

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1863.

RETURN of the Number of BALES of COTTON Imported and Exported at the Various Ports of the United Kingdom during the Week and 50 Weeks ended 13th December, 1888.

Ports.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ended 13th December, 1888.												
Liverpool ... ..	117,085	3,003	309	8,029	2,908	131,334	3,474	...	1,562	33	160	5,229
London ... ..	3,243	...	1,819	...	99	5,161	112	...	2,416	...	...	2,528
Hull ... ..	5,289	...	...	...	...	5,289	3,023	27	206	...	...	3,256
Other Ports ... ..	4,370	...	...	...	...	4,370	809	...	40	...	...	849
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>129,987</b>	<b>3,003</b>	<b>2,128</b>	<b>8,029</b>	<b>3,007</b>	<b>146,154</b>	<b>7,418</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>4,224</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>11,862</b>
50 Weeks ended 13th December, 1888.												
Liverpool ... ..	*2,545,816	*272,202	214,143	192,356	*60,684	3,285,201	131,799	7,263	77,334	5,846	14,799	237,041
London ... ..	12,319	...	171,984	17	4,416	188,766	12,074	...	184,736	...	1,429	198,239
Hull ... ..	61,458	...	11,803	2,769	...	76,030	91,246	7,155	25,569	4,121	5,416	133,507
Other Ports .. ..	*32,800	4	...	...	1,959	34,763	22,911	...	2,220	30	1,896	26,557
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>2,652,393</b>	<b>272,206</b>	<b>397,930</b>	<b>195,142</b>	<b>67,089</b>	<b>3,584,760</b>	<b>258,030</b>	<b>14,418</b>	<b>280,859</b>	<b>9,997</b>	<b>23,040</b>	<b>595,344</b>

Dated December 14, 1888.

\* Corrected figures.

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