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## 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 ended 5th January, 1899. EXPORTS. IMPORTS. PORTS. C Egyptian. American. Brazilian. East Indian. Miscellaneous. TOTAL. Brazilian. East Indian. Egyptian. Miscellaneous. TOTAL. American. Week ended 5th January, 1899. Liverpool 76,230 9,174 159 85,569 736 300 1,970 28 3.065 6 31 ... ... ... London ... 695 33 33 695 ... ... ... ••• ... ... ... ... ... ... Hull ... 2,845 2,595 250 ... ... ... .... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... Manchester 9,452 13,506 4,054 ••• ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ••• ... ... Other Ports 4,077 4,077 2,242 2,242... ... ... ... ... .... ••• ... ... ... Total ... 89,759 13,228 192 103,185 5,573 6 300 726 2,220 28 8,847 ••• ...

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