

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 and 48 weeks ending 1st December, 1910, together with the Number of Bales Imported and Exported during the corresponding 48 weeks in 1909.

[NOTE.—Cotton "In Transit" or "For Transhipment under Bond," if described as such in the Ships' Reports, is not included in this Return.]

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ending 1st December, 1910.												
Liverpool	Bales. 63,115	Bales. 87	Bales. 2,021	Bales. 7,815	Bales. 1,894	Bales. 74,932	Bales. 375	Bales. ...	Bales. 1	Bales. 5,095	Bales. 86	Bales. 5,557
London	201	...	711	...	256	1,168	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hull ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	...	...	25
Manchester	27,880	...	...	6,742	...	34,622	...	...	...	90	...	90
Other Ports	130	...	...	11	...	141	11,347	...	...	...	...	11,347
TOTAL	91,326	87	2,732	14,568	*2,150	110,863	11,747	...	1	5,185	86	17,019
48 weeks ending 1st December, 1910.												
Liverpool	2,032,624	61,380	153,659	204,194	95,717	2,547,574	141,841	2,705	15,604	65,579	7,040	232,769
London	10,240	...	20,792	260	14,414	45,706	10,558	...	8,931	...	286	19,775
Hull	140	...	17,494	924	1	18,559	9,702	878	16,142	1,935	108	28,765
Manchester	251,327	...	1,224	115,336	374	368,261	1,171	...	85	320	...	1,576
Other Ports	48,452	...	10	819	3,338	52,619	46,384	...	2,195	55	18	48,652
TOTAL	2,342,783	61,380	193,179	321,533	†113,844	3,032,719	209,656	3,583	42,957	67,889	7,452	331,537
48 weeks ending 2nd December, 1909. }	3,049,757	47,096	105,528	485,590	130,398	3,818,369	180,688	7,568,	36,855	98,945	8,740	332,796

* Including 6 Bales British West African. † Including 6,350 Bales British West Indian, 6,785 Bales British West African, 13,929 Bales British East African, and 24 Bales Foreign East African.

Dated 2nd December, 1910.

GEO. J. STANLEY,
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