

ACCOUNT showing the Quantities of certain kinds of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE Imported into the United Kingdom in the Week ended 28th August 1897, together with the Quantities Imported in the Corresponding Week of the Previous Year.

		QUANTITIES.	
		1896.	1897.
Animals living:—			
Oxen, Bulls, Cows, and Calves...	Number	12,100	13,388
Sheep and Lambs	"	13,314	10,575
Swine	"	—	—
Fresh Meat:—			
Beef	Cwts.	53,728	81,509
Mutton	"	46,293	57,905
Pork	"	5,917	3,989
Salted or Preserved Meat:—			
Bacon	"	101,565	87,227
Beef	"	4,504	5,899
Hams	"	38,431	35,131
Pork	"	4,550	6,095
Meat unenumerated, salted and fresh	"	4,332	4,922
Meat, preserved otherwise than by salting	"	12,341	26,533
Dairy Produce and Substitutes:—			
Butter	"	55,365	62,084
Margarine	"	19,468	21,739
Cheese	"	53,428	78,142
Milk, Condensed	"	11,411	20,381
Milk and Cream, Fresh or Preserved, other than Condensed Milk	Galls. 670	Cwts. 43
Eggs	Great Hundred	260,221	237,570
Poultry and Game	Value £	1,655	1,109
Rabbits, dead (not tinned)	Cwts.	5,835	5,232
Lard	"	40,761	28,227
Corn, Grain, Meal, and Flour:—			
Wheat	"	1,137,400	766,200
Wheat Meal and Flour... ..	"	379,700	261,200
Barley	"	220,050	170,500
Oats	"	343,300	237,900
Pease	"	57,980	43,600
Beans	"	103,400	13,900
Maize or Indian Corn	"	930,500	1,618,900
Fruit, Raw:—			
Apples	Bush.	49,258	65,957
Oranges	"	1,194	2,085
Lemons	"	12,563	19,026
Cherries	"	—	—
Plums	"	42,563	83,061
Pears	"	48,846	136,347
Grapes	"	43,288	29,373
Unenumerated	"	62,935	91,268
Hay	Tons	1,182	2,045
Hops	Cwts.	767	355
Vegetables:—			
Onions, raw	Bush.	111,095	137,418
Potatoes... ..	Cwts.	17,063	7,327
Unenumerated	Value £	28,335	34,999

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