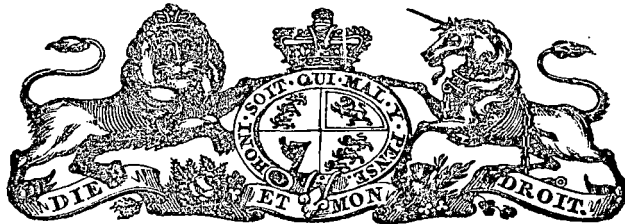


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CUSTOMS.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF REVENUE, 1871 AND 1872.

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## CUSTOMS' DUTIES, 1871 AND 1872.

*RETURN showing the CUSTOMS' DUTIES received for the Years 1871 and 1872.*

PERIOD.	DUTIES COLLECTED.			DRAW- BACKS.	NET DUTIES.
	<i>Hobart Town.</i>	<i>Launceston.</i>	TOTAL.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1871. 1 January to 31 December	80,391 18 10	61,256 12 3	141,648 11 1	12128 15 6	139,519 15 7
1872. 1 January to 31 December	77,435 17 2	60,637 3 10	138,073 1 0	1944 13 11	136,128 7 1

<p>NOTE.—1871. Total Collections.....</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">Less Repayment.....</p>	<p>£ s. d.</p> <p>139,519 15 7</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">17 3 0</p> <hr style="width: 100%;"/> <p>139,502 12 7</p>
<p>1872. Total Collections.....</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">Miscellaneous Receipts .....</p>	<p>136,128 7 1</p> <p style="padding-left: 2em;">13 19 3</p> <hr style="width: 100%;"/> <p>£136,142 6 4</p>

*COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing Amount of Duties collected at the Port of  
HOBART TOWN during the Years 1871 and 1872.*

ARTICLES.	1871.		1872.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, galls.	8206 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{3}{4}$	4924 0 9	8726 $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{4}{8}$	5236 2 9
Geneva, galls.	6266 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{9}{16}$	3759 17 1	6557 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{8}$	3934 9 2
Gin, galls.	541 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$	325 2 2	574 $\frac{2}{3}$ $\frac{2}{8}$	344 16 7
Whisky, galls.	743 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{4}$	446 0 4	1017 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{8}$	610 9 9
Cordials, galls.	87 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{8}$	52 14 11	138 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{8}$	83 3 2
Rum, galls.	14,279	8567 8 0	14,592 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{8}$	8755 7 9
Perfumed, galls.	85 $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{5}{8}$	51 6 0	345 $\frac{3}{4}$ $\frac{2}{8}$	207 1 6
Tobacco, lbs.	74,977 $\frac{1}{2}$	9372 3 9	78,202	9775 5 0
Cigars, lbs.	3296 $\frac{1}{2}$	659 6 0	3462	692 8 0
Snuff, lbs.	799	159 16 0	865	173 0 0
Tobacco, &c., Sheepwash	5372	67 3 0	318	3 19 6
Almonds, lbs.	2355	19 12 6	6319	52 13 2
Alum, lbs.	981	1 0 6	1,226	1 5 7
Arrowroot, lbs.	4849	40 8 2	1005	8 7 6
Bacon, lbs.	1655	13 15 10	723	6 0 6
Bagging, yards	38,034	15 17 6	46,292	19 6 11
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	52,560	39 10 11	65,160	49 3 3
Blue, lbs.	15,295	127 9 2	17,060	142 3 4
Butter, lbs.	18	0 3 0	38,342	319 10 4
Candles, lbs.	31,929	266 1 6	44,969	374 14 10
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	4876	10 3 2	8343	17 7 8
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	5	50 0 0	4	40 0 0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	1	5 0 0		
Cheese, lbs.	1956	16 6 0	63	0 10 6
Chicory, lbs.	33,924	424 1 0	36,784	459 16 0
Chocolate, lbs.	868	10 17 0	712	8 18 0
Coal, tons	5237 $\frac{3}{4}$	261 17 6	4447 $\frac{1}{4}$	222 7 3
Cocoa, lbs.	15,365	192 1 3	11,031	137 17 9
Coffee, Green, lbs.	75,400	942 10 0	34,474	430 18 6
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.	1647	27 9 0	1463	24 8 8
Coir Matting, feet	1175	29 7 6	1444	36 2 0
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	17,541	18 5 6	6222	6 9 8
Corn Sacks, No.	26,513	55 4 9	51,435	107 3 2
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	6810	56 15 0	7367	61 7 10
Dried Fruits, lbs.	209,422	1308 19 2	176,818	1105 3 4
Earthenware & Glassware, pkgs.	Now Measurement.		Now Measurement.	
Fish, Dried, lbs.	1259	2 12 6	6046	12 12 1
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	899	0 9 4	2800	1 8 0
Ginger, lbs.	3773	31 8 10	5966	49 14 4
Glass, Crown, feet	35,350	53 0 6	59,025	88 10 9
Ditto, Plate, feet	450	1 7 0	446	1 8 6
Glue, lbs.	3320	13 16 8	5197	21 13 1
Grain—Maize, lbs.	163,861	68 7 0	378,732	158 3 4
Barley, lbs.	—	—	7003	2 18 7
Beans	—	—	23,000	9 11 8
Oats, lbs.	30,058	12 10 8		
Rye, lbs.	2474	1 0 8		
Wheat, lbs.	166,257	69 5 10	105,124	43 16 4
Gunny Bags, No.	16,239	16 18 7	23,981	24 19 9
Gunpowder, lbs.	6370	106 3 4	14,425	240 8 4
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	9225	38 8 9	10,075	41 19 7
Hams, lbs.	Included with Bacon.			
Hops, lbs.	66,130	551 1 8	30,994	258 5 8
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hol- loware, &c., at 5s.	—	1320 5 6	—	1307 16 8
Ditto, at 2s. 6d.	—		—	
Ditto, at 9d.	—	188 5 3	—	185 3 3

ARTICLES.	1871.			1872.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hol- loware, &c., at 6d.	—	15	16	1	—	9	3	9
Jewellery and Plate, ozs.	2293 $\frac{1}{2}$	114	13	6	1486 $\frac{1}{2}$	74	6	6
Lamp Black, lbs.	1526	1	11	11	212	0	4	5
Lead Sheet, lbs.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Liquorice, lbs.	2275	18	19	2	1551	12	18	6
Live Stock—Cattle, head	925	1387	10	0	827	1240	10	0
Sheep	10,920	819	0	0	5329	399	13	6
Macaroni, lbs.	1337	11	2	10	1194	9	19	0
Malt, bushels	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Malt Liquors, in wood, galls.	10,999	274	19	6	4121	103	0	6
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	6452 $\frac{1}{2}$	645	4	4	4415	441	10	0
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	1971 $\frac{1}{2}$	98	11	10	1340 $\frac{7}{8}$	67	0	7
Methylated Spirits, galls.	88 $\frac{2}{3}$	13	6	8	119	17	17	0
Molasses, cwts.	222 $\frac{1}{2}$	38	19	0	330 $\frac{1}{4}$	57	16	2
Mustard, lbs.	19,908	165	18	0	18,402	153	7	0
Nutmegs, lbs.	466	7	15	4	630	10	10	0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	2687	22	7	10	7055	58	15	10
Oatmeal	5605	11	13	7	—	—	—	—
Oil, at 6d. per gallon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ditto, at 1s. per gallon	32,546 $\frac{3}{4}$	1627	6	9	24,443 $\frac{1}{2}$	1222	3	6
Paints, lbs.	44,252	92	4	3	63,163	131	12	0
Ditto, dry, lbs.	6657	6	19	1	5493	5	14	8
Pearl Barley, lbs.	23,061	48	0	11	6720	14	0	0
Peas, Split, lbs.	17,381	36	4	3	3472	7	4	8
Pepper, lbs.	18,347	152	17	10	8047	67	1	2
Perry and Cider, gallons	120	2	0	0	—	—	—	—
Pianos, No.	73	365	0	0	58	290	0	0
Pickles, doz. quarts	9	1	17	0	2	0	6	0
Ditto, doz. pints	1562	156	4	0	1100	110	0	0
Pimento	—	—	—	—	516	4	6	0
Rice, lbs.	109,540	228	4	6	166,328	346	10	6
Rope, cwts.	1187 $\frac{3}{4}$	89	2	10	1056 $\frac{3}{4}$	79	7	2
Sago, lbs.	13,441	112	0	2	10,438	86	19	8
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	10,041	753	3	2	10,614 $\frac{1}{4}$	796	1	7
Sauces, dozen pints	16	2	8	0	105	15	15	0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	782	78	4	0	528	52	16	0
Seeds, lbs.	6481	13	10	1	10,696	22	5	8
Shot, lbs.	31,192	129	19	4	7448	31	0	8
Soap, lbs.	13,634	56	16	2	15,257	63	11	5
Soda Crystals, lbs.	119,154	124	2	7	85,714	89	5	9
Spices, lbs.	2231	37	3	8	2657	44	5	8
Spirits of Tar, galls.	—	—	—	—	80	2	0	0
Starch, lbs.	38,920	162	3	4	48,768	203	4	0
Sugar, cwts.	46,407 $\frac{1}{2}$	13,922	5	0	43,755	13,126	10	0
Sulphur, lbs.	132,779	138	6	10	135,506	141	3	4
Tallow, lbs.	158,189	237	18	0	267,990	402	8	3
Tapioca, lbs.	1257	10	9	6	877	7	6	2
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	698	11	12	8	910	15	3	4
Tea, lbs.	350,904	8772	12	0	254,616	6365	8	0
Timber, at 8s. per load, loads	38 $\frac{1}{4}$	15	8	5	28	11	4	0
Ditto, at 6d. per foot, feet	2691	67	5	6	69	1	14	6
Tubs and Buckets, No.	2363	29	10	9	2921	36	10	3
Turpentine, galls.	232	11	12	0	514	25	14	0
Twine, lbs.	9253	38	11	1	12,140	50	11	8
Varnish, gallons	1082	54	2	0	640	32	0	0
Vinegar, gallons	9273	154	11	0	10,526	175	8	8
White Lead, lbs.	25,341	52	15	11	12,684	26	8	6
Wines in wood, gallons	8061	806	2	0	10,959	1095	18	0
Ditto, in bottles, doz. qrts.	435 $\frac{1}{2}$	174	0	8	558 $\frac{1}{2}$	223	10	8
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	15	4	46 $\frac{3}{4}$	9	6	8
Wool Packs, No.	12,943	134	16	6	12,826	133	12	2
Measurement Goods ( <i>detailed on page 6</i> )	—	13,037	16	2	—	13,317	6	4
		£80,391	18	10		£77,435	17	2

ARTICLES.	1871.			1872.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>								
Apparel and Slops, feet	4940	988	0	0	4372	874	8	0
Basket and Wickerware, feet	381	19	1	0	219	10	19	0
Blacking, feet	796 $\frac{1}{2}$	79	13	0	837 $\frac{1}{2}$	83	15	0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	3548 $\frac{1}{2}$	354	17	0	2061	206	2	0
Boots, feet	2299 $\frac{1}{2}$	574	17	6	2301 $\frac{1}{2}$	575	7	6
Biscuits, feet	372 $\frac{1}{2}$	37	5	0	834	83	8	0
Carpets, feet	2480	248	0	0	2321	232	2	0
Confectionery, feet	2119	317	17	0	1373 $\frac{1}{2}$	206	0	6
Corn Flour and Maizena, feet	810	81	0	0	416	41	12	0
Drapery, feet	34,757 $\frac{1}{2}$	6951	10	0	37,867	7573	8	0
Earthen & Glassware, at 9d., ft.	12,775 $\frac{1}{2}$	479	1	5	14,785	554	9	4
Ditto, at 3s. per foot, feet.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish, Pickled, feet	273	13	13	0	599	29	19	0
Furniture, feet	1279 $\frac{1}{2}$	191	18	6	836 $\frac{1}{2}$	125	9	6
Hats and Caps, feet	1180 $\frac{1}{2}$	236	2	0	593 $\frac{1}{2}$	118	14	0
Matches, feet	1942	97	2	0	1422	71	2	0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	1745 $\frac{1}{2}$	349	2	0	1748 $\frac{1}{2}$	349	14	0
Musical Instruments, feet	268	53	12	0	513 $\frac{1}{2}$	102	14	0
Oilmen's Stores, feet	1066	159	18	0	868 $\frac{1}{2}$	130	5	6
Printing and Wrapping Paper, &c., feet	6386 $\frac{1}{2}$	478	19	9	7645	573	7	6
Perfumery, feet	7	1	8	0	—	—	—	—
Room Papers, feet.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saddlery, feet	757 $\frac{1}{2}$	151	10	0	280	56	0	0
Stationery, feet	1253 $\frac{1}{2}$	250	14	0	1272	254	8	0
Toys, feet	2517	125	17	0	1787 $\frac{1}{2}$	89	7	6
Wax Vestas, feet	34	3	8	0	62	6	4	0
Woodware, &c., feet	2989	597	16	0	3253 $\frac{1}{2}$	650	14	0
Woollens, feet	978 $\frac{1}{2}$	195	14	0	1323 $\frac{1}{2}$	278	14	0
Unenumerated	—	—	—	—	195 $\frac{1}{2}$	39	2	0
		£13,037	16	2		£13,317	6	4

T. T. WATT, Collector.

Custom House, Hobart Town,  
June 18, 1873.

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT of Duties in Detail collected at the Port of  
LAUNCESTON during the Years 1871 and 1872.**

ARTICLES.	1871.		1872.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, galls.	12,132 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	7279 9 6	11,849 <sup>15</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	7109 15 10
Geneva, galls.	8970 <sup>17</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	5382 6 5	7984 <sup>23</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	4790 19 4
Sweetened Gin, galls.	344 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	206 12 6	294 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	179 4 0
Whisky, galls.	910 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	546 8 5	1136 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	681 14 2
Cordials, galls.	39 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	23 11 6	33 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	20 5 9
Rum, galls.	8265 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	4959 11 8	784 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	4704 12 0
Perfumed, galls.	132 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	79 15 9	137 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	82 8 7
Tobacco, lbs.	73,323	9165 7 6	71,288	8911 0 0
Cigars, lbs.	2520 <sup>14</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	504 3 6	2549	509 16 0
Snuff, lbs.	—	—	1	0 4 0
Tobacco, &c., Sheepwash	1830	22 17 6	—	—
Almonds, lbs.	181	1 10 2	1239	10 6 6
Agricultural Implements, cwts.	1118 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	139 17 10	1080 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	135 1 5
Arrowroot, lbs.	1449	12 1 6	1686	14 1 0
Alum, lbs.	3089	3 4 7	690	0 14 4
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	381	3 14 4	403	3 7 2
Bagging, yards	19,920	8 6 5	27,640	11 10 2
Beef and Mutton, lbs.	16,160	12 2 8	54,620	40 19 3
Blue, lbs.	10,438	86 19 8	8179	68 3 2
Candles, lbs.	18,150	151 5 0	23,870	198 18 4
Canary and Hemp Seed, lbs.	6246	13 0 4	16,666	34 14 3
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	6284	13 1 10	6174	12 17 3
Castings, cwts.	420	10 10 0	79 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 19 10
Iron Fencing, cwts.	114	4 5 6	305 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 7 5
Cement and Whiting, cwts.	3294	123 10 1	2369 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	88 17 11
Coffee, Roasted, lbs.	4436	73 18 8	4956	82 12 0
Ditto, Green, lbs.	30,777	384 14 3	35,180	439 15 0
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	14,143	14 14 9	9365	9 15 1
Cheese, lbs.	304	2 10 8	4941	5 3 0
Chicory, lbs.	14,448	180 12 0	18,798	234 19 6
Chocolate, lbs.	1318	16 9 6	1244	15 11 0
Cocoa, lbs.	2744	34 6 0	7198	89 19 6
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	4981	41 10 2	1454	12 2 4
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	9	90 0 0	8	80 0 0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	3	15 0 0	2	10 0 0
Coal, tons	4978	248 18 0	3260 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	163 0 3
Corn Sacks, No.	189,092	393 18 10	159,072	331 8 1
Dried Fruits, lbs.	117,472	734 6 2	105,422	658 17 9
Drain Pipes, cwts.	963 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	36 2 8	807 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	30 5 8
Earthenware and Glassware	Now Measurement.			
Ginger, lbs.	1360	11 6 8	5352	44 12 0
Glass, Plate, feet	692	2 2 0	325	0 19 6
Ditto, Crown, feet	55,625	83 9 3	26,405	39 12 3
Gunpowder, lbs.	—	—	3806	63 8 8
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	625	2 12 1	14,374	59 17 10
Flour	4150	2 1 6	3250	1 12 6
Grindstones, cwts.	25 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	0 19 0	—	—
Glue, lbs.	1862	7 15 2	3539	14 14 11
Gunny Bags, No.	26,643	27 15 3	17,768	18 10 2
Grain and Pulse, lbs.	6814	2 16 11	1000	0 8 4
Hardware, at 2s. 6d. per cwt.	3126 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	390 17 8	2126 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	265 17 10
Ditto, at 5s. per cwt.	3451 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	862 18 1	1900 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	475 1 6
Hops, lbs.	18,427	153 11 2	8421	70 3 6
Jewellery and Plate, ozs.	995	49 15 0	419	20 19 0
Lead, lbs.	77 cwts.	9 12 7	271 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> cwt.	33 18 10
Live Stock—Sheep	2133	159 19 6	69	5 3 6
Cattle	1	1 10 0	1	1 10 0
Liquorice, lbs.	484	4 0 8	560	4 13 4
Molasses, cwts.	74 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13 1 7	113 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	19 18 3
Malt Liquor, galls.	2089	52 4 6	1982	49 11 0
Ditto, dozen quarts	5813	581 6 0	5461 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	546 2 4
Ditto, dozen pints	2214	110 14 0	1495	74 15 0

ARTICLES.	1871.		1872.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Butter, lbs.	—	—	3599	29 19 10
Fish, Dried, lbs.	—	—	112	0 4 8
Tallow, lbs.	—	—	43,785	65 13 9
Methylated Spirits, galls.	931 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 0 6	85 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 16 2
Mustard, lbs.	7662	63 17 0	8272	68 18 8
Macaroni, lbs.	—	—	469	3 18 2
Malt, bushels	74	3 14 0	11	0 11 0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	727	6 1 2	4785	39 17 6
Oil of all kinds, galls.	31,776 $\frac{3}{4}$	1588 16 9	29,312	1465 12 0
Paints, dry, lbs.	21,908	22 16 5	5805	6 1 3
Ditto, mixed, lbs.	46,763	97 8 6	41,768	87 0 4
Pianofortes, No.	33	165 0 0	19	95 0 0
Pearl Barley, lbs.	196	0 8 2	—	—
Pepper, lbs.	5760	48 0 0	10,731	89 8 6
Pimento, lbs.	42	0 7 0	112	0 18 8
Pickles, dozen quarts	19	2 17 0	12	1 16 0
Ditto, dozen pints	387	38 14 0	371	37 2 0
Oatmeal, lbs.	336	0 14 0	2582	5 7 7
Rice, lbs.	117,252	244 5 4	121,700	253 11 0
Rope, cwts.	273 $\frac{3}{4}$	20 11 3	264	19 17 0
Sugar, raw, cwts.	27,682 $\frac{1}{2}$	8304 15 0	25,561	7668 6 0
Ditto, refined, cwts.	350 $\frac{1}{4}$	105 4 6	403 $\frac{1}{4}$	120 19 6
Sago, lbs.	3059	25 9 10	7307	60 17 10
Salt, cwts.	5298	397 6 1	4668 $\frac{1}{4}$	350 3 3
Sauces, dozen pints	3	0 9 0	8	1 4 0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	131	13 2 0	345	34 10 0
Shot, lbs.	24,038	100 3 2	30,024	125 2 0
Soap, lbs.	8819	36 14 11	8190	34 2 6
Soda Crystals, lbs.	52,847	55 1 2	34,907	36 7 2
Spices, mixed, lbs.	733	12 4 4	2302	38 7 4
Starch, lbs.	11,704	48 15 4	21,645	90 3 9
Spirits of Tar, galls.	16	0 8 0	5	0 2 6
Sulphur, lbs.	107,075	111 11 0	96,624	100 13 0
Tea, lbs.	226,869	5371 14 6	291,766	7294 3 0
Tapioca, lbs.	428	3 11 4	2048	17 1 4
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	364	6 1 4	1134	18 18 0
Turpentine, galls.	426	21 6 0	267	13 7 0
Tubs and Buckets, doz.	305 $\frac{1}{2}$	45 16 0	233 $\frac{1}{2}$	35 1 9
Twine, lbs.	8282	34 10 2	13,351	55 12 7
Timber, at 8s. per load, loads	79 $\frac{1}{4}$	31 14 0	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 0 0
Ditto at 6d. per foot. feet	7024 $\frac{1}{2}$	175 12 3	4860 $\frac{1}{2}$	121 10 3
Varnish, galls.	392	19 12 0	150	7 10 0
Vinegar, galls.	4106 $\frac{1}{2}$	68 8 10	6084	101 8 0
Wines, in wood, galls.	6258	625 16 0	8333	833 6 0
Ditto, in bottle, doz. qts.	346 $\frac{3}{4}$	138 10 0	276 $\frac{1}{2}$	110 12 8
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	26	5 4 0	29	5 16 0
Wool Bags, No.	4472	46 11 9	9020	93 19 1
Measurement Goods ( <i>detailed below</i> )	—	9282 4 2	—	9371 8 2
		61,256 12 3		60,637 3 10
Apparel and Slops, feet	725 $\frac{1}{2}$	145 2 0	1551	310 4 0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	1779 $\frac{1}{2}$	177 19 0	1261	126 2 0
Basketware, feet	183	9 3 0	108	5 8 0
Blacking	404	40 8 0	409	40 18 0
Boots and Shoes, feet	2466 $\frac{1}{2}$	616 12 6	2161	540 5 0
Brushes and Brushware, feet	339 $\frac{1}{2}$	67 18 0	170	34 0 0
Carpets, feet	1619	161 18 0	1399	139 18 0
Coir Matting and Mats, feet	609 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 4 9	497	12 8 6
Corn Flour and Maizena, feet	371 $\frac{1}{2}$	37 3 0	—	—
Confectionery, feet	780 $\frac{1}{2}$	117 1 6	980	147 0 0
Drapery, feet	28,240	5648 0 0	27,996	5599 4 0
Earthenware and Glassware, feet	9306 $\frac{1}{2}$	349 0 5	8911	334 3 5

ARTICLES:	1871.		1872.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Fancy Goods, feet	892	178 8 0	908	181 12 0
Fancy Biscuits, feet	301	30 2 0	123	12 6 0
Fish, Pickled, feet	154	7 14 0	51	2 11 0
Furniture, feet	1130	169 10 0	1031	154 13 0
Hats and Caps, feet	396	79 4 0	656	74 16 0
Leather, feet	133½	26 14 0	101½	20 6 0
Matches	1145	57 5 0	1224½	61 4 6
Ditto, Vestas	96	9 12 0	27½	2 15 0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	1389½	277 18 0	1732½	346 10 0
Musical Instruments, feet	235½	47 2 0	257½	51 10 0
Oilmen's Stores, feet	662½	99 7 6	974½	146 3 6
Printing and Wrapping Paper, &c., feet	2823½	211 16 0	1179	88 8 6
Saddlery, feet	576	115 4 0	505	101 0 0
Stationery, at 4s., feet	674½	134 18 0	939	187 16 0
Ditto, at 2s., feet	—	—	—	—
Ditto, at 1s. 6d., feet	—	—	3413	255 19 9
Toys, feet	1075½	53 15 6	734	36 14 0
Woollens, feet	259	51 16 0	54	10 16 0
Unenumerated, feet	1732	346 8 0	1734	346 16 0
		9282 4 2		9371 8 2

R. H. WILLIS, *Collector of Customs.**Custom House, Launceston.*



**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT** showing Amount of Duties collected at the Ports of  
HOBART TOWN and LAUNCESTON during the Years 1871 and 1872.

ARTICLES.	1871.			1872.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Spirits—Brandy, galls.	20,338 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>6</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12,203	10	3	20,576 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	12,345	18	7
Geneva, galls.	15,236 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9142	3	6	14,542 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	8725	8	6
Gin, galls.	886 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	531	14	8	869 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	524	0	7
Whisky, galls.	1654	992	8	9	2153 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>9</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1292	3	11
Cordials, galls.	127 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	76	6	5	172 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	103	8	11
Rum, galls.	22,544 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13,526	19	8	22,433 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>0</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	13,459	19	9
Perfumed, galls.	218 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>4</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	131	1	9	482 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>5</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	289	10	1
Tobacco, lbs.	148,300 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>6</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	18,537	11	3	149,490	18,686	5	0
Cigars, lbs.	5817 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1163	9	6	6011	1202	4	0
Snuff, lbs.	799	159	16	0	866	173	4	0
Tobacco, &c., Sheepwash	7202	90	0	6	318	3	19	6
Almonds, lbs.	2536	21	2	8	7558	62	19	8
Agricultural Implements, cwts.	1118 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	139	17	10	1080 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	135	1	5
Alum, lbs.	4070	4	5	1	2691	22	8	6
Arrowroot, lbs.	6298	52	9	8	1916	1	19	11
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	2036	17	10	2	1126	9	7	8
Bagging, yards	57,954	24	3	11	73,932	30	17	1
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	68,720	51	13	7	119,780	90	2	6
Blue, lbs.	25,733	214	8	10	25,239	210	6	6
Butter, lbs.	18	0	3	0	41,941	349	10	2
Candles, lbs.	50,079	417	6	6	68,839	573	13	2
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	11,160	23	5	0	14,517	30	4	11
Canary and Hemp Seed, lbs.	6246	13	0	4	27,362	56	19	11
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	14	140	0	0	12	120	0	0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	4	20	0	0	2	10	0	0
Cheese, lbs.	2260	18	16	8	—	—	—	—
Chicory, lbs.	48,372	604	13	0	55,492	694	15	6
Chocolate, lbs.	2186	27	6	6	1956	25	9	0
Coal, tons	10,215 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	510	15	6	7707 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	385	7	3
Cocoa, lbs.	18,109	226	7	3	18,229	227	17	3
Coffee, Green, lbs.	106,177	1327	4	3	6422	107	0	8
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.	6083	101	7	8	69,654	870	13	6
Coir Matting, feet	1175	29	7	6	1444	36	2	0
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	31,684	33	0	3	20,591	21	18	3
Corn Sacks, No.	215,605	449	3	7	211,507	438	11	3
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	11,791	98	5	2	8821	73	10	2
Cement and Whiting, cwts.	3294	123	10	1	2369 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	88	17	11
Dried Fruits, lbs.	326,894	2043	5	4	282,240	1764	1	1
Drain Pipes, cwts.	963 <sup>8</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	36	2	8	807 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	30	5	8
Earthenware & Glassware, pkgs.	Now Measurement.				Now Measurement.			
Fish, Dried, lbs.	1259	2	12	6	6158	12	16	9
Flour, lbs.	5049	2	10	10	6950	3	0	6
Ginger, lbs.	5133	42	15	6	11,318	94	6	4
Glass, Crown, feet	90,975	136	9	9	85,430	128	3	0
Ditto, Plate, feet	1142	3	9	0	771	2	8	0
Glue, lbs.	5182	21	11	10	8736	36	8	0
Grain and Pulse, lbs.	369,464	154	1	1	514,859	214	18	3
Gunny Bags, No.	42,882	44	13	10	41,749	43	9	11
Gunpowder, lbs.	6370	106	3	4	18,231	303	17	0
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	9850	41	0	10	24,449	101	17	5
Grindstones, cwts.	25 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	0	19	0	—	—	—	—
Hops, lbs.	84,557	704	12	10	39,415	328	9	2
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hol- loware, &c., at 5s.	—	2574	1	3	—	2048	16	0
Ditto, at 2s. 6d.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ditto, at 9d.	—	192	10	0	—	187	3	1
Ditto, at 6d.	—	26	6	0	—	20	11	2

ARTICLES.	1871.			1872.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Jewellery and Plate, ozs.	3288 $\frac{1}{2}$	164	8	6	1905	95	5	6
Lamp Black, lbs.	1526	1	11	11	212	0	4	5
Lead, lbs.	77 cwt.	9	12	7	271 $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.	33	18	10
Liquorice, lbs.	2759	22	19	10	2111	17	11	10
Live Stock—Cattle, head	926	1389	0	0	828	1242	0	0
Sheep	13,053	978	19	6	5398	404	17	0
Macaroni, lbs.	1337	11	2	10	1663	13	17	2
Malt, bushels	74	3	14	0	11	0	11	0
Malt Liquors, in wood, galls.	13,088	327	4	0	6103	152	11	6
Ditto, in bottle, doz. quarts	12,265 $\frac{2}{3}$	1226	10	4	9876 $\frac{2}{3}$	987	12	4
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	4185 $\frac{1}{2}$	209	5	10	2835 $\frac{1}{2}$	141	15	7
Methylated Spirits, galls.	182 $\frac{3}{4}$	27	7	2	204 $\frac{1}{2}$	30	13	2
Molasses, cwts.	297 $\frac{3}{4}$	52	0	7	443 $\frac{3}{4}$	77	14	5
Mustard, lbs.	27,570	229	15	0	26,674	222	5	8
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	3414	28	9	0	11,840	98	13	4
Nutmegs, lbs.	466	7	15	4	630	10	10	0
Oatmeal, lbs.	5941	12	7	7	2582	5	7	7
Oil of all kinds, galls.	64,323 $\frac{1}{2}$	3216	3	6	53,745 $\frac{1}{2}$	2687	15	6
Paints, lbs.	91,015	189	12	9	104,931	218	12	4
Ditto, dry, lbs.	28,565	29	15	6	11,298	11	15	11
Pianofortes and Harmoniums, No.	106	530	0	0	77	385	0	0
Pearl Barley, lbs.	23,257	48	9	1	6720	14	0	0
Peas, Split, lbs.	17,381	36	4	3	3472	7	4	8
Pepper, lbs.	24,107	200	17	10	18,778	156	9	8
Perry and Cider, gallons	120	2	0	0	—	—	—	—
Pickles, doz. quarts	28	4	4	0	14	2	2	0
Ditto, doz. pints	1949	194	18	0	1471	147	2	0
Pimento	42	0	7	0	628	5	4	8
Rice, lbs.	226,792	472	9	10	288,028	600	1	6
Rope, cwts.	1461 $\frac{1}{4}$	109	14	1	1320 $\frac{3}{4}$	99	4	2
Sago, lbs.	16,500	137	10	0	17,745	147	17	6
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	15,339	1150	9	3	15,282 $\frac{1}{2}$	1146	4	10
Sauces, dozen pints	19	2	17	0	113	16	19	0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	913	91	6	0	873	87	6	0
Seeds, lbs.	6481	13	10	1	—	—	—	—
Shot, lbs.	55,230	230	2	6	37,472	156	2	8
Soap, lbs.	22,453	93	11	2	23,447	97	13	11
Soda Crystals, lbs.	172,001	179	3	9	120,621	125	12	11
Spices, lbs.	2964	49	8	0	4959	82	13	0
Spirits of Tar, galls.	16	0	8	0	85	2	2	6
Starch, lbs.	50,624	210	18	8	70,413	293	7	9
Sugar, cwts.	74,440 $\frac{2}{3}$	22,332	4	6	69,719 $\frac{1}{4}$	20,915	15	6
Sulphur, lbs.	239,854	249	17	10	232,130	241	16	4
Tallow, lbs.	158,189	237	18	0	311,775	468	2	0
Tapioca, lbs.	1685	14	0	10	2925	24	7	6
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	1062	17	14	0	2044	34	1	4
Tea, lbs.	577,773	14,444	6	6	546,382	13,659	11	0
Timber, at 8s. per load, loads	117 $\frac{1}{2}$	47	2	5	65 $\frac{1}{2}$	26	4	0
Ditto, at 6d. per foot, feet	9715 $\frac{1}{2}$	242	17	9	4929 $\frac{1}{2}$	123	4	9
Tubs and Buckets, doz.	502 $\frac{3}{4}$	75	6	9	3154 $\frac{1}{2}$	71	12	0
Turpentine, galls.	658	32	18	0	781	39	1	0
Twine, lbs.	17,535	73	1	3	25,491	106	4	3
Varnish, gallons	1474	73	14	0	790	39	10	0
Vinegar, gallons	13,379 $\frac{1}{2}$	222	19	10	16,610	276	16	8
White Lead, lbs.	25,341	52	15	11	12,684	26	8	6
Wines in wood, gallons	14,319	1431	18	0	19,252	1929	4	0
Ditto, in bottle, doz. qrts.	781 $\frac{1}{2}$	312	10	8	835 $\frac{5}{8}$	334	3	4
Ditto, ditto, doz. pints	591 $\frac{1}{2}$	11	19	4	75 $\frac{3}{4}$	15	2	8
Wool Packs, No.	17,415	181	8	3	21,846	227	11	3
Measurement Goods (detailed on page 12)	—	22,320	0	4	—	22,688	14	6
		£141,648	11	1		£138,073	1	0

ARTICLES.	1871.		1872.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>				
Apparel and Slops, feet	5665½	1133 2 0	5923	1184 12 0
Basket and Wickerware, feet	564	28 4 0	327	16 7 0
Blacking, feet	1200½	120 1 0	1246½	124 13 0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	5328	532 16 0	3322	332 4 0
Boots and Shoes, feet	4766	1191 10 0	4462½	1115 12 6
Biscuits, feet	673½	67 7 0	834	95 14 0
Brushes and Brushware, feet	339½	67 18 0	170	34 0 0
Carpets, feet	4099	409 18 0	3720	372 0 0
Confectionery, feet	2899½	434 18 6	2353½	353 0 6
Corn Flour and Maizena, feet	1181½	118 3 0	416	41 12 0
Coir Matting and Mats, feet	609½	15 4 9	147	12 8 6
Drapery, feet	62,997½	12,599 10 0	67,863	13,172 12 0
Earthenware & Glassware, feet	22,082	828 1 10	23,696	888 12 9
Fish, Pickled, feet	427	21 7 0	650	32 10 0
Furniture, feet	2409½	361 8 6	1867½	280 2 6
Fancy Goods, feet	892	178 8 0	908	181 12 0
Hats and Caps, feet	1576½	315 6 0	1249½	193 10 0
Leather, feet	133½	26 14 0	101½	20 6 0
Matches, feet	3087	154 7 0	2646½	132 6 6
Medicines and Drugs, feet	3135	627 0 0	3481	696 4 0
Musical Instruments, feet	503½	100 14 0	771	154 4 0
Oilmen's Stores, feet	1728½	259 5 6	1843	276 9 0
Perfumery, feet	7	1 8 0	—	—
Printing and Wrapping Paper, &c., feet	9210	690 15 9	8824	661 16 0
Saddlery, feet	1333½	266 14 0	785	157 0 0
Stationery, feet	1928	385 12 0	5624	698 3 9
Toys, feet	3592½	179 12 6	1521½	126 1 6
Wax Vestas, feet	130	13 0 0	89½	8 19 0
Woollens, feet	1237½	247 10 0	1447½	289 10 0
Woodware, &c., feet	2989	597 16 0	3253½	650 14 0
Unenumerated, feet.	1732	346 8 0	1929½	385 18 0
	—	£22,320 0 0	—	£22,688 14 6

W. LOVETT, *Assistant Colonial Treasurer.**Colonial Treasury, 18 June, 1873.*