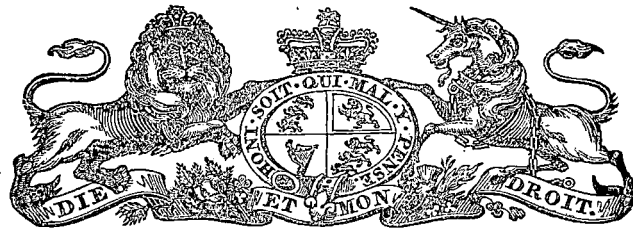


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CUSTOMS DUTIES:

RETURN OF, 1875 AND 1876.

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May 8, 1877.



## CUSTOMS' DUTIES 1875 AND 1876.

*RETURN showing the CUSTOMS DUTIES received for the Years 1875 and 1876.*

PERIOD.	DUTIES COLLECTED.									DRAWBACKS.	NET DUTIES.				
	<i>Hobart Town.</i>			<i>Launceston.</i>			TOTAL.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1875. 1 January to 31 December	101,255	10	6	83,265	15	8	184,521	6	2	3442	15	6	181,078	10	8
1876. 1 January to 31 December	99,043	7	0	89,798	1	6	188,841	8	6	3835	9	7	185,005	18	11

<p>NOTE.—1875. Total Collections .....</p> <p>Miscellaneous Receipts .....</p>	<p>£</p> <p>181,078</p> <p>133</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: 0 auto;"/>	<p>s.</p> <p>10</p> <p>7</p>	<p>d.</p> <p>8</p> <p>8</p>	<p>£</p> <p>181,211</p>	<p>s.</p> <p>18</p>	<p>d.</p> <p>4</p>
<p>1876. Total Collections .....</p> <p>Miscellaneous Receipts .....</p>	<p>185,005</p> <p>5</p> <hr style="width: 50%; margin: 0 auto;"/>	<p>18</p> <p>0</p>	<p>11</p> <p>0</p>	<p>185,010</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>11</p>

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing Amount of Duties collected at the Port of  
HOBART TOWN during the Years 1875 and 1876.

ARTICLES.	1875.			1876.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Spirits—Brandy, gallons	11,445 <sup>25</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	6867	11	11	10,773 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	6464	8	4
Geneva, gallons	9358 <sup>27</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	5615	8	8	9615 <sup>23</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	5769	12	7
Gin, gallons	511 <sup>18</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	306	19	2	634 <sup>13</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	380	15	8
Whisky, gallons	1531 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	919	0	8	1861 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	1116	14	8
Cordials, gallons	121 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	73	1	10	90 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	54	8	8
Rum, gallons	16,080	9648	0	0	16,782 <sup>24</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	10,069	13	0
Perfumed, gallons	104 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	62	8	9	100 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	60	0	10
Tobacco, lbs.	78,982	11,847	6	0	78,525 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	11,778	15	0
Cigars, lbs.	4771 <sup>16</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1192	15	4	5512 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	1378	2	6
Snuff, lbs.	447	111	15	0	885	221	5	0
Sheepwash Tobacco, &c.	150	1	17	6	—	—	—	—
Almonds, lbs.	1159	9	13	2	2557	21	6	2
Alum, lbs.	1292	1	7	0	700	0	14	7
Arrowroot, lbs.	3394	28	5	8	6823	56	17	2
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	857	7	2	10	2348	19	11	4
Bagging, yards	32,700	13	12	6	59,010	24	11	9
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	105,064	78	18	4	63,460	47	12	10
Blue, lbs.	8335	69	9	4	15,908	132	11	4
Butter, lbs.	26,588	221	11	4	1497	12	9	6
Candles, lbs.	26,057	217	2	10	34,078	233	19	8
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	9810	20	8	9	8648	18	0	4
Carriages, four-wheeled, No.	13	130	0	0	2	20	0	0
Ditto, two-wheeled, No.	1	5	0	0	1	5	0	0
Cheese, lbs.	483	4	0	6	1491	12	8	6
Chicory, lbs.	47,233	591	0	9	24,640	308	0	0
Chocolate and Cocoa, lbs.	17,553	219	8	3	16,068	200	17	0
Coal, tons	5739 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	286	19	3	8499	424	19	0
Coffee, Green, lbs.	41,467	518	6	9	37,885	473	11	3
Coffee, Roasted, lbs.	36	0	12	0	231	3	17	0
Coir Matting, feet	1951	48	15	6	2067	51	13	6
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	11,716	12	4	2	20,158	21	0	1
Corn Sacks, No.	52,250	108	17	1	23,244	48	8	6
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	10,955	273	17	6	10,698	267	9	0
Dried Fruits, lbs.	191,503	1196	19	5	235,650	1472	18	0
Fish, Dried, lbs.	12,266	25	11	3	12,721	26	10	2
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	800	0	8	0	2000	1	0	0
Ginger, lbs.	7994	66	12	4	6633	55	5	6
Glass, Crown and Sheet, feet	79,050	118	11	6	76,520	114	15	9
Ditto, Plate, feet	325	0	19	6	1125	3	7	6
Glue, lbs.	7475	31	2	11	8611	35	17	7
Grain—Maize, lbs.	69,753	29	2	1	90,835	37	7	2
Barley, lbs.	347,050	144	12	1	292,250	121	15	5
Beans and Peas, lbs.	9500	3	19	2	575	0	4	10
Wheat, lbs.	337,163	140	9	10	—	—	—	—
Gunny Bags, No.	32,876	34	5	3	24,132	25	3	10
Gunpowder, lbs.	11,115	185	5	0	5200	86	13	4
Ditto, Blasting, lbs.	1605	6	13	9	1875	7	16	3
Hops, lbs.	36,006	300	1	0	31,265	260	10	10
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hol- loware, &c., at 5s. and 2s. 6d. per cwt.	—	2388	12	8	—	2167	14	11
Ditto, at 9d. ditto	—	222	15	7	—	210	19	11
Ditto, at 6d. ditto	—	2	13	0	—	21	15	1
Jewellery and Plate of Gold, ozs.	534	53	8	0	1157	115	14	0
Ditto, Silver, ozs.	2959	147	19	0	1912 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	95	12	6
Lamp Black, lbs.	656	0	13	10	573	0	12	0

ARTICLES.	1875.			1876.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Liquorice, lbs.	3327	27	14	6	3694	30	15	8
Live Stock, Cattle, No.	1205	1807	10	0	787	1180	10	0
Live Stock, Sheep, No.	16,476	1235	14	0	10,101	757	11	6
Macaroni, lbs.	564	4	14	0	1125	9	7	6
Malt, bushels	—	—	—	—	52	2	12	0
Malt Liquors, in wood, gallons	3042	76	1	0	6735	168	7	6
Ditto, in bottle, dozen quarts	7833 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	783	6	6	7985 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	798	10	8
Ditto, ditto, dozen pints	3025	151	5	0	3678 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	183	18	0
Methylated Spirits, gallons	221	33	3	0	337	50	11	0
Molasses, cwts.	394 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	69	0	1	97 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	17	0	7
Mustard, lbs.	11,471	95	11	10	16,459	137	3	2
Nutmegs, lbs.	606	10	2	0	903	15	1	0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	5087	42	7	10	11,174	93	2	4
Oatmeal, lbs.	13,468	28	1	2	—	—	—	—
Oil at 1s. per gallon, gallons	42,806	2140	6	0	25,609	1280	9	0
Paints, lbs.	130,121	271	2	1	80,362	167	8	6
Ditto, Dry, lbs.	11,312	11	16	4	10,051	10	9	10
Pearl Barley, lbs.	12,746	26	11	2	21,956	45	14	10
Peas, Split, lbs.	3146	6	11	1	9438	19	13	3
Pepper, lbs.	8795	73	5	10	15,193	126	13	0
Perry and Cider, gallons	40	0	13	4	—	—	—	—
Pianos, No.	96	480	0	0	82	410	0	0
Harmoniums and Cabinet Organs, No.	33	82	10	0	30	75	0	0
Pickles, doz. quarts	9	1	7	0	—	—	—	—
Ditto, doz. pints	1909 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	190	18	2	2225 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	222	11	8
Pimento, lbs.	700	5	16	8	—	—	—	—
Rice, lbs.	211,811	441	5	7	155,342	323	12	8
Rope, cwts.	1332	99	18	3	923	69	5	6
Sago, lbs.	16,986	141	11	0	13,625	113	10	10
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	11,856 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	889	5	1	9956 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	746	15	5
Sauces, dozen pints	50 <sup>6</sup> / <sub>12</sub>	7	11	6	69	10	7	0
Ditto, dozen half-pints	542	54	4	0	701	70	2	0
Seeds, lbs.	5450	11	7	2	8744	18	4	5
Shot, lbs.	8400	35	0	0	2240	9	6	8
Soap, lbs.	21,108	87	19	0	22,104	92	2	0
Soda Crystals, lbs.	82,420	85	17	4	102,755	107	0	10
Spices, lbs.	1917	31	19	0	1637	27	5	8
Starch, lbs.	44,857	186	18	1	32,968	137	7	4
Sugar, cwts.	48,070	14,421	0	0	51,490	15,447	0	0
Ditto, Loaf and Crushed, lbs.	117,654	490	4	6	116,078	483	13	2
Sulphur, lbs.	33,172	34	11	2	105,513	109	18	5
Tallow, lbs.	354,179	531	6	9	316,250	474	7	6
Tapioca, lbs.	1495	12	9	2	2406	20	1	0
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	914	15	4	8	1512	25	4	0
Tea, lbs.	308,089	7702	4	6	350,728	8768	4	0
Timber, at 8s. per load	21 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	8	14	0	174 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	69	18	8
Ditto, at 6d. per foot	13,288	332	4	0	4939	123	9	6
Tubs and Buckets, No.	5462	68	5	6	6962	87	0	6
Turpentine, gallons	985	49	5	0	1840	92	0	0
Twine, lbs.	18,370	76	10	10	15,571	64	17	7
Varnish, gallons	577	28	17	0	976 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	48	16	6
Vinegar, gallons	11,094	184	18	0	10,086	168	2	0
White Lead, lbs.	25,512	53	2	11	32,250	67	3	10
Wines, in wood, gallons	11,630	1163	0	0	10,591	1059	2	0
Ditto, in bottle, dozen quarts	1064 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	319	9	0	922	276	12	0
Ditto, ditto, dozen pints	242 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	36	8	6	473	70	19	0
Woolpacks, No.	13,365	139	4	5	16,645	173	7	9
Measurement Goods	—	20,177	3	0	—	18,254	5	2
Ad valorem Goods	—	1069	9	6	—	1021	3	9
		£101,255	10	6		£99,043	7	0

ARTICLES.	1875.		1876.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>				
Apparel and Slops, feet	1721½	430 7 6	2111½	527 17 6
Basket and Wickerware, feet	688	36 17 0	453	25 13 0
Blacking, feet	862½	129 7 6	532	79 16 0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	2965	444 15 0	2577	386 11 0
Boots and Shoes, feet	2286	571 10 0	2622½	655 12 6
Biscuits, feet	1584	158 8 0	1606½	160 13 0
Brushes and Combs, feet	661½	165 7 6	377½	94 7 6
Carpets, feet	3548	532 4 0	2401	360 3 0
Confectionery, feet	2121	318 3 0	2646	396 18 0
Corn Flour and Maizena, feet	479	47 18 0	616	61 12 0
Drapery, feet	51,357	12,839 5 0	44,362½	11,090 12 6
Earthen and Glassware, feet	16,215½	608 3 0	17,559	658 9 8
Fish, Pickled, feet	503	25 3 0	391	19 11 0
Furniture, feet	4922	492 4 0	4291½	429 3 0
Hats and Caps, feet	1037½	259 7 6	779½	194 17 6
Matches, Lucifer, feet	2644	132 4 0	4087	204 7 0
Ditto, Wax Vestas, feet	87½	13 2 6	160	24 0 0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	2396½	599 2 6	2537	634 5 0
Oilmen's Stores, feet	2197	329 11 0	2612	391 16 0
Printing and Wrapping Paper, ft.	10,254	769 1 0	9031	677 6 6
Saddlery and Leatherware, feet	1893½	378 14 0	1914	382 16 0
Stationery, feet	2152	430 8 0	2754	550 16 0
Toys, feet	2294½	114 15 0	2314	115 14 0
Woollens, feet	1405	351 5 0	525½	131 7 6
		£20,177 3 0		£18,254 5 2

T. T. WATT, *Collector of Customs, Tasmania.*

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT** showing Amount of Duties collected at the Port of  
LAUNCESTON during the Years 1875 and 1876.

ARTICLES.	1875.		1876.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Brandy, gallons	15,950 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	9570 13 11	17,003 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>6</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	10,203 4 4
Geneva, gallons	10,849 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>10</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	6509 16 2	11,582 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>7</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	6949 16 11
Gin, gallons	420 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	252 5 2	504	302 8 6
Whisky, gallons	2090 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>19</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	1254 9 3	3535 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2121 10 10
Cordials, gallons	79 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>7</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	47 14 5	38 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>3</sub> <sup>4</sup> / <sub>3</sub>	23 1 4
Rum, gallons	9301	5580 12 1	9978 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	5987 0 7
Perfumed, gallons	177 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	106 5 8	157 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	94 7 3
Tobacco, lbs.	71,607 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	10,741 2 6	76,727	11,509 1 0
Cigars, lbs.	2458	614 10 0	3290	822 10 0
Snuff, lbs.	66	16 10 0	162	40 10 0
Sheepwash, lbs.	—	—	—	—
Almonds, lbs.	1244	10 7 4	2932	24 8 8
Alum, lbs.	4626	4 16 5	4116	4 5 9
Arrowroot, lbs.	3124	26 0 8	2744	22 17 4
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	224	1 17 4	626	5 4 4
Bagging, yards	71,000	29 11 8	62,513	26 1 3
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	37,300	27 19 6	32,000	24 0 0
Blue, lbs.	9262	77 3 8	19,406	161 14 4
Butter, lbs.	2553	21 5 6	—	—
Candles, lbs.	37,717	314 6 2	49,320	411 0 0
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	10,338	21 10 9	15,917	33 3 3
Carriages, four wheels, No.	14	140 0 0	10	100 0 0
Carriages, two wheels, No.	—	—	1	5 0 0
Cheese, lbs.	—	—	197	1 12 10
Chicory, lbs.	26,822	335 5 6	19,488	243 12 0
Chocolate, lbs.	2416	30 4 0	3376	42 4 0
Coals, tons	5266	263 6 0	11,094	554 14 0
Cocoa, lbs.	12,846	160 11 6	13,221	165 5 3
Coffee, Green, lbs.	28,348	354 7 0	20,678	258 9 6
Coffee, Roast, lbs.	3796	63 5 4	3911	65 3 8
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	21,010	21 17 10	16,041	16 14 3
Corn Sacks, No.	355,920	741 10 1	411,540	857 7 8
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	11,796	294 18 0	10,465	261 12 6
Dried Fruits, lbs.	189,982	1187 7 9	207,064	1294 4 4
Fish, Dried, lbs.	13,879	28 18 4	7641	15 18 5
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	10,000	5 0 0	—	—
Ginger, lbs.	4843	40 7 2	2696	22 9 4
Glass, Crown, feet	45,925	68 17 9	56,075	84 2 6
Glass, Plate, feet	450	1 7 0	325	0 19 6
Glue, lbs.	3940	16 8 4	3609	15 0 9
Grain—Maize, lbs.	3200	1 6 8	2800	1 3 4
Oats, lbs.	4170	1 14 9	1000	0 8 4
Wheat, lbs.	120	0 1 0	—	—
Gunny Bags, No.	72,824	75 17 5	64,511	67 4 1
Gunpowder, Sporting, lbs.	3100	51 13 4	11,149	185 16 4
Gunpowder, Blasting, lbs.	—	—	12,348	51 9 0
Hops, lbs.	3198	26 13 0	4468	37 4 8
Ironmongery, at 5s. per cwt.	6017 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1504 7 6	6931 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1732 18 9
Ditto, at 2s. 6d. per cwt.	8308 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1038 10 8	9684	1210 10 7
Ditto, at 9d. per cwt.	9091 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	340 18 8	5204	195 3 5
Ditto, at 6d. per cwt.	56 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 8 3	876	21 18 0
Jewellery of Silver and Plate, ozs.	789 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	39 9 6	1395	69 15 0
Ditto Gold and Plate, ozs.	1516	151 12 0	1178	117 16 0
Liquorice, lbs.	1391	11 11 10	1135	9 9 2
Linseed Meal, lbs.	—	..	1120	2 6 8
Live Stock—Cattle, No.	6	9 0 0	18	27 0 0
Ditto, Sheep, No.	6495	487 2 6	1953	146 9 6
Macaroni, lbs.	158	1 6 4	222	1 17 0
Malt, bushels	45 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	2 5 6	30	1 10 0
Malt Liquor in Wood, gallons	1984	49 12 0	1038	25 19 0
Ditto, quarts, doz.	7657 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	765 14 2	4331	433 2 0
Ditto, pints, doz.	3086	154 6 0	3672	183 12 0
Methylated Spirits, gallons	76	11 8 0	161 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	24 5 3
Molasses, cwt.	45 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	7 13 4	73 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	12 18 2
Mustard, lbs.	26,538	221 3 0	12,976	108 2 8
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	10,754	89 12 4	8946	74 11 0
Oil, gallons	34,571 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1728 11 6	43,724	2186 4 0
Paints, Mixed, lbs.	77,698	161 17 6	72,660	151 7 9
Ditto, Dry, lbs.	13,018	13 11 3	22,269	23 4 3

ARTICLES.	1875.			1876.				
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.			QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.		
		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Pearl Barley, lbs.	224	0	9	4				
Peas, Split, lbs.	100	0	4	2	257	0	10	9
Pepper, lbs.	11,841	98	13	6	16,405	136	14	2
Pianos, No.	67	335	0	0	74	370	0	0
Pickles, doz. quarts	—	—	—	—	15	2	5	0
Ditto, doz. pints	1187½	118	15	0	1689½	168	19	0
Pimento, lbs.	350	2	18	4	593	4	18	10
Rice, lbs.	191,053	398	0	7	205,882	428	18	10
Rope, cwt.	535¼	40	3	1	450	33	15	1
Sago, lbs.	10,724	89	7	4	10,902	90	17	0
Salt, cwt.	10,690½	801	15	9	10,582	793	13	2
Saltpetre, cwt.	80	6	0	0	37	2	15	6
Sauces, doz. half-pints	60	6	0	0	258	25	16	0
Seeds, Canary and other, lbs.	6627	13	16	2	11,103	23	2	9
Shot, lbs.	10,276	42	16	4	6638	27	13	2
Soap, lbs.	24,617	102	11	5	15,405	64	3	9
Soda Crystals, lbs.	153,215	159	12	2	68,141	70	19	9
Spices, lbs.	2386	39	15	4	1819	30	6	4
Starch, lbs.	44,126	183	17	2	30,283	126	3	7
Sugar, Raw, cwt.	26,718¼	8015	9	6	28,920	8676	0	0
Ditto, Refined, lbs.	66,394	276	12	10	56,294	234	11	2
Sulphur, lbs.	13,258	13	16	3	41,290	43	0	4
Tallow, lbs.	3875	5	16	3	126,475	189	14	3
Tapioca, lbs.	2526	21	1	0	4127	34	7	10
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	1141	19	0	4	1120	18	13	4
Tea, lbs.	306,440½	7661	0	3	306,863	7671	11	6
Timber, at 8s. per load	150½	60	4	0	73	29	4	0
Ditto, at 6d. per foot	10,028	250	14	0	10,904	272	12	0
Tubs and Buckets, doz.	532½	79	17	0	483¾	72	9	9
Turpentine, gallons	613	30	13	0	314½	15	14	6
Twine, lbs.	19,926	83	0	6	8954	37	6	2
Varnish, gallons	354	17	14	0	531	26	11	0
Vinegar, gallons	11,325	188	15	0	8785	146	8	4
Wines in wood, gallons	6019	601	18	0	8202	820	4	0
Ditto, quarts, doz.	674½	202	7	0	733¾	220	2	6
Ditto, pints, doz.	299¾	44	19	3	470½	70	10	3
Whiting, cwts.	—	—	—	—	324½	12	3	5
Wool Packs, No.	9476	98	14	2	12,286	127	19	8
Harmoniums and Organs, No.	44	110	0	0	72	180	0	0
Measurement Goods	—	16,123	18	9	—	17,686	6	4
Ad valorem Goods	—	989	6	2	—	936	16	5
		£83,265	15	8		£89,798	1	6
<i>Measurement Goods, detailed.</i>								
Apparel and Slops, feet	1001½	250	7	6	907	226	15	0
Basketware, unlined, feet	264	13	4	0	338	16	18	0
Ditto, lined, feet	8	0	16	0	23	2	6	0
Boots and Shoes, feet	3139	784	15	0	3312	828	0	0
Biscuits, Maizena, Corn Flour, feet	1929½	192	19	0	1804	180	8	0
Blacking, feet	514½	77	3	6	446	66	18	0
Blankets, feet	2648½	397	5	6	2545	381	15	0
Brushes and Combs, feet	617	154	5	0	507	126	15	0
Carpets and Rugs, feet	2505	375	15	0	2933	439	19	0
Coir Matting and Mats, feet	609½	15	4	9	1349	33	14	6
Confectionery, feet	2350	352	10	0	2261	339	3	0
Drapery, feet	41,050½	10,262	12	6	45,079	11,269	15	0
Earthenware and Glassware, feet	14,945	560	8	6	18,862	707	6	10
Fish, Pickled, feet	225½	11	5	6	475	23	15	0
Furniture, feet	2569½	256	19	0	3291	329	2	0
Hats and Caps, feet	245	61	5	0	272	68	0	0
Matches, Lucifer, feet	1426½	71	6	6	3545	177	5	0
Ditto, Vestas, feet	41	6	3	0	283	42	9	0
Oilmen's Stores, feet	1505½	225	16	6	2135	320	5	0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	2780½	695	2	6	3012	753	0	0
Stationery, at 4s., feet	1831	366	4	0	1595	319	0	0
Ditto, at 1s. 6d., feet	5483	411	4	6	7216	541	4	0
Saddlery and Leatherware, feet	1975	395	0	0	1636	327	4	0
Toys, feet	1241	62	1	0	844	42	4	0
Woollens, feet	497	124	5	0	493	123	5	0
		£16,123	18	9		£17,686	6	4

**COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing Amount of Duties collected at the Ports of  
HOBART TOWN and LAUNCESTON during the Years 1875 and 1876.**

ARTICLES.	1875.		1876.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Spirits—Brandy, gallons	27,396 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,438 5 10	27,777 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,667 12 8
Geneva, gallons	20,208 $\frac{1}{2}$	12,125 4 10	21,197 $\frac{1}{2}$	12,719 9 6
Gin, gallons	931 $\frac{1}{2}$	559 4 4	1138 $\frac{1}{2}$	683 4 2
Whisky, gallons	3622 $\frac{1}{2}$	2173 9 11	5396 $\frac{1}{2}$	3238 5 6
Cordials, gallons	201 $\frac{1}{2}$	120 16 3	129 $\frac{1}{2}$	77 10 0
Rum, gallons	25,381	15,228 12 1	26,761 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,056 13 7
Perfumed, gallons	281 $\frac{1}{2}$	168 14 5	257 $\frac{1}{2}$	154 8 1
Tobacco, lbs.	150,589 $\frac{1}{2}$	22,588 8 6	155,252	23,287 16 0
Cigars, lbs.	7229 $\frac{1}{6}$	1807 5 4	8802 $\frac{1}{2}$	2200 12 6
Snuff, lbs.	513	128 5 0	1047	261 15 0
Sheepwash Tobacco, &c., lbs.	150	1 17 6	—	—
Almonds, lbs.	2403	20 0 6	5489	45 14 10
Alum, lbs.	5918	6 3 5	4816	5 0 4
Arrowroot, lbs.	6518	54 6 4	9567	79 14 6
Bacon and Hams, lbs.	1081	9 0 2	2974	24 15 8
Bagging, yards	103,700	43 4 2	121,523	50 13 0
Beef, Pork, and Mutton, lbs.	142,364	106 17 10	95,460	71 12 10
Blue, lbs.	17,598	146 13 0	35,314	294 5 8
Butter, lbs.	29,141	242 16 10	1497	12 9 6
Candles, lbs.	63,774	531 9 0	83,398	694 19 8
Carbonate of Soda, lbs.	20,148	41 19 6	24,565	51 3 7
Carriages, 4 wheels, No.	27	270 0 0	12	120 0 0
Ditto, 2 wheels, No.	1	5 0 0	2	10 0 0
Cheese, lbs.	483	4 0 6	1688	14 1 4
Chicory, lbs.	74,105	926 6 3	44,128	551 12 0
Chocolate, included with Cocoa	3256	40 14 0	—	—
Coals and Coke, tons	11,005 $\frac{1}{2}$	550 5 3	19,593	979 13 0
Cocoa, lbs.	29,559	369 9 9	32,665	408 6 3
Coffee, Green, lbs.	69,815	872 13 9	58,563	732 0 9
Ditto, Roasted, lbs.	3832	63 17 4	4142	69 0 8
Coir Matting, feet	2560 $\frac{1}{2}$	64 0 3	2067	51 13 6
Copperas and Bluestone, lbs.	32,726	34 2 0	36,199	37 14 4
Corn Sacks, No.	408,170	850 7 2	434,784	905 16 2
Cutlery and Platedware, lbs.	22,751	568 15 6	21,163	529 1 6
Dried Fruits, lbs.	381,485	2384 7 2	442,714	2767 2 4
Fish, Dried, lbs.	26,145	54 9 7	20,362	42 8 7
Flour, Wheaten, lbs.	10,800	5 8 0	2000	1 0 0
Ginger, lbs.	12,837	106 19 6	9329	77 14 10
Glass, Crown and Sheet, feet	124,975	187 9 3	132,595	19 18 3
Glass Plate, feet	775	2 6 6	1450	4 7 0
Glue, lbs.	11,415	47 11 3	12,220	50 18 4
Grain—Maize, lbs.	72,953	30 8 9	93,635	38 10 6
Barley, lbs.	347,050	144 12 1	292,250	121 15 5
Beans and Peas, lbs.	9500	3 19 2	575	0 4 10
Oats, lbs.	4170	1 14 9	1000	0 8 4
Wheat, lbs.	337,283	140 10 10	—	—
Gunny Bags, No.	105,700	110 2 8	83,693	92 7 11
Gunpowder, lbs.	14,215	236 18 4	16,349	272 9 8
Blasting Powder, lbs.	1605	6 13 9	14,223	59 5 3
Hops, lbs.	39,204	326 14 0	35,733	297 15 6
Ironmongery, Hardware, Hollow-ware, &c. at 5s. and 2s. 6d. per cwt.	—	4931 10 10	—	5111 4 3
Ditto at 9d. ditto	—	563 14 3	—	418 6 9
Ditto at 6d. ditto	—	4 1 3	—	43 13 1
Jewellery and Plate of Gold, ozs.	2050	205 0 0	2335	233 10 0
Ditto, Silver, ditto	3748 $\frac{1}{2}$	187 8 6	3307 $\frac{1}{2}$	165 7 6



ARTICLES.	1875.		1876.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Lamp Black, lbs.	656	0 13 10	573	0 12 0
Liquorice, lbs.	4718	39 6 4	4829	40 4 10
Live Stock—Cattle, No.	1211	1816 10 0	805	1207 10 0
Sheep, No.	22,971	1722 16 6	12,054	904 1 0
Macaroni, lbs.	722	6 0 4	1347	11 4 6
Malt, bushels	45½	2 5 6	82	4 2 0
Malt Liquors, in wood, gallons	5026	125 13 0	7773	194 6 6
Ditto, in bottle, dozen quarts	15,490¼	1549 0 8	12,316¼	1231 12 8
Ditto, in bottle, dozen pints	6111	305 11 0	7350	367 10 0
Methylated Spirits, gallons	297	44 11 0	498¾	74 16 3
Molasses, cwts.	439½	76 18 5	171	29 18 9
Mustard, lbs.	38,009	316 14 10	29,435	245 5 10
Nutmegs, lbs.	606	10 2 0	903	15 1 0
Nuts and Walnuts, lbs.	15,841	132 0 2	20,120	167 13 4
Oatmeal, lbs.	13,468	28 1 2	—	—
Oils at 1s. per gallon, gallon	77,377½	3868 17 6	69,333	3466 13 0
Paints, mixed, lbs.	207,819	432 19 7	153,022	318 16 3
Ditto, dry, lbs.	24,330	25 7 7	32,320	33 14 1
Pearl Barley, lbs.	12,970	27 0 6	21,956	45 14 10
Peas, Split, lbs.	3246	6 15 3	9695	20 4 0
Pepper, lbs.	20,636	171 19 4	31,603	263 7 2
Perry and Cider, gallons	40	0 13 4	—	—
Pianofortes, No.	163	815 0 0	156	780 0 0
Harmoniums & Cabinet Organs, No.	77	192 10 0	102	255 0 0
Pickles, dozen quarts	9	1 7 0	15	2 5 0
Ditto, dozen pints	3096¼	309 13 2	3915¼	391 10 8
Pimento, lbs.	1050	8 15 0	593	4 18 10
Rice, lbs.	402,864	839 6 2	361,224	752 11 6
Rope, cwts.	1867¼	140 1 4	1373	103 0 7
Sago, lbs.	27,710	230 18 4	24,527	204 7 10
Salt and Saltpetre, cwts.	22,627	1697 0 10	20,575¾	1543 4 1
Sauces, dozen pints	50¾	7 11 6	69	10 7 0
Ditto, half pints	602	60 4 0	959	95 18 0
Seeds, lbs.	12,077	25 3 4	20,967	43 13 10
Shot, lbs.	18,676	77 16 4	8878	36 19 10
Soap, lbs.	45,725	190 10 5	37,509	156 5 9
Soda Crystals, lbs.	235,635	245 9 6	170,896	178 0 7
Spices, lbs.	4303	71 14 4	3456	57 12 0
Starch, lbs.	88,983	370 15 3	63,251	263 10 11
Sugar, cwts.	74,788½	22,436 9 6	80,410	24,123 0 0
Ditto, loaf and crushed, lbs.	184,048	766 17 4	172,372	718 4 4
Sulphur, lbs.	46,430	48 7 5	146,803	152 18 9
Tallow, lbs.	358,054	537 3 0	442,725	664 1 9
Tapioca, lbs.	4021	33 10 2	6533	54 8 10
Tartaric Acid, lbs.	2055	34 5 0	2632	43 17 4
Tea, lbs.	614,529½	15,363 4 9	657,591	16,439 15 6
Timber at 8s. per load, loads	172¼	68 18 0	247¾	99 2 8
Ditto, at 6d. per foot, feet	23,316	582 18 0	15,843	396 1 6
Tubs and Buckets, No.	11,850	148 2 6	12,761	159 10 3
Turpentine, gallons	1598	79 18 0	2154½	107 14 6
Twine, lbs.	38,296	159 11 4	24,525	102 3 9
Varnish, gallons	931	46 11 0	1507½	75 7 6
Vinegar, gallons	22,419	373 13 0	18,871	314 10 4
White Lead, lbs.	25,512	53 2 11	32,250	67 3 10
Wines in wood, gallons	17,649	1764 18 0	18,793	1879 6 0
Ditto, in bottle, dozen quarts	1739¼	521 16 0	1655¾	496 14 6
Ditto, in bottle, dozen pints	542¼	81 7 9	943¼	141 9 3
Woolpacks, No.	22,841	237 18 7	28,931	301 7 5
Measurement Goods, as detailed	—	36,285 17 0	—	35,940 11 6
Ad valorem Goods	—	2058 15 8	—	1958 0 2
		£184,521 6 2		£188,841 8 6

ARTICLES.	1875.		1876.	
	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.	QUANTITY.	AMOUNT.
<i>Measurement Goods detailed.</i>		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Apparel and Slops, feet	2723	680 15 0	3018½	754 12 6
Basket and Wickerware, feet	960	50 17 0	814	44 17 0
Blacking, feet	1377	206 11 0	978	146 14 0
Blankets and Rugs, feet	5613½	842 0 6	5122	768 6 0
Boots and Shoes, feet	5425	1356 5 0	5934½	1483 12 6
Biscuits, feet	1584	158 8 0	1606½	160 13 0
Brushes and Combs, feet	1278½	319 12 6	884½	221 2 6
Carpets, feet	6053	907 19 0	5334	800 2 0
Confectionery, feet	4471	670 13 0	4907	736 1 0
Corn Flour, Maizena, feet	2408½	240 17 0	2420	242 0 0
Drapery, feet	92,407½	23,101 17 6	89,441½	22,360 7 6
Earthenware and Glassware, feet	31,160½	1168 11 6	36,421	1365 16 6
Fish, Pickled, feet	728½	36 8 6	866	43 6 0
Furniture, feet	7491½	749 3 0	7582½	758 5 0
Hats and Caps, feet	1282½	320 12 6	1051½	262 17 6
Matches, Lucifer, feet	4070½	203 10 6	7632	381 12 0
Ditto, Wax Vestas, feet	128½	19 5 6	443	66 9 0
Medicines and Drugs, feet	5177	1294 5 0	5549	1387 5 0
Oilmen's Stores, feet	3702½	555 7 6	4747	712 1 0
Printing and Wrapping Paper, &c., feet	15,737	1180 5 6	16,247	1218 10 6
Saddlery and Leatherware, feet	3868½	773 14 0	3550	710 0 0
Stationery, feet	3983	796 12 0	4349	869 16 0
Toys, feet	3536	176 16 0	3158	157 18 0
Woollens, feet	1902	475 10 0	1018½	254 12 6
Coir Matting, feet	—	—	1349	33 14 6
		£36,285 17 0		£35,940 11 6

THOS. T. WATT, *Collector of Customs.**Custom House, Hobart Town,*  
14th March, 1877.