

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 4 weeks ending 22nd January, 1914, together with the Number of Bales Imported and Exported during the corresponding 4 weeks in 1913 and 1912.

PORTS.	IMPORTS.						EXPORTS.					
	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.	American.	Brazilian.	East Indian.	Egyptian.	Miscellaneous.	TOTAL.
Week ending 22nd January, 1914.												
Liverpool	Bales. 155,525	Bales. ...	Bales. 183	Bales. ...	Bales. 5,836	Bales. 161,544	Bales. 544	Bales. 130	Bales. 169	Bales. 2,373	Bales. ...	Bales. 3,216
London ... ..	...	...	...	...	156	156	...	...	602	...	104	706
Hull ... ..	...	...	...	470	...	470	100	...	...	1,385	...	1,485
Manchester	28,897	...	...	9,755	...	38,652	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Ports ... ..	...	...	...	29	...	29	100	...	...	...	...	100
TOTAL	184,422	...	183	10,254	*5,992	200,851	744	130	771	3,758	104	5,507
4 weeks ending 22nd January, 1914.												
Liverpool	397,014	32,010	5,872	26,236	15,656	476,788	9,789	754	789	10,466	657	22,455
London	2,506	...	4,693	...	493	7,692	3,206	...	4,757	...	225	8,188
Hull ... ..	...	...	1,275	1,855	...	3,130	2,223	150	710	2,320	341	5,744
Manchester	47,308	...	...	38,671	...	85,979	1,224	...	...	...	...	1,224
Other Ports	346	...	...	164	62	572	100	...	220	...	...	320
TOTAL	447,174	32,010	11,840	66,926	†16,211	574,161	16,542	904	6,476	12,786	1,223	37,931
4 weeks ending:												
23rd January, 1913 ...	591,163	16,541	9,528	101,457	10,947	729,636	25,259	1,046	5,754	34,925	1,440	68,424
25th January, 1912. ...	423,751	612	744	101,840	9,968	536,915	48,516	450	304	15,955	744	65,969

* Including 52 Bales British West Indian. † Including 376 Bales British West Indian, and 17 Bales British West African.

Dated 23rd January, 1914.

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