

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1884 to 1887.

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.
1884	44,144	1	98,932	4	11,882	7	38	9	32	1	19	4
1885	51,216	5	73,658	2	8,441	6	32	7	31	7	19	11
1886	39,960	5	67,168	6	9,417	2	29	10	28	10	18	1
1887	30,847	3	68,003	0	7,876	4	35	4	26	4	16	11

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
January 7, 1888.

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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 January 1888, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		QUANTITIES.	
		1887.	1888.
Animals living:—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	Number	2,571	4,486
Sheep and Lambs	"	12,551	9,898
Swine	"	42	35
Dead Meat:—			
Bacon	cwts.	91,592	67,018
Beef, salted and fresh	"	29,716	17,076
Hams	"	17,368	14,096
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	"	863	413
" " preserved	"	10,119	14,867
Mutton, fresh	"	12,146	16,199
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	"	14,801	12,350
Poultry and Game	Value £	11,932	9,554
Rabbits	cwts.	3,612	3,779
Butter	"	27,982	24,757
Margarine	"	21,655	20,030
Cheese	"	17,318	15,833
Eggs	Great Hundred	135,940	122,526
Lard	cwts.	22,874	33,371
Vegetables:—			
Onions, raw	Bushels	43,673	26,541
Potatoes	cwts.	22,278	22,782
Unenumerated	Value £	4,338	8,875
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—			
Wheat	cwts.	719,748	901,863
Barley	"	166,435	364,814
Oats	"	116,603	395,997
Pease	"	39,742	61,607
Beans	"	43,293	42,351
Maize	"	464,274	490,597
Wheat Meal and Flour	"	304,168	406,734

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
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