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 31st October, 1885, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

					}.	QUANTITIES	SOLD.	AVERAGE PRICE.		
Wheat	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	Qrs. 56,949	Bus.	<i>s.</i> 31	d. 4	
	•••	•••	•••	***		149,636	4	30	2	
arley )ats	•••		•••	•••	•••	10,359	7	19	2	

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

Corresponding			QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
Week in		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		
			Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.		Bus.	8,	ď		d.	8.	d.
1881	•••	•••}	50,544	5	67,884	7	6,896	1	46	9	35	2	20	8
1882	•••	)	47,328	0	88,404	3	5,181	5	40	11	34	5	20	<b>2</b>
1883	•••		63,782	i	139,747	5	13,328	6	40	3	34	7	19	7
1884	•••	•••	65,773	0	151,335	1	10,244	1	32	3	32	0	19	2

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AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 31st October, 1885, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

				Quant	ities.
-			. [-	1884.	1885.
Animals living:—					
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves			Number	5,880	6,025
Sheep and Lambs			٠	15,748	16,791
Swine				361	199
Dead Meat: -		i		į	
Bacon	•••		cwts.	30,911	64,081
Beef, salted and fresh	•••		27	24,237	19,381
Hams	***		"	7,650	14,181
Meat unenumerated, salted and fres	sb		,,	123	314
" " preserved	•••		,,	8,021	10,597
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	•••		99	3,805	4,623
Mutton, fresh	•••		,,	11,086	2,611
Poultry and Game (including Rabbits)	•••		Value £	15,287	17,144
Butter and Butterine			cwts.	49,891	42,946
Cheese	•••	•••	,,	62,607	46,475
Eggs		•••	Great Hundred	142,621	179,851
Lard	• • 0	•••	cwts.	9,385	29,388
Vegetables:—		ı		•	•
Onions, raw	•••	•••	Bushels	109,428	134,553
Potatoes	•••	•••	cwts.	17,888	13,336
Unenumerated	•••		Value £	5,807	. 5,775
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:		- 1			·
- Wheat	•••	•••	cwts.	762,713	1,133,786
Barley	•••	•••	,,	586,269	172,143
Oats	•••		29	141,206	255,022
Pease	•••	•••	1)	75,333	76,548
Beans	•••	•••	,,	62,821	114,605
. Maize	•••		,,	300,642	559,502
Wheat Meal and Flour	•••	•••	,,	235,228	399,616

<sup>\*</sup> Of this quantity, 8,747 cwts. were entered as Butterine.