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PARLIAMENT OF TASMANIA.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SECRETARY FOR
CUSTOMS ON TRADE, CUSTOMS, AND EXCISE,

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER, 1899, AND FOR THE
SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1900.

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2.—Comparative Return showing the Customs Duties received for the first Six Months of the Years 1898, 1899, and 1900.

PRINCIPAL ARTICLES.

Articles.	Six Months, 1898.	Six Months, 1899.	Six Months, 1900.
	£	£	£
Spirits	27,725	30,656	32,505
Tobacco	27,445	29,840	33,207
Wines	2955	3087	2870
Malt Liquor.....	2136	2374	3098
Tea	6129	6449	6892
Coffee, Chicory, Cocoa, Chocolate.....	1253	1637	1663
Sugar	21,403	25,029	24,323
Dried Fruit.....	2392	2011	2444
Hops.....	496	224	299
Salt	712	1220	1312
Sheep and Cattle	1670	1781	1320
Oils	5813	5442	5872
Coals and Coke	3142	3330	3848
Stationery and Paper	2156	2271	2553
Hardware and Ironmongery	14,342	13,354	17,361
Fabrics, Cotton, Woollen, and Silk	32,122	33,801	43,324
Boots and Shoes	2758	3097	4113
Medicines and Drugs	1776	2061	2157
Earthenware and Glassware.....	1862	1831	2519
Rice	2304	2459	1388
Wheat	2	—	—
Other Goods	38,257	33,486	35,707
TOTAL.....	£198,850	£205,440	£228,775

The continued improvement of the Customs Revenue, as disclosed by the figures presented in the Annual Return for 1899, viz., £431,180, as against £410,976 for the preceding year—an advance of £20,204—affords substantial evidence of increased purchasing power and the consequent prospering condition of the Colony.

A detailed comparison of the revenue derived during the first six months of the current year from the consumption of principal articles with that received during the corresponding period of last year, again affords excellent proof of substantial prosperity; the increase in the revenue from spirits, tobacco, malt liquors (articles of luxury), coupled with that from tea, fabrics, earthenware, hardware, boots and shoes, &c., being indisputable testimony of material advancement.

3.—Comparative Return showing Total Value of Imports and Exports for the past Six Years; also percentage relation to Population.

Year.	Population.	Imports.		Exports.		Imports and Exports.	
		Value.	At per Head.	Value.	At per Head.	Value.	At per Head.
1894	£ 159,940	£ 979,676	£ s. d. 6 5 7 $\frac{3}{4}$	£ 1,489,041	£. s. d. 9 10 11 $\frac{1}{2}$	£ 2,468,717	£ s. d. 15 16 7 $\frac{1}{4}$
1895	159,145	1,094,456	6 17 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,373,063	8 12 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	2,467,519	15 10 1
1896	163,493	1,192,410	7 5 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,496,576	9 3 1	2,688,986	16 8 11 $\frac{1}{4}$
1897	168,915	1,367,608	8 1 11 $\frac{1}{4}$	1,744,461	10 6 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,112,069	18 8 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
1898	177,340	1,650,017	9 6 1	1,803,368	10 3 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,453,385	19 9 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
1899	182,508	1,769,324	9 13 10 $\frac{3}{4}$	2,577,475	14 2 5 $\frac{1}{4}$	4,346,799	23 16 4

This Return affords conclusive evidence of the steady and continued growth of the trade of the Colony, and it is gratifying to note that, while a small gradual increase can be credited to Imports, equalling some 7s. 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per head, the Exports of the Colony (with an enlarged population of 5168), are credited with no less a sum than £3 19s. 0 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per capita—while the total volume of trade for 1899 exceeds that of the preceding year by £4 6s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per head of population, which means an increased turn-over for the Colony of nearly one million pounds in value during the past year.

4.—Comparative Statement of principal Articles of Imports during the years 1897, 1898, and 1899.

Article.	Value.		
	1897.	1898.	1899.
	£	£	£
Spirits	18,798	24,772	24,914
Tobacco, Cigars, &c.....	29,131	32,885	35,782
Wines.....	6187	7508	8499
Malt Liquor.....	8804	10,505	10,771
Tea.....	33,971	39,358	45,933
Sugar.....	95,495	94,219	104,878
Fabrics of all kinds.....	327,895	326,144	380,059
Hardware and Tools	68,341	69,239	74,527
Boots and Shoes.....	32,777	32,908	41,181
Bags of all kinds and Woolpacks.....	29,596	27,531	45,107
Coals and Coke	21,095	23,054	42,533
Medicines and Drugs.....	17,512	19,676	21,246
Manure.....	25,076	25,398	32,104
Machinery.....	50,267	104,831	83,978
Oils and Varnish.....	17,039	20,480	21,326
Earthenware and Glassware	13,523	15,604	15,928
Railway and Tramway Material.....	17,838	47,923	43,701
Books and Stationery.....	27,171	28,264	30,667
Paper	17,358	18,976	19,733
Iron, Galvanized, &c., Wire, Nails, &c.....	42,882	46,110	61,980
Timber	13,565	15,569	20,391
Sheep.....	11,158	43,854	26,425
Cattle.....	3211	19,006	4371
Grain	9595	7213	6237
Flour, Meat, and Vegetables.....	1676	7725	13,958
Butter, Lard, and Cheese	19,039	39,835	23,201
Oilmen's Stores.....	21,164	29,428	35,582
All other Goods.....	387,444	472,003	489,312
TOTAL	1,367,608	1,650,018	1,769,324

The total Imports for the year 1899 exceeded the total of the previous year by some £120,000 in value, which, fairly distributed, would seem to indicate continued and satisfactory business generally; while it is pleasing to note, that the amount expended outside the Colony was considerably lessened during the year 1899, for the purchase of agricultural, pastoral, and domestic produce, such as cattle, sheep, grain, flour, butter, &c., the figures being £79,192, as against £117,633 for the previous year—thus a significant decrease is shown in favour of the Colony's production for the past year of some £38,441 in value.

5.—Comparative Statement of the Values of the principal Articles of Export during the Years 1897, 1898, and 1899.

Article.	Value.		
	1897.	1898.	1899.
	£	£	£
Blister Copper	316,517	372,233	738,055
Gold	226,288	184,865	201,235
Silver Ore	216,893	167,618	162,418
Tin and Tin Ore	150,586	141,329	281,947
Copper Ore	912	5365	23,825
Green Fruit	148,954	125,233	170,394
Jam	31,716	30,985	40,329
Pulp Fruit	8778	17,363	20,486
Oats	12,874	36,623	81,669
Wheat	24	22,220	31,895
Flour	252	13,622	18,244
Preserved Fruit	4348	8188	10,531
Peas and Beans	3050	4140	8176
Potatoes	124,349	129,436	95,025
Hops	18,373	22,012	13,555
Hay and Straw	13,157	9946	17,619
Chaff	16,111	3792	5652
Eucalyptus Oil	2864	5201	2942
Leather	4943	2314	2243
Hides and Skins	25,818	29,064	46,385
Native Skins	3405	15,340	7799
Rabbit Skins	13,625	19,280	36,994
Wool	264,630	254,960	357,757
Bark	26,249	31,017	31,042
Sheep	24,344	19,400	27,073
Timber	34,013	27,162	39,542
Other Goods	51,388	104,660	104,643
TOTAL	£1,744,461	1,803,368	2,577,475

Comparative Statement of the Values of the undermentioned Articles of Export during the Six Months ended June, 1898-1899-1900.

Article.	Six Months ended	Six Months ended	Six Months ended
	June, 1898.	June, 1899.	June, 1900.
	£	£	£
Jam	13,091	22,316	29,006
Oats	23,444	34,758	38,001
Potatoes	93,194	70,885	64,633
Hops	19,253	10,195	15,405
Hides and Skins	10,647	18,189	18,856
Wool	127,984	110,725	164,403
Hay and Straw	5502	7105	3681
Chaff	2597	2097	100
Timber	13,655	21,213	20,218
Eucalyptus Oil	1725	1501	1677
Green Fruit	90,443	125,839	130,296
Sheep	14,289	20,232	31,997
Minerals	397,217	596,732	735,961
Other Goods	95,440	88,494	91,734
TOTAL	£908,481	1,130,281	1,345,968

Excluding Minerals, which are separately dealt with, as usual, the above return for the year 1899, shows a largely increased exportation of the important staple products of the Colony—such as green, pulped, and preserved fruits, jam, grain, wool, timber, &c., and it is gratifying to observe that in the six months' return of the current year, with hardly any exception, the export of these articles of produce still continues to increase.

While the enlarged export of food products may be traceable to the present abnormal demand of the South African markets, and which may result in the establishment of permanent settled trade, and the opening of a practically new and unlimited market, other articles of export, such as wool, hides and skins, rabbit skins, &c., call for some special notice.

The export value of wool decreased some £10,000 as between the years 1897-8, but partly owing, no doubt, to enhanced prices since ruling, the export value increased from £254,960 in 1898 (7,792,976 lbs.) to £357,757 in the year 1899 (8,635,472 lbs.) : while the local woollen mills are credited with having consumed some 668,000 lbs. weight of wool during the latter year, as against 664,000 in the year 1898.

Hides and skins show a very large increased export, the value figures having risen from £29,064 in 1898 to £46,385 in 1899, owing, doubtless, to some active demand in other markets.

The increased exportation of rabbit skins is also worthy of note in its importance to the Colony in several directions, as the increasing exportation of this article must be, to say the least, a strong influence against the increase of the rabbit pest, while providing material which may possibly warrant the establishment of a canning industry, as in some of the other Colonies—thus another item of food supply might be added to our export list.

6.—*Comparative Return, showing Quantity and Value of Minerals exported for 1897, 1898, and 1899.*

Article.	1897.		1898.		1899.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Gold	58,809 $\frac{1}{2}$ ozs.	226,288	48,913 $\frac{1}{4}$	184,865	52,946 $\frac{1}{4}$	201,235
Gold Pyrites.....	300 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	2876	287 $\frac{1}{4}$	2439	516 $\frac{1}{4}$	4601
Silver Ore	19,516 tons	216,893	13,939 $\frac{3}{4}$	167,618	13,404 $\frac{1}{4}$	162,418
Silver-lead, Bullion.....	... tons	...	...	...	1430 $\frac{1}{2}$	46,451
Tin	2423 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	149,994	1972 $\frac{1}{2}$	141,162	2239 $\frac{1}{4}$	278,323
Tin Ore	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	592	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	167	56 $\frac{3}{4}$	3624
Blister Copper	4512 $\frac{1}{2}$ tons	316,517	5012 $\frac{3}{4}$	372,233	8343 $\frac{1}{4}$	738,055
Copper Pyrites .....	... tons	...	40	967	...	...
Copper Ore	52 tons	912	419 $\frac{1}{4}$	5365	1737 $\frac{1}{2}$	23,825
Other Minerals .....	...	5347	...	2934	...	5983
Total Value.....	... £	919,419	...	877,750	...	1,464,515

Decrease for 1898, as compared with 1897, £41,669.

Increase for 1899, as compared with 1898, £586,765.

Comparative Return, showing Quantity and Value of Minerals exported for the first Six Months of the Years 1898, 1899, and 1900.

Article.	1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Gold	23,946 $\frac{1}{4}$ ozs.	89,847	28,658	109,403	29,426 $\frac{3}{4}$	108,241
Gold Pyrites.....	121 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons	879	254 $\frac{1}{4}$	2281	69	656
Silver Ore	6178 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons	75,824	6922 $\frac{1}{2}$	84,630	4817 $\frac{3}{4}$	62,785
Silver-lead, Bullion.....	... tons	...	...	...	1350 $\frac{1}{4}$	48,249
Tin	926 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons	59,462	961	107,263	911 $\frac{3}{4}$	122,773
Blister Copper	2338 tons	168,080	3078 $\frac{1}{2}$	268,190	4270 $\frac{3}{4}$	388,270
Copper Ore	78 $\frac{3}{4}$ tons	1092	1488	22,369	34 $\frac{1}{2}$	389
Other Minerals .....	...	2033	...	2596	...	4598
Total Value.....	... £	397,217	...	596,732	...	735,961

Increase for Six Months ended June, 1899, as compared with the same period for 1898, £199,515.

Increase for Six Months ended June, 1900, as compared with the same period for 1899, £139,229.

As anticipated in my last Annual Report the fact is now duly chronicled that the export value of blister copper has alone exceeded in export value all the other metals and minerals combined, while the total value of all metals and minerals exported during the year 1899, exceeded the total value of all the other exports of the Colony together.

The significance of these facts must be very apparent, as well as their importance in the light of similar developments in other Countries and Colonies, and in the knowledge that the necessary combination of science and capital is already being—it may be slowly, but none the less surely—applied in unlocking the wealth contained in the vast pyritic and other ore bodies abounding in the Colony.

7.—Return of the Imports, Exports, and Duties of the several Ports in the Colony during the Years 1897, 1898, 1899, and the first Six Months of 1900.

	1897.	1898.	1899.	Six months ended 30th June, 1900.
IMPORTS.				
	£	£	£	£
Hobart	555,949	615,198	682,498	371,528
Launceston	583,238	659,832	673,550	383,774
Strahan.....	131,086	229,534	257,207	146,211
Devonport	57,362	75,245	99,156	57,722
Burnie	25,155	51,579	34,936	32,649
Stanley	8343	9883	11,180	4978
Ulverstone	6475	8745	10,796	5158
EXPORTS.				
Hobart	624,957	626,542	846,342	519,914
Launceston	602,654	549,234	825,437	337,364
Strahan.....	332,932	416,036	675,909	296,144
Devonport	133,202	146,065	166,162	152,950
Burnie	19,658	23,770	34,145	24,129
Stanley.....	27,608	33,678	26,368	13,587
Ulverstone	3450	3044	3112	1880
DUTIES.				
Hobart	151,158	173,264	183,845	95,771
Launceston	162,002	173,403	175,777	95,930
Strahan.....	24,286	36,782	43,454	22,203
Devonport	11,112	14,504	16,651	8345
Burnie	4890	9159	7305	4854
Stanley.....	1407	1830	1868	766
Ulverstone	1319	2032	2280	906

8.—Comparative Return showing Total Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade of Tasmania with each Colony and Country during the Years 1897, 1898, and 1899.

AUSTRALASIA.				
Country.	IMPORTS.			
	1897.	1898.	1899	
	£	£	£	
Victoria	612,980	720,684	799,907	
New South Wales.....	197,667	273,227	275,414	
South Australia.....	5182	4927	7907	
Queensland	52,127	96,002	108,536	
New Zealand.....	60,759	31,922	27,164	
Western Australia .....	...	64	14	
Hong Kong .....	...	386	...	
Other British Possessions ..	6454	6857	14,478	
Total Imports from Australasian Colonies and other British Possessions	<u>£936,169</u>	<u>£1,134,069</u>	<u>£1,233,420</u>	

	1897.	1898.	1899.
EXPORTS.			
Victoria	£ 807,433	£ 614,640	£ 391,602
New South Wales	583,273	635,110	701,524
South Australia.....	11,753	23,854	22,280
Queensland	3965	6049	13,890
Western Australia	29,878	44,084	48,525
New Zealand	21,791	25,355	20,555
Other British Possessions	944	606	11,982
Total Exports to Australasian Colonies and other British Possessions	£1,459,037	£1,349,698	£1,210,358
TOTAL TRADE.			
Victoria	£ 1,420,413	£ 1,335,324	£ 1,191,509
New South Wales	780,940	908,337	976,938
South Australia.....	16,935	28,781	30,187
Queensland	57,092	102,051	122,426
Western Australia	29,878	44,148	48,539
New Zealand	82,550	57,277	47,719
Hong Kong .....	...	386	—
Other British Possessions	7,398	7,463	26,460
Total Trade with Australasian Colonies and other British Possessions	£2,395,206	£2,483,767	£2,443,778
UNITED KINGDOM.			
Imports	£ 397,510	£ 465,544	£ 501,120
Exports	274,497	431,518	1,039,640
Total direct Trade with United Kingdom	672,007	897,062	1,540,760
FOREIGN COUNTRIES.			
IMPORTS.			
America.....	£ 19,245	£ 31,986	£ 20,298
Germany	7959	11,351	5848
Sweden.....	5815	5205	6097
Other European Countries	409	1248	1631
Japan.....	80	412	269
China.....	421	203	641
Total direct Imports from Foreign Countries	33,929	50,405	34,784
EXPORTS.			
France	£ 6450	£ ...	£ ...
Italy	4437	...	...
Egypt.....	40	245	...
Belgium.....	...	4176	...
America.....	...	16,432	236,000
South Africa .....	...	1300	...
Germany .....	...	...	91,395
Rio de Janeiro .....	..	...	82
Total direct Exports to Foreign Countries	10,927	22,153	327,477
SUMMARY.			
IMPORTS from all Countries	£ 1,367,608	£ 1,650,018	£ 1,769,324
EXPORTS to all Countries.....	1,744,461	1,803,369	2,577,475
Total Trade with all Countries	£3,112,069	£3,453,387	£4,346,799

NOTE.—Such portion of the trade as is represented by “transhipments” to or from the United Kingdom or the other Colonies must necessarily be credited to the Country or Colony whence directly imported, or to whence directly exported, as the case may be.

9.—RETURN of the Number and Tonnage of Vessels entered Inwards during the Years 1890 to 1899.

Year.	Great Britain.		British Colonies.												Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.		Whalers.		Totals.	
			Victoria.		South Australia.		New South Wales.		New Zealand.		Queensland.		Western Australia.									
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
1890.....	46	97,231	498	236,184	41	12,031	104	86,941	37	33,009	2	318	...	...	3	954	13	8404	2	546	746	475,618
1891.....	44	94,924	500	231,378	53	8510	124	130,631	44	37,942	3	686	...	...	1	519	14	9644	2	472	785	514,706
1892.....	45	95,010	468	226,318	53	9665	176	170,430	68	62,131	1	234	...	...	...	...	4	2514	1	236	816	566,538
1893.....	37	87,288	401	167,939	29	5850	177	158,910	38	41,125	1	73	...	...	2	529	6	4126	2	472	693	466,312
1894.....	34	91,348	420	165,842	43	15,461	131	113,683	46	50,436	2	186	...	...	...	...	2	1054	4	1040	682	439,050
1895.....	31	85,208	425	167,961	52	14,846	146	136,489	46	54,005	1	111	...	...	1	252	6	4293	3	814	711	463,979
1896.....	37	106,497	383	137,119	51	13,471	131	130,141	50	56,738	2	298	...	...	3	3402	4	1657	...	...	661	449,323
1897.....	33	94,364	394	170,676	44	11,302	159	181,146	49	66,985	3	562	5	5107	6	9113	3	2417	3	377	699	542,049
1898.....	39	111,567	455	213,833	42	8263	140	154,752	44	65,729	2	270	...	...	11	16,866	6	3684	...	...	739	574,964
1899.....	35	114,340	481	275,909	52	9413	163	172,825	48	74,308	3	461	...	...	13	13,687	2	1816	1	343	798	663,102

RETURN of the Number and Tonnage of Vessels entered Outwards during the Years 1890 to 1899.

Year.	Great Britain.		British Colonies.												Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.		Whalers.		Totals.	
			Victoria.		South Australia.		New South Wales.		New Zealand.		Queensland.		Western Australia.									
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
1890.....	8	4159	428	183,406	59	9803	172	140,116	86	133,668	3	1848	1	633	...	...	5	1759	1	237	763	475,629
1891.....	19	38,464	463	215,254	70	13,907	142	121,741	89	136,944	4	1504	...	...	2	968	3	882	1	236	793	529,900
1892.....	21	43,448	427	201,159	66	9548	205	159,486	101	153,704	4	1130	2	833	1	772	...	...	2	472	829	570,602
1893.....	17	35,523	353	145,441	37	6988	197	152,090	75	126,358	5	574	1	50	...	...	3	631	2	472	690	468,127
1894.....	14	31,017	425	147,972	35	7606	180	128,579	79	141,913	3	339	...	...	...	...	1	665	4	1146	741	459,317
1895.....	19	42,836	407	145,230	56	7451	183	142,271	71	132,699	2	246	...	...	1	877	2	1700	1	236	742	473,546
1896.....	14	29,416	390	133,559	50	8218	130	108,172	79	155,915	3	608	..	...	4	626	7	4681	1	343	678	441,538
1897.....	14	32,127	386	164,265	43	8723	181	173,569	78	154,206	4	487	5	4743	1	287	4	3695	1	17	717	542,119
1898.....	14	38,152	473	209,910	48	8100	159	148,011	83	175,933	2	212	1	731	3	1698	2	939	1	343	786	584,029
1899.....	17	42,961	401	231,205	50	8027	195	181,609	83	185,743	2	270	6	4078	1	1365	1	343	756	655,601

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10.—Vessels registered in the Colony on 31st December, 1899.

Sailing	156	Net tonnage.....	8894
Steam	44	„	6485
TOTAL	200		15,379

11.—RETURN of Wrecks and Disasters to Shipping within the jurisdiction of Tasmania during the Year 1899.

Date. 1899.	Name and Description of Vessel.	Port of Registry.	Official Number.	Tonnage.	Cargo.	Nature of Disaster.	Total Crew and Passengers.	Lives lost.	Particulars.
6 Jan. — Jan.	<i>Caledonia</i> , ketch <i>Tambo</i> , steamer	Hobart Hobart	57,498 99,771	27 450	Firewood Ballast	Total wreck Fracture of crank-pin	3 24	Nil. Nil.	Vessel capsized by sudden squall at Derwent Lighthouse. Fracture of intermediate crank-pin.
19 April	<i>Australia</i> , steamer	Dunedin	89,928	481	General	Total wreck	45	Nil.	Struck on West Point, West Coast of Tasmania, and foundered.
2 May	<i>Brothers</i> , ketch	Launceston	79,297	7	Ballast	Total wreck	2	Nil.	Vessel dragged on to rocks, Snug Cove, west side of Clarke's Island, Bass Strait.
3 May	<i>Corio</i> , steamer	Launceston	74,646	30	General	Collision	4	Nil.	S.S. <i>Centennial</i> collided with s.s. <i>Corio</i> in Whirlpool Reach, Tamar River, damaging rudder-post.
12 May	<i>Kawatiri</i> , steamer	Dunedin	84,481	322	General	Stranded	53	Nil.	Ship refused to answer helm, owing to exceptionally strong flood tide; grounded on Entrance Island, Mac- quarie Harbour; no damage.
27 May	<i>Mahinapua</i> , steamer	Dunedin	75,230	239	General	Caught fire	90	Nil.	Casualty happened off Maatsuyker Lighthouse; put back to Recherche. Slight damage done to cargo only. Cause unknown.
— July 18 July	<i>Silver Crown</i> , steamer <i>Star</i> , steamer	Hobart Launceston	57,622 79,289	49 40	Ballast Potatoes	Broken shaft Stranded	3 8	Nil. Nil.	Shaft broken whilst crossing River Derwent. Stranded on sunken rock in Woolnorth Harbour; tran- shipped cargo to ketch <i>Ariel</i> , when vessel floated off. No damage.
8 Aug.	<i>Annie</i> , ketch	Hobart	78,366	41	Ballast	Capsized	5	5	Vessel capsized when opposite Penguin, about 2 miles from the shore. Subsequently recovered and towed to Burnie.
13 Oct.	<i>Silver Queen</i> , steamer	Hobart	Licensed	8	Bone-dust	Foundered	3	Nil.	Sprung a leak and foundered off Government House Point, River Derwent. Subsequently raised.

12.—EXCISE.

Collections under Beer Duty Act.

1897.	1898.	1899.
£19,376 10s. 9d.	£21,188 1s. 8d.	£22,548 16s. 5d.
		£ s. d.
For Six months ending June 30th, 1899		10,733 1 10
For Six months ending June 30th, 1900		12,047 13 4
	Increase, Six months, 1900	£1314 11 6

CHEMISTS' STILLS (29 Vict. No. 12).—There are seven in Hobart, four in Launceston, and one at Zeehan, now paying licence, though most of them are very little used.

EUCALYPTUS OIL DISTILLERIES.—There are five of these now licensed, and a large quantity of oil is being manufactured.

13.—Return showing the Percentage Cost of Collecting Customs, Excise, and Marine Board Charges during the Years, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, and 1899.

Year.	Gross Collections.	Cost for every £100 collected.	
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1895	350,424 14 8	1 18 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1896	376,347 18 2	1 15 10 $\frac{3}{4}$	
1897	404,176 0 0	1 13 0	
1898	447,543 4 1	1 11 9 $\frac{1}{2}$	
1899	490,584 0 0	1 10 10 $\frac{1}{2}$	

No allowance has been made for the interest on capital expenditure on buildings used for transacting Customs business.

By this Return it will be seen that the cost of Collecting Customs, Excise, and Marine Board charges during the year 1899 was £1 10s. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. per cent. as against £1 11s. 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ d. for the preceding year, a rate of diminution which would next year bring the percentage cost of collection to something under one and a half per cent. of the gross returns.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, showing the Amount of Duties collected at the Port of HOBART during the Years 1898 and 1899.

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, gallons	5874	..	4406 13 1	6845	..	5135 19 10
Geneva, gallons	4252	..	3189 15 10	3830	..	2873 13 7
Gin, gallons	1749	..	1312 1 10	2481	..	1862 5 7
Whisky, gallons	13,874	..	10,406 6 1	16,094	..	12,075 9 8
Cordials, gallons	134	..	100 13 6	178	..	134 1 1
Rum, gallons	8527	..	6395 11 5	10,656	..	7993 18 0
Perfumed, gallons	154	..	185 2 2	96	..	115 10 1
Wine, gallons	138	..	103 10 0	217	..	163 2 2
Methylated, gallons	340	..	51 2 3	542	..	81 6 0
Spirituous Compounds, gallons ..	221	..	165 19 8	307	..	230 10 5
Tobacco, lbs.	140,258	..	21,038 15 0	146,488	..	21,973 6 0
Cigars, lbs.	8524	..	2983 11 6	9781	..	3423 7 0
Cigarettes, lbs.	9047	..	3166 14 3	10,682	..	3738 17 6
Snuff, lbs.	282	..	84 12 0	351	..	122 17 0
Acid, Acetic, lbs.	11,213	..	93 8 11	..	..	..
Acetic Acid, in bulk .....	..	..	..	701	..	46 15 4
Ditto, under 6 per cent. ....	..	..	..	937	..	46 17 3
Acid, Carbolic, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	73 5 0	7 7 3	..	..	..
Acid, Citric, lbs.	1047	..	17 9 0	1582	..	26 7 4
Acid, Muriatic, cwts.	25	..	3 3 4	27	..	3 9 7
Acid, Nitric, cwts.	3	..	0 9 6	1 ³	..	0 4 5
Acid, Sulphuric, cwts.	312	..	39 1 0	7	..	0 18 4
Acid, Tartaric, lbs.	4480	..	74 13 6	4312	..	71 17 4
Almonds (shelled), lbs.	3374	..	42 3 6	4499	..	56 4 9
Almonds, (whole), lbs. ....	..	..	..	315	..	2 12 6
Alum, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	12 7 0	1 5 2	..	..	..
Arsenic, crude, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	14 16 0	1 9 9	..	..	..
Ammunition, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	317 6 0	63 9 7	..	277 17 0	55 11 8
Anvils, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	64 8 0	6 8 11	..	..	..
Arrowroot, lbs.	4879	..	40 13 2	10,655	..	44 7 11
Axle Grease, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	..	..	..	30 9 0	3 1 0
Bags, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	48 2 0	9 12 6	..	47 4 0	9 8 11
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	59,257	..	493 16 2	56,852	..	473 15 5
Beef and Mutton, lbs.	143,323	..	192 15 6	18,145	..	75 12 1
Ditto, in tins, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	4882 15 0	488 9 5	..	4463 0 0	446 9 11
Butter and Lard, lbs.	499,399	..	4161 13 3	321,292	..	2677 8 9
Biscuits, lbs.	3932	..	32 15 4	5852	..	48 15 5
Blue, lbs.	21,158	..	176 6 4	20,020	..	166 16 8
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	12,692 15 0	2539 4 3	..	17,837 1 0	3568 5 4
Basketware and Wickerware, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	56 7 0	11 5 11	..	134 13 0	26 19 1
Bottles, Empty, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	798 15 0	79 19 8	..	..	..
Bellows, Blacksmiths', <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	22 9 0	2 5 0	..	..	..
Brushware, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	733 17 0	146 16 11	..	827 1 0	165 10 1
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	22 12 0	4 10 7	..	35 12 0	7 2 5
Boiler Tubes, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	95 3 0	9 11 1	..	..	..
Bolts & Nuts, Iron, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	544 5 0	54 11 7	..	567 4 0	56 18 3
Bricks, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	70 1 0	14 0 4	..	..	..
Boilers, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	18 0 0	1 16 0	..	..	..
Cards, playing, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	20 9 0	4 1 9	..	110 4 0	22 0 11
Carriages, 4-wheels, No.	3	..	36 0 0	..	663 18 0	132 15 8
Ditto, 2-wheels, No.	2	..	12 0 0	..	44 18 0	8 19 6
Carriage Axles, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	703 16 0	140 16 10	..	..	..
Chaffcutters, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	566 14 0	56 13 11	..	..	..
Cattle, No.	1351	..	1323 7 0	406	..	812 0 0
Cutlery, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1046 3 0	209 5 6	..	2339 19 0	468 1 3
Chicory, lbs.	3624	..	143 14 8	12,320	..	205 6 8
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.	39,571	..	659 10 6	52,808	..	881 2 11
Coffee, raw, lbs.	17,419	..	217 14 9	29,469	..	245 11 7
Ditto, roasted, lbs.	11,434	..	190 11 6	16,615	..	276 18 4
Cocks, Steam, Range, & Cistern, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	311 2 0	31 2 9	..	..	..
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	5344 11 0	1069 1 4	..	3492 15 0	698 13 7
Cheese, lbs.	107,239	..	893 13 2	71,224	..	593 10 9
Confectionery, lbs.	56,479	..	420 13 2	88,213	..	735 2 2
Corn Flour and Maizena, lbs.	43,742	..	182 5 2	33,422	..	139 5 2
Candles, lbs.	33,231	..	276 18 6	38,716	..	322 12 8
Corks, and Cork, unmanufactured, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	634 11 0	63 10 3	..	..	..
Coal, round, tons	10,318	..	2063 13 0	13,118	..	1967 16 0
Ditto, small, tons	5509	..	826 7 0	7038	..	703 17 0
Coke, tons	28	..	1 8 8	..	..	..
Cement and Whiting, cwts.	13,728	..	514 16 11	10,470	..	392 12 10
Clocks and Watches, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1677 15 0	335 13 1	..	1441 19 0	283 9 8
Engine Fittings, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	459 13 0	46 0 9	..	942 18 0	94 10 3
Engine Packing, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	29 14 0	2 19 8	..	57 10 0	5 15 4
Emery Cloth, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	38 8 0	3 17 1	..	..	..
Earthen and Glass ware, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	5828 17 0	1166 6 9	..	5854 8 0	1171 10 4
Fancy Goods, Toys, &c., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	7003 14 0	1401 6 1	..	9933 14 0	1991 12 10

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Fabrics, Cotton, &c., <i>ad valorem</i>		118,103 7 0	23,624 1 1		151,471 14 0	30,298 12 11
Fruit Trees, No.	14,930		124 8 4	22,490		187 0 10
Fencing Wire, <i>ad valorem</i>		2469 15 0	247 0 8			
Furniture, <i>ad valorem</i>		6310 11 0	1262 7 2		6067 19 0	1213 18 5
Fruit, Fresh, bushels	20,570		1028 10 6	9782		480 2 6
Ditto, Dried, lbs.	353,553		2946 5 7	388,801		3240 0 2
Ditto, Candied, lbs.	2844		35 11 0	1867		23 6 9
Ditto, loose, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		84 2 0	16 17 1		29 7 0	5 17 6
Fishing Tackle, <i>ad valorem</i>		420 15 0	84 3 6		378 18 0	75 15 11
Fish, Fresh, <i>ad valorem</i>		308 16 0	30 19 1			
Forges, Portable, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		6 19 0	0 13 11			
Galvanised iron, tons	579-8-3		1158 17 6	440-14-1		881 8 6
Grindery, <i>ad valorem</i>		1041 0 0	104 5 4			
Glucose, cwts.	936		280 16 0	1090		327 3 0
Glue, lbs.	9350		38 19 2	6780		28 5 9
Glass, <i>ad valorem</i>		1881 7 0	376 8 4		916 0 0	183 6 3
Gunpowder, Sporting, lbs.	2995		74 17 6	2125		53 2 6
Ditto, FFF, Loose, lbs.	6125		25 10 5	7950		33 2 6
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	24,100		100 8 4	8756		36 9 8
Ditto, Dynamite, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		244 12 0	24 9 3		20 17 0	2 1 10
Grain—Wheat, lbs.	120		0 1 11	1041		0 16 7
Barley, lbs.	1,008,580		756 10 2	68,860		51 13 2
Ditto, Pearl & Scotch, lbs.			35 16 4	7422		15 9 3
Maize, lbs.	17,192		27 10 10	4234		3 3 9
Oats, lbs.	1347		1 0 8			
Peas and Beans, lbs.	16,821		12 15 11	9203		6 19 7
Peas, split, lbs.	11,326		23 11 11			
Ginger, Whole, lbs.				14,784		123 4 1
Ginger, lbs.	6116		101 18 8	1113		18 11 0
Hops, lbs.	43,065		538 6 5	37,037		462 19 3
Honey, lbs.	5143		42 17 2	17,321		144 6 11
Hatters' Material, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		19 7 0	1 19 0			
Hardware, <i>ad valorem</i>		19,059 3 0	3814 2 0		19,959 7 0	3094 6 8
Horses, No.	20		40 0 0	92		184 0 0
Instruments, Scientific, <i>ad val.</i> ..		162 8 0	32 10 10			
Jewellery and Plate, <i>ad val.</i> ..		3774 9 0	755 3 7		4250 0 0	850 5 9
Lead, Pig & Scrap, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		938 18 0	93 18 3			
Lead, Milled, Sheet, & Pipe, cwts.	834		104 6 9	840		105 0 3
Liquorice, lbs.	1168		9 14 8	845		7 0 11
Linseed and Linseed Meal, lbs.	18,911		78 16 0	16,974		70 14 6
Leather, Coloured Roan, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		12 17 0	1 5 0			
Machinery, <i>ad valorem</i>		19,528 13 0	1953 1 9		12,786 9 0	1278 19 4
Ditto, Dairying, ditto		1113 4 0	111 7 4			
Ditto, Agricultural, ditto ..		5378 9 0	269 4 9			
Machines, Sewing, ditto		2523 19 0	252 11 3			
Music, printed, ditto		569 7 0	57 3 6			
Musical Instruments, ditto ..		3106 19 0	639 8 10		2825 6 0	565 2 5
Matches, ditto		1226 12 0	245 6 10		1850 15 0	370 3 11
Medicines and Drugs, ditto ..		5095 1 0	1199 14 2		6067 18 0	1214 12 3
Macaroni and Vermicelli, lbs. ..	3484		29 0 8	4796		39 19 4
Molasses, cwts.	2056		359 17 3	1378		241 4 0
Malt, bushels	61		3 1 0	132		6 12 6
Malt Liquor, in wood, gallons ..	2331		116 11 0	1397		69 17 0
Ditto, in bottle, gallons	34,091		2556 17 3	38,944		2920 16 0
Mustard, lbs.	13,457		112 2 10	17,623		146 17 2
Marble, in rough blocks, ditto ..		4 8 0	0 8 11			
Nails, cwts.	3694		461 17 5	3488		436 0 11
Naphtha, gallons	5		0 2 6	6		0 3 0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	1238		10 6 4	1602		13 7 0
Nuts, Cocoa, <i>ad valorem</i>		52 6 0	10 10 5		52 9 0	10 10 7
Opium, lbs.	49		49 0 8	17		17 14 5
Oatmeal, lbs.	3740		7 15 10	5280		11 0 0
Onions, cwts.	507		25 7 0	334		16 14 0
Oil, various, gallons	15,475		967 6 3	13,079		817 9 11
Oils, in bulk, gallons				8680		217 0 3
Oil, Kerosene, ditto	114,347		2858 13 6	94,848		2371 4 0
Oils, Medicinal, <i>ad valorem</i> ..		113 17 0	22 16 1		111 7 0	22 5 9
Oilmen's Stores, ditto		14,170 13 0	2835 7 8		16,327 3 0	3267 4 2
Paints, lbs.	200,440		417 11 8	178,115		371 2 2
Preserves, Jams, & Jellies, lbs.	9049		75 8 2	17,034		141 10 1
Potatoes, cwts.	198		4 19 2	34		0 17 3
Perry and Cider, galls.	31		2 6 6			
Pepper, Whole, lbs.				31,500		131 10 0
Pepper, Black and White, lbs.	14,651		122 1 10	3644		30 7 4
Pickles, quarts, doz.	84		12 12 0			
Ditto, pints, ditto	2427		242 15 0	3091		309 2 0
Ditto, half-pints, ditto	61		4 1 4	16		1 1 4
Paper, Printing, <i>ad valorem</i>		4706 12 0	235 14 6		1849 4 0	92 16 1
Ditto, 7½ per cent. <i>ad val.</i> ..					3875 6 0	291 8 0
Ditto, Wrapping, ditto		3937 8 0	787 14 9		2600 19 0	520 9 4
Pipes, Iron, ditto		2227 13 0	222 18 4		2319 12 0	282 2 6
Plants, Trees, and Shrubs, ditto ..		196 12 0	19 15 4		94 8 0	9 9 11
Pork, lbs.	44		0 7 4			

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.				
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .		Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .		Duty.
		£	s.			d.	£	
Pigs, No.	23	..	..	2 17 6	84	..	..	10 10 0
Rice, lbs.	265,120	..	..	1104 13 4	363,791	..	..	1515 15 11
Railway Material, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	6970	4 0	697 0 7	..	406 19 0	..	40 14 0
Soda, Crystals, lbs.	448	..	..	0 18 8	124	..	..	0 5 2
Sashweights, cwts.	427	..	..	32 1 9	..	..	..	..
Stationery, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	7442	11 0	1489 7 10	..	7144 2 0	..	1429 28 11
Saddlery and Leatherware, ditto ..	..	1322	17 0	264 14 1	..	2452 10 0	..	490 14 10
Saddlers' Materials, ditto ..	..	122	4 0	12 4 11	..	..	..	..
Ships, Boats &c., ditto ..	..	512	18 0	102 12 3	..	454 19 0	..	91 3 8
Slates, ditto ..	..	348	3 0	69 12 10	..	72 0 0	..	14 8 0
Spray Producers, ditto ..	..	413	12 0	41 7 9	..	..	..	..
Soda, Carbonate of, lbs.	36,067	..	..	150 5 7	54,446	..	..	226 17 2
Sheep Dip, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	230	4 0	46 0 9	..	..	..	..
Stone in rough block, ditto ..	..	29	5 0	2 18 8	..	..	..	..
Sago, lbs.	49,604	..	..	413 7 4	60,862	..	..	253 11 10
Sugar, Raw, cwts.	67,781	..	..	20,334 9 0	76,164	..	..	22,849 7 0
Ditto, Refined, lbs.	15,774	..	..	65 14 6	19,164	..	..	79 17 0
Salt, cwts.	10,670	..	..	800 5 9	11,517	..	..	863 16 3
Sauces, quarts, dozen ..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	0 16 0
Ditto, pints, dozen ..	130	..	..	19 10 0	71	..	..	10 13 0
Ditto, half-pints, ditto ..	1228	..	..	122 16 0	1511	..	..	151 3 0
Ditto, quarter-pints, ditto ..	608	..	..	45 12 9	282	..	..	21 3 0
Spices, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	..	8343	..	..	69 10 7
Spices, lbs.	6203	..	..	103 7 8	1268	..	..	21 2 8
Soap, common, lbs.	46,829	..	..	195 2 5	69,920	..	..	291 6 8
Ditto, perfumed, lbs.	20,228	..	..	252 17 2	25,872	..	..	323 8 1
Seeds, Canary, Hemp, & Rape, lbs.	66,880	..	..	139 7 0	39,631	..	..	124 5 9
Ditto, Garden, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	325 19 0	..	32 14 6	..	..	..	..
Ditto, Grass, ditto ..	..	2268 5 0	..	453 14 7	..	28 13 0	..	5 15 0
Starch, lbs.	84,671	..	..	352 15 11	96,878	..	..	403 13 2
Stearine, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	634 0 0	..	63 8 1	..	..	..	..
Spirits of Tar, ditto ..	5	..	..	0 2 6	..	..	..	..
Sheep, No.	18,705	..	..	1015 9 6	8131	..	..	813 2 0
Shot, lbs.	84	..	..	0 7 0	..	..	..	..
Tools, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	5166 5 0	..	517 14 10	..	..	..	..
Timber—Architraves, ditto ..	..	514 7 0	..	102 17 11	..	1180 4 0	..	226 1 6
Ditto, Boards, s. ft.	356,862	..	..	892 12 6	316,077	..	..	790 13 9
Ditto, Sawn, 3in. & over, s. ft.	366,321	..	..	275 10 2	421,291	..	..	316 19 5
Ditto, ditto, under 3 in., s. ft.	6261	..	..	7 18 2	7477	..	..	9 7 8
Ditto, Baltic Deals, <i>ad val.</i>	..	903 13 0	..	90 7 4	..	..	..	..
Ditto in Log, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	165 12 0	..	16 11 4	..	..	..	..
Ditto for case-making, No.	..	..	..	..	300	..	..	1 17 6
Turpentine, gallons ..	3478	..	..	173 18 0	1470	..	..	73 10 6
Twine, lbs.	21,862	..	..	91 1 10	13,309	..	..	55 9 1
Tea, lbs.	480,449	..	..	6005 12 6	475,120	..	..	5939 0 4
Tapioca, lbs.	9403	..	..	78 7 2	32,071	..	..	133 12 7
Typewriters, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	..	..	..	..	879 16 0	..	88 0 3
Vegetables, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	102 11 0	..	20 12 2	..	188 3 0	..	37 15 7
Vinegar, gallons ..	11,182	..	..	559 2 0	14,179	..	..	708 19 6
Varnish and Polish, gallons ..	1468	..	..	110 3 2	906	..	..	67 19 10
Wool Packs, No.	12,400	..	..	206 13 4	..	..	..	..
Wines in wood, gallons ..	7681	..	..	2304 9 0	8778	..	..	2633 10 0
Ditto, in bottle, gallons ..	788	..	..	315 9 10	462	..	..	185 3 8
Ditto, sparkling, gallons ..	753	..	..	376 18 4	1036	..	..	518 7 2
Unenumerated, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	13,165 1 0	..	2634 10 2	..	12,423 16 0	..	2486 16 1
				£173,264 1 5				£133,844 12 3

All fractions have been omitted.

*RETURN of Duties in detail collected at the Port of LAUNCESTON during the Years ended 31st
December, 1898 and 1899.*

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, gallons	7504	..	5629 2 6	7595	..	5697 12 9
Cordials, gallons	100	..	75 13 8	114	..	86 1 11
Geneva, gallons	6012	..	4509 12 9	6837	..	5128 13 7
Gin, gallons	1237	..	928 11 3	1539	..	1019 11 8
Rum, gallons	5967	..	4475 17 5	6989	..	5242 12 6
Whisky, gallons	13,844	..	10,383 15 10	15,840	..	11,881 12 3
Methylated, gallons	662	..	99 6 9	701	..	105 4 2
Perfumed, gallons	193	..	232 15 3	191	..	230 2 9
Wine, gallons	118	..	88 10 6	172	..	129 6 3
Tobacco, lbs.	127,354	..	19,103 3 6	139,223	..	20,883 9 0
Cigars, lbs.	5774	..	2020 19 9	6957	..	2435 2 6
Cigarettes, lbs.	5675	..	1986 10 3	8012	..	2804 7 6
Snuff .....	..	..	..	{ 18 at 6s.	..	5 8 0
Unmanufactured	1	..	0 3 6	{ 90 at 7s.	..	31 10 0
Acid, Acetic, in bulk, gallons ..	27,647	..	230 7 11	{ 2917	..	194 11 2
Ditto, ditto, 6 per cent., gs.		..	..	{ 1427	..	71 7 11
Acid, Carbolic, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	64 19 9	6 11 0	..	..	..
Citric, lbs.	727	..	12 2 4	1533	..	25 11 0
Muriatic, cwts.	12	..	1 12 1	12	..	1 12 1
Nitric, cwts.	17	..	2 3 4	14	..	1 16 6
Sulphuric, cwts.	884	..	110 11 5	11	..	1 8 10
Tartaric, lbs.	4267	..	71 2 4	6009	..	110 3 0
Almonds (whole), lbs.	1148	..	9 11 4	451	..	3 15 2
Ditto (shelled), lbs.	6774	..	84 13 6	4713	..	58 18 3
Alum, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	7 10 7	0 15 10	..	..	..
Arrowroot, lbs.	9606	..	80 1 0	9742	..	40 11 10
Axle Grease, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	..	..	..	330 9 6	33 3 1
Anvils, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	40 8 11	4 1 1	..	..	..
Bags, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	558 10 0	111 15 7	..	392 17 2	78 12 5
Basket and Wickervare, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	73 0 3	14 12 6	..	136 15 8	27 8 0
Beef & Mutton, lbs.	57,012	..	45 7 3	2082	..	8 13 6
Ditto, in tins, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	3188 9 4	319 2 3	..	3254 1 10	325 11 9
Boilers, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	..	..	..	6 15 0	0 13 6
Boiler Tubes, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	280 5 1	28 1 9	..	..	..
Bolts and Nuts, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1083 11 7	108 17 5	..	1183 18 11	118 18 2
Books & Stationery, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	5799 0 8	1161 4 6	..	5823 17 0	1167 5 6
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	17,578 3 5	3516 10 6	..	20,564 16 2	4114 1 1
Bottles, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	843 14 7	84 9 6	..	..	..
Bricks, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2 0 0	0 8 0	..	74 11 7	14 18 4
Brushware, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1435 6 0	287 6 6	..	1316 8 10	263 9 0
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	146 3 10	29 5 11	..	258 18 11	51 16 9
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	492	..	4 2 0	409	..	3 8 2
Barley, Pearl, &c., lbs.	2729	..	5 13 9	516	..	1 1 6
Biscuits, lbs.	1559	..	12 19 10	2037	..	16 19 6
Bluz, lbs.	22,741	..	189 10 2	25,880	..	215 13 4
Butter, lbs.	245,703	..	2047 10 6	129,554	..	1079 12 4
Bellows, Blacksmith's, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	52 3 11	5 4 11	..	..	..
Carriages, two wheels, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	191 7 6	38 5 6
Ditto, four wheels, No.	3	..	36 0 0	..	388 10 0	77 14 0
Carriage materials, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1376 11 8	275 9 5	..	..	..
Cards, playing, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	7 10 0	1 10 0	..	48 13 3	9 14 9
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	3087 12 5	617 14 8	..	2674 15 5	535 2 5
Cartridges, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1034 5 2	206 17 8	..	607 2 1	121 9 0
Cutlery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1400 18 11	280 5 7	..	1038 11 11	207 16 4
Cocks, steam, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	52 6 2	5 4 10	..	..	..
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	44,129	..	183 17 5	68,068	..	283 12 8
Candles, lbs.	96,782	..	806 10 4	86,673	..	722 5 6
Cement and Whiting, cwts.	17,953	..	673 5 9	14,047	..	526 16 3
Cheese, lbs.	12,531	..	104 8 6	4993	..	41 12 2
Chicory, lbs.	2746	..	45 15 4	3019	..	50 3 4
Coffee, Raw, lbs.	9012	..	112 13 0	10,892	..	90 15 4
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.	13,566	..	226 2 2	13,281	..	221 7 3
Cocoa & Chocolate, unsweetened, lbs. ....	..	..	..	222 at 2 <i>d.</i>	..	1 17 4
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.	48,091	..	801 10 4	61,586 at 4 <i>d.</i>	..	1026 8 9
Confectionery, lbs.	150,672	..	1255 12 1	158,260	..	1318 17 8
Cornflour and Maizena, lbs.	36,762	..	153 3 6	40,954	..	170 12 10
Coals, round, tons	6030	..	1206 0 0	{ 195 at 4s.	..	39 1 0
Ditto, small, tons	6513	..	977 0 6	{ 5188 at 3s.	..	778 6 3
Chaffcutters, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	52 19 0	5 6 8	{ 118 at 3s.	..	17 15 6
Clocks and Watches, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	2274 9 0	455 3 2	{ 7242 at 2s.	..	724 4 0
Coke, tons	1567	..	75 7 0	..	3300 4 5	660 7 0
Cattle, No.	617	..	262 18 0	..	..	..
Corks and Cork, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	526 0 9	52 14 0	..	..	..
Dynamite, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	4376 13 6	437 13 7	..	5409 4 11	540 18 11
Diving Dresses, <i>ad valorem</i>	5 4 6	0 10 6
Earthenware, &c., <i>ad valorem</i>	6184 1 5	1237 12 2	..	6172 13 10	1235 7 3

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Electric Light material, 10 per cent., <i>ad valorem</i>	608 11 8	60 17 9
Engine Fittings, <i>ad valorem</i>	1624 0 11	162 13 11	..	1769 2 6	177 4 5
Engine Packing, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	340 14 3	34 3 4	..	576 0 4	57 15 0
Engines and Machinery, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	21,152 2 11	2115 8 5	..	8438 11 9	844 4 4
Emery Cloth, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	50 9 11	5 19 11	..	..	..
Fancy Goods, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	8700 17 11	1741 16 10	..	8284 8 2	1658 6 10
Fabrics, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	179,568 10 5	35,920 6 7	..	193,310 17 2	38,668 8 10
Felt Sheathing, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1 19 9	0 4 1	..	..	..
Fishing Tackle, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	239 11 5	47 19 0	..	311 18 0	62 8 3
Fencing Wire, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	2973 17 6	297 9 8	..	..	..
Fish, fresh, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	160 17 6	16 1 9	..	4 0 10	0 8 1
Flock, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	10 12 4	1 1 4	..	53 6 10	5 6 10
Forges, Portable, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	6 6 0	0 12 8	..	..	..
Fruit, Fresh, bushels ..	17,164	..	858 4 7	11,631	..	581 11 5
Ditto, loose, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	351 1 10	70 5 2	..	278 7 10	55 14 5
Ditto, Candied, lbs.	9207	..	115 1 9	3527	..	44 1 9
Ditto, Dried, lbs.	380,436	..	3220 6 0	395,472	..	3295 12 1
Fruit Trees, No.	8701	..	72 10 2	9149	..	76 4 10
Furniture, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	4729 5 4	946 6 9	..	6104 18 4	1221 10 8
Galvanised Iron, Corrugated, tons	633-18-0	..	1267 16 0	452-8-3	..	904 17 6
Ginger, Whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	2172	..	18 2 0
Ditto, Ground, lbs.	3739	..	62 6 4	1107	..	18 9 0
Glue, lbs.	5701	..	23 15 1	6708	..	27 19 0
Glucose, cwts.	255	..	76 10 0	151	..	45 9 0
Glass, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1046 16 4	209 10 11	..	1609 11 8	322 3 7
Grain—Maize, lbs.	18,816	..	14 4 1	5633	..	4 6 10
Oats, lbs.	1411	..	1 1 9	..	..	..
Peas and Beans, lbs.	10,377	..	7 19 10	1100	..	0 17 4
Wheat, lbs.	1509	..	1 2 11	..	..	..
Peas, Split, lbs.	53	..	0 2 4	56	..	0 2 4
Barley, lbs.	647,285	..	485 10 4	..	..	..
Gunpowder, sporting, lbs.	8225	..	205 12 6	1151	..	28 15 9
Ditto, FFF, loose, lbs.	12,875	..	53 12 11	7500	..	31 5 0
Ditto, blasting, lbs.	51,250	..	213 10 10	5000	..	10 16 8
Grindery, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1033 1 7	103 19 9	..	..	..
Horses, No.	12	..	24 0 0	48	..	96 0 0
Hops, lbs.	34,363	..	429 11 6	21,871	..	273 7 9
Honey, lbs.	375	..	3 2 8	112	..	0 18 8
Hatters' Materials, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	16 2 10	1 12 6	..	..	..
Ironmongery, at 2s. 6d. per cwt.	4181	..	522 16 6	3726	..	465 18 4
Ditto, 20 per cent. <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	19,814 0 8	3965 19 5	..	21,581 3 3	4319 5 6
Instruments, Scientific, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	564 6 6	113 1 5
Instruments, Surgical, &c., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	480 9 11	98 3 8	..	..	..
Jewellery and Plateware, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	3686 12 3	737 17 4	..	4245 14 0	849 16 4
Lead, Milled, Sheet, and Pipe, cwts.	676	..	84 11 11	578	..	72 5 6
Lead, Pig, Ore, & Scrap, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	72 13 3	7 5 5	..	..	..
Liquorice, lbs.	803	..	6 13 10	5161	..	43 0 3
Linseed and Linseed Meal, lbs.	16,440	..	68 10 0	6275	..	26 2 11
Leather, Coloured Roan, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	89 5 7	8 18 11	..	..	..
Matches, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	643 14 1	128 16 1	..	1060 7 10	212 2 3
Machinery, Agricultural, &c., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	13,171 8 6	659 5 10	..	..	..
Machinery, Dairying, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1231 0 2	123 3 3	..	..	..
Machines, Sewing, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	631 12 6	63 4 10	..	..	..
Medicines and Drugs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	11,762 16 2	2354 2 11	..	13,304 18 6	2662 17 10
Musical Instruments, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	4640 6 7	928 4 6	..	5336 4 0	1067 8 6
Music (printed), <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	461 14 11	46 11 8	..	2 17 9	0 5 10
Macaroni and Vermicelli, lbs.	2779	..	23 3 2	3311	..	27 11 10
Malt, bushels ..	3743	..	187 3 6	335	..	16 15 0
Malt Liquor, in bottle, gallons ..	18,516	..	1388 14 0	22,820	..	1711 10 0
Ditto, in wood, gallons ..	53	..	2 13 0	..	..	..
Mustard, lbs.	15,908	..	132 11 4	16,185	..	134 17 6
Marble, in Rough Block, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	116 8 9	11 13 1	..	..	..
Molasses, cwts.	2577	..	451 0 6	1601	..	280 6 3
Naphtha, gallons ..	112	..	2 16 0	80	..	2 0 0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	5922	..	40 7 0	3812	..	31 15 5
Nuts, Cocoa, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	66 3 2	13 6 7	..	62 0 0	12 10 5
Oatmeal, lbs.	2444	..	5 1 10	3176	..	6 12 4
Oils in bulk, gallons ..	..	..	..	17,950	..	448 15 4
Ditto, various, gallons ..	21,799	..	1362 12 3	15,801	..	987 11 6
Ditto, Kerosene, gallons ..	95,741	..	2393 10 6	96,156	..	2403 18 4
Ditto, Medicinal, &c., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	344 6 8	68 18 11	..	631 0 10	126 6 4
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	11,850 0 6	2371 9 6	..	10,496 13 2	2100 15 10
Onions, cwts.	459	..	22 19 6	202	..	10 2 3
Opium, lbs.	504	..	504 5 0	745	..	745 11 3
Paints, lbs.	222,574	..	463 15 7	191,551	..	399 3 0
Pepper, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	5494	..	22 17 10
Ditto, ground, lbs.	12,529	..	104 8 3	4411	..	36 15 2
Pickles, quarts, dozen ..	..	..	..	53	..	8 0 0
Ditto, pints, dozen ..	1930	..	193 0 0	1986	..	198 12 0
Ditto, ½-pints, dozen ..	65	..	4 6 8	86	..	5 14 8
Potatoes, cwts.	12	..	0 6 0	443	..	11 2 3
Preserves, Jams, &c., lbs.	12,945	..	107 17 6	8914	..	74 5 8

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Paper, at 5 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i>	3939 18 8	197 6 8	..	2918 9 3	146 2 7
Paper, at 7½ per cent., <i>ad val.</i>	2754 18 10	207 2 3
Paper, at 20 per cent. <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	3447 17 8	689 18 4	..	2802 12 2	560 14 6
Pipes, Iron, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	2791 16 3	279 9 2	..	3305 7 6	330 17 11
Pigs, No.	130	..	16 5 0	1122	..	140 5 0
Plants, &c., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	359 2 7	36 2 2	..	273 15 2	27 10 1
Perry and Cider, in bottle, galls. ..	261	..	19 11 6	140	..	10 10 0
Quicksilver, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	333 17 11	33 8 2	..	..	..
Railway Material, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	412 12 1	41 5 10	..	1525 9 2	152 12 1
Rice, lbs.	592,578	..	2469 1 6	610,906	..	2545 8 10
Saddlery and Leatherware, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	3850 14 7	770 9 5	..	3932 7 4	786 16 6
Saddlers' Materials, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	487 14 2	48 17 1	..	..	..
Sago, lbs.	19,997	..	166 12 10	27,058	..	112 14 10
Salt, in bulk, cwts.	7879	..	£90 19 8	13,176	..	988 4 1
Sauces, quarts, dozens ..	99	..	19 18 4	69	..	13 16 0
Ditto, pints, dozens ..	21	..	3 3 0	15	..	2 5 0
Ditto, ½-pints, dozens ..	769	..	76 18 0	780	..	78 0 0
Ditto, ¼-pints, dozens ..	192	..	14 8 0	201	..	15 1 6
Soap, Common, lbs.	71,097	..	296 4 9	67,072	..	270 9 4
Ditto, Fancy, &c., lbs.	19,227	..	240 6 11	23,239	..	290 10 1
Soda Crystals, lbs.	28	..	0 1 2	49	..	0 2 1
Seeds, Canary, &c., lbs.	49,917	..	104 0 11	57,083	..	120 4 8
Ditto, at 20 per cent., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1030 3 10	206 3 4	..	109 10 9	21 19 11
Ditto, Garden, 10 per cent., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	541 2 10	54 8 1	..	..	..
Sugar, raw, cwts.	51,072	..	15,321 16 6	50,746	..	15,224 1 0
Ditto, refined, lbs.	15,616	..	64 13 0	21,988	..	91 12 4
Sheep Dip, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	262 6 11	52 10 0	..	2 2 0	0 8 5
Shot, lbs.	2726	..	11 7 2	1120	..	4 13 4
Ships, Boats, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	56 7 9	11 5 8	..	63 15 0	12 15 5
Spices, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	4209	..	35 1 6
Spices, ground, lbs.	6954	..	115 18 0	1387	..	23 2 6
Spirits of Tar, galls. ....	..	..	..	5	..	0 2 6
Spirituous compounds, at 15s., galls.	76	..	57 14 11	340	..	255 16 7
Slates, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	249 0 0	49 16 0	..	63 15 0	12 15 0
Stone, in rough block, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	112 19 2	11 6 9	..	..	..
Starch, lbs.	129,919	..	541 6 7	77,421	..	322 11 9
Stearine, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1798 13 8	179 18 11	..	..	..
Sheep, at 2s., No.	6900	..	690 0 0	7165	..	716 10 0
Ditto, at 1d., No.	12,410	..	51 14 2	..	..	..
Spray Producers, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1 10 3	0 3 1	..	..	..
Tapioca, lbs.	37,188	..	309 18 0	56,506	..	235 8 10
Tea, lbs.	351,528	..	4394 2 0	390,413	..	4880 3 3
Timber, Architraves, Doors, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	675 6 2	135 2 0	..	1034 0 9	206 17 1
Ditto, Boards, &c., sup. feet ..	567,104	..	1418 7 6	550,305	..	1376 2 6
Ditto, over 3-in., ditto ..	824,624	..	618 16 8	170,225	..	128 1 2
Ditto, under 3-in., ditto ..	38,039	..	48 10 4	40,644	..	51 1 0
Ditto, Logs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	425 2 3	42 10 6	..	4 0 0	0 8 0
Ditto, Baltic Deals, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	811 2 0	81 2 7	..	..	..
Ditto, for Cases, No.	2062	..	12 17 9	6262	..	39 2 9
Turpentine, gallons ..	3214	..	160 14 6	2113	..	105 13 0
Tools, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	6578 5 8	659 4 10	..	0 14 5	0 1 6
Twine, lbs.	17,983	..	74 18 7	23,593	..	98 6 1
Typewriters, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	..	..	..	199 2 6	19 18 6
Undefined, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	7707 13 1	1543 9 0	..	3706 5 4	760 6 2
Varnish, &c., gallons ..	1542	..	115 14 1	1629	..	122 5 0
Vegetables, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	136 5 9	27 8 10	..	78 1 6	15 15 2
Vinegar, gallons ..	7412	..	370 12 0	7542	..	377 2 0
Wines, in wood, gallons ..	7341	..	2202 6 0	7090	..	2127 0 0
Ditto, in bottle, gallons ..	231	..	92 10 0	266	..	106 12 8
Ditto, Sparkling, gallons ..	393	..	196 17 6	410	..	205 5 10
Works of Art, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	87 14 1	17 11 7	..	1 3 0	0 4 8
Woolpacks, No.	14,956	..	249 5 4	..	..	..
			£173,403 15 2			£175,777 1 6

All fractions have been omitted.

RETURN showing Amount of Duties collected at the Port of STRAHAN for the Years ended 25th December, 1898 and 1899.

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	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
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Spirits—Brandy, gallons.....	408	..	906 13 10	632	..	474 5 10
Geneva, gallons.....	60	..	45 3 2	169	..	126 12 4
Gin, gallons.....	127	..	95 16 10	165	..	124 1 7
Liqueurs, gallons.....	7	..	5 19 2	8	..	6 14 3
Whisky, gallons.....	1368	..	1026 9 8	2373	..	1781 14 2
Run, gallons.....	111	..	83 15 4	408	..	305 12 9
Methylated, gallons...	84	..	12 14 3	105	..	15 15 0
Perfumed, gallons...	14	..	17 6 6	12	..	14 14 9
Wine, gallons.....	44	..	33 11 3	87	..	65 9 6
Spirituous Compounds, gallons..	48	..	36 15 11	29	..	20 5 3
Tobacco, lbs.....	12,999	..	1949 17 0	17,110	..	2567 8 0
Cigars, lbs.....	965	..	337 18 6	1247	..	436 12 6
Cigarettes, lbs.....	102	..	35 14 0	295	..	103 8 6
Acid, Acetic, lbs.....	600	..	5 0 0	26	..	5 15 7
Ditto, Citric, lbs.....	354	..	5 18 0	169	..	2 16 4
Ditto, Carbolic, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	0 2 0	0 0 3	..	..	..
Ditto, Nitric, cwts.....	19	..	2 8 8	28	..	3 11 11
Ditto, Muratic, cwts.....	14	..	1 17 6	14	..	1 16 7
Ditto, Tartaric, lbs.....	626	..	10 8 8	1047	..	17 9 0
Ditto, Sulphuric, cwts.....	119	..	15 0 0	15	..	1 19 6
Axle grease.....	..	..	..	..	126 1 4	12 14 0
Axles, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	54 14 4	10 19 5	..	..	..
Architraves, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	677 14 7	137 11 9	..	712 2 6	142 11 0
Anvils, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	88 15 0	8 18 3	..	..	..
Almonds, whole, lbs.....	116	..	0 19 4	252	..	2 2 0
Ditto, shelled, lbs.....	210	..	2 12 6	210	..	2 12 6
Agricultural Implements, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	24 7 2	1 5 8	..	..	..
Arrowroot, lbs.....	214	..	1 15 8	292	..	1 4 4
Alum, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	1 7 11	0 1 11	..	..	..
Basketware, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	12 3 10	2 8 10	..	15 11 0	3 2 6
Blue, lbs.....	1355	..	11 5 10	1700	..	14 3 4
Beef and Mutton, lbs.....	95,637 lbs. at 1d. 1231 cwt. at 1s.	..	460 1 3	149,686	..	623 13 10
Ditto, in tins, <i>ad valorem</i>..	..	134 17 6	13 10 1	..	479 18 3	48 0 7
Bacon and Hams, lbs.....	17,639	..	146 19 10	26,950	..	224 11 8
Bellows, Blacksmith's, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	205 7 8	20 12 4	..	..	..
Bags.....	..	..	..	..	1 10 0	0 6 0
Bottles, Empty, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	445 5 5	44 12 11	..	10 1 6	1 0 2
Bricks, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	965 2 9	193 1 1	..	401 9 2	80 5 10
Brushware, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	210 7 7	42 3 6	..	288 17 6	57 16 11
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad valorem</i>..	..	69 16 5	14 6 7	..	71 18 3	14 18 3
Bolts and Nuts, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	770 6 5	77 6 1	..	1032 11 3	103 14 5
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	1173 8 3	234 15 11	..	2033 2 7	406 17 7
Boilers, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	1157 10 0	115 15 0	..	53 3 0	5 6 4
Boiler Tubes, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	771 4 4	77 2 9	..	..	..
Butter, lbs.....	102,854	..	857 2 4	179,189	..	1493 4 10
Biscuits, lbs.....	3536	..	29 9 4	1886	..	15 14 4
Candles, lbs.....	32,329	..	269 8 2	43,663	..	363 17 2
Carriages, 2 wheels.....	..	..	..	..	5 10 0	1 2 0
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad valorem</i>..	..	141 0 11	28 4 6	..	430 15 11	86 4 4
Cartridges, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	24 13 11	4 18 0	..	14 8 6	2 17 11
Confectionery, lbs.....	22,834	..	190 5 8	43,837	..	365 6 2
Cornflour and Maizena, lbs.....	2960	..	9 16 8	1600	..	6 13 4
Cheese, lbs.....	2960	..	24 13 5	5250	..	43 15 0
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.....	896	..	14 18 8	1039	..	17 6 4
Coffee, roasted, lbs.....	3769	..	62 16 6	5433	..	90 11 0
Coffee, raw, lbs.....	31	..	0 7 9	..	..	..
Chicory, lbs.....	198	..	3 6 0	324	..	5 8 0
Cocks, Steam, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	33 13 6	3 7 10	..	..	..
Coal, round, tons.....	91	..	18 4 0	7892½	..	1183 17 6
Ditto, small, tons.....	54	..	8 2 0	489½	..	48 19 2
Coke, tons.....	401	..	20 1 0	253	..	12 13 0
Corks and Cork, unmanufactured, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	43 1 8	4 7 0	..	..	..
Cement and Whiting, cwts.....	16,137	..	605 3 3	7896	..	296 4 0
Cutlery, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	108 3 4	21 12 11	..	40 8 9	8 1 9
Dynamite, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	13,022 4 8	1302 5 11	..	17,740 9 3	1774 2 8
Earthenware and Glassware, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	1932 17 1	386 18 11	..	2156 2 8	431 13 0
Electrical Goods.....	..	..	..	..	76 4 6	7 12 6
Engine Fittings, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	1596 2 0	159 17 3	..	927 4 4	93 0 1
Engine Packing, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	236 3 4	23 14 3	..	457 0 2	45 17 1
Emery Cloth, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	4 7 1	0 9 1	..	..	..
Fabrics—Cotton, Woollen, and Silk, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	15,932 15 3	3175 11 11	..	18,810 8 9	3763 9 0
Fancy Goods, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	2940 8 7	588 10 1	..	3109 10 8	622 19 7
Felt Sheathing, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	0 10 0	0 1 0	..	..	..
Flock, Cotton and Woollen, <i>ad valorem</i>	24 8 9	2 9 4	..	45 15 8	4 12 0
Forges, Portable, <i>ad valorem</i>	16 19 2	1 14 0

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Fruit (Candied), lbs.	1131	..	14 2 9	576	..	7 4 0
Fruit (Dried), lbs.	32,609	..	271 14 10	12,484	..	354 0 8
Fruit (Fresh), bushels	4503	..	225 3 6	4281	..	214 1 7
Fish, Fresh, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2 10 0	0 5 0	..	..	..
Furniture, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2015 17 4	583 8 8	..	2653 4 7	530 19 10
Fencing Wire, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	25 19 6	2 12 2	..	..	..
Galvanized Iron, tons	547	..	1095 7 0	388-2	..	776 4 0
Gignier, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	429	..	3 11 6
Ditto, ground, lbs.	464	..	7 14 8	289	..	4 16 4
Gunpowder, Sporting, lbs.	128	..	3 4 0	5	..	0 2 6
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	73,000	..	304 3 4	209,500	..	872 18 4
Ditto, FFF, lbs.	25	..	0 2 1	..	..	..
Grain—Barley, Pearl, and Scotch, lbs.	2576	..	5 7 4	1360	..	2 16 8
Bran and Pollard, lbs.	150	..	0 1 3	930	..	0 7 11
Peas, Split, lbs.	4347	..	9 1 2	1792	..	3 14 8
Maize, lbs.	400	..	0 6 0	1024	..	0 15 5
Peas and Beans, lbs.	3031	..	2 6 4	522	..	0 7 11
Wheat	25	..	0 0 5	..	..	..
Glue, lbs.	331	..	1 7 7	514	..	2 2 10
Glucose, cwts.	1/2	..	0 3 0	1	..	0 6 0
Glass, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	553 4 2	110 15 4	..	529 6 3	105 19 10
Hardware, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	6127 5 2	1227 11 3	..	6468 4 4	1295 4 9
Honey, lbs.	3941	..	32 16 10	3223	..	26 17 2
Hops, lbs. ....	..	..	..	30	..	0 7 6
Horses, No.	3	..	6 0 0	5	..	10 0 0
Jewellery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	376 1 3	75 5 10	..	654 17 7	131 0 7
Lead, Pig & Scrap, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	62 9 8	6 11 8	..	16 0 6	1 12 1
Lead, Milled & Sheet, cwts.	233	..	29 4 3	206	..	36 19 11
Linseed and Linseed Meal, lbs.	196	..	0 16 4	602	..	2 10 2
Liquorice, lbs.	110	..	0 18 4	164	..	1 7 4
Musical Instruments, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	684 10 2	136 18 4	..	781 16 11	156 8 7
Machinery <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	62,206 15 11	6220 19 1	..	28,234 16 11	2824 16 5
Ditto, Dairying, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1 1 3	0 2 2	..	..	..
Matches, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	203 3 8	40 13 1	..	249 0 10	49 16 6
Machines, Sewing, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	72 15 8	7 5 9	..	..	..
Macaroni, lbs.	492	..	4 2 0	552	..	4 12 0
Molasses, cwts.	99	..	17 9 4	154	..	26 19 0
Malt Liquor, in wood, gallons .....	..	..	..	372	..	18 12 0
Ditto, in bottle, gallons	2965	..	222 7 6	4605	..	345 8 3
Medicines and Drugs, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1083 7 8	216 17 5	..	906 16 4	181 11 7
Marble, in rough block, <i>ad val.</i> .....	..	1 11 4	0 3 2	..	..	..
Mustard, lbs.	1768	..	14 14 8	2100	..	17 11 0
Music, Printed, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	20 13 3	2 1 7	..	..	..
Nails, cwts.	1444	..	180 14 10	1209	..	162 12 1
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	1029	..	8 11 6	1291	..	10 15 2
Nuts, Cocoa, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	4 15 6	0 19 5	..	10 17 6	2 4 1
Opium, lbs. ....	..	..	..	3	..	0 15 0
Oils, Mineral Lubricating .....	..	..	..	11,905	..	301 12 11
Oils, various, gallons	13,579	..	848 15 0	4112	..	251 2 3
Oil, Kerosene, gallons	31,494	..	787 7 0	66,856	..	1671 8 0
Oil, Medicinal, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	10 5 6	2 1 5	..	41 16 10	8 8 1
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1266 11 0	253 15 9	..	6608 16 9	1322 12 7
Onions, cwts.	1386	..	69 6 9	1269	..	63 0 0
Oatmeal, lbs. ....	..	..	..	520	..	1 1 8
Paints, lbs.	44,182	..	92 1 7	53,481	..	111 9 0
Preserves, lbs.	660	..	5 10 0	824	..	6 17 4
Pigs No. ....	..	..	..	209	..	26 2 6
Pork, lbs.	300	..	2 10 0	1724	..	14 7 4
Potatoes, cwts.	128	..	3 4 0	98	..	2 9 2
Pepper whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	85	..	0 7 1
Ditto ground lbs.	1546	..	12 17 8	1167	..	9 14 6
Pickles, Quarts .....	..	..	..	18	..	2 14 0
Ditto pints, dozen	351	..	35 2 0	319	..	31 18 0
Paper, Printing, 5 per cent. ....	..	467 2 6	23 8 5	..	560 10 6	28 2 8
Ditto, 7 1/2 per cent. ....	..	..	..	..	99 1 7	7 9 7
Paper, Wrapping, <i>ad val.</i> .....	..	735 18 9	147 5 11	..	840 6 10	168 5 4
Pipes, Iron, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2806 9 7	280 16 4	..	4032 12 8	403 12 8
Plants, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	10 16 5	1 1 9	..	14 1 6	1 8 7
Quicksilver, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	3 0 9	0 6 1	..	..	..
Railway Material, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	22,063 5 0	2266 9 5	..	40,945 14 11	4094 15 4
Rice, lbs.	28,584	..	119 2 0	42,247	..	176 0 7
Seeds, Garden, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	16 11 11	1 13 4	..	..	..
Seeds, Grass, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	6 3 2	1 4 8	..	..	..
Seeds, Canary, &c., lbs.	2027	..	4 4 7	1696	..	3 10 8
Stationery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	667 14 11	133 18 11	..	1264 5 6	253 4 10
Saddlery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	355 17 1	69 4 8	..	427 19 2	85 13 0
Soda, Carbonate of, lbs.	5681	..	23 11 9	8285	..	34 10 5
Soda, Crystals, lbs.	498	..	1 0 9	838	..	1 14 11
Sago, lbs.	6339	..	52 16 6	7424	..	30 18 8
Sugar, raw, cwts.	7556	..	2266 16 0	9981	..	2979 6 0
Sugar, refined, lbs.	1391	..	5 15 11	2184	..	9 2 0
Salt, cwts.	287	..	21 10 7	328	..	24 12 9
Saddlers' Material, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2 9 0	0 4 5	..	..	..
Sauces, quarts, dozen .....	..	..	..	4	..	0 18 0

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Sauces, pints, dozen	65	..	9 15 0	74	..	11 2 0
Sauces, ½-pints, dozen	214	..	21 8 0	208	..	20 16 0
Sauces, ¼-pints, dozen	60	..	4 10 0	87	..	6 10 6
Sauces, in bulk, gallons	67	..	10 1 0	..	..	..
Spices, whole, lbs.	..	..	..	364	..	£ 0 8
Spices, ground, lbs.	813	..	13 11 0	329	..	5 9 8
Soap, Common, lbs.	4850	..	20 4 2	6186	..	25 15 6
Soap, Perfumed, lbs.	2203	..	27 10 9	1834	..	22 18 6
Sashweights, cwts.	106	..	12 9 11	..	..	..
Starch, lbs.	9449	..	40 7 5	10,974	..	45 14 6
Shot, lbs.	42	..	0 3 6	..	..	..
Scientific Instruments, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	..	..	..	5 0 6	1 0 0
Surgical Instruments, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	17 10 3	3 10 2	..	..	..
Ships' Boats, &c.	..	..	..	..	19 2 0	3 16 5
Sheep, No.	4235 at 1d. 8650 at 2s.	..	822 12 11	13,049	..	1304 18 0
Snuff, lbs.	..	..	..	..	..	0 3 0
Tools, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	3875 18 11	388 18 4	..	39 19 6	4 1 4
Turpentine, galls.	288	..	14 8 0	352	..	17 12 0
Twine, lbs.	1385	..	5 15 5	1331	..	5 10 11
Tapioca, lbs.	1937	..	16 2 10	3178	..	13 4 10
Tea, lbs.	48,457	..	605 14 3	54,847	..	685 11 9
Timber dressed, s. ft.	205,690	..	514 5 0	352,008	..	880 17 6
Timber, over 3-inch, s. ft.	14,450	..	10 17 0	13,695	..	10 9 2
Timber, under 3-inch, s. ft.	19,350	..	24 4 1	29,147	..	36 10 0
Typewriters	..	..	..	..	20 10 0	2 1 0
Varnish, gallons	164	..	12 6 10	208	..	15 12 0
Vinegar, gallons	396	..	19 16 9	402	..	21 4 3
Vegetables, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	401 4 4	80 9 8	..	225 11 1	45 5 9
Watches and Clocks, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	404 12 1	80 19 10	..	294 6 10	58 18 5
Wines in Wood, gallons	544	..	163 5 6	1194	..	358 5 6
Wines in Bottle, gallons	116	..	46 10 0	165	..	66 2 0
Wines, Sparkling, gallons	31	..	15 15 0	20	..	10 5 0
Unenumerated, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	8534 15 7	1708 4 6	..	4235 11 10	848 3 5
			£36,782 2 6			£43,454 6 6

All fractions have been omitted.

COMPARATIVE Statement showing amount of Duties collected at the Sub-Port of DEVONPORT during the Years ending 31st December, 1898 and 1899.

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, gallons	247	..	185 9 2	527	..	246 0 1
Geneva, gallons	92	..	69 5 8	158	..	119 2 11
Gin, gallons	39	..	29 5 11	75	..	56 16 11
Whisky, gallons	570	..	427 17 11	665	..	499 10 1
Cordials, gallons	8	..	6 1 8	..	..	..
Rum, gallons	80	..	60 14 3	126	..	95 4 7
Perfumed, gallons	11	..	13 12 3	6	..	8 5 2
Spirits of Wine, galls.	8	..	6 4 4	..	..	..
Methylated, gallons	10	..	1 10 0	33	..	4 19 0
Spirituous Compounds, gallons	25	..	18 15 10	7	..	5 9 0
Tobacco, lbs.	18,813	..	2821 19 0	17,625	..	2643 17 3
Ditto, Cigars, lbs	251	..	87 17 0	686	..	240 2 0
Ditto, Cigarettes, lbs	292	..	102 7 6	168	..	58 19 6
Acid, Acetic, in bulk, galls	..	..	..	69	..	4 12 0
Ditto, Acetic, under 6 per cent., galls.	..	..	..	230	..	11 10 5
Ditto, Carbolic, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	3 8 9	0 6 11	..	..	..
Ditto, Citric, lbs.	16	..	0 5 4	54	..	0 18 0
Ditto, Muriotic, cwts.	27	..	0 1 4	..	..	0 0 8
Ditto, Sulphuric, cwts.	29	..	3 14 0	90	..	11 5 10
Ditto, Tartaric, lbs	182	..	3 0 8	441	..	7 7 0
Almonds, shelled, lbs.	277	..	3 9 3	275	..	3 8 11
Ditto, whole, lbs.	56	..	0 9 4	156	..	1 6 1
Alum, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	1 9 3	0 3 2	..	..	..
Anvils, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	0 18 4	0 3 8	..	..	..
Axle grease, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	..	..	..	3 7 3	0 6 11
Arrowroot, lbs	355	..	2 19 2	1068	..	4 9 0
Bacon and Hams, lbs	296	..	1 19 4	221	..	1 16 11
Beef and Mutton, at <i>ld.</i>	30,716	..	20 3 5	1000	..	4 3 4
Beef and Mutton in tins, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	213 18 3	21 9 0	..	227 16 5	22 16 3

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Butter and Lard, lbs.....	8788	..	73 3 10	7098	..	59 3 0
Biscuits, lbs.	1513	..	12 12 2	330	..	2 15 0
Blue, lbs.	2864	..	23 17 4	3506	..	29 4 4
Basketware, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	5 11 9	1 2 6	..	20 5 10	4 1 3
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	707 0 1	141 8 11	..	792 17 11	158 12 10
Bottles, empty, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	59 19 1	6 0 6	..	..	..
Brushware, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	43 4 2	8 13 5	..	73 19 6	14 16 3
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad valorem</i>..	..	3 14 8	0 15 1	..	21 14 8	4 7 5
Bolts and Nuts, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	12 16 3	1 6 0	..	92 0 3	9 6 2
Bricks, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	0 8 0	0 1 8	..	4 8 0	0 17 8
Bags, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	..	..	..	1 0 10	0 4 2
Carriages, 4 wheels, No.....	1	..	12 0 0	..	115 0 0	23 0 0
Ditto, 2 wheels, No.....	..	..	..	..	66 12 6	13 6 0
Carriage Axles, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	30 9 2	6 2 3	..	..	..
Chaffcutters, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	193 18 3	19 8 0	..	..	..
Cutlery, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	..	..	..	28 1 7	5 12 6
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.	828	..	13 16 0	1132	..	18 17 4
Coffee, raw, lbs.	69	..	0 17 4	..	..	..
Ditto, roast, lbs.	1421	..	23 17 1	2473	..	41 4 5
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad valorem</i>..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cheese, lbs.	4738	..	99 9 8	4621	..	38 10 2
Coactionery, lbs.	11,702	..	97 10 4	17,382	..	144 17 0
Corn Flour and Maizena, lbs. ...	3508	..	14 12 4	2304	..	9 17 0
Candles, lbs.	2184	..	18 4 0	7123	..	59 7 3
Corks & Cork, unmanufactured, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	10 13 3	1 1 7	..	..	..
Coals, round, tons.....	869	..	173 16 0	7061	..	1059 3 0
Ditto, small, tons.....	4551	..	082 13 0	3061	..	322 0 0
Coke, tons.....	9980	..	499 6 0	697	..	34 17 0
Cement and Whiting, cwts.	182	..	6 16 6	263	..	9 17 7
Clocks and Watches, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	204 5 10	40 17 7	..	212 1 8	42 8 6
Engine Fittings, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	50 10 10	5 1 5	..	277 17 9	27 16 1
Engine Packing, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	0 16 6	0 1 8	..	0 12 1	0 1 3
Earthenware and Glassware, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	658 11 8	131 14 4	..	718 15 9	143 18 2
Fancy Goods, Toys, &c., <i>ad val.</i>	..	1050 11 5	210 3 2	..	947 10 3	189 16 10
Fabrics, Cotton, Woollen, and Silks, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	6135 5 0	1227 1 0	..	7906 1 11	1593 8 3
Felt Sheating, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	13 9 2	1 6 11	..	..	..
Fruit Trees, No. ....	..	..	..	20	..	0 3 4
Fencing Wire, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	622 12 8	62 0 7	..	12 10 0	1 5 0
Furniture, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	671 6 1	134 6 8	..	721 17 11	144 11 2
Fruit, Fresh, bushels.....	1207	..	60 7 3	1418	..	70 18 3
Ditto, Dried, lbs.....	40,888	..	340 14 9	47,405	..	395 0 10
Ditto, Candied, lbs.	221	..	2 15 4	326	..	4 1 7
Fishing Tackle, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	1 10 3	0 7 4	..	..	..
Flock, Cotton & Woollen, <i>ad val.</i>	..	3 8 4	0 7 3	..	1 14 6	0 3 5
Flour, Wheaten.....	..	..	..	25	..	0 0 6
Galvanised Iron, tons.....	2 tns 7 cwt.	..	4 14 0	5 tons 4 cwt. 1 qr.	..	10 8 6
Grindery, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	0 10 0	0 1 0	..	..	..
Glue, lbs.	50	..	0 4 2	438	..	1 16 6
Glass, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	86 3 2	17 5 5	..	176 6 6	35 5 4
Gunpowder, Dynamite, <i>ad val.</i>	30	..	0 15 3	..	8 15 1	0 17 7
Grain—Barley, Pearl and Scotch, lbs.	140	..	0 5 10	28	..	0 1 2
Ditto, Maize, lbs.....	2708	..	2 1 5	..	..	..
Ditto, Peas and Beans, lbs.	268	..	0 4 4	..	..	..
Ditto, Peas, Split, lbs.	14	..	0 0 7	..	..	..
Ginger, Whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	652	..	5 8 8
Ginger, lbs.	1444	..	12 0 8	92	..	1 10 8
Hops, lbs.	1008	..	12 12 0	727	..	9 1 11
Honey, lbs.	1520	..	12 13 4	4668	..	38 18 0
Hardware, <i>ad val.</i>....	..	2101 13 4	420 15 8	..	2388 1 9	478 5 3
Horses, No.	3	..	6 0 0	8	..	16 0 0
Instrument, Scientific.....	..	7 6 1	1 9 4	..	..	..
Jewellery & Platedware, <i>ad val.</i>	..	201 3 9	40 5 0	..	325 2 11	65 0 10
Lead, Milled, Sheet, &c., cwts....	31	..	3 0 9	..	..	..
Liquorice, lbs.	56	..	0 9 4	196	..	1 12 8
Linseed and Linseed Meal, lbs....	504	..	2 2 0	280	..	1 3 4
Machinery, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	379 8 11	37 19 11	..	1709 18 10	171 1 1
Ditto, Dairying, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	47 4 10	4 15 1	..	..	..
Ditto, Agricultural, <i>ad val.</i>	..	1868 14 0	93 14 1	..	0 15 0	0 0 9
Machines, Sewing, <i>ad valorem</i>..	..	41 14 7	4 4 8	..	4 6 8	0 8 8
Music, Printed, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	9 6 0	0 18 8	..	..	..
Musical Instruments, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	313 13 6	62 15 1	..	391 6 9	78 5 9
Matches, <i>ad valorem</i>....	..	56 16 4	11 7 6	..	70 15 11	14 3 6
Medicines and Drugs, <i>ad valorem</i>	..	552 16 2	110 14 3	..	417 3 5	83 12 9
Macaroni and Vermicelli, lbs.	176	..	1 9 4	168	..	1 8 0
Molasses, cwts.	132	..	23 2 0	125	..	21 17 6
Malt Liquor, in bottle, gallons ..	717	..	53 15 6	551	..	41 7 0
Mustard, lbs.	1207	..	10 1 2	1221	..	10 3 6
Marble, in rough block, <i>ad val.</i>	..	3 1 0	0 6 1	..	..	..
Malt, bushels.....	3	..	0 3 0	..	..	..
Nails, cwts.....	108	..	13 12 6	269	..	33 12 11
Naptha, gallons.....	5	..	0 2 6	..	..	..

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	365	..	3 0 10	11	..	0 1 10
Ditto, Cocoa, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1 6 0	0 5 4	..	7 3 8	1 9 0
Opium, lbs.	1	..	1 5 0	..	..	..
Onions, cwts.	156	..	7 15 11	49	..	2 9 3
Oils, various, gallons	1392	..	87 1 5	1286	..	80 8 4
Ditto, in bulk, galls. ....	..	..	..	1261	..	40 10 6
Ditto, Kerosene, gallons	20,120	..	503 0 0	21,144	..	528 12 0
Ditto, Medicinal, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	23 0 8	4 12 6	..	50 4 0	10 1 7
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad valorem</i> ....	..	583 18 6	117 2 10	..	821 2 6	164 13 5
Oatmeal, lbs. ....	..	..	..	432	..	6 18 0
Paints, lbs.	13,866	..	28 17 10	20,228	..	42 4 0
Preserves, Jams, &c., lbs.	568	..	4 14 9	645	..	5 7 7
Potatoes, cwts.	19	..	0 9 8	16	..	0 8 0
Pepper, Whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	88	..	0 7 4
Ditto, Black and White, ground, lbs.	1231	..	10 5 3	1419	..	11 16 7
Pickles, quarts, doz.	15	..	2 5 0	25	..	3 15 0
Ditto, pints, doz.	137	..	13 14 0	182	..	18 4 0
Ditto, ½-pints, doz. ....	..	..	..	11	..	0 14 8
Paper, Printing, <i>ad valorem</i> ....	..	116 1 7	5 16 9	..	151 6 10	7 12 0
Paper, 7½ per cent., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	..	..	..	17 17 2	1 2 10
Paper, Wrapping, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	239 10 4	47 19 5	..	242 10 0	48 11 0
Pipes, Iron, <i>ad valorem</i> ....	..	157 18 5	15 16 4	..	104 9 11	10 9 6
Plants, Trees, and Shrubs, <i>ad val.</i>	..	32 12 10	3 5 6	..	12 10 0	1 5 4
Pigs, No.	1	..	0 2 6	121	..	15 2 6
Rice, lbs.	50,388	..	209 19 0	54,198	..	225 16 8
Rack-a-rock .....	..	15 16 8	1 11 8	..	..	..
Railway Material, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	329 2 7	32 18 5	..	..	..
Stationery, <i>ad val.</i> ....	..	406 3 6	81 6 9	..	400 5 5	80 2 9
Saddlery & Leatherware, <i>ad val.</i>	..	163 3 7	32 13 1	..	174 8 10	35 18 4
Saddlers' Materials .....	..	11 5 5	1 2 8	..	..	..
Shot, lbs.	112	..	0 9 4	56	..	0 4 8
Soda, Carbonate, lbs.	2940	..	12 5 0	4928	..	20 10 8
Sago, lbs.	7782	..	64 17 0	8205	..	34 3 8
Sugar, raw, cwts.	8766	..	2629 16 0	10,325	..	3097 13 0
Ditto, refined, lbs.	820	..	3 8 4	1608	..	6 14 0
Salt, cwts.	1129	..	84 13 11	1714	..	128 12 10
Sauces, pints, dozen	6	..	0 18 0	5	..	0 15 0
Ditto, ½-pints, dozen	63	..	6 6 0	30	..	3 0 0
Ditto, ¼-pints, dozen .....	..	..	..	18	..	1 7 0
Spices, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	451	..	3 15 2
Ditto, ground, lbs.	918	..	15 6 3	263	..	4 7 7
Soap, common, lbs.	2517	..	10 9 9	2854	..	11 17 10
Soap, Perfumed, lbs.	947	..	11 16 11	847	..	10 11 11
Seeds, Canary, Hemp, &c., lbs. ...	4752	..	9 18 5	4497	..	9 3 6
Ditto, Garden, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	166 16 3	16 13 6	..	..	..
Ditto, Grass, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	107 2 6	21 9 0	..	6 2 11	1 4 9
Starch, lbs.	7115	..	29 13 1	8794	..	36 12 10
Sheep, No., at 2s.	2146	..	214 12 0	7566	..	702 14 10
Ditto, at 1d.	18,554	..	77 6 2	..	..	..
Stone, in rough block, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	4 1 6	0 8 3	..	..	..
Tools, <i>ad valorem</i> ....	..	634 9 1	63 9 4	..	13 5 1	1 6 7
Timber, Architraves, &c., <i>ad val.</i>	..	7 1 11	1 8 5	..	28 8 10	5 13 3
Ditto, Boards, &c., ft.	1095	..	2 10 3	12,041	..	30 3 3
Timber, sawn, Sins., & over, feet, sup.	2372	..	1 16 5	2889	..	2 4 11
Ditto, sawn, under 3 in.	75	..	0 1 11	985	..	1 5 0
Ditto, for case-making, No. ....	..	..	..	2500	..	15 12 6
Typewriters, <i>ad valorem</i> ....	..	..	..	..	4 0 0	0 8 0
Turpentine, gallons	64	..	3 4 0	40	..	2 0 6
Twine, lbs.	533	..	2 4 5	545	..	2 5 5
Tea, lbs.	79,115	..	988 19 0	97,499	..	1218 14 11
Tapioca, lbs.	920	..	7 13 4	2166	..	9 0 6
Vegetables, <i>ad valorem</i> ....	..	2 15 0	0 11 3	..	0 7 6	0 1 6
Vinegar, gallons	111	..	5 11 6	578	..	28 18 6
Varnish, and Polish, gallons ..	57	..	4 6 4	169	..	8 4 8
Wool Packs, No.	300	..	5 0 0	..	..	..
Wines in wood, gallons .....	..	..	..	56	..	16 16 0
Ditto, in bottle, gallons	74	..	29 12 0	62	..	24 16 0
Ditto, sparkling, gallons	5	..	2 15 0	4	..	2 0 0
Unenumerated <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	32 17 4	6 11 0	..	94 10 5	18 19 9
			£14,504 12 9			£16,651 2 2

All fractions have been omitted.

RETURN of Duties, in detail, collected at the Sub-Port of BURNIE, during the Years ended
31st December, 1898 and 1899.

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.							
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .		Amount of Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .		Amount of Duty.			
		£	s.			d.	£		s.	d.	
Spirits—Brandy, gallons.....	147	..	..	110	6	11	184	..	138	10	8
Geneva, gallons.....	118	..	..	88	10	9	126	..	95	0	10
Gin, gallons.....	165	..	..	123	19	1	97	..	72	19	0
Whisky, gallons.....	383	..	..	287	16	11	590	..	443	5	2
Rum, gallons.....	93	..	..	70	2	6	71	..	53	9	0
Cordials, gallons.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	10	0
Wine, gallons.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	..	15	0	0
Perfumed, gallons.....	1	..	..	1	16	9	4	..	4	16	9
Methylated, gallons.....	1	..	..	0	3	0	8	..	1	4	9
Compounds, gallons.....	4	..	..	3	6	2	10	..	8	2	10
Tobacco, lbs.....	1808	..	..	271	4	0	1438	..	215	6	3
Cigars, lbs.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	101	..	35	10	6
Acid, Acetic, lbs.....	78	..	..	0	13	0	..	..	..	..	..
Acid, Acetic, under 6 per cent. ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..	0	13	0
Ditto, Citric, lbs.....	232	..	..	3	17	4	302	..	5	0	8
Ditto, Muritic, lbs.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	0	4	5
Ditto, Sulphuric, cwts.....	35	..	..	4	9	11	6	..	0	17	1
Ditto, Tartaric, lbs.....	87	..	..	1	9	0	95	..	1	11	8
Almonds, whole, lbs.....	112	..	..	0	18	8	60	..	0	10	0
Ditto, shelled, lbs.....	150	..	..	1	17	6	83	..	1	0	9
Alum, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	0	16	1	0	1	11	..	..	..	..
Ammunition, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	3	7	0	0	13	6	..	26	10	3
Arrowroot, lbs.....	611	..	..	5	1	10	312	..	..	1	6
Bridgework.....	..	1551	6	0	310	5	4	..	..	..	..
Bags, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	9	7	6	1	17	6	..	10	8	9
Bacon and hams, lbs.....	769	..	..	6	8	2	4533	..	..	37	15
Beef and Mutton, in tins, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	214	8	4	21	10	1	..	118	16	0
Ditto, lbs.....	13,661	..	..	33	19	6	188	..	..	0	15
Butter and Lard, lbs.....	10,780	..	..	89	16	8	5128	..	..	42	14
Biscuits, lbs.....	2923	..	..	24	7	2	1044	..	..	8	14
Bricks, <i>ad valorem</i>.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	8	0
Blue, lbs.....	836	..	..	6	19	4	1356	..	..	11	6
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	261	5	7	52	5	9	..	360	0	6
Bottles, empty, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	131	1	7	13	2	6	..	..	..	..
Brushware, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	72	3	9	14	10	6	..	73	16	5
Basket and Wickerware.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	11	5
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	6	19	9	1	8	1	..	42	10	2
Bolts and Nuts, Iron, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	159	8	5	15	19	6	..	104	1	10
Carriages—4-wheeled, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	0	0
2-wheeled, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	71	16	0
Carriage Axles, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	9	3	11	1	16	11	..	..	..	..
Cutlery, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	0	15	0	0	3	0	..	20	0	6
Chicory, lbs.....	14	..	..	0	4	8	..	..	..	..	..
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.....	1577	..	..	26	5	8	2073	..	..	34	11
Coffee, Raw, lbs.....	48	..	..	0	12	0	..	..	..	..	..
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.....	3387	..	..	56	9	3	2864	..	..	47	14
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	10	7	1	2	1	6	..	1	2	0
Cheese, lbs.....	3109	..	..	26	8	2	648	..	..	5	8
Confectionery, lbs.....	7413	..	..	61	15	6	11,094	..	..	92	9
Cornflour and Maizena, lbs.....	840	..	..	3	10	0	1467	..	..	0	2
Candles, lbs.....	1925	..	..	16	0	10	375	..	..	3	2
Corks and Cork, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	2	15	0	0	5	7	..	..	..	..
Coal, Round, tons.....	521	..	..	104	4	0	1183	..	..	170	0
Ditto, Small, tons.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	62	..	..	6	4
Ditto, Coke, tons.....	47	..	..	2	7	0	..	..	..	..	..
Cement and Whiting, cwts.....	382	..	..	14	6	7	801	..	..	30	1
Clocks and Watches, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	38	17	3	7	15	9	..	21	3	9
Engine Fittings, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	82	14	0	8	6	0	..	16	16	4
Engine Packings, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	4	5	10	0	8	8	..	13	6	9
Emery Cloth, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	0	2	6	0	0	3	..	..	..	..
Earthenware & Glassware, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	557	1	4	111	9	3	..	466	17	8
Fancy Goods, Toys, &c., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1028	16	0	205	19	5	..	654	15	8
Fabrics, &c., <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	3783	10	0	757	2	0	..	3705	14	8
Fruit Trees, No.....	26	..	..	0	4	4	..	..	..	..	..
Fencing Wire, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	2771	1	3	27	14	11	..	..	..	..
Furniture, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	339	16	4	68	0	4	..	664	7	7
Fruit, Fresh, bushels.....	1578	..	..	78	18	6	1552	..	..	77	12
Ditto, Dried, lbs.....	20,698	..	..	222	9	8	26,835	..	..	223	12
Ditto, Candied, lbs.....	507	..	..	6	6	9	777	..	..	9	14
Friendly Society's Banners, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1	5	0	0	2	6	..	..	..	..
Forges, Portable.....	..	4	6	10	0	8	9	..	..	..	..
Fruit, Loose, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	0	16	3	0	3	3	..	..	..	..
Fish, Fresh.....	..	4	5	0	0	8	6	..	..	..	..
Fishing Tackle, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	9	1
Galvanised Iron, tons.....	15-19-2	..	..	31	19	0	37	..	..	74	0
G.lue, lbs.....	129	..	..	0	10	9	184	..	..	0	15
G.lass, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	12	19	9	2	12	1	..	128	11	3
Gunpowder - Blasting lbs.....	32,000	..	..	341	13	4	75,000	..	..	312	10
Sporting, lbs.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	0	3
Dynamite, <i>ad val.</i>.....	..	946	13	4	94	13	7	..	619	18	5
Grain - P. & S. Barley, lbs.....	392	..	..	0	16	4	280	..	..	0	11
Maize, lbs.....	6874	..	..	5	1	8	..	..	..	..	..

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem.</i>	Amount of Duty	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem.</i>	Amount of Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Grain—Oats, lbs.	2000	..	1 10 0	..	..	..
Peas, Split, lbs.	140	..	0 5 10	154	..	0 6 5
Peas and Beans, lbs. ..	..	..	..	28	..	0 0 10
Ginger, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	137	..	1 2 10
Ginger, ground, lbs.	352	..	5 17 6	257	..	4 5 8
Grease, Axle .....	..	..	..	..	30 2 0	3 0 9
Hops, lbs.	240	..	3 0 0	359	..	4 2 11
Honey, lbs.	428	..	3 11 4	758	..	6 6 4
Hardware, <i>ad val.</i> .....	..	2599 7 0	521 8 3	..	2126 1 1	425 16 11
Horses, No.	4	..	8 0 0	4	..	8 0 0
Jewellery & Plated Ware, <i>ad val.</i>	..	15 11 3	3 2 4	..	50 11 4	10 2 6
Lead, Milled, Sheet, & Pipe, cwts.	21	..	2 13 9	10	..	1 6 11
Liquorice, lbs.	45	..	0 7 8	56	..	0 9 4
Linseed and Linseed Meal, lbs.	364	..	1 10 4	351	..	1 9 3
Machinery, <i>ad val.</i> .....	..	1041 15 9	104 3 10	..	515 6 2	51 11 10
Machinery—Dairying, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	327 13 5	32 18 6	..	..	..
Agricultural, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	982 3 1	49 6 6	..	51 18 0	2 11 11
Sewing, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	81 3 11	8 2 8	..	..	..
Music, Printed, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1 15 0	0 3 6	..	..	..
Musical Instruments, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	65 12 11	13 2 8	..	86 2 1	17 4 7
Matches, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	88 9 6	17 15 0	..	61 3 10	12 5 3
Medicines and Drugs, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	132 2 11	26 9 2	..	115 6 0	23 1 10
Macaroni & Vermicelli, lbs.	40	..	0 6 8	124	..	1 0 8
Molasses, cwts.	70	..	12 5 0	19	..	3 6 6
Malt Liquor in bottle, gals.	476	..	35 14 0	1000	..	75 0 0
Mustard, lbs.	648	..	5 8 0	873	..	7 5 6
Nails, cwts.	142	..	17 16 10	153	..	19 3 6
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	607	..	5 1 2	704	..	5 17 4
Nuts, Cocoa, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1 13 0	0 6 8	..	11 10 4	2 6 8
Oatmeal, lbs. ....	..	..	..	224	..	0 9 4
Onions, lbs.	152	..	7 12 0	179	..	8 19 7
Oils, Various, gals.	2237	..	139 17 7	1588	..	99 6 4
in bulk, galls. ....	..	..	..	1127	..	28 3 6
Kerosene, gals.	13,056	..	326 8 0	14,692	..	367 6 0
Medicinal, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	2 11 0	0 10 4	..	9 16 9	1 19 8
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	898 18 1	180 5 9	..	787 11 9	158 7 1
Paints, lbs.	9632	..	20 1 5	17,439	..	36 7 3
Preserves, Jams, & Jellies, lbs. ..	672	..	5 12 1	942	..	7 17 0
Potatoes, cwts.	20	..	0 10 3	100	..	2 10 3
Pepper, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	42	..	0 3 6
ground, lbs.	703	..	5 17 4	945	..	7 17 7
Pickles, pints, doz.	198	..	19 16 0	192	..	19 4 0
half-pints, doz.	26	..	1 14 8	15	..	1 0 0
Papers, Printing, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	117 14 7	5 19 9	..	149 5 7	7 9 8
Paper, 7 per cent. ....	..	..	..	..	36 13 0	2 15 2
Wrapping, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	267 2 1	53 10 4	..	128 10 11	25 15 4
Pipes, Iron, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	111 4 3	11 3 9	..	338 10 6	33 17 3
Plants, Trees, & Shrubs, <i>ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	2 19 7	0 6 2
Pigs, No. ....	..	..	..	178	..	22 5 0
Rice, lbs.	26,409	..	110 8 3	24,531	..	102 4 3
Railway Material, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	17,530 15 1	1753 2 10	..	771 8 6	77 3 2
Stationery, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	372 4 10	74 10 1	..	246 19 7	49 9 2
Saddlery and Leatherware, <i>ad val.</i>	..	143 10 10	28 14 7	..	123 4 9	24 13 9
Saddlers' Materials, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	26 17 3	2 13 11	..	..	..
Shot, lbs.	84	..	0 7 0	84	..	0 7 0
Soda, Carbonate, lbs.	3472	..	14 9 4	3045	..	12 13 9
Soda, Crystals, lbs. ....	..	..	..	208	..	0 8 8
Sago, lbs.	4150	..	34 11 8	4659	..	19 8 3
Sugar, Raw, cwts.	2157	..	647 6 6	2997	..	899 2 6
Sugar, Refined, lbs.	214	..	0 17 10	309	..	1 5 9
Salt, cwts.	586	..	44 0 2	1026	..	76 19 1
Sauces—Quarts, doz.	3	..	0 12 0	..	..	..
Pints, doz.	16	..	2 8 0	20	..	3 0 0
Half-pints, doz.	100	..	10 0 0	77	..	7 14 0
Quarter-pints, doz.	6	..	0 9 0	1	..	0 1 6
Spices, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	219	..	1 16 6
ground, lbs.	345	..	5 15 0	331	..	5 10 4
Soap, common, lbs.	2965	..	12 7 1	3943	..	16 8 7
Soap, Perfumed, lbs.	269	..	3 7 4	406	..	5 1 9
Seeds—Canary, &c., lbs.	2720	..	5 13 5	2535	..	5 5 8
Garden, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	21 15 2	2 3 9	..	..	..
Grass, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	822 13 8	164 10 11	..	2 1 5	0 8 5
Starch, lbs.	5488	..	22 17 6	5787	..	24 3 1
Sheep, No.	237	..	9 2 8	948	..	96 3 6
Tools, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1382 8 1	139 1 6	..	7 0 0	0 14 0
Timber—Architraves ..	..	..	..	..	110 8 2	22 2 1
Boards, super. ft.	4112	..	10 6 3	5781	..	14 10 0
Sawn, 3in. and over, super. ft. ....	..	..	..	8960	..	6 15 1
Under 3 in. ....	..	..	..	955	..	1 4 5
For Case-making, No. of shooks ..	1600	..	10 0 0	3000	..	18 15 0
Turpentine, gals.	84	..	4 4 0	157	..	7 17 0
Twine, lbs.	263	..	1 1 11	198	..	0 16 6
Typewriters, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	23 17 0	2 7 9

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Amount of Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Amount of Duty.
Tea, lbs.	36,587	£ s. d.	£ d. s.	42,572	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Tapioca, lbs.	392	..	457 7 1	1153	..	532 3 1
Vegetables, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	14 3 0	3 5 4	..	12 1 0	4 16 1
Vinegar, gals.	249	..	2 17 1	..	..	2 9 1
Varnish and Polish, gals.	43	..	12 9 6	555	..	27 15 6
Woolpacks, No.	30	..	3 4 7	69	..	5 4 2
Wines in Wood, gals.	85	..	0 10 0	..	..	..
Ditto, Bottled, gals.	35	..	25 14 6	86	..	25 19 0
Ditto, Sparkling, gals.	14	..	14 0 0	34	..	13 12 0
Ditto, Undefined, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	7 0 0	..	128 10 8	25 14 7
GRAND TOTALS .....	..	..	£9159 12 1	..	..	£7304 12 0

RETURN of Duties received at the Sub-Port of ULVERSTONE during the Years 1898 and 1899.

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Amount of Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Amount of Duty.
Spirits, Perfumed .....	..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Spirituous compounds, gallons ..	..	..	..	..	..	0 6 0
Tobacco, lbs.	894	..	134 2 0	4 ^{3/4}	..	3 7 2
Almonds, shelled, lbs.	28	..	0 7 0	390	..	58 10 9
Arrowroot, lbs.	262	..	2 3 8	49	..	0 12 5
Agricultural Implements, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	151 2 0	7 12 6	140	..	0 11 8
Ammunition, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	17 3 6	3 8 10	..	1 5 0	0 1 4
Acid, tartaric, lbs. ....	..	..	..	..	23 16 11	4 15 6
Axle grease .....	..	..	..	126	..	2 2 0
Beef, in tins, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	23 18 6	2 9 7	..	2 11 6	0 5 4
Ditto, Salt, lbs.	2625	..	1 6 3	..	2 19 9	0 6 0
Blue, lbs.	192	..	1 12 0	..	..	4 17 8
Brushware, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	43 18 0	8 16 4	580	..	11 12 11
Bags, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	8 6 8	1 13 4	..	58 1 11	..
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	87 0 7	17 8 3	..	9 8 3	1 17 8
Bricks, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	2 15 0	0 11 0	..	9 1 6	1 16 5
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	24 19 11	5 0 5	..	23 3 3	4 13 1
Basketware, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	9 11 3	1 18 6	..	8 16 11	1 15 7
Bolts and Nuts (iron), <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	16 14 1	1 13 10	..	29 10 9	3 0 2
Carpets and rugs, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	3 11 6	0 14 4
Coffee (ground), lbs.	62	..	1 0 8	192	..	3 4 0
Cement, cwts. ....	..	..	..	..	..	0 0 3
Cocoa, lbs.	14	..	0 4 8	68 ^{1/4}	..	1 2 10
Carriage, axle, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	4 8 0	0 17 8
Cornflour and Maizena, lbs.	480	..	2 0 0	640	..	2 13 4
Candles, lbs.	1125	..	9 7 6	475	..	3 19 2
Cart Boxes, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	2 9 7	0 10 0	..	..	..
Candied Peel, lbs.	126	..	1 2 2	..	..	..
Clocks, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	10 10 0	2 2 1	..	1 10 0	0 6 0
Cutlery, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	38 15 6	7 15 10	..	46 14 0	9 6 2
Confectionery, lbs.	3627	..	30 4 7	2939	..	24 9 10
Corks, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	0 15 0	0 3 0	..	..	..
Cheese, lbs. ....	..	22 9 1	2 19 4	591	..	4 18 6
Dairy Implements, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Drapery, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1473 7 4	294 14 4	..	1988 16 8	397 18 9
Dried Fruit, lbs.	11,660	..	97 3 7	8171	..	68 1 11
Essence of Lemon, gallons .....	..	..	0 3 9	..	..	..
Earthenware, Glassware, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	220 18 6	48 5 4	..	239 8 1	47 19 11
Engine packing, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	2 13 10	0 5 6
Fancy Goods, Toys, & Perfumery, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	277 10 5	55 16 11	..	221 12 1	44 7 11
Fishing Tackle, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	3 18 11	0 15 10	..	6 1 2	1 4 5
Felloes and Naves, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	6 18 10	1 7 10	..	..	..
Fencing Wire, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	45 17 6	4 11 9	..	..	..
Firearms, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	25 18 0	5 3 8	..	..	..
Furniture, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	97 1 3	19 8 6	..	135 9 0	27 2 2
Fruit, fresh, bushels.	4	..	0 4 0	..	..	..
Fruit, candied, lbs. ....	..	..	..	203	..	2 10 9
Galvd. Corrugd. Iron, cwts.	231	..	23 3 6	101	..	10 2 6
Ginger, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	56	..	0 9 4
Ginger, ground, lbs.	78	..	1 5 8	154	..	2 11 4
Glass, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	19 15 5	3 19 3	..	20 11 2	4 2 5
Glue, lbs. ....	..	..	..	47	..	0 3 11
Hardware, Ironmongery, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	291 1 9	58 2 1	..	350 16 3	70 7 2
Handles, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	25 0 0	2 17 4	..	..	..
Hops, lbs. ....	..	..	..	30	..	0 7 6
Jams, lbs.	60	..	0 10 0	207	..	1 14 7

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Jewellery and Plated Ware, <i>ad val.</i>	..	26 3 6	5 5 0	..	23 14 2	4 15 2
Linseed Meal, lbs.	140	..	0 11 8	..	..	..
Machinery, <i>ad val.</i>	..	4 8 6	0 8 11	..	..	..
Macaroni, lbs.	80	..	0 13 4	..	..	..
Matches, <i>ad val.</i>	..	4 2 0	0 16 5	..	3 10 0	0 14 1
Malt, bushels	..	..	..	2	..	0 2 0
Medicines and Drugs, <i>ad val.</i>	..	12 0 11	2 8 6	..	57 16 2	11 11 6
Music, Printed, <i>ad val.</i>	..	3 16 11	0 7 10	..	..	..
Musical Instruments, <i>ad val.</i>	..	20 18 1	4 3 8	..	68 6 0	13 13 4
Mustard, lbs.	432	..	3 12 0	300	..	2 10 0
Molasses, cwts.	..	..	..	50	..	8 15 0
Nails (iron), cwts.	56	..	7 3 0	66	..	8 5 11
Nuts, lbs.	56	..	0 9 4	84	..	0 14 0
Onions, cwts.	19	..	0 19 3	..	..	..
Oils, various, gallons	262	..	16 8 7	243	..	15 3 9
Ditto, in bulk	..	..	..	112	..	2 16 0
Ditto, Medicinal, <i>ad val.</i>	..	2 15 0	0 11 3	..	10 1 11	2 0 9
Oil, Kerosene, gallons	3456	..	86 8 0	7160	..	179 0 0
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad val.</i>	..	114 13 2	23 2 0	..	154 5 3	31 0 9
Pearl Barley, lbs.	224	..	0 9 4	56	..	0 2 4
Paper, 20 per cent., <i>ad val.</i>	..	67 16 3	13 11 6	..	81 18 8	16 8 1
Paints, lbs.	4533	..	9 8 11	4217	..	8 15 9
Pepper, whole, lbs.	..	..	..	14	..	0 1 2
Pepper (ground), lbs.	287	..	2 7 10	291	..	2 8 7
Pickles, pints, dozen	75	..	7 10 0	66	..	6 12 0
Pipes, galvanised, <i>ad val.</i>	..	14 3 0	1 8 4	..	14 15 8	1 9 7
Plumbago	..	..	..	..	0 15 0	0 8 0
Range cocks, <i>ad val.</i>	..	1 12 6	0 3 3	..	..	..
Rice, lbs.	13,322	..	55 10 2	11,566	..	48 3 10
Sago, lbs.	1573	..	13 2 2	2130	..	8 17 6
Salt, cwts.	383	..	28 15 3	1166	..	87 9 9
Sauces, ½-pints, dozen	4	..	0 8 0	..	..	..
Saddlery and leatherware, <i>ad val.</i>	..	11 8 5	2 5 11	..	7 7 3	1 9 7
Spices, whole, lbs.	..	..	..	86	..	0 14 4
Spices, ground, lbs.	218	..	3 12 10	47	..	0 15 8
Soap, common, lbs.	..	..	..	128	..	0 13 8
Soap, fancy, lbs.	57	..	0 14 4	12	..	0 3 0
Starch, lbs.	1199	..	4 19 11	1936	..	8 1 4
Stationery, <i>ad val.</i>	..	81 5 4	16 5 9	..	109 13 5	21 19 6
Sugar, cwts.	2428	..	728 9 6	2695	..	808 14 6
Ditto, Loaf, lbs.	..	..	..	63	..	0 5 3
Seeds, Canary, lbs.	640	..	1 6 8	860	..	1 15 11
Soda, Carbonate, lbs.	798	..	3 6 6	784	..	3 5 4
Tapioca, lbs.	458	..	3 16 4	464	..	1 18 8
Tea, lbs.	6447	..	80 11 9	7461	..	93 5 1
Tools, <i>ad val.</i>	..	162 2 3	16 8 10	..	2 14 9	0 5 6
Treacle, cwts.	42	..	7 7 0	..	..	..
Turpentine, gallons	25	..	1 5 0	17	..	0 17 6
Twine, lbs.	37	..	0 3 1	21	..	0 1 9
Varnish, gallons	11	..	0 17 8	14	..	1 1 3
Vinegar, gallons	107	..	5 7 0	304	..	15 4 0
Unenumerated, <i>ad val.</i>	..	18 12 6	3 14 11	..	59 0 6	11 17 0
Wines in wood, gallons	..	..	..	44	..	13 7 10
Wines in bottle, gallons	..	..	..	2	..	0 16 0
			£2032 3 2			£2279 17 6

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, showing Amount of Duties collected at Sub-Port of CIRCULAR HEAD during the Years ended 31st December, 1898 and 1899.

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem.</i>	Amount of Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem.</i>	Amount of Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Spirits—Whisky, gallons	115	...	86 5 0	159	...	119 12 6
Brandy, gallons	6	...	4 10 0	16	...	12 0 0
Cordials, gallons .....	...	...	...	2	...	1 10 0
Geneva, gallons .....	...	...	...	33	...	24 15 0
Gin, gallons	11	...	8 12 6	12	...	9 0 0
Perfumed, gallons	$\frac{17}{32}$	...	0 5 3	$\frac{31}{32}$	...	0 18 0
Wines in wood, gallons .....	...	...	...	30	...	9 0 0
Wines, Bottled, gallons	8	...	3 4 0	16	...	6 10 0
Wines, Sparkling, galls.	2	...	1 0 0	2	...	1 0 0
Methylated, gallons	1	...	0 3 0	...	...	...
Spirituons Compounds, gallons...	2	...	2 1 3	$\frac{3}{32}$	...	0 1 3
Tobacco, lbs.	964	...	144 12 0	729	...	109 8 6
Acid—Boric, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	0 2 6	0 0 6	...	...	...
Carbolic, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	0 13 3	0 1 5	...	...	...
Muriatic, cwts. ....	...	...	...	1	...	0 3 9
Sulphuric, cwts.	7	...	0 18 10	$\frac{1}{2}$	...	0 1 3
Tartaric, lbs.	35	...	0 11 8	56	...	0 18 8
Almonds, Whole, lbs.	26	...	0 4 4	...	...	...
Alum, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	0 1 2	0 0 2	...	...	...
Ammunition, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	6 6 0	1 5 3	...	...	...
Anvils and Bellows, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	7 11 3	0 15 2	...	...	...
Arrowroot, lbs.	28	...	0 4 8	...	...	...
Axle Grease, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	...	...	...	0 12 0	0 1 3
Agricultural Seeds, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	121 19 7	24 8 2	...	...	...
Bolts and Nuts, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	6 9 0	0 13 0	...	11 5 10	1 2 10
Bricks, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	9 18 0	1 19 8	...	17 12 0	3 10 6
Bottles, Empty, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	17 18 6	1 16 0	...	9 0 0	0 18 0
Buckets and Tubs, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	...	...	...	13 0 0	2 12 2
Basketware, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	2 5 9	0 9 3	...	2 0 6	0 8 2
Brushware and Brooms, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	6 12 9	1 6 7	...	16 2 9	3 4 9
Billiard Goods .....	...	24 18 6	4 19 10	...	...	...
Boots, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	37 3 9	7 8 10	...	68 2 9	13 12 7
Bags, Paper, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	8 4 6	1 12 11	...	...	...
Boiler, Composition, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	2 14 10	0 11 0	...	...	...
Boilers, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	...	...	...	62 16 6	6 5 8
Butter Paper, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	4 14 0	0 18 11	...	...	...
Biscuits, lbs.	3220	...	26 16 8	2112	...	17 12 0
Butter, lbs.	2303	...	19 3 10	2258	...	18 16 4
Blue, lbs.	144	...	1 4 0	216	...	1 16 0
Beef, Corned, cwts.	150	...	7 10 9	...	...	...
Beef and Mutton, lbs. ....	...	...	...	881	...	3 13 5
Ditto, in tins, lbs. ....	...	7 13 0	0 15 5	...	25 15 9	3 9 5
Clocks and Watches .....	...	...	...	...	4 17 6	0 19 7
Carriages, 4 wheels .....	...	...	...	...	29 0 0	5 16 0
Cakes, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	15 18 1	3 3 9	...	...	...
Collar Check, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	3 18 9	0 7 11	...	...	...
Cheese Cloth, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	2 7 5	0 9 6	...	...	...
Cheese, lbs. ....	...	...	...	36	...	0 6 0
Castings, Iron, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	2 17 0	0 11 5	...	...	...
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.	178	...	2 19 4	200	...	3 6 8
Coffee, Roasted, lbs.	489	...	8 3 0	427	...	7 2 4
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	43 19 9	8 16 0	...	9 9 11	1 18 1
Confectionery, lbs.	1736	...	14 9 4	2638	...	21 19 8
Cornflour and Maizena, lbs.	209	...	0 16 8	160	...	0 13 4
Candles, lbs.	399	...	3 6 6	10	...	0 1 8
Corks, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	2 10 1	0 5 2	...	...	...
Coal, Small, tons	67	...	10 1 0	30	...	3 0 0
Coal, Round, tons	3	...	0 12 0	12	...	1 16 0
Coke, tons	128	...	6 8 6	...	...	...
Cement and Whiting, cwts	135	...	5 1 3	148	...	5 11 0
Engine Fittings, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	0 3 0
Earthenware, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	212 12 3	42 11 1	...	180 18 10	36 4 3
Egg Carriers, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	4 17 6	0 19 6	...	...	...
Essence Lemon, pints	1	...	0 2 11	...	...	...
Drugs and Medicines, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	114 11 2	22 18 4	...	138 0 6	27 12 6
Fancy Goods, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	165 13 11	33 3 0	...	173 0 10	34 12 5
Fabrics, Cotton, Wool, or Silk, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	1093 9 8	218 16 4	...	1577 9 6	315 10 5
Fencing Wire, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	256 9 0	25 13 0	...	...	...
Furniture, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	75 7 9	15 1 9	...	31 1 7	6 4 5
Fruit, Fresh, bushels	539	...	26 19 0	319	...	15 19 0
Fruit, Dried, lbs.	7890	...	65 15 1	4864	...	40 10 8
Fruit, Candied, lbs.	285	...	3 11 3	320	...	4 0 0
Fruit, Loose, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	2 12 3	0 10 7	...	...	...
Fish, Dried, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	25 7 11	5 1 11	...	...	...
Galvanised Corrugated Iron, cwts.	257	...	25 15 0	14-17-0	...	29 14 0
Glue, lbs.	42	...	0 3 6	12	...	0 1 0
Glass, <i>ad val.</i> .....	...	14 0 10	2 16 3	...	16 0 10	3 4 4
Grain—Wheat, lbs.	500	...	0 7 6	...	...	...
Maize	2200	...	1 13 0	...	...	...
Oats, lbs.	500	...	0 7 6	...	...	...
Peas, lbs.	30	...	0 0 9	550	...	0 8 3

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem.</i>	Amount of Duty	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem.</i>	Amount of Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Ginger, ground, lbs.	26	...	0 8 8	14	...	0 4 8
Ditto, whole, lbs. ....	...	...	...	66	...	0 11 0
Grease, Anti-friction, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	0 18 0	0 3 8	...	...	...
Hops, lbs.	82	...	1 0 8	45	...	0 11 3
Horses, No. ....	...	...	...	2	...	4 0 0
Handles, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	2 5 0	0 9 0	...	...	...
Hardware, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	594 15 8	119 0 3	...	614 19 0	123 0 7
Jewellery, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	13 4 1	2 13 0	...	12 10 1	2 10 2
Lead, Milled, cwts.	3	...	0 8 9	4½	...	0 11 3
Liquorice, lbs.	7	...	0 1 2	...	...	...
Linseed and Meal, lbs.	116	...	0 9 8	196	...	0 16 4
Leather, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	32 10 11	6 10 4	...	...	...
Marble, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	21 9 2	4 5 10	...	...	...
Mutton, Fresh, cwts.	6	...	0 6 6	...	...	...
Milk, in Tins, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	3 5 3	0 13 1	...	...	...
Mouldings, Wood, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	18 4 1	3 12 11	...	...	...
Macaroni, lbs.	4	...	0 0 8	12	...	0 2 0
Machinery—Engines, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	678 5 6	67 16 11	...	193 10 8	19 7 2
Dairying, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	61 7 4	6 3 0	...	...	...
Agricultural, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	151 3 6	7 11 7	...	...	...
Machines, Sewing, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	32 17 5	3 5 10	...	...	...
Malt Liquor, Bottle, gallons.	8	...	0 12 0	56	...	4 4 0
Matches, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	5 11 3	1 2 3	...	3 7 6	0 13 6
Molasses, cwts.	19	...	3 6 6	9	...	1 13 3
Musical Instruments, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	11 13 0	2 6 8	...	5 10 6	1 2 2
Mustard, lbs.	240	...	2 0 0	180	...	1 10 0
Nails, Iron, cwts.	50	...	6 7 0	87	...	10 17 7
Nuts, lbs.	91	...	0 15 2	...	...	...
Nuts, Cocoa, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	1 5 6	0 5 3	...	0 19 0	0 3 10
Oil—Various	410	...	25 12 10	374	...	23 7 6
Kerosene, gallons	4820	...	120 10 0	4740	...	118 10 0
Medicinal, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	3 11 0	0 14 3	...	3 4 1	0 13 0
Ditto, in bulk, gallons ....	...	...	...	16	...	0 8 0
Onions, cwts.	15	...	0 15 9	16	...	0 16 9
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	16 18 3	3 8 0	...	74 8 3	14 14 7
Preservitas, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	7 10 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
Paper, Printing, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	1 16 5	0 1 11	...	...	...
Paper, 7½ per cent. ....	...	...	...	...	0 2 6	0 0 3
Paper, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	56 18 10	11 7 11	...	51 16 5	10 7 5
Plants, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	3 12 6	0 7 3	...	...	...
Pipes, Iron, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	1 1 0	0 2 2	...	1 1 6	0 2 2
Paints, lbs.	3516	...	7 6 6	3898	...	8 2 5
Perry and Cider, gallons ....	...	...	...	8	...	0 12 0
Pepper, Black & White, whole, lbs. ....	...	...	...	14	...	0 1 2
Ditto, ground, lbs.	215	...	1 15 10	91	...	0 15 2
Pickles, pints, dozen	12	...	1 4 0	18	...	1 16 0
Pigs, No. ....	...	...	...	60	...	7 10 0
Preserves, Jellies, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	0 17 7	0 3 7	145	...	1 4 2
Rice, lbs.	5068	...	21 2 4	5152	...	21 2 4
Repairs to Machinery, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	2 0 0	0 8 0	...	...	...
Railway Material, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	17 9 10	1 15 0	...	51 6 1	5 2 8
Rabbits, Preserved, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	1 12 0	0 6 5	...	...	...
Salt, cwts.	382	...	23 13 0	430	...	32 5 0
Saddlery, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	53 5 5	10 13 3	...	70 8 8	14 2 0
Sago, lbs.	986	...	8 4 4	254	...	1 1 2
Sauces, pints, dozen ....	...	...	...	7	...	1 1 0
Sauces, ½-pints, dozen	3	...	0 6 0	...	...	...
Saddlers' Ironmongery, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	0 13 0	0 1 4	...	...	...
Seed, Canary, lbs.	120	...	0 5 0	284	...	0 11 10
Seeds, Garden, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	35 1 7	3 10 5	...	3 10 0	0 9 4
Soap, Perfumed, lbs.	147	...	1 16 9	185	...	2 6 5
Soap, common, lbs.	4032	...	16 16 0	1456	...	6 1 4
Spices, whole, lbs. ....	...	...	...	42	...	0 7 0
Ditto, ground, lbs.	170	...	2 16 8	75	...	1 5 0
Starch, lbs.	814	...	3 7 10	737	...	3 1 5
Stationery, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	1 13 0	0 6 8	...	1 13 0	0 6 11
Sugar, Raw, cwts.	750	...	225 0 0	811	...	243 6 0
Sugar, Icing and Tablet, lbs. ....	...	...	...	14	...	0 1 2
Soda, Carbonate, lbs.	448	...	1 17 4	224	...	0 18 8
Tapioca, lbs.	299	...	2 9 10	137	...	0 11 5
Tools, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	149 6 6	14 19 3	...	0 15 0	0 1 6
Tea, lbs.	9693	...	121 3 3	9720	...	121 10 0
Turpentine, gallons	36	...	1 16 0	28	...	1 8 0
Twine, lbs.	30	...	0 2 6	60	...	0 5 0
Timber, dressed, feet	6750	...	16 17 6	25,565	...	63 18 9
Ditto, over 3-inch, feet	2282	...	1 14 6	2487	...	1 17 5
Ditto, under 3-inch sup. feet	...	...	...	2975	...	3 14 5
Ditto for case-making, No. .	44	...	0 5 6	876	...	5 9 6
Architraves ....	...	...	...	...	77 5 0	15 9 6
Varnish, gallons	21	...	1 12 3	12	...	0 18 9
Vegetables, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	2 8 10	0 9 10	...	...	...
Vinegar, gallons	215	...	10 15 0	27	...	1 7 0
Wheaten Flour, lbs. ....	...	...	...	2000	...	2 0 0
Unenumerated, <i>ad val.</i> ....	...	0 12 6	0 2 6	...	81 0 6	16 5 0
			£1830 7 9			£1868 8 5

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing Amount of Duties collected in TASMANIA during the Years 1898 and 1899.

ARTICLES.	1898.			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, gallons	14,188	..	10,642 15 6	15,601	..	11,704 9 2
Geneva, gallons	10,534	..	7902 8 2	11,155	..	8367 18 3
Gin, gallons	3330	..	2498 7 5	4191	..	3144 14 9
Whisky, gallons	30,156	..	22,618 11 5	35,726	..	26,801 3 10
Cordials, gallons	251	..	188 8 0	306	..	229 17 3
Rum, gallons	14,781	..	11,086 0 11	18,251	..	13,690 17 4
Perfumed, gallons	375	..	450 18 2	312	..	374 13 6
Wine, gallons	309	..	231 16 1	496	..	372 17 11
Methylated, gallons	1099	..	164 19 3	1389	..	208 8 11
Spirituous Compounds, gallons ..	379	..	281 16 8	697	..	523 12 6
Tobacco, lbs.	303,090	..	45,463 12 6	323,011	..	48,451 15 9
Ditto—Cigars, lbs.	15,515	..	5430 6 9	18,773	..	6570 14 6
Ditto—Cigarettes, lbs.	15,118	..	5291 6 0	19,159	..	6705 13 0
Ditto—Snuff, lbs.	282	..	84 12 0	459	..	159 18 0
Acid, Acetic, lbs.	39,539	..	329 9 10	2723	..	136 4 2
Acetic, in bulk .....	..	..	..	3688	..	245 18 6
Carbolic, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	142 9 0	14 6 10	..	..	..
Citric, lbs.	2376	..	39 12 0	3640	..	60 13 4
Muriatic, cwts.	53	..	6 14 3	58	..	7 7 1
Nitric, cwts.	40	..	5 1 6	44	..	5 12 10
Sulphuric, cwts.	1389	..	173 15 2	132	..	16 10 10
Tartaric, lbs.	9691	..	161 10 6	12,686	..	211 8 8
Almonds (shelled), lbs.	10,813	..	135 3 3	9829	..	122 17 7
Ditto (whole), lbs.	1458	..	12 3 0	1234	..	10 5 9
Alum, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	23 11 5	2 8 2	..	..	..
Arsenic, Crude, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	14 16 0	1 9 9	..	..	..
Ammunition, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1429 0 1	285 17 4	..	949 14 9	190 0 3
Anvils, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	197 8 7	19 17 9	..	..	..
Axle grease, <i>ad val.</i> .....	..	..	..	..	523 12 7	52 12 4
Arrowroot, lbs.	16,056	..	133 16 0	22,209	..	92 10 9
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	73,393	..	653 5 6	86,966	..	741 7 8
Beef & Mutton, lbs.	498,950	..	761 10 5	171,922	..	716 11 10
Ditto in Tins, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	8662 7 11	866 18 7	..	8572 8 0	858 12 7
Butter and Lard, lbs.	869,822	..	7248 10 5	644,519	..	5370 19 11
Biscuits, lbs.	16,600	..	138 6 8	13,262	..	110 10 4
Blue, lbs.	49,290	..	410 15 0	53,264	..	443 17 4
Basketware, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	159 4 4	31 18 5	..	326 14 4	65 8 11
Boots and Shoes, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	32,536 16 8	6509 2 5	..	41,665 9 2	8335 7 11
Bottles, empty, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2296 14 2	230 1 1	..	19 1 6	1 18 2
Bellows, Blacksmith's, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	284 13 6	28 11 7	..	..	..
Brushware, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2538 6 6	508 4 8	..	2654 5 11	531 14 3
Buckets & Tubs, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	274 6 7	55 6 8	..	466 17 3	93 10 9
Boilers, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1175 10 0	117 11 0	..	122 14 6	12 5 6
Boiler Tubes, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1146 12 5	114 15 7	..	..	..
Bolts and Nuts, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2594 1 3	260 8 6	..	3020 12 10	303 9 11
Bricks, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1050 4 9	210 1 9	..	509 10 3	101 18 5
Bags, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	624 6 2	124 18 11	..	453 10 9	90 15 3
Banners for Friendly Societies, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1 5 0	0 2 6	..	..	..
Cards, Playing, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	27 19 0	5 11 9	..	158 17 3	31 15 8
Carriages, 4 wheels, No.	7	..	84 0 0	..	1238 8 0	247 13 8
Carriages, 2 wheels, No.	2	..	12 0 0	..	380 4 0	76 0 9
Carriage Axles, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2190 12 3	438 8 7	..	4 8 0	0 17 8
Chaffcutters, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	813 11 3	81 8 7	..	..	..
Cattle, No.	1968	..	1586 5 0	406	..	812 0 0
Cutlery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2594 15 9	519 2 10	..	3513 15 9	702 18 3
Chicory, lbs.	11,582	..	1930 0 8	15,693	..	261 11 0
Cocoa and Chocolate, lbs.	91,164	..	1519 8 2	118,967	..	1982 15 10
Ditto, Unsweetened, lbs. ....	..	..	..	224	..	1 17 4
Coffee, raw, lbs.	26,570	..	332 4 10	40,361	..	336 6 11
Ditto, roasted, lbs.	34,131	..	568 17 2	41,286	..	688 2 1
Cocks, Steam, Range, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	398 14 2	39 18 8	..	..	..
Carpets and Rugs, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	8604 4 10	1721 4 9	..	6612 9 3	1322 17 3
Cheese, lbs.	130,637	..	1088 12 11	87,363	..	728 0 7
Confectionery, lbs.	248,446	..	2070 7 8	324,369	..	2703 1 6
Cornflour and Maizena, lbs.	87,972	..	366 11 0	80,607	..	335 17 3
Candles, lbs.	167,975	..	1399 15 10	177,035	..	1475 5 11
Corks & Cork, unmanufactured, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	1220 6 9	122 6 7	..	..	..
Coal, round, tons	17,832	..	3566 9 0	34,601	..	5200 0 8
Coals, small, tons	16,094	..	2504 3 6	18,041	..	1826 5 8
Coke, tons	12,098	..	604 18 2	950	..	47 10 0
Cement and Whiting, cwts.	48,517	..	1819 10 3	33,626	..	1261 3 6
Clocks and Watches, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	4611 15 11	922 16 11	..	5276 3 2	1055 14 7
Diving Dresses, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	5 4 6	0 10 6	..	..	..
Engine Fittings, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	3871 4 7	387 15 11	..	3035 8 11	394 7 8
Engine Packing, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	611 13 11	61 7 7	..	1107 3 2	111 1 0
Electric Light Material .....	..	..	..	..	684 16 2	68 10 3
Emery Cloth, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	103 3 0	10 7 11	..	..	..
Earthenware and Glassware, <i>ad valorem</i>	15,613 1 0	3124 14 5	..	15,789 4 10	3160 3 2
Fancy Goods, Toys, &c., <i>ad val.</i>	21,131 4 6	4229 15 0	..	23,344 11 8	4672 17 9

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	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Fabrics, Cotton, Woollen, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	326,006 1 1	65,213 18 7	..	378,831 2 8	75,778 15 8
Felt Sheathing, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	15 18 11	1 12 0	..	..	263 18 6
Fruit Trees, No.	23,657	..	197 2 10	31,671	..	1 5 0
Fencing Wire, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	6662 11 5	667 8 9	..	12 10 0	3277 5 4
Furniture, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	15,134 2 1	3027 19 2	..	16,378 18 0	2 0 6
Flour, Wheaten, lbs. ....	..	..	..	2025	..	1449 4 9
Fruit, Fresh, bushels	45,567	..	2278 7 4	28,984	..	7616 18 11
Ditto, Dried, lbs.	859,735	..	7164 9 6	914,033	..	94 19 1
Ditto, Candied, lbs.	14,195	..	177 8 10	7506	..	61 11 11
Ditto, loose, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	498 12 4	87 16 1	..	301 14 10	140 6 6
Fishing Tackle, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	663 11 7	132 15 8	..	101 6 3	0 8 1
Fish, Fresh, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	480 0 4	48 8 9	..	4 0 10	..
Flock, Cotton and Woollen, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	38 11 11	3 17 11	..	100 17 0	10 2 3
Forges, Portable, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	34 11 0	3 9 4	..	..	..
Galvanised Iron, tons	1803-15-3	..	3007 12 0	1343-6-3	..	2686 15 3
Grindery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2079 11 7	208 6 1	..	..	372 18 0
Glucose, cwts.	1191	..	357 9 0	1243	..	61 4 4
Glue, lbs.	15,603	..	65 0 3	14,692	..	679 16 5
Glass, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	3614 6 6	723 7 7	..	3396 7 8	82 3 9
Gunpowder, Sporting, lbs.	11,378	..	284 9 3	3287	..	64 7 6
Ditto, FFF, loose, lbs.	19,025	..	79 5 5	15,450	..	1242 14 8
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	230,350	..	959 15 10	298,256	..	2380 1 0
Ditto, Dynamite, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	18,606 0 2	1860 14 0	..	23,799 4 8	51 13 2
Grain—Barley, lbs.	1,655,865	..	1242 0 6	68,860	..	..
Barley, Pearl and Scotch, lbs.	23,253	..	48 8 11	9662	..	20 2 7
Maize, lbs.	67,472	..	50 17 0	10,891	..	8 6 0
Oats, lbs.	5253	..	3 19 11	..	..	..
Peas and Beans, lbs.	30,527	..	23 7 2	11,403	..	8 13 11
Peas, Split, lbs.	15,883	..	33 1 10	2002	..	4 3 5
Bran, Pollard, Sharps, lbs.	150	..	0 1 3	930	..	0 7 11
Wheat, lbs.	2134	..	1 12 9	1041	..	0 16 7
Ginger, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	18,296	..	152 9 5
Ditto, ground, lbs.	11,496	..	191 12 2	3026	..	50 8 8
Hops, lbs.	78,761	..	984 10 7	60,100	..	751 5 1
Honey, lbs.	11,408	..	95 1 4	26,028	..	217 7 1
Hardware, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	50,579 17 9	10,124 13 5	..	53,488 12 11	10,706 6 10
Horses, No.	42	..	84 0 0	159	..	318 0 0
Hatters' Material, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	35 9 10	3 11 6	..	..	..
Instruments, Scientific, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	678 14 3	135 14 0	..	569 6 6	114 1 5
Jewellery and Platedware, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	8091 18 1	1619 6 8	..	9562 10 1	1913 11 4
Lead—Pig and Scrap, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1051 0 11	105 2 10	..	16 0 6	1 12 1
Lead—Milled, Sheet, &c., cwts.	1833	..	228 6 8	1729	..	216 3 10
Liquorice, lbs.	2190	..	18 5 0	6427	..	53 11 2
Linseed and Linseed Meal, lbs.	36,671	..	152 16 0	24,670	..	102 15 10
Leather, Coloured Roan, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	105 13 11	11 0 3	..	..	..
Machinery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	104,831 2 2	10,483 17 9	..	51,878 13 4	5190 0 2
Ditto, Dairying, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	2877 5 10	287 19 2	..	..	..
Ditto, Agricultural, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	21,746 6 0	1088 17 6	..	53 18 0	2 14 0
Machines, Sewing, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	3384 3 1	338 15 0	..	4 6 0	0 8 8
Music, Printed, &c., <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1065 13 1	107 6 9	..	2 17 9	0 5 10
Musical Instruments, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	8033 13 3	1786 19 9	..	9494 11 6	1899 5 4
Matches, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2223 8 10	445 17 3	..	3299 0 11	659 19 0
Medicines and Drugs, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	19,633 10 8	3930 11 7	..	21,007 18 11	4205 0 3
Macaroni and Vermicelli, lbs.	7055	..	58 15 10	8963	..	74 13 10
Molasses, cwts.	4996	..	874 7 7	3337	..	584 1 6
Malt Liquor, in wood, gallons .	2384	..	119 4 0	1769	..	88 9 0
Ditto, in bottle, gallons	56,773	..	4258 0 3	67,976	..	5098 5 3
Mustard, lbs.	33,660	..	280 10 0	38,488	..	320 14 8
Marble, in rough block, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	166 18 3	16 17 1	..	..	..
Memorial windows, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Malt, bushels	3807	..	190 7 6	469	..	23 9 6
Nails, cwts.	9679	..	1210 8 2	9089	..	1136 11 1
Naphtha, gallons	122	..	3 1 0	86	..	2 3 0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	9308	..	77 11 4	7504	..	62 10 9
Nuts, Cocoa, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	127 9 2	25 13 8	..	144 19 6	29 4 7
Opium, lbs.	554	..	554 10 8	764	..	764 0 8
Oatmeal, lbs.	6184	..	12 17 8	9632	..	20 1 4
Onions, cwts.	2696	..	134 16 2	2050	..	102 10 10
Oils, various, gallons	55,158	..	3447 13 11	36,390	..	2274 9 7
Oils in bulk, gallons .....	..	..	..	41,572	..	1039 6 6
Oil, Kerosene, gallons	283,034	..	7075 17 0	305,596	..	7639 18 4
Oils, Medicinal, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	500 7 4	100 4 9	..	857 12 2	117 15 2
Oilmen's Stores, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	22,937 15 8	5792 3 10	..	35,270 0 8	7059 8 5
Paints, lbs.	498,743	..	1039 3 6	468,922	..	977 3 7
Preserves, Jams, lbs.	24,067	..	200 11 2	28,712	..	239 5 5
Potatoes, cwts.	378	..	9 9 1	692	..	17 6 11
Perry and Cider, in bottles, galls.	292	..	21 18 0	148	..	11 2 0
Pepper, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	37,297	..	155 8 1
Pepper, Black and White, ground, lbs.	31,163	..	259 14 0	11,669	..	99 14 11

ARTICLES.	1898			1899.		
	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.	Quantity.	Value for <i>ad valorem</i> .	Duty.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Pickles, quarts, dozen	99	..	14 17 0	96	..	14 9 0
Ditto, pints, dozen	5130	..	513 1 0	5854	..	585 8 0
Ditto, half-pints, dozen	152	..	10 2 8	128	..	8 10 8
Paper, Printing, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	9350 18 3	468 8 0	..	5628 16 2	282 3 0
Ditto, 7½ per cent., <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	..	..	..	6783 19 1	509 18 7
Ditto, Wrapping, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	8753 19 5	1751 18 11	..	6748 14 0	1350 11 0
Pipes, Iron, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	8110 15 6	811 14 5	..	10,116 9 9	1012 11 7
Plants, Trees, and Shrubs, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	600 19 10	60 12 0	..	397 15 1	40 0 1
Pigs, No.	154	..	19 5 0	1774	..	221 15 0
Pork, Fresh, lbs.	344	..	2 17 4	1724	..	14 7 4
Plumbago .....	..	..	..	..	0 15 0	0 3 0
Quicksilver, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	336 18 8	33 14 3	..	..	..
Rice, lbs.	981,559	..	4089 16 7	1,112,391	..	4634 19 5
Railway Material, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	47,923 7 9	4792 12 1	..	43,700 17 8	4370 7 3
Sash Weights, cwts.	596	..	44 15 1	..	..	..
Stationery, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	14,753 12 1	2953 8 2	..	14,995 16 8	3002 7 7
Saddlery and Leatherware, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	5917 8 5	1184 1 2	..	7188 6 0	1438 7 11
Saddlers' Materials, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	654 15 7	65 12 3	..	..	..
Shot, lbs.	3048	..	12 14 0	1260	..	5 5 0
Ships' Boats, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	569 5 9	113 17 11	..	537 16 0	107 15 6
Slates, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	597 3 0	119 8 10	..	135 15 0	27 3 0
Soda, Carbonate of, lbs.	93,515	..	389 12 11	139,784	..	582 8 8
Ditto, Crystals, lbs.	974	..	2 0 7	1219	..	2 10 10
Sheep Dip, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	492 10 11	98 10 9	..	2 2 0	0 8 5
Sago, lbs.	90,431	..	753 11 10	110,592	..	400 15 11
Sugar, raw, cwts.	140,512	..	42,153 13 6	153,671	..	46,101 9 6
Ditto, refined, lbs.	33,715	..	140 9 7	45,390	..	188 17 6
Salt, cwts.	21,318	..	1598 18 4	29,359	..	2201 19 9
Sauces, quarts, dozen	99	..	19 18 4	77	..	15 10 0
Ditto, pints, dozen	242	..	36 6 0	192	..	28 16 0
Ditto, half-pints, dozen	2381	..	238 2 0	2606	..	260 13 0
Ditto, quarter-pints, dozen ..	866	..	64 19 9	589	..	44 3 6
Ditto, in bulk, gallons	67	..	10 1 0	..	..	..
Spices, whole, lbs. ....	..	..	..	13,714	..	114 5 9
Spices, ground, lbs.	15,622	..	260 7 5	3700	..	61 13 5
Soap, common, lbs.	132,290	..	551 4 2	151,559	..	631 9 11
Ditto, Perfumed, lbs.	43,073	..	538 8 10	52,397	..	654 19 9
Seeds, Canary, Hemp, and Rape, lbs.	127,056	..	264 16 0	127,186	..	265 1 0
Ditto, Garden, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1106 16 9	111 3 7	..	..	..
Ditto, Grass, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	4356 7 9	871 10 8	..	149 18 1	29 17 5
Starch, lbs.	238,899	..	995 8 3	202,527	..	843 18 1
Sheep, No.	71,237	..	2880 17 5	36,859	..	3633 8 4
Spirits of Tar, gallons	5	..	0 2 6	5	..	0 2 6
Stearine, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	2432 13 8	243 7 0	..	..	..
Stone, in rough block, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	146 5 8	14 13 8	..	..	..
Spray Producers, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	415 2 3	41 10 10	..	..	..
Tools, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	17,948 10 2	1800 3 4	..	64 8 9	6 10 5
Timber, Architraves, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	1890 16 5	378 5 7	..	3092 9 3	618 14 5
Ditto Boards, &c., sup. ft. ..	1,139,027	..	2848 14 0	1,261,777	..	3156 5 9
sup. feet	1,210,549	..	908 14 9	619,547	..	465 18 2
Ditto ditto, under 3 in., s. ft. ..	66,825	..	86 19 6	82,183	..	103 2 6
Ditto for case-making, No.	3706	..	23 3 3	12,938	..	80 17 3
Ditto in log, <i>ad valorem</i> ..	..	500 14 3	59 1 10	..	4 0 0	0 8 0
Ditto, Baltic Deals, <i>ad val.</i> ..	..	1714 15 0	171 9 11	..	..	..
Turpentine, gallons	7189	..	359 9 6	4178	..	208 18 6
Twine, lbs.	42,075	..	175 6 3	39,057	..	162 14 9
Tea, lbs.	1,012,277	..	12,653 9 10	1,077,632	..	13,470 8 7
Tapioea, lbs.	50,597	..	421 12 10	95,675	..	398 12 11
Tobacco, unmanufactured, lbs. ..	1	..	0 3 6	..	..	..
Typewriter .....	..	..	..	..	1127 5 6	112 15 6
Vegetables, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	659 7 11	132 8 10	..	504 4 10	101 7 1
Vinegar, gallons	19,673	..	983 13 9	23,610	..	1180 10 9
Varnish, and Polish, gallons ..	3309	..	248 4 11	2949	..	221 5 8
Wool Packs, No.	27,686	..	461 8 8	..	..	..
Wines in wood, gallons	15,652	..	4695 15 0	17,279	..	5183 18 4
Ditto in bottle, gallons	1253	..	501 5 10	1008	..	403 12 4
Ditto, Sparkling, gallons ..	1200	..	600 5 10	1473	..	736 18 0
Works of Art, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	87 14 1	17 11 7	..	1 3 0	0 4 8
Unenumerated, <i>ad valorem</i> .....	..	31,240 0 11	6252 6 11	..	20,818 16 5	4168 2 0
			£410,976 14 10			£431,180 1 1

JAMES BARNARD, Secretary for Customs.

RETURN SHOWING QUANTITY AND VALUE OF GOODS
IMPORTED INTO TASMANIA DURING THE YEAR 1899.

RETURN showing Quantity and Value of Goods

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.							TOTAL.
	Hobart.	Laun- ceston.	Devon- port.	Ulver- stone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	
DESCRIPTION.								
<i>Class 1. Art and Mechanic Pro- ductions.</i>								
(Order 1.) Books, &c.								
Books, and Stationery	Ad val.							
Ditto, Printed pkgs.	688	725	49	14	40	12	111	1039
Bookbinding Material pkgs.	32	27	2			3	3	67
Boards, Mill, Straw, Paste, and Uncut Card pkgs.	81	100	2		1		8	192
Braille Type, &c., for the blind pkgs.	1							1
Cards, Playing ad val.								
Cartoons pkgs.	5							5
Magazines, Reviews, Pamphlets pkgs.	12	46			7			65
Music, Printed pkgs.	91	156	1				3	251
Newspapers pkgs.	305	623	15		10		290	1243
School Slates and Pencils pkgs.	88	76	2	5	4	1	2	178
Typewriters Ad val.								
(Order 2.) Musical Instruments.								
Bells (Church or Chapel) No.	2	1						3
Musical Instruments Ad val.								
Ditto, Harmoniums and Organs (Church or Chapel) No.	21	6						27
(Order 3.) Works of Art.								
Atlases, Charts, and Maps pkgs.	15	8			1			24
Fancy Goods, Toys, and Perfumery, Ad val.								
Paintings, Etchings, and Photo- graphs pkgs.	44	52	4		23	1	12	130
Works of Art (Public Institu- tions) pkgs.	6							6
Ditto Ad val.								
(Order 5.) Tackle for Sports and Games.								
Fishing Tackle Ad val.								
(Order 6.) Watches and Philoso- phical Instruments.								
Watches and Clocks Ad val.								
(Order 7.) Surgical Instruments,								
pkgs.	18	51	3	3	1			76
Artificial Limbs pkgs.	3		2					5
Scientific Instruments Ad val.								
(Order 8.) Arms and Ammunition.								
Cartridges, &c. Ad val.								
Dynamite, &c (lbs.) Ad val.	350	98,192	412		11,774		320,026	430,754
Gunpowder, Sporting lbs.	2125	1151			6		5	3237
Ditto, FFF, loose lbs.	7950	7500						15,450
Ditto, Blasting lbs.	8756	5000			75,000		209,500	298,256
Shot lbs.		1120	56		84			1200
(Order 9.) Machines, Tools, and Implements.								
Bag and Trunk Material pkgs.	1	13						14
Bolts, Nuts & Rivets—Iron (cwts.) Ad val.	376	1313	74	16	76	9	1010	2875
Boilers (No.) Ad val.		1				2	2	5
Boiler Plates, Steel or Iron cwts.	178	411					22	611
Brushware Ad val.								
Buckets and Tubs (No.) Ad val.	956	5450	311	175	381	118	840	8231
Cutlery Ad val.								
Engine Fittings Ad val.								
Engine Packing (cwts.) Ad val.	14	281			8		306	611
Electric Light Materials Ad val.								
Fencing Wire, Droppers, Standards, and Winders (cwts.) Ad val.	5024	5506	864	62	374	92	8	12,530
Fire Brigade Materials pkgs.	3	5						8
Grindery used exclusively in Boot- making pkgs.	298	360					2	660
Handles, Scythe and Axe doz.	1296	1394	66	46	153	24	304	3283
Hardware, Ironmongery, and Hol- loware Ad val.								
Lead—Milled, Sheet & Pipe cwts.	840	578			10	4	290	1729
Machinery and Engines (cwts.) Ad val.	5281	2927	678		159	113	14,360	22,919
Ditto, and Implements, Agri- cultural, Horticultural, and Dairying pkgs.	2044	3550	791	70	185	72		6712
Machines, Sewing and Knitting, No.	1461	121	30		7	6	24	1649
Mould Boards and Shares cwts.	115	302			1			418
Nails cwts.	3488	3726	269	66	153	87	1299	9089
Printing Material pkgs.	162	177	17		7		19	382
Porambulator wheels, &c. pkgs.	25	35		1			2	63
Rabbit Traps pkgs.	27	28	13					68
Tools of every description pkgs.	2451	2415	336	67	353	91	1547	7260
Wire—Iron, Tinned, and Coppered, cwts.	63	231	4		94		20	412
Wire Netting cwts.	2289	845	40	43	63	39	47	3366

imported into TASMANIA during the Year 1899.

VALUE.							
Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
7221 14 0	5826 0 11	400 5 5	109 18 5	246 19 7	1 13 9	1264 5 6	15,070 12 7
7134 0 0	6625 0 0	237 14 6	154 11 11	120 0 0	37 0 0	1288 0 0	15,596 6 5
196 0 0	97 0 0	16 19 9	..	..	10 0 0	3 0 0	322 19 9
147 0 0	235 0 0	1 12 6	..	1 0 0	..	16 0 0	400 12 6
5 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	5 0 0
110 4 0	48 13 3	..	..	..	..	..	158 17 3
65 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	65 0 0
52 0 0	165 0 0	..	..	10 0 0	..	..	227 0 0
333 0 0	426 17 9	15 0 0	..	..	..	11 0 0	785 17 9
871 0 0	1505 0 0	27 16 0	..	11 0 0	..	143 0 0	2557 16 0
66 0 0	69 0 0	2 2 0	4 14 9	5 0 0	1 0 0	2 0 0	149 16 9
879 14 0	199 2 6	4 0 0	..	23 17 0	..	20 10 0	1127 5 6
22 0 0	13 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	35 0 0
2882 16 0	5226 0 10	391 6 0	68 6 0	86 2 1	5 10 6	781 16 11	9441 18 4
36 0 0	126 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	162 0 0
69 0 0	35 0 0	..	..	1 0 0	..	..	105 0 0
9621 13 0	8304 19 2	947 10 3	221 12 1	654 15 8	173 0 10	3109 10 8	23,033 1 8
313 0 0	429 0 0	13 15 6	..	219 0 0	12 0 0	305 0 0	1291 15 6
289 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	..	289 0 0
..	1 3 0	..	..	..	..	..	1 3 0
378 18 0	311 18 0	..	6 1 2	4 9 1	..	..	701 6 3
1470 0 0	3228 19 11	212 1 8	1 10 0	21 3 9	4 17 6	294 6 10	5232 19 8
73 0 0	169 0 0	24 18 0	1 18 0	10 0 0	..	..	278 16 0
37 0 0	..	6 2 0	..	..	..	..	43 2 0
..	564 6 6	..	..	..	..	5 0 0	569 6 6
277 17 0	607 2 1	..	23 16 11	26 10 3	..	14 8 6	949 14 9
20 17 0	5409 4 11	8 15 1	..	619 18 5	..	17,740 9 3	23,799 4 8
300 0 0	248 6 0	..	..	1 0 0	..	2 0 0	551 6 0
302 0 0	326 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	628 0 0
155 0 0	109 0 0	..	..	1597 0 0	..	4013 0 0	5874 0 0
..	9 0 0	0 14 0	..	1 0 0	..	..	10 14 0
7 0 0	101 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	108 0 0
567 4 0	1183 18 11	92 0 3	29 10 9	104 1 10	11 5 10	1032 11 3	3020 12 10
185 0 0	6 15 0	..	..	..	62 16 6	53 3 0	122 14 6
827 1 0	339 0 0	..	..	..	..	40 0 0	564 0 0
35 12 0	1316 8 10	73 19 6	58 1 11	73 16 5	16 2 9	288 15 6	2654 5 11
2326 10 0	258 18 11	21 14 8	23 3 3	42 10 2	13 0 0	71 18 3	466 17 3
942 18 0	1038 11 11	28 1 7	46 14 0	20 0 6	..	40 8 9	3500 6 9
57 10 0	1769 2 6	277 17 9	..	16 16 4	1 10 0	927 4 4	3935 8 11
..	576 0 4	0 12 1	2 13 10	13 6 9	..	457 0 2	1107 3 2
..	608 11 8	..	..	..	..	76 4 6	684 16 2
3092 0 0	2416 0 0	562 11 6	41 6 1	218 0 0	54 0 0	6 0 0	6389 17 7
34 0 0	89 0 0	..	..	..	..	..	123 0 0
1614 0 0	1535 0 0	..	..	..	..	12 0 0	3161 0 0
307 0 0	299 0 0	20 15 8	17 2 3	29 0 0	9 0 0	67 0 0	748 17 11
20,032 2 0	21,651 11 4	2388 1 9	350 16 3	2126 1 1	614 19 3	6468 4 4	53,631 16 0
682 0 0	523 0 0	..	..	11 0 0	5 0 0	284 0 0	1505 0 0
13,031 9 0	8463 11 9	1709 18 10	..	515 6 2	193 10 8	28,234 16 11	52,148 13 4
9570 0 0	17,137 0 0	3911 1 6	278 8 7	489 18 0	442 16 1	..	31,829 4 2
6989 0 0	676 0 0	140 2 6	..	25 0 0	8 5 0	81 0 0	7919 7 6
114 0 0	293 0 0	..	..	2 0 0	..	..	409 0 0
2181 0 0	2379 5 3	249 14 11	59 15 4	111 0 0	66 0 0	1021 0 0	6007 15 6
673 0 0	802 0 0	80 14 10	..	15 0 0	..	93 0 0	1663 14 10
151 0 0	168 0 0	..	6 15 0	..	..	3 0 0	328 15 0
284 0 0	338 0 0	50 6 7	..	..	..	..	672 6 7
7542 0 0	6853 14 5	845 2 0	206 4 5	950 0 0	202 0 3	4295 19 6	20,895 0 7
67 0 0	195 0 0	3 10 2	..	49 0 0	..	56 0 0	370 10 2
2355 0 0	1004 0 0	47 14 1	35 9 3	65 0 0	36 0 0	53 0 0	3596 3 4

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.							TOTAL.
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverston.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	
(Order 10.) Carriages, Harness, &c. Carriages, 4 wheels..... No.	21	10	4	..	3	2	..	40
Carriages, 2 wheels (No.).. <i>Ad val.</i>	2	11	6	..	6	..	1	26
Carriage Axles, Arms, Boxes, Shafts, Spokes, Naves, Felloes, Poles, &c., pkgs.	600	2408	162	96	533	116	162	4077
Saddlery & Leatherware... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Saddlers' Materials; viz—Hog Skins and Patent Winker Leather and Saddle Trees, &c. pkgs.	16	113	3	..	3	6	11	152
(Order 11.) Ships, Boats, and matters connected therewith... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nails (Yellow Metal, Copper)... cwts.	29	24	1	..	..	..	3	60
(Order 12.) Building Material.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bricks (No.)..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	24,553	700	4960	200	11,500	80,910	122,823
Felt Sheathing..... pkgs.	1	8	2	..	..	..	6	17
Slates (No.)..... <i>Ad val.</i>	8500	7500	..	..	..	..	..	16,000
Timber, Architraves, Doors, Mouldings, and Skirting..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(Order 13.) Furniture.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cabinetmakers' and Upholsterers' Materials..... pkgs.	53	88	14	..	..	..	3	158
Furniture..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(Order 14.) Chemicals, &c.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Antitoxin..... pkgs.	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5
Acid, Acetic (in bulk)..... galls.	1010	4145	69	..	..	..	..	5224
Acid, Ascetic, under 6 per cent. galls.	937	1563	228	..	13	..	115	2858
Acid, Carbolic..... lbs.	2234	3045	50	3	56	..	114	5502
Acid, Citric..... lbs.	1582	1533	54	..	302	..	169	3640
Acid, Muriatic..... cwts.	27	12	..	..	1	1	14	58
Acid, Nitric..... cwts.	1	14	..	..	..	..	28	44
Acid, Sulphuric..... cwts.	7	11	90	..	6	½	15	132
Acid, Sulphuric, for Manure and Mining purposes..... cwts.	346	3689	13	..	30	..	122	4200
Acid, Tartaric..... lbs.	3696	6609	441	126	95	56	1047	12,070
Alum..... cwts.	25	20	2	..	1	..	..	48
Arsenic, Crude (lbs.)..... <i>Ad val.</i>	1120	560	..	..	..	..	..	1680
Blue, Ultramarine..... pkgs.	1	6	..	..	..	..	2	9
Bluestone and Copperas..... cwts.	143	95	51	7	10	1	..	307
Borax..... cwts.	35	128	3	..	½	..	17	184
Dye Woods & Dye Stuffs for manufacturing..... pkgs.	189	76	8	..	..	..	..	273
Ink, Printing..... lbs.	8448	5282	..	..	214	..	2099	16,043
Isinglass, Brewers'..... pkgs.	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
Lampblack..... lbs.	224	112	..	112	72	..	..	520
Lime, Carbolate..... lbs.	..	400	..	..	..	..	..	400
Lime, Chloride..... lbs.	392	63,368	..	..	..	..	..	63,760
Logwood..... pkgs.	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	12
Manure..... tons	2771	4122	1232	123	285	172	..	8705
Matches (gross)..... <i>Ad val.</i>	22,298	19,353	556	36	673	47	2414	45,377
Medicines and Drugs..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Naphtha..... galls.	6	130	..	..	..	..	..	136
Opium..... lbs.	17	803	..	..	..	..	3½	821
Paints..... lbs.	178,078	191,383	20,228	4217	17,439	3898	53,481	468,724
Paris Green, Dry..... pkgs.	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5
Phosphorus..... cwts.	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Potash and Pearlash..... cwts.	4	18	5	..	..	..	..	27
Potassium, Cyanide of..... lbs.	56	73,191	..	..	..	..	56	73,303
Quicksilver..... lbs.	153	2775	..	..	..	..	..	2928
Soda, Carbonate of..... lbs.	48,958	83,416	4928	784	3045	224	8285	149,640
Soda, Crystals..... lbs.	124	49	..	..	208	..	838	1219
Spirits, Methylated..... galls.	533	664	33	..	8	..	105	1343
Spirituous Compounds..... galls.	271	344	7	4	10	½	26	665
Spirits of Tar..... galls.	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	5
Sheep Dip..... pkgs.	566	745	4	1	2	..	..	1318
Soda Ash..... lbs.	57,651	125,342	30,176	..	..	..	..	219,169
Soda, Caustic..... lbs.	63,532	76,876	19,273	56	..	..	5490	163,227
Soda, Silicate..... lbs.	50,848	124,232	14,010	..	28	..	..	189,168
Solder and Soldering Fluid... pkgs.	8	..	3	1	1	1	3	17
Sulphur..... pkgs.	89	74	3	..	3	..	1	170
Toxa..... lbs.	112	112	..	..	..	..	..	224
Turpentine..... galls.	1470	2093	40	17	157	28	352	4158
Vegetable Black..... lbs.	224	392	..	..	..	..	36	652
<i>Class II. Textile Fabrics and Dress.</i>								
(Orders 15, 16, 17, 18, 19.) Wool, Worsted, Silk, Cotton, Flax Manufactures, and Dress.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Banners for Friendly Societies. pkgs.	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	3
Boots and Shoes (pairs)..... <i>Ad val.</i>	103,000	127,161	2685	48	1586	251	8463	243,144
Carpets and Rugs..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cotton, Raw, Waste, Wick, and Candle..... lbs.	10,108	23,639	648	..	1792	76	16,692	52,955
Cloth, Hair, for Hopkilns.... pkgs.	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	5
Diving Dresses..... pkgs.	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Fabrics, Textile and Dress... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Flock, Cotton and Woollen. <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hatters' Material..... pkgs.	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	8
Yarns, Worsted..... pkgs.	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	7

VALUE.

Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
663 18 0	388 10 0	115 0 0	..	42 0 0	29 0 0	..	1288 8 0
44 18 0	171 7 6	66 12 6	..	71 16 0	..	5 10 0	360 4 0
719 0 0	1311 0 0	178 13 3	15 8 8	174 0 0	48 0 0	66 0 0	2512 1 11
2472 10 0	3935 13 1	174 8 10	10 2 3	123 4 9	70 8 8	427 19 2	7214 6 9
107 0 0	1160 0 0	4 0 0	..	13 0 0	3 3 9	40 0 0	1327 3 9
454 19 0	70 4 0	19 2 0	544 5 0
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85 0 0	11 0 0	96 0 0

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.							
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
(Order 20.) Manufactures of Fibrous Material.								
Bags (No.) <i>Ad val.</i>	5000	131,570	50	..	1350	..	50	138,020
Bags—Corn, Flour, Gunny, Ore, Bran No.	289,932	666,740	830,595	87,500	109,121	93,760	383,670	2,401,318
Bagging Jute for making Bags pkgs.	..	38	10	..	..	..	..	48
Canvas, Navy and Tarpaulin, pkgs.	77	47	10	..	..	3	6	143
Coir, Yarn & unmanufactured cwts.	13	17	..	..	..	..	..	30
Harvest-yarn, Rope-yarn, Binding-wire cwts.	598	1268	39	62	18	..	..	1019
Rope, Cordage, Wire-rope . . . cwts.	1048	1072	81	17	59	46	727	3051
Twine of all kinds, Whip-cord, and other Cords lbs.	13,382	23,593	545	21	198	60	1331	39,130
Twine for Reapers and Binders and Sewing Twine lbs.	37,690	125,564	70,410	224	9490	385	3983	247,746
Woolpacks No.	19,850	18,753	300	..	100	..	..	39,003
Class III. Food and Drinks.								
(Order 21.) Animal Food.								
Bacon and Hams lbs.	56,142	409	221	..	4533	..	20,950	88,256
Beef and Mutton, except in tins lbs.	18,145	2082	1000	..	188	881	149,686	171,982
Beef or Mutton in tins . . . <i>Ad val.</i>	248,103	189,848	7206	186	4978	954	32,646	483,981
Butter lbs.	318,847	129,554	7098	..	5128	2258	179,189	642,074
Cheese lbs.	74,478	4993	4621	591	648	36	5250	90,617
Fish, Fresh pkgs.	923	97	..	..	2	..	13	1035
Lard lbs.	7103	7970	240	32	616	..	2705	18,666
Pork lbs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	1724	1724
Rennet pkgs.	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	15
(Order 22.) Vegetable Food.								
Almonds, Whole lbs.	315	451	156	..	60	..	252	1234
Almonds, Shelled lbs.	4500	4713	275	49	83	..	210	9890
Arrowroot lbs.	10,055	7642	1068	140	312	..	292	20,109
Biscuits lbs.	5852	2037	330	..	1044	2112	1886	13,262
Confectionery lbs.	86,792	156,614	17,382	2939	11,094	2638	43,837	321,296
Corn Flour and Maizena lbs.	33,814	40,954	2364	640	1467	100	1600	80,999
Flour, Wheaten lbs.	..	..	25	..	..	2000	..	2025
Fruit, Candied, Bottled, and Canned lbs.	1807	3527	326	203	777	320	576	7596
Fruit, Dried lbs.	302,397	389,393	47,437	8171	26,835	4864	42,484	881,582
Fruit, Fresh bush.	9782	11,631	1418	..	1552	319	4281	28,984
Fruit, loose (bush.) <i>Ad val.</i>	125	673	..	..	..	..	..	798
Fruit, Produce of New South Wales bush.	13,254	5771	417	..	556	..	674	20,673
Grain—Barley lbs.	68,800	..	..	..	..	..	..	68,800
Barley (Pearl or Scotch) lbs.	7422	516	28	56	280	..	1360	9662
Bran, Pollard, & Sharps lbs.	..	..	..	..	..	..	930	930
Maize lbs.	4234	5633	..	..	..	..	1024	10,891
Peas and Beans lbs.	9203	1100	..	..	28	550	522	11,403
Peas, Split lbs.	..	56	..	..	154	..	1792	2002
Rice lbs.	366,476	610,988	54,198	11,566	24,531	5152	42,247	1,115,158
Wheat lbs.	1041	..	..	..	..	..	..	1041
Honey lbs.	17,831	112	4068	..	758	..	3223	26,592
Liquorice lbs.	817	5161	196	..	56	..	168	6399
Linseed and Linseed Meal . . . lbs.	15,733	6275	280	..	351	196	594	23,429
Macaroni and Vermicelli . . . lbs.	4980	3311	108	..	124	12	552	9147
Molasses cwts.	1378	1601	125	50	19	9	154	3387
Molasses, raw cwts.	..	62	153	..	6	3	..	224
Nuts, Cocoa <i>ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Nuts and Walnuts lbs.	1602	3812	11	84	704	..	1291	7504
Oatmeal lbs.	5280	3176	432	..	224	..	520	9632
Oil Cake and Coconut Cake . . lbs.	170,240	125,664	120,960	..	38,080	..	..	454,944
Onions cwts.	334	202	49	..	179	16	1269	2050
Potatoes cwts.	34	443	16	..	100	..	98	692
Preservitas, &c pkgs.	41	84	4	3	28	5	1	166
Preserves, Jams, and Jellies . . lbs.	17,378	8914	645	190	942	145	824	29,039
Peel, preserved in brine pkgs.	5	45	..	..	..	..	..	50
Sugo lbs.	63,168	27,058	3205	2130	4659	254	7424	112,898
Sugar cwts.	76,172	50,746	10,325	2695	2997	811	9931	153,678
Sugar, Leaf and Crushed . . . lbs.	19,164	21,988	1608	63	309	14	2184	45,330
Tapioca lbs.	31,234	41,938	2166	464	1153	137	3178	80,270
Vegetables <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
(Order 23.) Drinks and Stimulants.								
Chicory lbs.	12,390	3010	..	..	39	..	324	15,693
Cocoa and Chocolate lbs.	53,497	61,586	1132	68	2073	200	1039	119,596
Ditto, unsweetened lbs.	..	224	..	..	..	..	..	224
Coffee, raw lbs.	25,007	8679	..	..	..	..	..	34,286
Ditto, roasted lbs.	15,565	13,281	2473	192	2864	427	5433	40,236
Ginger, Whole lbs.	11,827	2172	652	56	137	66	429	15,339
Ditto, Ground lbs.	1113	1107	92	154	257	14	289	3026
Hops lbs.	40,119	21,871	727	30	359	45	30	63,182
Malt bush.	132	335	..	2	..	..	..	469
Malt Liquor, in wood galls.	1397	..	..	..	..	..	372	1769
Ditto, in bottle galls.	34,844	20,626	598	..	1000	56	4605	61,729
Mustard lbs.	19,311	16,185	1221	300	873	180	2106	40,176
Perry and Cider, in bottle . . . galls.	..	140	..	..	..	8	..	148
Pepper, Whole lbs.	29,761	5494	58	14	42	14	85	35,408
Ditto, Ground lbs.	3644	4411	1419	291	945	91	1107	11,989
Pickles, doz qts.	..	53	25	..	..	..	18	96
Ditto pints	3052	1986	182	66	192	18	319	5815
Ditto half-pints	16	86	11	..	15	..	..	128

VALUE.

Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
47 4 0	392 17 2	1 0 10	..	10 18 9	..	1 10 0	453 10 9
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1042 0 0	680 0 0	133 0 3	17 0 0	23 0 0	1895 0 3
16 0 0	11 0 0	27 0 0
1026 0 0	1595 0 0	59 0 8	111 13 11	33 0 0	2824 14 7
2257 0 0	2045 0 0	156 13 5	35 2 2	117 0 0	43 9 0	1514 0 0	6168 4 7
414 0 0	745 0 0	19 15 0	1 19 0	10 9 0	1 10 0	56 0 0	1248 13 0
935 0 0	2381 0 0	2079 14 7	9 7 6	172 0 0	11 6 6	99 0 0	5687 8 7
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1602 0 0	15 0 0	7 14 4	..	112 0 0	..	863 0 0	2599 14 4
183 0 0	25 0 0	9 0 0	..	3 0 0	8 0 0	1445 0 0	1673 0 0
4549 12 0	3254 1 10	227 16 5	2 19 9	118 16 0	25 15 9	479 18 3	8659 0 0
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142 0 0	146 0 0	7 4 2	1 0 10	15 0 0	..	59 0 0	370 5 0
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..	40 0 0
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243 0 0	241 10 0	18 6 10	3 14 3	9 0 0	..	8 0 0	523 11 1
125 0 0	83 4 0	14 2 11	2 6 8	5 0 0	..	6 0 0	235 13 7
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4499 0 0	2506 0 0	148 14 0	..	195 0 0	..	273 0 0	7621 14 0
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127 0 0	30 0 0	157 0 0
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168 0 0	208 0 0	69 2 0	15 4 1	53 0 0	6 0 0	63 0 0	592 6 1
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668 0 0	396 2 6	50 5 0	18 2 10	70 0 0	6 0 0	85 0 0	1293 10 4
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ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.							
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
Salt, in bulk..... cwts.	11,620	13,176	1714	1166	1026	430	328	29,462
Salt, Rock..... cwts.	200	901	61	..	..	..	..	1162
Sauces, doz..... quarts	4	69	..	..	..	..	4	77
Ditto..... pints	44	15	5	..	20	7	74	165
Ditto..... half-pints	1553	780	30	..	77	..	208	2648
Ditto..... quarter-pints	318	201	18	..	1	..	87	625
Spices, Whole..... lbs.	7525	4209	451	86	219	42	364	12,896
Ditto, Ground..... lbs.	1240	1387	263	47	331	75	329	3672
Snuff..... lbs.	261	120	..	..	..	..	..	381
Spirits—Brandy..... galls.	6268	7510	396	..	184	16	632	15,007
Liqueurs, &c..... galls.	240	103	..	..	2	2	8	356
Geneva..... galls.	2271	3729	174	..	126	33	169	6503
Gin..... galls.	2712	977	85	..	97	12	165	4050
Whisky..... galls.	14,719	16,037	603	..	590	159	2375	34,485
Rum..... galls.	9419	6764	173	..	71	..	407	16,836
Perfumed..... galls.	96	191	6	..	4	..	12	312
Wine..... galls.	171	188	..	..	20	..	87	466
Tea..... lbs.	478,768	383,951	94,164	7461	42,572	9720	54,847	1,071,483
Tobacco..... lbs.	137,368	118,361	20,410	390	1438	729	17,116	295,814
Tobacco—Cigars..... lbs.	9953	6393	985	..	101	..	1247	18,681
Tobacco—Cigarettes..... lbs.	11,494	8532	334	..	..	..	295	20,656
Vinegar..... galls.	15,212	7522	578	304	555	27	402	24,601
Wines, in wood..... galls.	8907	7278	56	44	86	30	1194	17,656
Ditto, in bottle..... galls.	417	276	66	2	34	16	165	977
Ditto, Sparkling..... galls.	1262	371	4	..	..	2	20	1660
<i>Class IV.—Animal and Vegetable Substances.</i>								
<i>(Order 24.) Animal Substances.</i>								
Axle Grease, &c..... cwts.	16	456	2	2	15	1	145	639
Bones..... tons	70	..	..	..	..	..	..	70
Candles..... lbs.	26,345	86,673	7123	475	375	10	43,663	164,664
Glue..... lbs.	6789	6768	438	47	184	12	514	14,692
Glucose..... cwts.	1090	140	..	..	..	..	1	1231
Hair, unmanufactured..... cwts.	12	55	1	..	..	..	38	107
Hides and Skins, raw..... cwts.	3625	384	..	..	..	..	..	4009
Ivory Black..... cwts.	..	85	92	..	..	..	..	177
Leather, Levants, &c..... pkgs.	92	133	..	..	..	..	..	225
Soap, at 1d..... lbs.	77,152	61,795	2854	128	3943	1456	6180	153,514
Ditto, Perfumed..... lbs.	25,188	23,239	847	12	406	185	1834	51,713
Stearine..... lbs.	47,040	189,892	..	..	..	..	..	236,932
Suet, Tallow, and Grease..... cwts.	38	109	1	..	..	..	11	159
Wool, unmanufactured..... lbs.	51,332	..	..	..	..	..	..	51,332
<i>(Order 25.) Vegetable Substances</i>								
Basket and Wickerware..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Brushmakers' Materials..... pkgs.	343	44	..	..	..	..	..	387
Basketmakers' Materials..... pkgs.	72	6	..	..	..	..	..	78
Bine..... lbs.	21,388	25,880	3506	586	1356	216	1700	54,632
Cane & Bamboo, unmanufactured cwts.	87	32	2	..	..	1	..	122
Corks & Cork, unmanufactured. pkgs.	135	96	11	3	4	3	24	276
Flax, unmanufactured..... cwts.	20	52	..	..	..	..	11	83
Hemp & Jute, unmanufactured. cwts.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kapock..... pkgs.	240	287	25	4	197	4	78	835
Oakum and Junk..... lbs.	7392	1232	3584	..	..	..	784	12,992
Pitch, Tar, and Resin..... cwts.	1566	1793	383	6	..	3	42	3794
Paraffin and Mineral Wax..... lbs.	268,800	456,875	..	..	..	..	..	725,675
Paper, 5 per cent..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Paper, 7½ per cent..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Paper, 20 per cent..... <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Plumbago..... pkgs.	21	18	..	1	..	..	..	40
Paper for Fruit-wrapping..... pkgs.	239	..	..	..	2	..	..	241
Paper for Butter-wrapping..... pkgs.	74	27	1	..	8	3	..	113
Seeds, Canary, Hemp, & Rape lbs.	57,253	57,683	4497	860	2535	284	1096	124,808
Seeds, 20 per cent. (lbs.)..... <i>Ad val.</i>	235	668	74	..	43	35	..	1053
Seeds, Agricultural, &c..... lbs.	106,825	98,372	13,365	..	4306	18,376	1035	244,369
Sumac..... cwts.	171	1	..	..	..	..	..	172
Starch..... lbs.	94,901	74,661	8794	1936	5787	737	10,974	197,790
Starch and Glue, Confectioners' pgs.	40	26	..	..	..	..	..	66
Tannin and Tannin Extracts. pkgs.	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	7
Timber—Boards, &c..... sup. ft.	316,077	550,305	12,041	..	5781	23,565	352,008	1,261,777
Sawn, 3 in. thick or over. sup. ft.	421,291	170,225	2889	..	8660	2487	13,695	619,547
Under 3 in. thick..... sup. ft.	7477	40,644	985	..	955	2975	29,147	82,183
In Log..... sup. ft.	100,701	282,371	..	..	99,235	..	..	482,307
Baltic Deals, 3-in. & over sup. ft.	211,939	842,162	..	..	369	8805	2411	1,065,686
Ash, Hickory, &c..... sup. ft.	181,073	576	..	..	..	..	..	181,649
For case-making..... No.	300	6262	2500	..	3000	876	..	12,938
Valonia..... cwts.	237	11	..	..	..	..	..	248
Varnish and Polish..... galls.	906	1629	109	14	69	12	208	2940
Wax, Bottling..... pkgs.	16	2	..	..	..	..	..	18
<i>(Order 26.) Oils.</i>								
Oils, in bulk, 6d..... galls.	8520	17,742	1621	112	1127	16	12,065	41,204
Ditto, ditto, not otherwise enumerated ls. 3d..... galls.	12,982	15,759	1286	243	1588	374	4017	36,251
Oil, Kerosene..... galls.	89,612	77,430	20,744	7160	14,692	4740	66,856	281,234
Oils, Medicinal and Perfumed <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oils, Coconut and Palm (unrefined)..... galls.	1075	3249	2222	..	..	..	..	6546
Oil, Batching..... galls.	1000	1778	..	..	..	..	..	2778
Oil, Cod or Sod..... galls.	4263	997	180	..	..	..	..	5440
Oil, Refuse Shale for Brick-making..... galls.	501	1091	42	..	192	..	1465	3291

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.							TOTAL.
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	
Oils, from Whale Fisheries .. galls.	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	96
Oil, for Manufacture of Leather galls.	122	175	..	..	..	..	..	297
Kerosene, Slush..... galls.	..	126	168	..	..	..	..	294
<i>Class V.—Minerals and Metals.</i>								
(Orders 27 and 28.) Mining Materials, various.								
Coal, Round	13,118	5384	7061	..	1133	12	7892	34,601
Coal, Small	7038	7360	3061	..	62	30	489	18,041
Coke	1286	2382	15,980	..	$\frac{1}{2}$	2	2221	21,872
(Order 29.) Stone, Clay, Earthenware, and Glassware.								
Bottles	53,737	25,696	1022	78	1183	576	5553	88,445
Clay, Fire & Pipe (lumps, unmanufactured).....	..	1	..	..	..	..	216	217
Cement and Whiting.....	10,467	14,047	263	$\frac{1}{4}$	801	148	7896	33,623
Chalk, in lump .....	..	125	..	$\frac{1}{4}$	..	..	..	125
Earthenware and Glassware <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glass .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jars for Fruit Preserving.....	..	1616	151	131	78	36	157	2133
Marble, in rough block .....	..	1074	114	..	..	..	..	1188
Memorial Windows, Church and Chapel.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Pottery Materials .....	..	220	..	..	..	..	45	265
Sand, Moulding	8	4	..	..	..	..	..	12
Stone, in rough block	30	495	40	..	..	..	30	595
Stones, Mill, Grind, &c. ....	..	14	..	12	..	..	6	32
(Order 30.) Water.								
Ice.....	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2
(Order 31.) Gold, Silver, Specie, and Precious Stones.								
Coin, Silver	11	15	..	..	..	..	6	32
Coin, Gold .....	..	9	..	..	..	..	5	14
Coin, Copper.....	4	10	..	..	..	..	..	14
Jewellery, Platedware .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Silver in Bar, Ingot, or Sheet..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	14
(Order 32.) Metals other than Gold and Silver.								
Antimony in Ingots.....	9	..	..	..	..	..	$\frac{1}{4}$	9
Ingots, Sheets, or Plates of Copper, Brass, Bronze, or Zinc.....	104	213	39	..	2	$\frac{3}{4}$	41	401
Iron—Rod, Bar, Hoop, Sheet, Plate, Pig, &c.	603	1178	36	26	25	24	360	2254
Iron, Galvanized and Corrugated ..	440	452	5	5	37	14	988	1343
Ditto, in plain sheets	161	127	..	$\frac{1}{4}$	2	2	63	356
Lead—Pig, Ore, Scrap	1200	15	..	..	..	..	33	1248
Ores of all kinds of Metal.....	2	1491	..	..	47	..	11	1551
Pipes, Iron, not made of Galvanized Iron (plain sheeting) tons <i>Ad val.</i>	156	202	8	$\frac{1}{4}$	42	$\frac{1}{4}$	267	677
Railway & Tramway Material, tons. „	81	97	..	..	93	2	3186	3460
Steel (unmanufactured).....	858	3744	131	..	35	..	3169	7937
Tin (unmanufactured) .....	..	..	$\frac{1}{4}$	..	..	..	13	13
Tin Plates (unmanufactured).....	11,948	551	..	..	1	2	12	12,514
Tin foil	207	344	1582	..	28	..	..	2151
Muntz and Babbit Metal	30	60	1	..	2	2	7	102
<i>Class VI.—Live Animals and Plants.</i>								
(Order 33.) Live Stock.								
Animals, Live, not enumerated.. No.	135	85	46	..	11	13	42	332
Bulbs	19	18	..	..	..	1	1	39
Cattle	406	..	..	..	..	..	..	406
Horses	92	48	8	..	4	2	5	159
Pigs	84	1122	121	..	178	60	209	1774
Sheep	8131	7165	7566	..	948	..	13,049	36,850
Stock for Stud purposes.....	3	17	8	..	..	..	..	28
Plants, Trees, and Shrubs.. <i>Ad val.</i>	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fruit Trees	22,499	9149	20	..	3	..	..	31,671
Seedling Stock, &c. ....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
<i>Class VII.—Miscellaneous Matter.</i>								
(Order 35.) Miscellaneous Articles of Trade.								
Emery Cloth, Powder, Paper, and Sandpaper	8	32	4	1	3	..	8	56
Umbrella-makers' Materials. pkgs.	6	7	..	..	..	..	2	15
(Order 36.) Indefinite Articles.								
Apiary Appliances	7	23	1	..	2	..	..	33
Eggs imported for Improvement in Poultry-breeding	19	8	2	..	6	..	1	36
Government Goods	21,900	5217	..	..	4	..	574	27,695
Goods for Maintenance of Light-houses.....	1738	..	..	..	..	..	14	1752
Goods for Eastern Extension Cable Company .....	..	17	..	..	..	..	..	17
Goods for the Boys' Brigades pkgs.	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Oilmen's Stores .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Specimens of Natural History. pkgs.	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Undefined .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sacred Vessels.....	2	..	..	..	..	19	..	15

VALUE.

Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. n.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9 0 0							9 0 0
15 0 0	25 0 0						40 0 0
	5 0 0	9 0 0					14 0 0
5178 0 0	2223 0 0	3513 0 0		454 0 0	14 0 0	3226 0 0	14,608 0 0
1363 0 0	1597 0 0	784 19 6		12 0 0	26 15 0	160 0 0	3943 14 6
1701 0 0	2767 0 0	15,952 9 0		1 0 0	2 0 0	3558 0 0	23,981 9 0
3383 0 0	1651 0 0	137 13 11	5 11 2	162 0 0	39 0 0	539 1 6	5917 6 7
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5985 2 0	6162 15 2	736 13 11	239 8 1	466 17 8	180 18 10	2156 2 8	15,927 18 4
916 0 0	1609 11 8	187 0 5	20 11 2	128 11 3	16 0 10	529 6 3	3407 1 7
	184 0 0	49 1 6	21 3 3	16 0 0	4 0 0	14 0 0	288 4 9
	181 0 0	17 6 9					198 6 9
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	83 0 0					55 0 0	138 0 0
28 0 0	2 0 0						30 0 0
5 0 0	81 0 0	10 19 2				13 0 0	109 19 2
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	8000 0 0					11,200 0 0	19,200 0 0
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5698 10 0	4175 13 0	325 2 11	23 14 2	50 11 4	12 10 1	654 17 7	10,940 19 1
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27 0 0						1 0 0	28 0 0
222 0 0	793 0 0	26 19 2		8 0 0	3 15 0	133 0 0	1186 14 2
4837 0 0	9344 0 0	325 2 0	266 14 4	308 0 0	246 0 0	3747 0 0	19,073 16 4
6178 0 0	6718 0 0	91 18 0	98 5 10	746 0 0	260 0 0	6998 0 0	21,090 3 10
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811 0 0	13 0 0					24 0 6	848 0 6
10 0 0	817 0 0			150 0 0		10 0 0	987 0 0
2319 12 0	3305 7 6	104 9 11	14 15 8	338 10 6	1 1 6	4032 12 8	10,116 9 9
406 19 0	1525 9 2			771 8 6	51 6 1	40,945 14 11	43,700 17 8
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13 0 0	34 0 0	36 19 9		1 0 0			84 19 9
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109 0 0	1144 0 0	87 2 6		336 0 0	119 0 0	224 0 0	2019 2 6
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155 0 0	1521 0 0	289 0 0					1965 0 0
94 8 0	279 15 2	12 10 10		2 19 7		14 1 6	397 15 1
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	5 0 0						5 0 0
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35 0 0	8 0 0	2 1 0		8 0 0		1 0 0	54 1 0
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MEMO.—Fractions are omitted in this Return.

RETURN showing Quantity and Value of Goods exported from TASMANIA during year 1899.

(No. 31.)

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.								VALUE.							
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.
DESCRIPTION.									£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
<i>Class I. Art and Mechanic Productions.</i>																
(Order 1.) Stationery, Books, &c. pkgs.	60	8	—	—	—	—	—	68	318	37	—	—	—	—	—	355
(Order 2.) Musical Instruments. pkgs.	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	50	100	—	—	—	—	—	150
(Order 3.) Prints, Pictures, &c. pkgs.	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	7	145	103	—	—	—	—	—	248
Furniture pkgs.	89	—	—	—	—	—	—	89	770	—	—	—	—	—	—	770
Printing Ink	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
(Order 9.) Machines, Tools, and Implements.																
Hardware pkgs.	108	177	4	—	18	—	—	307	714	315	10	—	41	—	—	1080
Machinery pkgs.	73	71	—	—	—	—	11	155	501	859	—	—	—	—	206	1566
Sewing Machines pkgs.	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	61
(Order 10.) Carriages, Harness, &c.																
Carriages No.	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	45	—	—	—	30	—	—	75
Leather lbs.	44,654	8085	—	—	—	—	—	52,739	1943	300	—	—	—	—	—	2243
Leather, pieces. cwts.	148	—	—	—	—	—	—	148	503	—	—	—	—	—	—	503
(Order 14.) Chemicals.																
Medicines and Drugs pkgs.	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	5	10	21	—	—	—	—	—	31
<i>Class II. Textile Fabrics and Dress.</i>																
(Orders 15, 16, 17, 18, 19.) Wool, Worsted, Silk, Cotton, Flax Manufactures and Dress.																
Blankets pairs	332	298	—	—	—	—	—	630	257	230	—	—	—	—	—	487
Boots and Shoes pkgs.	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	163	—	—	—	—	—	—	163
Fabrics—Cotton, Woollen, & Silk pkgs.	39	6	—	—	1	—	—	46	568	30	—	—	5	—	—	603
(Order 20.) Manufactures of Fibrous Material.																
Corn Sacks No.	21,980	—	7300	—	—	—	—	29,280	294	—	188	—	—	—	—	482
<i>Class III. Food and Drinks.</i>																
(Order 21.) Animal Food.																
Bacon and Hams lbs.	493	—	—	—	—	—	—	493	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	13
Beef and Mutton lbs.	—	—	—	—	—	—	1800	1800	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	15
Butter lbs.	1044	43,008	—	—	—	—	—	44,052	42	1770	—	—	—	—	—	1812
Cheese lbs.	—	—	—	—	—	28	—	28	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Fish pkgs.	836	304	—	—	—	—	—	1140	487	546	—	—	—	—	—	1033
Mutton Birds pkgs.	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	26	—	—	—	—	—	26
Preserved Cream pkgs.	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	8
(Order 22.) Vegetable Food.																
Bran and Pollard bush.	18,146	100,816	4905	—	—	—	—	123,867	640	2671	151	—	—	—	—	3462
Tomatoes pkgs.	555	102	—	—	—	—	—	657	268	22	—	—	—	—	—	290
Carrots tons	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5
Flour tons	2154	801	5	—	—	—	—	2960	13,183	5011	50	—	—	—	—	18,244
Fruit, Dried lbs.	—	—	112	—	—	—	—	112	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
Fruit, Green bush.	523,708	6336	4	—	93	—	—	530,141	169,037	1334	2	—	21	—	—	170,394
Fruit, Jam lbs.	2,643,459	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,643,459	40,329	—	—	—	—	—	—	40,329
Fruit, Pulp lbs.	1,704,276	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,704,276	20,486	—	—	—	—	—	—	20,486
Ditto, Preserved pkgs.	14,263	—	—	—	—	—	—	14,263	10,531	—	—	—	—	—	—	10,531
Ditto, Evaporated pkgs.	3507	—	—	—	—	—	—	3507	2326	—	—	—	—	—	—	2326
Grain—Barley bush.	54	60	1533	—	400	—	—	2047	7	8	304	—	41	—	—	360
Oats bush.	105,901	218,991	528,844	6200	32,700	17,469	—	910,105	8806	18,562	50,170	450	2173	1508	—	81,069
Wheat bush.	18	96,493	152,441	—	5269	10,889	—	265,110	4	11,811	18,348	—	551	1181	—	31,895
Turnips tons	7	1	1148	—	232	282	—	1671	25	4	1475	—	383	434	—	2321
Oatmeal tons	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	216	—	—	—	—	—	216

Vegetables	pkgs.	79	—	—	—	—	—	—	79	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	51
Onions	tons	137	4	—	—	—	—	—	141	530	16	4	—	—	—	—	—	550
Vegetable Mixture	pkgs.	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
Peas and Beans	bushs.	7897	5515	46,190	—	532	4840	—	64,974	1012	733	5524	—	71	836	—	—	8176
Potatoes	tons	42	1167	30,190	47	5787	8429	—	45,662	196	2317	62,497	67	11,099	18,849	—	—	95,025
Mangolds	tons	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	15
Sharps	tons	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	67	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67
Evaporated Vegetables	pkgs.	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28
Sugar	cwts.	10	—	—	—	5	—	—	15	15	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	18
Tares	bushs.	55	181	113	—	—	—	—	349	8	58	38	—	—	—	—	—	104
Rye	bush.	45	88	48	—	—	—	—	181	11	11	3	—	—	—	—	—	25
<i>(Order 23.) Drinks and Stimulants.</i>																		
Cocoa	lbs.	2002	—	—	—	—	—	—	2002	92	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	92
Hops	lbs.	308,907	—	—	—	—	—	—	308,907	13,555	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13,555
Sauce	pkgs.	382	—	—	—	—	—	—	382	286	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	286
Tea	lbs.	2255	—	—	—	—	—	—	2255	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	64
Tobacco and Cigars	lbs.	2960	—	50	—	—	—	—	2446	333	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	336
Malt	bushs	3960	8	—	—	—	—	—	3968	910	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	912
Malt Liquor, in wood	galls.	178	13	—	—	—	—	—	191	14	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	16
Malt Liquor, in bottle	galls.	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Spirits—Brandy	galls.	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Geneva	galls.	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	60	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15
Whisky	galls.	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	60	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	60
Fruit Juice	pkgs.	64	—	—	—	—	—	—	64	76	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	76
Wines in Bottle	galls.	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27
Cider	galls.	1077	—	—	—	—	—	—	1077	117	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	117
<i>Class IV. Animal and Vegetable Substances.</i>																		
<i>(Order 24.) Animal Substances.</i>																		
Beeswax	lbs.	406	1125	—	—	—	—	—	1591	19	56	—	—	—	—	—	—	75
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	tons	8	11	—	—	—	—	—	23	107	56	—	—	8	—	—	—	171
Hair	lbs.	1207	1185	—	—	—	—	200	223	2815	59	61	—	8	—	—	6	134
Hides and Skins	No.	121,723	128,998	12,046	—	12,905	1857	19,689	297,218	18,115	18,899	1514	—	2916	306	4635	—	46,385
Native Skins	No.	20,254	99,869	2760	—	681	—	—	123,564	1602	5921	243	—	33	—	—	—	7799
Rabbit Skins	No.	2,699,600	1,503,624	—	—	420	—	100	4,204,744	22,343	14,647	—	—	3	—	—	1	36,994
Tallow	tons	115	50	—	—	5	—	—	223	2047	903	—	—	6	—	—	—	4055
Wool	lbs.	3,812,167	4,690,481	71,986	—	14,252	46,166	420	8,635,472	141,934	212,712	1654	—	339	1113	—	5	357,757
Rugs	No.	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	49	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	49
<i>(Order 25.) Vegetable Substances.</i>																		
Bark	tons	2356	2830	—	—	—	—	—	5186	14,529	16,513	—	—	—	—	—	—	31,042
Straw	tons	670	2165	518	—	—	—	—	3353	741	2188	671	—	—	—	—	—	3600
Hay	tons	67	6176	1861	—	52	—	—	8156	125	11,023	2761	—	110	—	—	—	14,019
Chaff	tons	460	—	2421	—	143	25	—	3050	964	—	4351	—	301	36	—	—	5652
Dandelion Roots	pkgs.	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	23	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32
Seeds, Plants, and Trees	pkgs.	725	1	381	—	40	32	—	1179	692	14	295	—	8	8	—	—	1017
Timber—Blackwood	sup. ft.	30,734	507,936	7970	19,842	144,072	102,500	20,680	834,634	323	3274	36	118	753	473	90	—	5067
Blackwood Logs	sup. ft.	—	14,328	3000	137,700	57,279	111,719	—	324,026	—	49	15	409	261	353	—	—	1087
Pine Logs	sup. ft.	115,256	—	—	—	—	—	67,250	182,506	243	—	—	—	—	—	256	—	499
Laths and Shingles	No.	1000	—	—	—	—	—	—	1000	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
Sassafras Logs	sup. ft.	—	—	—	25,500	—	—	—	25,500	—	—	—	64	—	—	—	—	64
Palings	No.	540,800	2700	16,945	453,780	86,750	17,936	—	1,118,711	2076	11	77	1747	435	84	—	—	4430
Myrtle Logs	sup. ft.	—	—	—	12,000	116,971	—	—	128,971	—	—	—	31	600	—	—	—	631
Posts and Rails	No.	10,100	—	—	—	35	—	—	10,135	123	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	125
Sawn	sup. ft.	8,247,715	—	9240	—	—	394,907	—	8,922,299	24,399	—	46	—	—	1008	—	—	25,453
Shaped Pieces	No.	3670	7931	—	—	1700	—	—	18,301	213	720	—	—	7	—	—	—	940
Treenails and Staves	No.	114,900	12,600	26,689	72,830	17,950	43,825	—	288,794	579	77	127	178	108	176	—	—	1240
Willows	tons	31	52	—	—	—	—	—	84	540	843	5	—	—	—	—	—	1388
<i>(Order 26.) Oils.</i>																		
Eucalyptus Extract	pkgs.	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15
Varnish	galls.	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
Oils, Various	galls.	—	488	—	—	—	—	42	530	—	31	—	—	—	—	—	5	36
Oils, Sperm	tons	77	—	—	—	—	—	—	77	2012	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2012
Oil, Eucalyptus	pkgs.	185	—	—	—	—	—	—	185	2942	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2942

ARTICLES.	QUANTITY.							VALUE.									
	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.	Hobart.	Launceston.	Devonport.	Ulverstone.	Burnie.	Stanley.	Strahan.	TOTAL.	
									£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
<i>Class V.—Minerals and Metals.</i>																	
(Order 28.) Coal	—	—	2657	—	—	—	—	2657	—	—	1201	—	—	—	—	1201	
(Order 31.) Gold, Silver, Specie, and Precious Stones.																	
Silver Lead, Bullion	—	—	28	—	—	—	1402	1430	—	—	980	—	—	—	45,471	46,451	
Gold Pyrites	—	516	—	—	—	—	—	516	—	4601	—	—	—	—	—	4601	
Silver Ore	6367	4027	733	—	680	—	1597	13,404	76,434	48,394	8554	—	8218	—	20,818	162,418	
Gold	18,515	34,234	—	—	—	—	195	52,046	72,800	127,635	—	—	—	—	800	201,235	
Jewelry and Plate	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	1905	—	—	—	—	—	—	1905	
Gold Quartz	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	20	
Gold Concentrates	—	8	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	80	—	—	—	—	—	80	
(Order 32.) Metals other than Gold and Silver.																	
Spelter	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	63	—	—	—	—	—	—	63	
Tin	1	2237	—	—	—	—	—	2239	200	278,123	—	—	—	—	—	278,323	
Tin Ore	—	56	—	—	—	—	—	56	—	3624	—	—	—	—	—	3624	
Copper, Blister	1801	—	—	—	76	—	6466	8343	153,535	—	—	—	5320	—	579,200	738,055	
Copper Ore	—	44	—	—	50	—	1643	1737	—	425	—	—	125	—	23,275	23,825	
Zinc	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	8	6	118	—	—	—	—	12	136	
Old Iron	37	53	—	3	—	—	—	93	72	74	—	3	—	—	—	149	
Scrap Metal	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	60	—	—	25	—	—	—	85	
Lead	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	5	49	9	—	—	—	—	—	58	
Iron Ore	—	6	3359	—	212	—	—	3577	—	90	3274	—	106	—	—	3470	
Mineral Ore	1	82	—	—	—	—	—	83	20	438	—	—	—	—	—	458	
Bismuth Ore	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	6	—	900	—	—	—	—	—	900	
Sulphide Ore	120	—	—	—	—	—	—	120	601	—	—	—	—	—	—	601	
Wolfram Ore	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	109	—	—	—	—	—	109	
Galena	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	48	—	—	—	—	—	48	
Asbestic	—	200	—	—	—	—	—	200	—	363	—	—	—	—	—	363	
Oxide Mineral	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	
Scrap Copper	1	—	—	8	—	—	—	9	128	—	—	20	—	—	—	148	
<i>Class VI.—Live Animals and Plants.</i>																	
(Order 33.) Live Stock.																	
Cattle	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	
Horses	14	47	1	—	1	—	—	63	2180	5065	30	—	10	—	—	7285	
Sheep	871	3066	39	—	—	—	—	3976	8270	18,285	518	—	—	—	—	27,073	
Tigers	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	20	—	—	—	—	—	20	
Dogs	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	47	—	—	—	—	—	47	
Pigs	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	
Poultry	122	120	—	—	—	—	—	242	54	54	—	—	—	—	—	108	
<i>Class VII.—Miscellaneous Matters.</i>																	
(Order 36.) Indefinite Articles.																	
Oilmen's Stores	217	—	—	—	—	—	—	217	170	—	—	—	—	—	—	170	
Specimens of Natural History	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	
Empty Jam Cases	7000	—	—	—	—	—	—	7000	78	—	—	—	—	—	—	78	
Tin Plates	500	—	—	—	—	—	—	500	430	—	—	—	—	—	—	430	
Unenumerated	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2390	2677	52	—	55	2	98	5274	
									£	846,342	825,437	166,162	3112	34,145	26,368	675,909	2,577,475

ACCOUNT of Customs Duties collected at the Ports of HOBART, LAUNCESTON, and SUB-PORTS, during the Year 1899.

	<i>Hobart.</i>	<i>Launceston.</i>	<i>Devonport.</i>	<i>Ulverstone.</i>	<i>Burnie.</i>	<i>Stanley.</i>	<i>Strahan.</i>	<i>TOTAL.</i>
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brandy, Cordials, and other Spirits	30,075 7 9	29,056 4 8	1016 14 7	..	804 15 2	166 17 6	2819 0 11	63,939 0 7
Tobacco, Cigars, and Snuff	29,258 7 6	26,159 17 0	2942 18 9	58 10 9	251 6 9	109 8 6	3107 12 0	61,888 1 3
All other Goods ...	124,510 17 0	120,560 19 10	12,691 8 10	2221 6 9	6248 10 10	1592 2 5	37,527 18 7	305,352 19 3
TOTAL, 1899....	183,844 12 3	175,777 1 6	16,651 2 2	2279 17 6	7304 12 9	1868 8 5	43,454 6 6	431,180 1 1
TOTAL, 1898....	173,264 1 5	173,403 15 2	14,504 12 9	2032 3 2	9159 12 1	1830 7 9	36,782 2 6	410,976 14 10

JAMES BARNARD, *Secretary for Customs.*

3rd March, 1900.