

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of Agricultural Produce Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 1st April, 1899, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		Quantities.	
		1898.	1899.
Animals living :—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves	Number	12,588	12,406
Sheep and Lambs	"	29,242	16,182
Swine	"	—	—
Fresh Meat :—			
Beef	cwts.	61,443	76,888
Mutton	"	82,422	85,253
Pork	"	11,436	15,294
Salted or Preserved Meat :—			
Bacon	"	90,706	103,042
Beef	"	1,261	2,561
Hams	"	24,986	33,204
Pork	"	4,224	7,719
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	"	12,202	11,081
Meat preserved, otherwise than by salting	"	10,037	8,082
Dairy Produce and Substitutes :—			
Butter	"	60,996	57,348
Margarine	"	18,401	17,415
Cheese	"	27,802	46,450
Milk, Condensed	"	13,481	16,218
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	"	14	219
Eggs	Great Hundred	203,937	238,012
Poultry and Game	Value £	9,569	6,711
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	cwts.	3,675	1,997
Lard	"	53,227	34,461
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour :—			
Wheat	"	958,500	1,661,400
Wheat Meal and Flour	"	304,800	665,400
Barley	"	132,500	316,110
Oats	"	132,300	170,950
Pease	"	22,020	28,400
Beans	"	56,100	18,680
Maize or Indian Corn	"	979,400	1,407,300
Fruit, Raw :—			
Apples	Bush.	40,161	28,008
Oranges	"	250,732	353,697
Lemons	"	36,551	40,809
Cherries	"	—	—
Plums	"	—	—
Pears	"	155	240
Grapes	"	376	269
Unenumerated	"	6,704	15,743
Hay	Tons	1,295	3,231
Hops	cwts.	858	5,125
Vegetables :—			
Onions, raw	Bush.	75,136	87,328
Potatoes	cwts.	178,676	35,233
Unenumerated	Value £	20,511	29,005

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