STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week ended 17th October, 1885, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	76,091	6	30	11
Barley	135,101	3	30	9
Oats	12,169	0	18	9

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	54,329	5	53,442	0	7,365	7	47	1	35	8	20	6
1882	54,735	5	82,751	5	5,205	2	39	7	34	5	19	9
1883	65,388	3	103,990	2	12,396	5	40	5	34	6	19	11
1884	73,412	2	127,889	7	11,046	3	32	4	31	11	19	0

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AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 17th October, 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	10,394	5,283
Sheep and Lambs	„	19,463	12,626
Swine	„	570	311
Dead Meat:—			
Bacon	cwts.	36,237	47,893
Beef, salted and fresh	„	20,070	21,495
Hams	„	13,821	8,977
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh ...	„	279	377
„ „ preserved	„	11,915	4,637
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	„	4,821	5,134
Mutton, fresh	„	9,980	8,627
Poultry and Game (including Rabbits)	Value £	15,334	14,744
Butter and Butterine	cwts.	61,406	45,198*
Cheese	„	52,568	29,409
Eggs	Great Hundred	116,235	118,206
Lard	cwts.	4,342	15,251
Vegetables:—			
Onions, raw	Bushels	107,563	120,572
Potatoes	cwts.	8,012	10,462
Unenumerated	Value £	3,714	8,211
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—			
Wheat	cwts.	816,933	791,302
Barley	„	610,246	198,268
Oats	„	246,479	313,724
Pease	„	58,209	13,672
Beans	„	24,806	22,766
Maize	„	252,414	390,382
Wheat Meal and Flour	„	291,269	210,045

* Of this quantity, 17,093 cwts. were entered as Butterine.

Statistical Office, Custom House, London, October 19, 1885.

S. SELDON, Principal.