15 5
Measurement Goods ( <i>detailed below</i> )	—	13,435 2 8	—	17,137 4 4
Harmoniums and Cabinet Organs, No.	11	27 10 0	40	100 0 0
Sugar, Refined, at 6s., 106 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwts.	67,158	262 1 6	29,068	123 10 4
Ditto, at 1d., 55,230 lbs.	—	215 2 1	—	796 13 9
<i>Ad valorem</i> Goods	—	—	—	—
		74,015 7 11		81,215 15 7

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>				
Apparel and Slops, feet	1083½	236 3 0	838½	209 12 6
Basket and Wickerware, feet	239	11 19 0	472	23 15 0
Boots and Shoes, feet	3113	779 10 0	2930½	732 12 6
Biscuits, feet	1112½	111 5 0	1488	148 16 0
Blacking, feet	427	55 0 0	607	91 1 0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	1930	226 13 0	2055½	308 6 6
Brushes and Combs, feet	135½	31 16 6	518½	129 12 6
Carpets and Rugs, feet	946½	130 8 0	2617½	392 12 6
Confectionery, feet	1216	182 8 0	1786	267 18 0
Drapery, feet	40,430½	9186 2 6	47,789½	11,947 7 6
Earthen and Glassware, feet	8611½	322 18 11	14,628½	548 11 7
Fish, Pickled, feet	295	14 15 0	76	3 16 0
Furniture, feet	1922½	257 12 6	2500½	250 1 0
Hats and Caps, feet	58	13 1 0	212	53 0 0
Matches, Lucifer, feet	3091½	154 11 6	3286	164 6 0
Matches, Vestas	36	4 10 0	109	16 7 0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	2072½	471 12 0	1758½	439 12 6
Musical Instruments, feet	388	77 12 0	—	—
Oilmen's Stores, feet	1352½	202 17 6	1744½	261 13 6
Saddlery and Leatherware, feet	851½	170 6 0	1598	319 12 0
Stationery, at 4s., feet	1394	278 16 0	1481	296 4 0
Ditto, at 1s. 6d., feet	—	—	6237½	467 16 3
Ditto and Room Paper, &c., at 1s. 6d., feet	3909	293 3 9	—	—
Toys, feet	629½	31 9 6	1290½	64 10 6
Woollens, feet	—	—	—	—
Unenumerated, feet	953	190 12 0	—	—
		13,435 2 8		17,137 4 4

EDW. BOYES, *Sub-Collector of Customs.**Custom House, Launceston,  
5th April, 1875.*



*COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing Amount of Duties collected at the Ports of  
HOBART TOWN and LAUNCESTON during the Years 1873 and 1874.*

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, galls.	22,834 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13,701 1 4	26,386 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	15,832 7 4
Geneva, galls.	16,466 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9880 9 5	18,190 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	10,914 18 4
Gin, galls.	830 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>0</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	498 5 9	962 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	577 15 10
Whisky, galls.	2387 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>0</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1432 9 9	3170 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1902 14 9
Cordials, galls.	138 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>0</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	82 19 10	129 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>0</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	77 16 3
Rum, galls.	24,143 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	14,485 18 3	26,310 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	15,786 9 5
Perfumed, galls.	397 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	238 7 3	367 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>0</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	220 12 4
Tobacco, lbs.	159,689	21,836 2 0	154,373	23,155 19 0
Cigars, lbs.	5758	1273 10 0	6869	1717 5 0
Snuff, lbs.	1184	271 2 0	1065	266 5 0
Sheepwash Tobacco, &c.	35	0 8 9	137	1 14 3
Almonds, lbs.	2659	22 3 2	3552	29 12 0
Alum, lbs.	4723	4 18 6	7298	7 12 2
Agricultural Implements, cwt.	—	—	—	—
Arrowroot, lbs.	9405	78 7 6	5221	43 10 2
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	142	1 3 8	695	5 15 10
Bagging, yards	87,801	36 12 6	117,625	49 0 6
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	73,531	55 6 10	77,537	58 5 2
Blue, lbs.	25,883	215 13 10	25,833	215 5 6
Butter, lbs.	13,528	112 14 8	19,953	166 5 6
Candles, lbs.	79,352	661 5 4	67,476	562 6 0
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	15,717	32 14 11	18,329	38 3 9
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	23	230 0 0	30	300 0 0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	—	—	—	—
Cheese, lbs.	57	0 9 6	905	7 10 10
Chicory, lbs.	57,144	714 6 0	53,784	672 6 0
Chocolate, lbs.	3270	40 17 6	6422	80 5 6
Coals, tons	8275	413 15 0	7028 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	351 8 9
Cocoa, lbs.	15,310	191 7 6	23,137	289 4 3
Coffee, Green, lbs.	82,523	1031 10 9	73,108	913 17 0
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.	5620	93 13 4	6676	111 5 4
Coir Matting, feet	3337 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	83 8 9	2978	74 9 0
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	30,658	31 18 10	16,892	17 12 0
Corn Sacks, No.	499,450	1040 10 4	387,672	807 13 0
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	15,972	284 7 8	17,268	431 14 0
Dried Fruits, lbs.	351,922	2199 12 10	377,944	2362 4 7
Fish, Dried, lbs.	16,362	34 1 10	13,591	28 6 7
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	4016	2 0 6	3800	1 18 0
Ginger, lbs.	10,715	89 5 10	9322	77 13 8
Glass, Crown, feet	46,549	69 16 6	92,862	139 7 0
Ditto, Plate, feet	542	1 16 0	2550	7 13 0
Glue, lbs.	5281	22 0 1	7087	29 10 7
Grain—Maize, lbs.	362,500	151 3 4	137,237	57 6 7
Barley, lbs.	—	—	43,200	18 0 0
Beans, lbs.	18,335	7 12 11	100	0 0 10
Oats, lbs.	—	—	2725	1 2 9
Rye, lbs.	—	—	5900	2 9 3
Wheat, lbs.	896,359	373 10 5	300	0 2 6
Gunny Bags, No.	99,089	103 4 8	56,408	58 15 6
Gunpowder, lbs.	28,206	470 2 0	8135	135 11 8
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	39,650	165 4 2	22,950	95 12 6
Hops, lbs.	49,976	416 9 4	34,716	289 6 0
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hollow- ware, &c., at 5s. and 2s. 6d. per cwt.	—	2877 11 6	—	3911 1 11
Ditto, at 9d. ditto	—	433 14 0	—	261 17 11
Ditto, at 6d. ditto	—	25 3 1	—	16 9 1
Jewellery and Plate, ozs.	2972	240 9 0	3261 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	242 18 6
Lamp Black, lbs.	3304	3 8 11	1807	1 17 8
Liquorice, lbs.	6333	52 15 6	4075	33 19 2

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
Live Stock—Cattle	918	£ 1377 0 0	790	£ 1185 0 0
Sheep	13,197	989 15 6	20,988	1574 2 0
Macaroni, lbs.	1298	10 16 4	1400	11 13 4
Malt, bushels	8057	402 17 0	150	7 10 0
Malt Liquors, in wood, galls.	10,250	256 5 0	11,001	275 0 6
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	10,231 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1023 2 2	17,706 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	1770 12 10
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	4594 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	229 14 7	8559 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	427 19 6
Methylated Spirits, gallons	269	40 7 0	178 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	26 15 6
Molasses, cwts.	238	41 14 1	379 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	66 8 6
Mustard, lbs.	21,021	175 3 6	26,908	224 4 8
Nutmegs, lbs.	971	16 3 8	295	4 18 4
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	8395	69 19 2	15,429	128 11 6
Oatmeal, lbs.	112	0 4 8	4704	9 16 0
Oil, at 1s. per gallon	93,689	4684 9 0	76,315 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	3815 15 6
Paints, mixed, lbs.	92,115	191 18 5	111,906	233 2 9
Ditto, dry, lbs.	17,796	18 11 4	23,826	24 16 11
Pearl Barley, lbs.	29,468	61 7 10	20,272	42 4 8
Peas, Split, lbs.	13,454	28 0 7	12,482	26 0 2
Pepper, lbs.	33,607	280 1 2	36,462	303 17 0
Perry and Cider, gallons	<i>Nil.</i>	—	60	1 0 0
Pianos, No.	133	665 0 0	199	995 0 0
Pickles, dozen quarts	40	6 0 0	15	2 5 0
Ditto, dozen pints	1540	154 0 0	3748	374 16 0
Pimento	1264	10 10 8	2484	20 14 0
Rice, lbs.	466,205	971 5 4	238,714	497 6 6
Rope, cwts.	1693 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	127 2 9	1544 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	115 17 6
Sago, lbs.	25,240	210 6 8	23,841	198 13 6
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	20,035	1502 14 0	19,824 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1486 17 2
Sauces, dozen pints	138 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	20 14 6	130	19 10 0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	980	98 0 0	637 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	63 14 6
Seeds, lbs.	16,614	34 12 4	17,886	37 5 4
Shot, lbs.	29,372	122 7 8	15,008	62 10 8
Soap, lbs.	27,507	114 12 3	35,128	146 7 4
Soda Crystals, lbs.	286,906	298 17 8	224,027	233 7 5
Spices, lbs.	4795	79 18 4	4859	80 19 8
Spirits of Tar, galls.	10	0 5 0	—	—
Starch, lbs.	68,674	286 2 10	44,744	186 8 8
Sugar, raw, cwts.	82,792 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	24,837 13 6	84,883	25,464 18 0
Sulphur, lbs.	206,552	215 3 7	69,130	72 0 4
Tallow, lbs.	377,157	566 15 2	343,536	516 10 6
Tapioca, lbs.	4585	38 4 2	3626	30 4 4
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	1822	30 7 4	3603	60 1 0
Tea, lbs.	735,666	18,391 13 0	584,609	14,615 4 6
Timber, at 8s. per load, loads	98 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	39 8 11	71	28 8 0
Ditto, at 6d. per foot, feet	10,398 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	259 19 3	4852 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	121 6 3
Tubs and Buckets, doz.	4613	57 13 3	3300	99 0 0
Turpentine, galls.	1282	64 2 0	1485	74 5 0
Twine, lbs.	26,669	111 2 5	30,531	127 4 3
Varnish, gallons	889 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	44 9 6	674 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	33 14 6
Vinegar, gallons	20,683	344 14 4	13,735	228 18 4
White Lead, lbs.	35,310	73 11 3	6108	12 14 6
Wines, in wood, gallons	19,882	1988 4 0	18,160	1816 0 0
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	1254 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	434 7 4	1083 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	324 18 6
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints.	338 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	56 2 6	573 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	85 19 9
Wool Packs, No.	33,108	344 17 9	26,294	273 17 11
Measurement Goods ( <i>detailed on page 12</i> )	—	30,330 17 0	—	37,765 15 8
Harmoniums and Cabinet Organs, No.	19	47 10 0	62	155 0 0
Sugar, Refined	99,346	413 18 10	183,545	764 13 5
<i>Ad valorem</i> Goods	—	562 8 2	—	1639 2 8
		170,670 7 1		182,451 5 4

ARTICLES.	1873.		1874.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>				
Apparel and Slops, feet	4968	1097 15 6	3368½	842 2 6
Basket and Wickerware, feet	408½	22 9 6	664½	34 15 0
Blacking, feet	1087½	133 14 0	1407	211 1 0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	4643	526 10 0	5691½	853 14 6
Boots and Shoes, feet	6133	1533 5 0	5902½	1475 12 6
Biscuits, feet	2130	213 0 0	2831½	283 3 0
Brushes and Combs, feet	321	78 4 0	1165	291 5 0
Carpets and Rugs, feet	3589½	466 19 6	7151½	1072 14 6
Confectionery, feet	3580½	537 1 6	5668	850 4 0
Corn Flour and Maizena, feet	1268	126 16 0	501	50 2 0
Drapery, feet	85,071½	19,145 7 6	100,457½	25,114 7 6
Earthen and Glassware, feet	22,220	833 5 9	31,289½	1173 8 5
Fish, Pickled, feet	554	27 14 0	523	26 3 0
Furniture, feet	4037½	508 4 6	5438½	543 17 0
Hats and Caps, feet	1177½	270 14 6	721½	180 7 6
Matches, Lucifer, feet	6691½	334 11 6	5638	281 18 0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	4071½	922 11 0	3755½	983 17 6
Musical Instruments, feet	702	140 8 0	Now ad	valorem.
Oilmen's Stores, feet	2757	413 11 0	3621	543 3 0
Printing and Wrapping Paper, &c., feet	11,629	872 3 9	14,905½	1117 18 3
Saddlery and Leatherware, feet	1587½	317 10 0	3040	608 0 0
Stationery	3127½	625 10 0	3319½	663 18 0
Toys, feet	2180	109 0 0	3442½	172 9 6
Wax Vestas	110	13 10 0	165½	24 16 6
Woodware, &c.	1707½	341 10 0	Now ad	valorem.
Woollens, feet	2202	443 14 6	1671	411 17 6
Unenumerated, feet	1379	275 16 0	Now ad	valorem.
		30,330 17 0		37,765 15 8

THOS. T. WATT, *Collector of Customs.**Custom House, Hobart Town,  
5th April, 1875.*