The following imports are reported by the Department of Customs:-

|  | 1910-1911 |  | 1911-1912 |  | 1912-1913 |  |
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|  | Squares <br> (100 sq. <br> ft.) |  | Squares <br> (100 sq. <br> ft.) |  | Squares <br> (100 sq. <br> ft.) |  |
| Roofing slate. | 16,919 | \$68,728 | 20,213 | \$85, 031 | 21,457 | \$95,222 |
| School slates....... |  | 33,598 |  | 35,863 |  | 43,389 |
| Slate pencils. . . . . . |  | 7,256 |  | 6,360 |  | 7,597 |
| Slate and manufactures of n.o.p. |  | $37,590$ |  | 46,312 |  | 73,664 |

