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Statement showing the amount of duties which accrued on merchandise imported into the United States from ports on the Mediterranean, for each of the years ending on the 30th of September, 1805, 1806, 1807, and 1808.

	1805.	1806.	1807.	1808.	Total.
From Gibraltar, - - - - -	\$8,028	\$4,148	\$6,999	\$15,344	\$34,519
French European ports on the Mediterranean, -	230,162	190,551	322,097	225,366	968,176
Spanish do. do do - - -	409,403	411,614	462,757	245,601	1,529,375
Italy, - - - - -	191,714	263,833	251,507	147,930	854,984
Trieste, and other Austrian ports on the Adriatic, -	16,207	93,927	49,491	50,783	210,408
Turkey, Levant, and Egypt, - - -	7,333	6,665	17,984	389	32,371
(a) Morocco and Barbary States, - - -	-	-	4,272	2,724	6,996
Total, - Dollars,	862,847	970,738	1,115,107	688,137	3,636,829

This statement shows the *gross* amount of duties, without deducting the drawbacks on account of re-exportations of the same articles. These could not be abstracted without recurring to all the accounts of the collectors for drawbacks paid, and much labor and delay.

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(a.) Including the ports of Morocco, on the Atlantic.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Register's Office, February 15, 1810.

JOSEPH Nourse, Register.

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[2d SESSION.

## BANK OF THE UNITED STATES.

COMMUNICATED TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FEBRUARY 19, 1810.

Mr. MONTGOMERY, from the committee to whom was referred the petition of the stockholders of the Bank of the United States, made the following report:

That, in proceeding to the consideration of the said petition, your committee instructed their chairman to address a letter to the Secretary of the Treasury, requesting him to furnish such information or observations as he might think proper, in relation to the subject matter thereof, as connected with the financial and commercial interests of the United States. In reply to which, the Secretary, by his letter to the chairman, referred your committee to his former report on the said subject, made to the Senate of the United States, in obedience to the order of that House.

Your committee have been attended by agents of the petitioners, who, in addition to the matters contained in the petition, have suggested to your committee that the object of the petitioners was to obtain the renewal of the charter in its present form; that, for this renewal, the bank is willing to make compensation, either by loans, at a rate of interest, or by a sum of money to be agreed upon, or by an increase of the capital stock, by a number of shares to be taken and subscribed for by the United States, to an amount adequate to the compensation to be agreed upon for such renewal.

These agents also suggested, that they were fully authorized and empowered to offer and conclude the terms, specifically connected with those propositions.

Your committee not feeling themselves authorized to enter into such terms, and judging that the extent of those propositions would better apply to the details of a bill, than to the adoption of a principle to be first settled by the House, have, therefore, foreborne to inquire into the extent of the propositions, and, without expressing an approbation or rejection of these offers, or giving an opinion as to the plan and reasoning of the Secretary of the Treasury, your committee, in order that the opinion of the House on this great national question may be declared previous to entering into the details connected with the subject, recommend the following resolution:

*Resolved*, That it is proper to make provision for continuing the establishment of the Bank of the United States, with offices of discount and deposite, under the regulations necessary for the beneficial administration of the national finances, during such time, and on such conditions, as may be defined by law.

11th CONGRESS.]

No. 316.

[2d SESSION.

## ALLOWANCE OF DRAWBACK.

COMMUNICATED TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FEBRUARY 21, 1810.

Mr. NEWTON, from the Committee of Commerce and Manufactures, to whom was referred the petition of George Armroyd and Co. made the following report:

The petitioners state that, on the 10th of July, 1807, certain goods, wares, and merchandise, were imported in the schooner Christianstadt, into the United States, viz. at Wilmington, in the district of Delaware, and that the same were afterwards transported, coastwise, in the sloops Carolina and Ann, to Philadelphia.