

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 1st May, 1886, conformably to the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

						QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
						Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	...	...	51,955	1	31	1
Barley	...	...	...	...	...	7,149	1	26	7
Oats	...	...	...	...	...	3,560	6	19	11

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1882 to 1885.

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.
1882	...	38,375	6	7,137	1	2,547	5	47	2	28	5	22	8
1883	...	66,336	0	5,834	0	4,486	7	42	10	32	4	23	2
1884	...	58,121	3	13,142	0	5,795	5	37	4	30	0	20	5
1885	...	57,685	5	5,938	1	5,835	0	37	1	31	4	22	7

Commercial Department, Board of Trade,
May 1, 1886.

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AN ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 1st. May, 1886, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

					Quantities.	
					1885.	1886.
Animals living:—						
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	...	...	...	Number	8,702	4,662
Sheep and Lambs	...	...	...	"	16,423	21,478
Swine	...	...	...	"	179	257
Dead Meat:—						
Bacon	...	...	...	cwts.	47,710	59,290
Beef, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	23,496	19,245
Hams	...	...	...	"	15,421	19,959
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	...	...	...	"	1,004	1,800
" " preserved	...	...	...	"	12,312	4,939
Pork, salted (not Hams) and fresh	...	...	...	"	4,625	6,238
Mutton, fresh	...	...	...	"	18,194	12,028
Poultry and Game (including Rabbits)	...	...	...	Value £	6,103	4,105*
Butter and Butterine	...	...	...	cwts.	48,724	46,788†
Cheese	...	...	...	"	17,520	13,321
Eggs	...	...	...	Great Hundred	273,666	215,905
Lard	...	...	...	cwts.	15,547	14,195
Vegetables:—						
Onions, raw	...	...	...	Bushels	31,387	79,705
Potatoes	...	...	...	cwts.	17,658	49,285
Unenumerated	...	...	...	Value £	22,166	18,130
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—						
Wheat	...	...	...	cwts.	1,437,633	617,784
Barley	...	...	...	"	362,895	114,779
Oats	...	...	...	"	594,903	243,373
Pease	...	...	...	"	78,950	23,596
Beans	...	...	...	"	29,634	35,598
Maize	...	...	...	"	617,290	509,658
Wheat Meal and Flour	...	...	...	"	325,622	330,913

* Value of Rabbits only:—£1,932.

† Of this quantity, 12,597 cwts. were entered as Butterine.

Statistical Office, Custom House, London,
May 3, 1886.

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