

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 3rd October 1896, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		QUANTITIES.	
		1895.	1896.
Animals living:—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves ... ..	Number	11,138	11,482
Sheep and Lambs ... ..	"	41,908	16,341
Swine ... ..	"	—	—
Fresh Meat:—			
Beef ... ..	Cwts.	37,455	80,767
Mutton ... ..	"	38,979	21,502
Pork ... ..	"	5,415	10,410
Salted or Preserved Meat:—			
Bacon ... ..	"	59,164	80,774
Beef ... ..	"	4,091	2,276
Hams ... ..	"	19,145	13,262
Pork ... ..	"	3,505	4,574
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh ... ..	"	2,439	5,110
Meat, preserved otherwise than by salting ... ..	"	26,866	11,835
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—			
Butter ... ..	"	35,595	57,382
Margarine ... ..	"	16,803	18,409
Cheese ... ..	"	32,116	61,041
Milk and Cream, fresh ... ..	Gallons	140	726
Condensed Milk ... ..	Cwts.	7,196	12,071
Eggs ... ..	Great Hundred	249,102	283,522
Poultry and Game ... ..	Value £	2,038	2,616
Rabbits, dead (not tinned) ... ..	Cwts.	2,604	4,848
Lard ... ..	"	31,733	30,821
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—			
Wheat ... ..	"	1,280,300	1,010,540
Wheat Meal and Flour ... ..	"	459,420	375,300
Barley ... ..	"	660,120	257,000
Oats ... ..	"	258,860	398,900
Pease ... ..	"	31,510	69,340
Beans ... ..	"	90,100	48,900
Maize or Indian Corn ... ..	"	755,200	1,249,600
Fruit, Raw:—			
Apples ... ..	Bush.	74,478	385,797
Oranges ... ..	"	1,284	2,740
Lemons ... ..	"	19,310	19,651
Cherries ... ..	"	—	—
Plums ... ..	"	12,211	7,488
Pears ... ..	"	11,859	20,517
Grapes ... ..	"	59,625	84,819
Unenumerated ... ..	"	23,856	36,504
Hay ... ..	Tons	2,774	2,299
Hops ... ..	Cwts.	2,457	1,753
Vegetables:—			
Onions, raw ... ..	Bush.	121,931	142,922
Potatoes ... ..	Cwts.	12,169	5,061
Unenumerated ... ..	Value £	19,456	18,382

T. J. PITTAR.