COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 41 Weeks ended 15th October, 1885.

Ports.	Imports.						Exports.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
	Week ended 15th October, 1885.											
Liverpool	16,905	...	538	...	2,113	19,556	880	...	554	202	61	1,697
London	...	...	2,166	...	42	2,208	...	...	825	...	...	825
Hull	...	...	...	110	...	110	1,442	...	109	110	...	1,661
Other Ports	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,966	...	100	...	...	5,066
Total	16,905	...	2,704	110	2,155	21,874	7,288	...	1,588	312	61	9,249
	41 Weeks ended 15th October, 1885.											
Liverpool	1,472,537*	172,795	170,822*	158,921	48,890*	2,023,965	91,390	321	48,448	7,115	2,070	149,344
London	94	...	172,486	...	2,991	175,571	103	...	141,656	24	771	142,554
Hull	15,588	638	674	1,730	50	18,680	33,595	580	14,265	3,790	420	52,650
Other Ports	27,184	...	50	...	66	27,300	25,576	...	6,105	175	1,168	33,024
Total	1,515,403	173,433	344,032	160,651	51,997	2,245,516	150,664	901	210,474	11,104	4,429	377,572

* Corrected figures.

Dated October 16, 1885.

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