

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1881 to 1884.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1881 ... ..	49,135	6	74,645	4	6,461	1	46	3	34	9	20	7
1882 ... ..	44,232	3	80,178	3	4,129	0	40	11	34	1	20	7
1883 ... ..	67,120	0	151,957	2	13,333	3	40	1	34	2	19	5
1884 ... ..	63,812	2	159,888	7	11,372	3	32	0	31	10	19	4

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AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 7th November 1885, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1884.	1885.
Animals living :—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	6,319	5,856
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	18,742	12,877
Swine	...	...	...	"	199	137
Dead Meat :—						
Bacon	...	...	...	cwts.	41,917	49,383
Beef, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	21,962	25,249
Hams	...	...	...	"	6,836	8,602
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	162	427
" " preserved	...	...	...	"	7,350	9,394
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	...	...	...	"	7,287	6,900
Mutton, fresh	...	...	...	"	7,814	12,889
Poultry and Game (including Rabbits)	...	...	...	Value £	22,278	17,733
Butter and Butterine	...	...	...	cwts.	50,919	48,202*
Cheese	...	...	...	"	40,539	41,292
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	187,555	160,083
Lard	...	...	...	cwts.	6,858	14,524
Vegetables :—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bushels	136,335	146,319
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	32,906	25,233
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	6,665	4,177
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—						
Wheat	...	...	...	cwts.	739,071	947,123
Barley	...	...	...	"	729,461	392,756
Oats	...	...	...	"	222,587	249,111
Pease	...	...	...	"	59,032	70,070
Beans	...	...	...	"	120,393	28,615
Maize	...	...	...	"	294,213	571,715
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	329,856	283,144

\* Of this quantity, 20,281 cwts. were entered as Butterine.