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BOARD OF TRADE RETURNS FOR SEPTEMBER.

THE figures of our foreign trade for September, as given by the Board of Trade, are certainly discouraging. The past month has naturally been a depressed period for business, owing largely to the unfortunate reopening of the Eastern Question; but although this may help to explain the heavy decrease in trade, it does not make the position look more encouraging. The imports in September were valued at 29,964,000*l.*, a decrease of 2,286,000*l.*, or fully 7 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of 1884. This shrinkage is to be found under all the more important heads, but it is most marked in articles of food and drink, and especially in cereal produce. The exports in September amounted to 18,622,000*l.*, showing a decrease of 1,884,000*l.*, or about 9 per cent., as contrasted with last year. This loss extends to all categories, the figures for both the textile and metal trades being distinctly unfavourable. In one or two instances the volume of trade has increased, but this only seems to have been obtained by reducing prices, which were already extremely low.

TOTAL EXPORTS.

	September	Compared with September 1884.	Nine Months, 1885.	Compared with 1884.
<b>Home Productions only—</b>				
Living animals .....	£ 70,244	+ £ 11,636	408,966	- 100,343
Food and drink.....	1,215,072	- 1,401	7,066,085	- 598,313
Raw materials (coal &c.) .....	1,093,657	- 102,413	9,879,384	- 358,787
Yarns and textiles ...	8,926,916	- 679,075	77,856,551	- 5,821,140
Metals (including manufactured) ...	2,746,658	- 438,272	23,760,140	- 4,870,350
Do machinery .....	819,990	- 269,554	8,473,689	- 1,523,169
Apparel, &c. ....	895,285	- 66,678	7,777,530	- 333,763
Chemicals, drugs, &c.	580,681	- 128,824	5,151,791	- 822,141
Other exports .....	2,273,161	- 209,700	20,314,095	- 1,852,860
<b>Total Home Productions .....</b>	<b>18,621,664</b>	<b>- 1,884,281</b> <b>= 9.1%</b>	<b>160,688,231</b>	<b>- 16,280,866</b> <b>= 9.2%</b>
<b>Add—Reshipments of merchandise imported .....</b>	<b>5,086,052</b>	<b>- 1,270,037</b> <b>= 20.0%</b>	<b>43,344,234</b>	<b>- 5,054,028</b> <b>= 10.4%</b>
<b>Total exports.....</b>	<b>23,707,716</b>	<b>- 3,154,318</b> <b>= 11.7%</b>	<b>204,032,465</b>	<b>- 21,334,894</b> <b>= 9.4%</b>

TOTAL IMPORTS.

	September	Compared with September, 1884.	Nine Months, 1885.	Compared with 1884.
	£	£	£	£
Living animals (food) .....	860,230	- 194,205	7,355,063	- 1,193,296
Food & drink (duty free).....	10,458,979	- 1,327,504	94,935,839	+ 781,490
Do dutiable ...	3,056,007	+ 324,337	17,742,172	- 32,524
Tobacco .....	611,213	+ 171,576	2,976,763	+ 761,629
Metals .....	1,241,768	- 256,227	12,401,885	- 286,194
Chemicals, dyes, &c. ....	561,514	+ 26,898	6,959,243	- 901,589
Oils .....	731,703	+ 110,349	4,952,397	+ 349,885
Raw materials (for textiles) ..	2,573,731	- 792,366	55,752,119	- 8,953,457
Do (other) .....	3,973,198	- 555,650	28,728,792	- 3,087,842
Manufactures ...	4,751,046	- 18,351	40,840,101	+ 5,284
Miscellaneous ...	1,144,399	+ 225,333	10,521,857	+ 776,251
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>29,963,788</b>	<b>- 2,286,000</b> <b>= 7.0%</b>	<b>283,166,231</b>	<b>- 11,780,363</b> <b>= 4.0%</b>

As shown above, there is a heavy falling off in the total value of our imports. Taking the figures in detail, we find a decrease of over 17 per cent. in our metal imports. This is chiefly under the head of copper, which exhibits a loss of 30 per cent. in value. The arrivals of copper have fallen from all quarters, the fall being most marked in those from the United States, the value of which was only 65,450*l.*, as against 221,790*l.* The receipts of regulus and precipitate have also been less, but wrought metal has come forward more freely from the United States and Chili. It is interesting to note the change in the character of our imports from the United States for the past nine months compared with 1884 and 1883:—

IMPORTS FROM UNITED STATES IN NINE MONTHS OF

	1885.	1884.	1883.
	£	£	£
Ore .....	68,551	495,203	119,638
Regulus and precipitate ...	567,471	114,573	144,954
Wrought metal .....	140,575	88,514	86,345
	776,597	698,290	350,937

The imports of iron ore and zinc have increased, but lead, tin, and pyrites are all down heavily. In textile materials there is a loss of 23½ per cent. on the month's imports, due, however, chiefly to cotton, which may be neutralised in another month, when the new American crop comes forward freely. Flax is down slightly, but hemp and jute have increased materially, although the value has not risen to a corresponding extent. The arrivals of silk from China continue small, and there is a decided decrease in the quantity of wool to hand. Among articles imported for sundry trades, wood has come forward in augmented quantities, chiefly from Canada, but all other leading articles exhibit a diminution. Articles of food and drink were worth about one million less last month as compared with 1884. The loss is chiefly in wheat, flour, and barley, and in butter. Taking the first of the three former articles, viz., wheat, we find that the loss is almost entirely in our receipts from the Atlantic ports of the United States, the value of which was only 441,000*l.*, against 1,041,000*l.* The value of the wheat, flour, and barley imported in the nine months of 1885 was over three millions in excess of 1884, so that with a good home harvest and large stocks, a diminution in current arrivals is only natural. Our imports of butter have fallen off



heavily, but in sugar there is considerable increase, especially from Java, where there is a large crop.

## I.—ARTICLES IMPORTED FOR MANUFACTURE IN SEPTEMBER.

	Quantities, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with Sept., 1884.	Values, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with Sept., 1884.
<b>METALS.</b>				
Copp'r (wrgt precip & ore) tons	19,575	- 17.3	399,823	- 30.0
Iron ore	224,111	+ 20.7	161,385	+ 19.1
Lead	5,343	- 32.0	63,813	- 25.0
Pyrites	36,672	- 7.8	67,820	- 23.6
Tin	87,437	- 32.5	170,769	- 25.3
Zinc	5,690	+ 53.7	82,231	+ 49.3
<b>Total*</b>			1,241,768	- 17.1
<b>FOR TEXTILE TRADES.</b>				
Cotton	240,834	- 43.0	662,864	- 44.4
Flax	98,147	- 9.9	168,157	- 2.9
Hemp	111,238	+ 15.5	166,377	+ 20.2
Jute	388,026	+ 82.3	210,179	+ 49.1
Silk	205,073	- 36.2	14,705	- 36.8
Wool	19,874,805	- 21.2	878,922	- 21.9
<b>Total*</b>			2,573,731	- 28.5
<b>FOR SUNDRY TRADES.</b>				
Caoutchouc	11,503	- 21.5	117,758	- 13.1
Hides	81,017	- 20.3	224,328	- 26.0
Esparto, &c.	10,731	- 27.8	60,963	- 27.4
Tallow	72,100	- 41.9	101,776	- 54.6
Wood, hewn and sawn	862,345	+ 19.8	2,077,393	+ 23.0
<b>Total*</b>			3,973,198	- 12.2
<b>Together</b>			7,788,697	- 17.1

\* Including minor articles.

## II.—ARTICLES IMPORTED FOR MANUFACTURE.—NINE MONTHS.

	Quantities, Nine Months, 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with 1884.	Values, Nine Months, 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with 1884.
<b>METALS.</b>				
Copper	172,545	+ 1.9	3,762,554	- 7.2
Iron ore	2,212,524	+ 4.6	1,547,605	- 6.8
Lead	79,940	+ 0.9	888,792	- 0.8
Pyrites	513,312	+ 22.1	986,330	+ 5.3
Tin	883,635	- 1.3	1,605,406	- 0.9
Zinc	42,111	+ 31.9	692,202	+ 26.5
<b>Total*</b>			12,401,885	- 2.2
<b>FOR TEXTILE TRADES.</b>				
Cotton	8,527,072	- 25.5	24,462,615	- 17.9
Flax	1,394,734	+ 12.4	2,670,298	+ 17.1
Hemp	1,129,222	+ 21.1	1,738,681	+ 20.5
Jute	5,001,704	+ 27.5	2,817,828	- 2.2
Silk	1,098,302	- 68.3	779,467	- 70.4
Wool	430,237,191	- 3.1	21,141,367	- 6.1
<b>Total*</b>			55,752,119	- 13.3
<b>FOR SUNDRY TRADES.</b>				
Caoutchouc	133,091	- 14.2	1,471,860	- 20.5
Hides	918,873	- 1.6	2,900,612	- 2.8
Esparto, &c.	166,016	+ 12.0	897,356	+ 6.0
Tallow	822,114	- 14.5	1,312,313	- 23.0
Wood, hewn and sawn	4,643,418	- 1.5	10,683,897	- 2.8
<b>Total*</b>			28,728,792	- 9.7
<b>Together</b>			93,682,796	- 11.3

\* Including minor articles.

## III.—IMPORTS OF ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.

	Values, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. Compared with Sept., 1884.	Values, Nine Months, 1885	Inc. or Dec. Compared with 1884.
<b>(Eatables.)</b>				
Living animals	860,290	- 184,205	7,555,063	- 1,193,796
Bacon	499,353	- 67,422	5,017,374	- 173,898
Beef—Salted or fresh	202,143	- 7,353	2,152,034	+ 82,026
Hams	159,075	- 13,723	1,796,516	+ 342,251
Meat—Preserved	122,935	- 36,750	1,208,620	+ 125,473
Mutton (fresh)	155,395	- 17,151	1,174,203	+ 170,583
Pork	34,971	+ 4,340	523,348	+ 76,035
Fish—Cured	159,765	+ 14,670	884,633	+ 209,055
Poultry and game	49,339	+ 8,558	344,592	+ 29,620
Butter and butterine	99,982	- 2,646	8,328,406	- 401,159
Cheese	480,014	- 77,321	3,108,692	- 618,976
Eggs	202,219	- 20,231	2,234,880	+ 41,409
Lard	148,692	+ 16,269	1,220,944	+ 47,232
Corn: Wheat	2,424,100	- 365,101	10,026,051	+ 2,734,366
Flour	585,953	- 401,425	7,550,507	- 255,086
Barley	381,494	- 200,073	3,242,154	+ 6,989
Oats	362,074	+ 5,288	8,345,123	+ 128,014
Beans	118,805	+ 22,079	832,577	+ 401,806
Indian corn	547,808	- 69,566	6,731,656	+ 82,310
Potatoes	24,277	+ 7,539	665,013	+ 122,826
Rice	346,263	- 2,384	1,626,032	- 428,024
<b>(For Drinking Purposes.)</b>				
Cocoa	69,882	+ 15,787	683,868	- 12,721
Coffee	2,680	+ 70,907	2,860,343	- 536,522
Tea	1,573,032	+ 254,006	7,541,183	+ 461,557
Spirits	162,095	+ 5,193	1,444,722	+ 89,963
Wine	329,355	- 38,111	3,812,969	- 111,234
Hops	89,105	- 64,972	410,221	- 475,472
Sugar (raw)	1,007,386	+ 223,148	10,620,020	+ 1,639,900
Ditto (refined)	280,360	- 78,523	3,717,364	+ 101,698
<b>Total (including other foods)</b>	13,514,966	- 1,003,167	112,678,011	+ 748,966

The comparative movements in our imports of manufactured goods are shown in the subjoined table:—

## IV.—MANUFACTURES IMPORTED.

	Values, Sept., 1885.	Increase or Decrease Compared with Sept., 1884.	Values, Nine Months, 1885.	Increase or Decrease Compared with 1884.
Clocks	27,892	- 5,628	239,575	- 13,615
Watches	47,202	- 8,254	448,512	- 4,953
Cotton goods	145,665	- 28,985	1,547,330	- 165,702
Glass	134,787	- 8,003	1,173,751	+ 36,071
Paper	116,406	+ 1,281	998,234	- 39,595
Iron manufactures (excluding bar and angle)	206,390	- 65,709	1,741,543	- 331,895
Leather	513,319	+ 1,105	4,390,976	+ 279,332
Do gloves	128,781	+ 13,534	1,165,332	- 179,220
Silk—stuffs	471,956	- 69,995	4,483,200	- 707,621
Do ribbons	252,587	+ 83,762	1,691,483	+ 296,171
Do other goods	223,364	- 35,109	1,984,755	- 347,883
Woolen yarn	168,635	+ 4,600	1,287,778	+ 20,631
Do manufactures	717,498	+ 58,506	5,597,123	+ 432,106
<b>Total*</b>	4,751,046	- 18,351	40,840,101	+ 5,234

\* Including minor articles.

In the articles classed as "miscellaneous," the movements have been as follows:—

## V.—PRINCIPAL MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES IMPORTED.

	Values, Sept., 1885.	Increase or Decrease Compared with Sept., 1884.	Values, Nine Months, 1885	Increase or Decrease Compared with 1884.
Oil-seeds—Cotton	16,555	- 5,610	1,405,652	+ 476,121
Flax and linseed	478,608	+ 230,386	3,138,070	+ 759,114
Rape	145,750	+ 33,857	678,999	- 251,731
Oils and turpentine	731,703	+ 110,349	4,952,397	+ 349,885
Indigo	11,325	- 30,895	1,886,416	- 494,968
Chemicals (unenumerated)	91,310	- 22,010	1,000,195	- 130,625
Nitre (cubic)	60,280	- 1,791	787,917	+ 37,622
Drugs	72,984	+ 21,976	679,475	- 84,221
Tobacco	611,213	+ 171,576	2,976,763	+ 761,629

On the export side of the account, textile fabrics show a shrinkage of over 7 per cent. None of the figures in this section have other than a depressing appearance, for even when bulk has increased value has declined seriously. Woollen yarn, which shows an increase of about 10 per cent. in quantity, and  $9\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. in value, is the only exception which can be considered favourable, but then the expansion in this direction is partly explained by the loss in woollen piece goods. Cotton piece goods exhibit a loss of about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. in quantity, but the value has shrunk nearly 8 per cent. Jute goods are down, so is linen yarn, and although our exports of linen piece goods have expanded  $6\frac{1}{2}$  per cent., about  $\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. less money has been received for them. In metals, it is unsatisfactory to find an increase of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. in the bulk of our iron and steel exports, attended by a loss of over  $7\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. in their value. Railroad iron exhibits a slight gain, owing to a continued demand for India, but otherwise the loss extends to all categories, pig, bar and angle, hoops, sheets, &c., and all other cast and wrought iron, including tin plates. Machinery and millwork mark a heavy loss, and in telegraphic wire, &c., there is another large decrease. Altogether, the diminution in the value of our metal exports amounts to  $16\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. The movements in coal correspond with those in metals. In practically all other important commodities, except, perhaps, seed oil, there is a decided shrinkage as compared with last year, and in the few cases where the volume has increased values do not show a proportionate gain.

## VI.—QUANTITIES and VALUES of HOME MANUFACTURES, &amp;c., EXPORTED in September, 1885, compared with September, 1884.

	Quantities, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with Sept., 1884.	Values, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with Sept., 1884.
<b>TEXTILES.</b>				
Cotton yarn	20,523,700	- 5.0	1,012,306	- 10.2
— piece goods	377,825,500	- 1.4	4,135,744	- 7.8
— thread	1,431,600	+ 13.3	211,428	+ 0.5
— lace and net	...	...	204,552	+ 16.8
Jute manufactures	19,386,000	- 18.7	171,147	- 26.7
Linen yarn	1,335,800	- 17.2	78,606	- 12.6
— piece goods	13,637,200	+ 6.6	372,313	- 0.7
Silk manufactures	...	...	196,641	- 6.2
Woolen & worsted yarns	4,219,500	+ 10.1	423,279	+ 9.4
Woolen fabrics	8,075,200	- 3.8	788,837	- 8.2
Worsted fabrics	12,674,500	- 13.0	556,828	- 6.4
Carpets	1,393,100	+ 0.9	151,731	- 0.6
Flannels and blankets	...	...	66,129	- 4.7
<b>Total textiles*</b>	...	...	8,926,916	- 7.1



VI.—QUANTITIES and VALUES of HOME MANUFACTURES, &c., EXPORTED in Sept., 1885, compared with Sept., 1884.—*Con.*

	Quantities, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with Sept., 1884.	Values, Sept., 1885.	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with Sept., 1884.
<b>METALS.</b>				
Copper.....cwt	101,465	+ 13.3	253,022	- 3.6
Hardware and cutlery .....	...	...	252,159	- 4.6
Iron and steel .....	319,671	+ 3.2	1,934,390	- 7.6
Telegraphic wire, &c. ....	...	...	28,080	- 90.0
Machinery and engines .....	...	...	819,990	- 24.7
<b>Total metals*</b> .....	...	...	3,563,648	- 16.5
<b>OTHER MERCHANDISE.</b>				
Beer and ale.....barrels	30,967	+ 18.5	123,471	+ 10.7
Pickles, vinegar, &c. ....	...	...	119,641	- 2.1
Sugar, refined .....	93,187	- 15.0	75,498	- 12.6
Coal .....	1,960,089	- 7.3	679,405	- 10.0
Wool, English .....	2,092,700	- 9.5	75,556	- 17.5
Apparel .....	...	...	346,998	+ 6.3
Haberdashery, &c. ....	...	...	220,156	- 19.4
Hats .....	77,468	- 1.3	89,502	+ 0.4
Boots and shoes.....doz. pairs	49,305	- 8.3	147,816	- 7.1
Alkali .....	614,330	- 16.3	172,633	- 25.6
Chemical manure .....	...	...	130,599	- 13.2
Bags and sacks.....dozens	279,986	- 33.4	61,607	- 40.3
Books .....	...	...	103,377	- 9.0
Earthenware, China.....	...	...	142,559	- 8.4
Oil (seed).....gallons	1,495,200	+ 33.4	138,776	+ 41.1
Painters' colours .....	...	...	105,055	- 5.8
Paper.....cwt	66,002	+ 5.9	129,798	- 2.3
<b>Total exports, Sept. *</b> .....	...	...	13,621,664	- 9.2

\* Including all minor items.

VII.—QUANTITIES and VALUES of HOME MANUFACTURES, &c., EXPORTED in NINE MONTHS of 1885, compared with 1884.

	Quantities, Nine Months, 1885	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with 1884.	Values, Nine Months, 1885	Inc. or Dec. % Compared with 1884.
<b>TEXTILES.</b>				
Cotton yarn .....	187,694,900	- 6.9	9,025,011	- 12.9
— piece goods .....	3310,343,600	+ 0.3	36,874,543	- 5.2
— thread.....	11,079,900	+ 0.2	1,766,533	- 4.7
— lace and net .....	...	...	1,887,538	- 4.2
Jute manufactures .....	158,371,500	- 12.6	1,434,597	- 23.9
Linen yarn .....	12,439,500	- 16.1	738,769	- 14.6
— piece goods .....	114,027,200	- 6.5	3,103,304	- 10.0
Silk manufactures .....	...	...	1,516,222	- 12.4
Woolen and worsted yarn.....lbs	32,200,700	+ 12.4	3,269,142	+ 17.2
— fabrics .....	66,657,100	- 9.4	7,042,674	- 9.5
Worsted fabrics.....	128,953,800	- 6.0	5,090,607	- 5.9
Carpets.....	6,772,300	- 2.0	936,245	- 4.6
Flannels and blankets .....	...	...	594,276	- 5.7
<b>Total textiles*</b> .....	...	...	77,856,551	- 6.9
<b>METALS.</b>				
Copper .....	875,542	+ 0.5	2,289,744	- 15.9
Hardware and cutlery .....	...	...	2,102,812	- 11.2
Iron and steel .....	2,383,536	- 11.3	16,510,298	- 11.5
Telegraphic wire, &c. ....	...	...	489,550	- 78.4
Machinery and engines .....	...	...	8,473,689	- 15.2
<b>Total metals*</b> .....	...	...	32,233,800	- 16.9
<b>OTHER MERCHANDISE.</b>				
Beer and ale.....barrels	317,560	- 3.4	1,196,659	- 1.9
Pickles, vinegar, &c. ....	...	...	960,456	- 2.2
Sugar, refined .....	727,727	- 27.2	544,153	- 38.9
Coal .....	17,858,188	+ 0.5	8,031,670	- 3.1
Wool, English.....lbs	13,107,400	- 6.1	548,290	- 13.8
Apparel .....	...	...	3,078,705	+ 7.2
Haberdashery, &c. ....	...	...	1,817,236	- 20.1
Hats .....	813,194	- 2.9	856,595	- 2.9
Boots and shoes.....doz. pairs	413,874	+ 10.0	1,208,121	+ 7.7
Alkali .....	4,981,658	+ 3.4	1,452,762	- 6.5
Chemical manure .....	...	...	1,273,860	- 25.3
Bags and sacks.....dozens	2,529,436	- 19.0	556,754	- 27.1
Books .....	84,061	- 6.2	819,146	- 2.9
Earthenware, China.....	...	...	1,268,536	- 6.7
Oil (seed).....gallons	12,439,800	- 1.5	1,152,245	+ 0.3
Painters' colours .....	...	...	935,102	- 5.6
Paper.....cwt	606,151	+ 12.2	1,215,783	+ 6.7
<b>Total exports, nine months*</b> .....	...	...	100,638,231	- 9.2

\* Total includes minor articles.

The re-export trade shows a loss this month of 1,270,000*l.*, or about 20 per cent., as contrasted with last year, a result entirely due to the smaller shipments of colonial wool.

The movements of the precious metals for the month and the nine months were as follows:—

	GOLD.		SILVER.	
	Sept.	Nine Months.	Sept.	Nine Months.
Imports, 1885 ...	£ 751,791	£ 9,303,383	£ 577,451	£ 7,198,681
Do 1884 ...	344,742	9,088,906	714,478	7,288,703
Inc. or Dec +	407,049	+ 214,477	- 137,027	- 90,022
Exports, 1885 ...	2,057,866	7,121,465	765,918	7,965,974
Do 1884 ...	977,273	8,941,287	1,344,514	7,931,453
Inc. or Dec +	1,080,593	- 1,819,822	- 578,596	+ 34,516

	GOLD.		SILVER.	
	Sept.	Nine Months.	Sept.	Nine Months.
Balance retnd., '85	£ 1,306,075	£ 2,181,918	£ ...	£ ...
Do exported, '85	...	...	188,467	767,293
Balance retnd., '84	...	147,619	...	...
Do exported, '84	632,531	...	630,036	642,755

The following is an account of the quantities of certain principal articles of imported merchandise (subject to duties of Customs) remaining in the bonded warehouses of the United Kingdom on September 30, 1885, compared with the quantities in warehouse on September 30, 1884:—

	1885.	1884.
Chicory.....cwt	19,942	17,193
Cocoa.....lbs	7,308,927	9,493,305
Coffee.....cwt	434,323	538,596
Fruit—Currants.....	243,330	226,415
Raisins.....	74,373	79,531
Spirits, not sweetened or mixed—		
Rum.....proof gallons	9,970,899	8,531,677
Brandy.....	4,546,427	5,006,579
Other sorts.....	631,374	690,997
Tea.....lbs	94,765,871	102,913,987
Tobacco—Unmanufactured.....	94,354,262	80,942,921
Manufactured and snuff.....	2,694,536	2,650,448
Wine—From France.....gallons	642,414	753,754
Portugal.....	2,731,269	3,002,096
Spain.....	3,535,055	3,951,209
Other countries.....	687,805	704,448
<b>Total of wine</b> .....	7,596,543	8,411,507

Including the stock in the Excise warehouses of goods received under bond from the Customs Warehouses under Act 44 Vict. 12 c.

THE INLAND TRADE OF BRITISH BURMA IN 1884-5.

In view of the recent increase of French influence in Upper Burma, and the possible results to which this may lead, considerable interest attaches to the volume and direction of the inland trade of British Burma. Despite the complaints of bad trade, and the undoubted depression which has existed in the over-sea export business, owing to over-trading and the unsatisfactory state of the rice trade, the report of the inland trade shows a distinct increase as compared with the two preceding years. It is true that the increase is, no doubt, partly due to the greater efficiency of the system of registering the trade movements, by which the inaccurate valuations put on many items, especially of the import trade, have been corrected. Still, allowing for this, it is believed that the volume of the trade of British Burma with Ava, Siam, and the semi-independent Shan States has distinctly increased. The following are the totals for the past three years, converting the rupee at 1*s* 8*d*:—

	Imports.	Exports.	Total.
	£	£	£
1884-5.....	2,231,000	1,978,000	4,259,000
1883-4.....	2,180,000	1,923,000	4,103,000
1882-3.....	2,120,000	1,578,000	3,698,000

Compared with 1883-4, the imports in the past year show an increase of 101,000*l.*, and the exports an increase of 55,000*l.*, equal to an increase of about 4½ and nearly 3 per cent. respectively. Contrasted with 1882-3, the difference is more strongly marked, especially in the export trade, where there is an augmentation of about 400,000*l.*, or 25 per cent. In the import trade, the items which show the largest increase are cattle, hides, jaggery, timber, and silver specie from Upper Burma, while the greatest decreases appear under cutch, oils, and silk from that country, and teak from Zimmé and Karenni. The increase in the export trade was mainly due to exceptionally large shipments of rice to Upper Burma, but in addition there was an increase in sik and silk goods, betelnuts, &c. On the other hand, the export of silver specie fell off to a large extent, and less trade was done in cotton goods, sugar, &c. The bulk—say, two-thirds—of the inland trade of British Burma is transacted by the Irrawaddy river route, there being a regular and well-managed steamer service on that river. Compared with last year the Irrawaddy trade exhibits an increase of 412,000*l.* A considerable traffic also passes over the Sittang and Salween river routes. The Salween and Toungoo routes



are the principal land routes. The trade of the Salween district shows a considerable loss as compared with 1883-4, owing chiefly to a shrinkage in the chief staple of export, viz., teak timber. As a result of unusually large importations of cattle from Upper Burma, the Toungoo land route traffic increased, and the same cause, together with heavy exports of rice, also influenced the Thayetmyo route. The proportion according to value of the trade carried by each of the important routes was as follows:—

	1884-5.	1883-4.
	£	£
Irrawaddy, river route...	3,085,000	2,673,000
Salween .....	516,000	669,000
Sittang .....	165,000	164,000
Salween, land route .....	223,000	389,000
Toungoo .....	142,000	116,000
Thayetmyo .....	75,000	46,000
Amherst .....	45,000	35,000

The detailed figures of the imports and exports are not given in a complete form, except as regards the business transacted by the Irrawaddy route, but as this is so much the most important, it is worth examining a little in detail. In cotton goods, we find that the export trade in twist and yarn fell off to a slight extent, while the trade in cotton cloth was dull, owing to the unsettled state of Upper Burma and the poverty of the people. The exports of rice were valued at 327,000*l*, or about double what they were in the previous year. The rice crops in Upper Burma were scanty, but, in addition, cultivation appears to be in a very backward state. It is stated that "it would appear as if the people in the King's country had come to depend largely on Pegu for their grain supplies." Large quantities of kerosine oil, which were received at Rangoon from America, were exported to Upper Burma, where it is coming into very general use. Large shipments of salt also took place, but the consumption did not keep pace with the supply. Raw silk also went largely to Mandalay, where silk weaving is practised to some extent. The increase this year under this head is attributed to the insecurity of the overland routes to China. The exports of silk piece goods increased considerably, and larger quantities of woollen manufactures were speculatively exported, owing to the glut of the Rangoon market, but the value of the latter did not increase. The articles we have here referred to are summarised below:—

	EXPORTS.		Increase or Decrease.
	1884-5.	1883-4.	
	£	£	£
Cotton twist and yarn .....	137,000	143,000	- 6,000
Cotton piece goods .....	218,000	239,000	- 21,000
Woollen piece goods .....	42,000	42,000	...
Silk piece goods .....	177,000	131,000	+ 46,000
Raw silk .....	96,000	79,000	+ 17,000
Rice .....	492,000	237,000	+ 255,000
Salt .....	33,000	29,000	+ 4,000
Oils .....	18,000	14,000	+ 4,000

The following figures show the movements in the leading articles of import:—

	IMPORTS.		Increase or Decrease.
	1884-5.	1883-4.	
	£	£	£
Wheat .....	11,000	9,000	+ 2,000
Cutch .....	56,000	96,000	- 40,000
Hides .....	86,000	64,000	+ 22,000
Oils .....	112,000	117,000	- 5,000
Timber .....	258,000	193,000	+ 65,000
Sugar (unrefined) .....	125,000	94,000	+ 31,000

The wheat trade is very small, as can be seen, but under a good and settled Government the production in Upper Burma is believed to be capable of great expansion. The decline in cutch is due to short production and low prices. The imports of oil are largely composed of crude petroleum, obtained from the wells in Upper Burma, and it is refined and then exported to Calcutta and Madras. The cross movements of this article are very peculiar. The increase in the sugar trade is partly ascribed to the removal in Upper Burma of the monopoly of the sugar traffic. The increased activity in the timber trade was due to the larger supplies sent forward by the lessees of the King of Burma's forests. Much of the timber, however, was of low quality, and hence the price of teak has fallen

40 per cent. at Rangoon within the past eighteen months, with no immediate prospect of a change for the better. The trade in sapphires has dwindled to a very low point, as owing to their low value it is said "no money can be made out of them."

Taken as a whole, it will be seen that our aggregate direct trade interests in Upper Burma are large, and have increased even under the difficult circumstances which have existed during the past year or two. When to these are added the indirect interests, it is easy to see the reasons for the opposition to the action of the French in Upper Burma, which has arisen both here and in India.

#### A CENTURY OF WAGES AND PRICES IN MASSACHUSETTS.

IN the report on the statistics of labour just issued by the Massachusetts Bureau for the year 1885, an interesting historical review of wages and prices is given, extending over more than a century. Mr Curroll D. Wright, the Chief of the Bureau, has from time to time devoted much attention to this important question, and he has in previous annual reports published a great deal of valuable and useful information relating to the social and industrial condition of the operative classes in Massachusetts during the last five and twenty years. With the view of making this statistical history of the industrial development of Massachusetts more complete, Mr Wright determined while it was yet practicable to collect together all the available information that was within his reach relating to this subject, and which, scattered as it was, through old account books, bills, and miscellaneous papers, was rapidly passing out of existence. The industrial history of Massachusetts is divided into three periods, the first, being prior to the year 1815, was antecedent to the general introduction of machinery and the establishment of the factory system. The second, which embraces the period from the year 1815 to 1830, Mr Wright terms the period of transition, and it witnessed the gradual introduction of the factory system, and the application of machinery driven by steam or water power to the various manufacturing processes. It was during this period that the spinning and weaving of cotton was established in such towns as Lowell, Fall River, Taunton, and Chicopee, and the woollen industry in the towns of Mendon, Uxbridge, Northbridge, Fitchburg, Leicester, Oxford, and other places. From the year 1830, Mr Wright dates the opening of the third period in the industrial history of the Commonwealth, which he designates the present industrial period. The development of invention and of manufacturing industry in Massachusetts which has characterised the last half-century has been truly marvellous, and is probably only paralleled by the progress which has been made in the same direction in Great Britain. Some of the illustrations quoted by Mr Wright in proof of this are sufficiently striking. In the cotton industry, the number of spindles at work in the State of Massachusetts increased from 339,000 in 1831, to 4,236,000 in 1880, and the number of power looms from 8,900 to 95,300. In 1831, the number of spindles per operative in Massachusetts was 25.5, in 1880, 73.3, and the manufactured product per operative had increased during the same period from 1,656 lbs to 3,794 lbs, an increase of 129 per cent. A comparison is also made between the productive capacity of the operatives upon the more conclusive basis of value, but as the figures which would enable this comparison to be made are not available for 1831, the year 1850 is selected, and with this result, that it shows that the net product per operative had increased from 351 dols 73c in 1850, to 592 dols 62c in 1880, an increase of 68 per cent. One notable fact which appears to be proved by the figures given in this report is that the net product per operative in 1880 in the State of Massachusetts, working under a ten-hour law, is greater in that State than in any of the other New England States, although the operatives in these States work longer hours. In Maine, the net product per operative in 1880 was 510 dols 18c; in New Hampshire, 476 dols 15c; in Rhode Island, 499 dols 84c; in Connecticut, 555 dol 14c; and in



Massachusetts, as we have seen, 592 dols 62c. It is interesting to follow up the comparison suggested by these figures by showing the effect which the development of manufacturing industry has had on the wages of the operatives. This is found in the data presented by Mr Wright in the following table, which shows the percentage of increase in wages of cotton mill operatives in 1880 compared with 1831:—

States.	Men.	Women.	Children.	General Average.
Maine .....	35	154	...	97
New Hampshire .....	19	110	54	76
Massachusetts .....	19	152	...	108
Rhode Island.....	72	190	120	163
Connecticut .....	71	145	119	104
Average .....	38	149	115	115

In 1831 the average hours of labour throughout New England in the cotton industry was 12 hours 18 minutes per day, in 1880 it was but 10 hours 52 minutes, a decrease of about 12 per cent. The results shown by the figures quoted relating to the cotton industry in New England may be thus summarised. The productive capacity of the operative, measured by the weight of the manufactured product, has increased 145 per cent.; the machinery controlled by each operative has increased 184 per cent.; the net value of the manufactured product has increased 75 per cent., while the time worked by the operative has decreased by 12 per cent.; wages have increased on an average by 97 per cent.; and finally, the cost of the manufactured product to the consumer has been most materially reduced.

The history of the development of the boot and shoe industry in Massachusetts, as related in this report, furnishes us with convincing evidence of the improvement which has been effected in the social condition of the workpeople by the introduction of machinery. This was one of the earliest industries organised in the State. The entire shoe was then made by the same artisan, a small group of men often working together in a little one-story shop. Piecework was the custom of the trade, and it still prevails. The workmen were paid 15, 20, 25, or 30 cents a pair, and higher prices for extra quality, and an average workman, by twelve hours' labour, could earn about a dollar. The introduction of machinery into the trade took place about 1860. The industry is now conducted in large, well-lighted, thoroughly ventilated factories, equipped with a number of ingenious inventions, each shoe made being the result of the successive operations of numerous workmen. In 1845, the labour of each operative in Massachusetts produced 455 pairs of boots and shoes in 1875, the average number made equalled 2,205 pairs. In 1855, the hand workmen earned from six to seven and a-half dollars a week when at full work. In 1860, after the introduction of machinery, the average weekly wages of the men were from 10 dols 50c to 18 dols per week, and of women from 5 dols 50c to 8 dols 25c per week. In 1850, 105,254 persons were employed in this industry in the United States, 32,949 being females. In 1880, 133,819 were so employed, 29,798 being females and children. The introduction of machinery into this industry, therefore, has increased the total number of persons employed, increased the productive capacity of the workpeople and their wages, while it has diminished the amount of female labour employed, and very largely reduced the cost of the manufactured article to the consumer.

Mr Wright has brought together in this report a mass of very valuable information relating to the economic conditions which surround the operative classes in the United States, which will well repay a careful study by those who feel an interest in this important question. Stated broadly, the general result of the comparison made between wages and prices in Massachusetts during the decade ending 1830 compared with the decade ending 1860 is as follows:— Wages have advanced 52·3 per cent. Agricultural products 62·8 per cent.; burning oils and fluids, 29·0 per cent.; candles and soap, 42·6 per cent.; dairy products, 38·8 per cent.; fish, 9·8 per cent.; flour and meal, 26·0 per cent.; fuel (wood only), 55·4 per cent.; meats, &c., 53·0 per cent.; while on the other hand, the price of boots and shoes has declined 38·9 per cent.; clothing and dress goods, 24·7 per

cent.; dry goods, 30·9 per cent.; food productions, 17·5 per cent.; letter paper, 35·1 per cent.; spices and condiments, 36·5 per cent. These figures indicate to a certain extent the changes which have taken place in the pecuniary position of the New England operative, and they enable us to estimate the improvement which has unquestionably taken place in his social condition.

### THE NEW CUSTOMS TARIFF OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE Budget of South Australia for the current financial year showed a deficit, to cover which 198,000*l* is to be raised by additional taxation. One of the new sources of income is an addition to the tariff, which is sought to be justified on the old ground of "encouraging local industries." From this source an additional revenue of 130,000*l* is expected. The following is a list of all articles on which the duties are to be increased:—

#### RATED LIST.

Article.	Present Tariff.		New Tariff.	
	Duty.		Duty Rate.	
	£	s d	£	s d
Galvanised iron manufactures .....	0	3 0	...	0 4 0
Galvanised iron (corrugated).....	1	10 0	...	1 10 0
Do (unmanufactured) .....		Free.	...	1 10 0
Salt .....	1	0 0	...	1 10 0
Glucose .....	0	3 0	...	0 6 0
Iron fencing .....	1	10 0	...	2 0 0
Gates .....	1	10 0	...	2 0 0
Girders .....	1	0 0	...	2 0 0
Pipes .....	1	10 0	...	2 0 0
Posts .....	1	10 0	...	2 0 0
Tubes .....	1	10 0	...	2 0 0
Oatmeal .....		Free.	...	2 0 0
Lead pipe and sheet .....	0	2 6	...	0 2 6
Do shot.....	0	2 6	...	0 2 6
Malt .....	0	0 6	...	0 2 0
Marble, wrought.....	10	%	...	0 0 6
Do (unwrought) .....		Free.	...	...
Slate .....	10	%	...	0 0 6
Stone (unwrought) .....		Free.	...	0 0 6
Nails .....	0	2 0	...	0 2 0
Onions .....		Free.	...	0 2 0
Paints (mixed or dry).....	0	2 0	...	0 2 0
Screws .....	10	%	...	0 2 0
Do (galvanised).....	0	2 0	...	0 2 0
Naptha .....	0	0 6	...	0 0 6
Oils (except cod, seal, and whale) ...	0	0 6	...	0 0 6
Turpentine .....	0	0 6	...	0 0 6
Varnish .....	0	0 6	...	0 0 6
Oats .....		Free.	...	0 0 3
Opium .....	0	10 0	...	1 0 0
Paper-bags .....	0	3 4	...	0 3 4
Paper-wrapping (brown and white, brown),	0	3 4	...	0 3 4
Plaster of paris .....	0	2 0	...	0 3 0
Acetic acid .....		Free.	...	0 0 3
Cordials (not spirituous) .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Syrups .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Ale.....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Porter .....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Spruce .....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Other beer .....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Cider and perry .....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Limejuice (aerated) .....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Limejuice cordials (not spirituous) ...	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Vinegar .....	0	0 9	...	0 1 0
Animals, living—Horses .....		Free.	...	0 5 0
Horned cattle .....		Free.	...	0 2 6
Sheep .....		Free.	...	0 0 3
Pigs .....		Free.	...	0 2 0
Arrowroot .....	0	0 1	...	0 0 1
Sago .....	0	0 1	...	0 0 1
Tapioca .....	0	0 1	...	0 0 1
Vegetables (preserved).....	0	0 1	...	0 0 1
Stearine .....		Free.	...	0 0 1
Patent barley .....		Free.	...	0 0 1
Patent groats .....		Free.	...	0 0 1
Bacon .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Candied fruits.....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Cheese .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Chocolate.....	0	0 3	...	0 0 3
Cocoa (manufactured) .....	0	0 3	...	0 0 3
Confectionery.....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Fruit, dried (except dates) .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Gunpowder (sporting) .....	0	0 3	...	0 0 3
Hams .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Jams .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Jellies .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Mustard .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3
Nuts (except cocoa-nuts) .....	0	0 2	...	0 0 3



Article.	Present		New Tariff	
	Tariff.	Duty.	Duty	Rate.
	£	s	£	s
Preserves.....	0	0	0	0
Tea.....	0	0	0	0
Barley.....bushel	Free.		0	0
Biscuits.....lb	0	0	0	0
Blue.....	0	0	0	0
Butter.....	Free.		0	0
Candles.....	0	0	0	0
Cornflour.....	0	0	0	0
Dates.....	0	0	0	0
Fish (dried, preserved, and salted, except in pickles or brine).....lb	0	0	0	0
Glue.....	0	0	0	0
Honey.....	Free.		0	0
Maizena.....	0	0	0	0
Meat (preserved, except in pickle or brine).....	0	0	0	0
Pearl barley.....	0	0	0	0
Pepper.....	0	0	0	0
Spices.....	0	0	0	0
Split peas.....	0	0	0	0
Starch.....	0	0	0	0
Peaflour.....	0	0	0	0
Macaroni.....	0	0	0	0
Vermicelli.....	0	0	0	0
Cards (playing).....dozen packs	0	3	0	3
Cement.....barrel	0	2	0	2
Chicory (except green root), including kil-dried.....lb	0	0	0	0
Hops.....	0	0	0	0
Chicory (green root).....ton	1	10	0	0
Coffee (raw).....lb	0	0	0	0
Coffee (roast or ground).....	0	0	0	0
Coffee (date, mixed with chicory or coffee).....	0	0	0	0
Cordage, viz.—Cair rope.....cwt	0	3	0	4
Do hempen and other cordage (except of galvanised and other iron and steel cordage), including all housing and seizing lines and spun yarn.....cwt	0	3	0	8
Do white lines and other description of cordage not otherwise specified (except cair yarn).....cwt	0	3	0	16
Do galvanised and galvanised wire.....ton	0	3	0	3
Do iron and iron wire.....	1	0	0	3
Do steel wire.....	1	0	0	0
Doors and frames.....each	0	2	6	0
Fruit (bottled).....doz. quarts	0	2	0	3
Do.....pints	0	1	0	6
Do.....smaller pints	0	0	9	0
Pickles.....quarts	0	2	0	3
Do.....pints	0	1	0	6
Do.....smaller pints	0	0	9	0
Sauces.....quarts	0	2	0	3
Do.....pints	0	1	0	6
Do.....smaller pints	0	0	9	0
Potatoes.....cwt	0	0	6	0
Rice and rice flour.....	0	3	0	0
Sugar.....	0	3	0	0
Treacle.....	0	3	0	0
Molasses.....	0	3	0	0
Sarsaparilla (not containing more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit).....gallon	0	4	0	0
Sashes (all kinds).....pair	0	2	6	0
Soap (except fancy soaps).....ton	1	0	0	10
Soda ash.....	1	0	0	0
Soda crystals.....	1	0	0	0
Spirits (on all kinds of) the strength of which can be ascertained by Sykes's hydrometer.....proof gallon	0	12	0	0
Spirits (perfumed).....	0	12	0	0
Spirits and spirituous compounds (on all), the strength of which cannot be ascertained by Sykes's hydrometer.....liquid gal	0	12	0	0
Spirits (methylated).....	0	2	0	0
Timber—Battens.....40 cubic feet	0	2	6	0
Doals.....	0	2	6	0
Planks.....	0	2	6	0
Quartering.....	0	2	6	0
Spars.....	0	2	6	0
Boards $\frac{1}{2}$ to $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. do., rough or planed, tongued or grooved.....100 super feet	0	1	6	0
Architraves.....100 lineal feet	0	1	6	0
Skirtings.....	0	1	6	0
Mouldings.....	0	1	6	0
Laths.....1,000	0	1	0	0
Shingles.....	0	0	6	0
Palings.....100	0	0	6	0
Tobacco, manufactured.....lb	0	2	0	2
Cigars.....	0	5	0	0
Sheepwash.....	0	0	3	0
Snuff.....	0	5	0	0
Unmanufactured.....	0	1	0	0
Wine, if not containing more than 35 per cent. of proof spirit.....gallon	0	5	0	0
Do sparkling.....	0	10	0	0

NOTE.—In all cases where duty is charged at per gallon, one dozen reputed quart bottles will be taken as two gallons, and one dozen reputed pint bottles as one gallon.

## HUNDRED PER CENT. AD VALOREM.

Tandstickor matches..... Free. ... 100 %

The following articles, which at present are nearly all charged at the rate of 10 per cent. *ad valorem*, are now charged—

## FIFTEEN PER CENT. AD VALOREM.

Airbricks.	Gelatine.
Albums.	Gilt mouldings.
Do stamp.	Grates, stoves, and ovens, and parts (except camp-ovens).
Apparel and slops (except mole clothing and imitation thereof).	Harness and saddlery made up (except saddler's housing, bindings, gilt mouldings in sets, harness furniture plated in sets, and whip sockets).
Archery materials.	Instruments (musical).
Basketware.	Iron columns.
Bedsteads.	Do doors.
Beer engines.	Japanned ware.
Bellows (except bellows with forges).	Jewellery.
Bells (all kinds).	Lamps.
Blacking (including boot gloss).	Lampware.
Harness (dressing).	Gasaliers, or parts.
Blacklead.	Leather (unenumerated).
Blankets.	Leggings.
Boilers (steam).	Machines (washing—wooden).
Boiler tubes.	Do (galvanised).
Boots and shoes.	Mangles.
Boots and slipper uppers.	Mantelpieces.
Boot laces.	Marble.
Breadcutters.	Slate.
Bricks (except bath and fire).	Stone (wrought).
Bright wireware.	Mats.
Britannia metalware.	Matting.
British plate.	Metal services.
Brooms and brushware.	Spoons and forks (except steel table forks).
Buckets, wood.	Millinery.
Do, galvanised.	Nevada and nickel silverware.
Birdcages.	Oil—medicinal.
Candlemoulds.	Do perfumed.
Candlesticks.	Picture-frames.
Carpets and carpeting.	Plate and platedware (except gilt mountings for saddlery and harness furniture plated in sets).
Carpets, bags, and portmanteaus.	Quilts.
Carriages.	Rugs.
Carts, wagons, and all vehicles.	Safes (iron and doors).
Castings not enumerated.	Silk and manufactures thereof (except mill and sewing).
Chemicals, drugs, &c.	Stationery (manufactured).
Druggistware.	Tarpaulins.
China, stone, and earthenware.	Tents.
Clocks.	Tiles.
Cloths and tweeds, estamens and serges being woollen or partly woollen, except cotton tweeds.	Tinware.
Drapery (except cotton knitting embroidery, crochet, yarn, Angora, Berlin, and wool, cotton, and linen goods manufactured in the piece).	Tobacconists' ware.
Fancy soap and perfumery.	Umbrellas and parasols.
Feathers and flowers, artificial.	Velvets (silk).
Fenders and fireirons.	Watches.
Fireworks.	Wheels.
Floor and oilcloth.	Wickerware.
Furniture.	Woodware.
Furs.	

The following articles are transferred to the free list:—

## FREE LIST.

Bags (sacks and woolpacks).	Wrought-iron tubes and pipes.
Bone black.	Myrabolan.
Bottles (indiarubber).	Needles and pins.
Camp ovens and covers.	Oil (cod, whale, and sperm).
Combined mower and binder.	Do seal.
Currycombs.	Do (ba'ze).
Copperas.	Paperhangings.
Cotton (knitting and embroidery).	Saltpetre.
Do wadding.	Soda (nitrate and bicarbonate).
Cutlery.	Specimens of natural history.
Crucibles.	Spirit levels.
Engines (portable and traction, not exceeding 60-horse power).	Stationery (unenumerated).
Webbing.	Steel forks (table).
Forks (steel, table).	Umbrella parts.
Iron wire.	Wire (bottling).
Iron wire (galvanised), wire netting of all kinds.	Wool (Berlin and knitting).
	Yarn (Angora and wool).
	Zinc (sheet, ingot, and perforated).

On all imported goods not included in the foregoing list, or in the previous list of duty free goods, 10 per cent. *ad valorem* would be charged.

## THE GERMAN TARIFF.

A BLUE BOOK issued this week contains the text of the German Customs Tariff as recently amended. The following is a list of all the articles the duties upon which have



been altered. On articles not included in this list the duties remain as before:—

Description.	Old Duties.		New Duties.	
	£	s d	£	s d
Lace and embroidery .....	6	7 0	8	17 10
Emery cloth .....	Free.	0 3 0½	0	3 0½
Ultramarine .....	Free.	0 7 7½	0	7 7½
Matches and tapers .....	0	1 6½	0	5 1
Oil varnish .....	0	2 0½	0	3 0½
Strontian preparations .....	Free.	0 1 0	0	1 0
Chalk, purified .....	Free.	0 0 1½	0	0 1½
Pasteboard and paper made of asbestos— unshaped .....	Free.	0 5 1	0	5 1
Shaped and perforated .....	Free.	0 12 2	0	12 2
Yarns, ropes, &c. of asbestos combined with other materials .....	Free.	0 12 2	0	12 2
Asbestos web combined with other materials .....	Free.	1 0 4	1	0 4
All other asbestos goods not included under No. 20 .....	Free.	1 10 6	1	10 6
Flax and raw materials for spinning, ex- cept cotton, steeped, heckled, &c. ....	Free.	0 0 6	0	0 6
Wheat .....	0	0 6	0	1 6½
Rye .....	0	0 6	0	1 6½
Oats .....	0	0 6	0	0 9
Barley .....	0	0 3	0	0 9
Rapeseed, beet, poppy, sesame, earth nuts, &c. ....	0	0 1½	0	1 0½
Maize and Syrian dari .....	0	0 3	0	0 6
Malt .....	0	0 7½	0	1 6½
Anise, coriander, fennel, and caraway seed .....	0	1 6½	0	1 6½
Grapes, fresh .....	Free.	0 7 7	0	7 7
Chicory, carrots dried .....	Free.	0 0 6	0	0 6
Prepared feathers for ornament .....	7	12 5	22	17 3
Timber and planking wood—Raw or dressed only with the axe, oaken staves .....	0	0 0½	0	0 1½
Staves not included under above, un- peeled osiers, hoops, fellos, and spokes .....	0	0 1½	0	0 2½
Boxwood, cedar, coco, ebony, ma- hogany .....	Free.	0 0 0½	0	0 0½
Unplaned boards, sawn cant woods, & other sawn & carved goods .....	0	0 1½	0	0 6
Cut cedar wood .....	Free.	0 0 1½	0	0 1½
Horns from buffalo and other animals, horns planed or smoothed .....	0	15 3	1	0 4
Pressed horn buttons .....	0	15 3	2	10 10
Silk, floss-silk, with metal threads, em- broidery, or lace .....	22	17 3	30	9 8
Of half silk .....	11	8 7½	17	2 10½
Artificial flowers, complete .....	7	12 5	22	17 3
„ parts of .....	3	1 0	22	17 3
Hardware, Ironmongery, &c.—Goods wholly or in part made with precious metals, pearls, &c.; gold and silver leaf .....	15	4 10	15	4 10
Watches in gold cases .....	15	4 10	Each	3 0
Watches in silver cases .....	15	4 10	„	1 6
Watches in cases of other metal .....	15	4 10	„	0 6
Gold cases, without works .....	15	4 10	„	1 6
Other cases, without works .....	15	4 10	„	0 6
Yarn, not dyed, printed, or bleached; similar yarns of jute or manilla hemp— Up to No. 5 English .....	0	1 6½	0	2 6
Over No. 5 English, & up to No. 8 ..	0	2 6	0	2 6
Sewing thread .....	0	18 3	1	15 6
Ropemakers' wares, not bleached or tarred .....	0	3 0½	0	5 1
Damask of all kinds .....	3	0 11	3	16 2½
Embroidery .....	2	10 10	3	16 2½
Thread lace .....	15	4 10	20	6 4
Candles .....	0	7 7	0	9 1½
Brandy, arrack, rum, and mixed brandies, in casks or bottles .....	1	4 2	2	0 7
Wine and must, cider, and artificially pre- pared drinks—In bottles—champagne .....	1	4 2	2	0 7
Fish—Fresh .....	0	1 6½	Free.	
Preserved in vinegar, oil, or spice, in casks .....	1	10 6	0	6 1
Birds—game of all kinds, dead .....	0	6 1	0	15 2
Honey .....	0	1 6½	0	10 2
Cocoa-beans—raw .....	0	17 9½	0	17 9½
Ditto roasted .....	0	17 9½	1	2 10
Caviar and substitutes .....	2	10 10	3	16 3
Cocoa paste, ground cocoa, chocolate of all kinds .....	1	10 6	2	0 8
Starch, starch-gum, arrowroot, sago, tapioca, &c. ....	0	3 0½	0	4 6½
Maccaroni, vermicelli .....	0	3 0½	0	5 1
Ground corn and millers' products, viz.: bruised or shelled kernels, perled grain, grits, meal, &c. ....	0	1 6½	0	3 9½
Oysters, lobsters, tortoises, turtles, &c. ..	0	12 2	1	5 5
Rice for manufac. of starch, under control ..	0	0 7½	0	1 6½
Table oil, such as olive, poppy, sesame, &c ..	0	4 1	0	5 1
Olive and castor-oil in casks, methylated ..	Free.	0 1 0½	0	1 0½
Other oils, in casks .....	0	2 0½	0	4 6½
Grease for making candles under control will now pay .....	...	...	0	1 0½

Description.	Old Duties.		New Duties.	
	£	s d	£	s d
Stearine, palmitine, paraffin, and spermaceti and similar substances .....	0	4 1	0	5 1
Beeswax and other wax .....	0	1 0½	0	7 7
Mineral lubricating oils* .....	0	3 0½	0	5 1
Thread, from raw silk, dyed or not dyed ..	2	10 10	5	1 8
Stuffs manufactured out of silk or floss silk, in combination with metal thread; silk stuffs mixed with other materials, and combined with metal thread .....	15	4 10	15	4 10
Lace, blonde, and embroidery, entirely or partly of silk .....	15	4 10	25	8 1
All silk or floss silk goods not specified in preceding class, mixed with cotton, linen, wool, or other animal or vegetable materials .....	7	12 5	11	8 7½
Millstones, with iron hoops; flints, grind- stones, and whetstones .....	Free.	0 0 1½	0	0 1½
Rough table slates .....	Free.	0 0 3	0	0 3
Sawn blocks; rough stonemasonry, e.g., door and window frames, pillars, &c., exclusive of marble and alabaster work, to which the so-called Belgian granite ( <i>écossines petit granit</i> ) does not belong .....	Free.	0 0 6	0	0 6
Roofing-slates, and slabs of rough slates† ..	Free.	0 0 9	0	0 9
Entering by sea .....	Free.	Free.	Free.	Free.
Cut or split slabs of stone, of all kinds, in the rough; stonemasonry not included in above† .....	0	0 3	0	1 6½
Other stone goods, excepting statues, and lava ornaments—not in combination with other material, or only combined with wood or iron without polish or varnish— Of alabaster, marble, granite, cyanite, porphyry or similar hard stone .....	0	1 6½	0	7 7
Of other stones; also slates in wooden frames, polished or varnished .....	0	1 6½	0	3 0½
Fire bricks .....	Free.	0 0 3	0	0 3
Crucibles, covers, retorts, fire-proof pipes and plates .....	0	0 6	0	1 0
Live stock—Horses .....	0	10 0	1	0 0
Mules, asses .....	0	10 0	0	10 0
Bulls and cows .....	0	6 0	0	9 0
Oxen .....	1	0 0	1	10 0
Heifers, up to 2½ years old .....	0	4 0	0	6 0
Calves, under six weeks old .....	0	2 0	0	3 0
Pigs .....	0	2 6	0	6 0
Snoking pigs under 10 kilog. .....	0	0 3½	0	1 0

THE REPORT OF THE LOAD LINE COMMITTEE.

WHEN the report of the Load Line Committee was published, the unofficial members of that body found, to their surprise, that a document in which they had embodied recommendations supplementary to their main report had been suppressed. A correspondence with the new President of the Board of Trade ensued, and as the result, the supplementary report, which deals with the constitution of the authority charged with the duty of enforcing a compulsory load line, and with the application of the load line to foreign vessels loading in the ports of this country and our colonies, has now been issued. As the document is a most important one, and is certain to be much discussed, we give its text, which is as follows:—

“It appears to the members of the Load Line Committee who are unconnected with the Board of Trade that it would be advisable to add to the report of that committee, now submitted for your Grace's consideration, the following observations:—

“It is not assuming too much to say that the origin of this committee may be traced to the confusion caused by differences of opinion which frequently arose between shipowners and the Board of Trade with respect to the proper loading of vessels. It had become necessary, both in the interests of shipowners and for the satisfactory working of the department charged with the duty of preventing over-loaded vessels from proceeding to sea, that an end should be put to a state of tension and uncertainty with regard to what should be considered a safe and proper load line for vessels, more especially for those engaged in carrying heavy cargoes.

“If the labours of the committee should be considered by your Grace to have resulted in a settlement of this most difficult question, it seems necessarily to follow that a compulsory load line, based on

\* The Bundesrath is authorised to admit duty free all mineral oils intended for other purposes than lighting, under control. The Bundesrath is also authorised to charge duty by barrel, taking a maximum weight of the ordinary barrels of commerce.

† Slabs of more than 16 centimetres thickness are considered as blocks.



the tables now submitted, should at no distant date be enforced. It is under this impression that we venture to draw your Grace's attention to one or two matters, which, although they may not have come strictly within the scope of our inquiry, are, we believe, nevertheless of vital importance to the ultimate success of our work.

"The first matter to which we would refer is, that if a compulsory load line should be resolved upon, it will be necessary to apply the same limitations to vessels under foreign flags as to our own vessels when loading in this country or in the colonies of Great Britain. We allude to this, which would seem indeed to be an obvious necessity, because it has been brought before us in evidence that foreign vessels are frequently grave offenders in respect to overloading. It will be for your Grace's consideration whether it may be possible to establish an understanding with the leading maritime Powers on the subject, but all events it will, in our opinion, be impossible to enforce compulsory load lines on the merchant ships of this country without at the same time requiring their application in British and colonial ports to ships under other flags competing with them.

"The next matter to which we would refer is, that in our own opinion, if a compulsory load line is to be enforced, it will be essential to constitute a public authority competent to administer such a measure in a manner that will command the fullest confidence.

"It has been carefully pointed out in the report of the committee that the tables which are now submitted must be applied 'with very great skill, care, and judgment.' It will, therefore, be necessary to secure some system of administration capable of giving due and well considered effect to the principles embodied in those tables, not only by a just application of such principles to the many and various types of ships which at present exist, but also by their adaptation to future changes and developments, which are certain to ensue from the progress of naval architecture.

"In our judgment, it would only tend to failure to entrust the task which we described to any purely official administration. The duty of assigning compulsory load lines, if it is to be undertaken, must, we consider, be entrusted to somebody of a more representative character, which should consist not only of officials, but also of gentlemen who, as shipowners, naval architects, seamen, and perhaps underwriters, would bring to bear on this work great knowledge and experience, and who, by reason of that knowledge and experience, and also of their high standing in their several professions, would ensure such a fulfilment of the duty confided to them as would command the confidence of the country.

"In stating this as our conviction, it is needless to say that we do not intend to imply that the authority or council which we suggest should be independent of the Minister responsible to Parliament; but we believe that it will be absolutely necessary for the Minister to have the assistance of such a body as we have described to enable him to give effect to a compulsory load line system. We do not consider that there would be any great difficulty in constituting the authority which we thus distinctly advocate.

"It only remains for us to add that a compulsory load line system will also demand scientific as well as practical knowledge on the part of the staff engaged in the work, not only in London, where, we presume, the final determination of freeboard will have to be carried out, but also at the ports, where primary investigations must necessarily take place."

#### THE REPORT OF THE ENSILAGE COMMISSION.

The following is the text of the preliminary report of the Ensilage Commission:—

The Commissioners have, up to the present time, held eleven sittings and examined thirty-eight witnesses, comprising among their number owners and occupiers of landed estates and their agents, tenant farmers, designers and inventors of different forms of silos, of different systems of applying the necessary weights to stacked or ensiled green fodder, chemists, and authors of pamphlets on the general subject. They have also had the advantage of hearing the views of Sir John Bennett Lawes, whose eminent knowledge of all matters relating to the chemistry of agriculture, combined with the fact that his published opinions on the process of ensilage have been regarded as unfavourable to the system, has rendered his evidence of great value and interest.

The Commissioners have by no means desired to exclude unfavourable evidence; on the contrary, they have endeavoured to induce some of those who were believed to be opposed to the system to give them the benefit of their opinions, but they have so far heard no expression of any decidedly unfavourable views. The evidence tendered has been entirely voluntary, all witnesses attending at their own expense.

The evidence of all those who have practically tested the various methods of converting green fodder crops into preserved food for animals without putting them through any process of drying, such as is necessary in the making of hay, has, without exception, established their claims to a considerable amount of success; and, although in some cases, the results have been evidently more satisfactory than in the others, the advantages which the different operators, one and all, have claimed for their systems seem to show that a nourishing and useful food for animals can be preserved, independently of any drying process, within wide lines of divergence in the details of the methods adopted.

It has been conclusively shown that, by different degrees of

weighting and of expulsion and exclusion of atmospheric air from the material stacked or ensiled, different degrees of heat and of consequent chemical change are produced.

The degree to which such chemical changes increase or diminish the feeding value of the silage itself or its relative value in comparison to the green crop, is, in the present state of knowledge, in great measure a matter of opinion, and careful feeding experiments conducted with a view to test the exact effect of these changes will be highly important to a solution of this question.

Silage which has been covered in immediately after cutting, and not again uncovered, has been shown to retain its colour and freshness, although developing small quantities of certain acids indicative of a process of fermentation without any considerable accession of heat. Other silage which has been put in at intervals, and from which the air has not been immediately or entirely excluded, has undoubtedly developed considerable heat, and in this case the colouring matter of the leaves has been less well preserved. Yet in both cases a useful feeding material has been rendered available which, in unfavourable weather, would have been practically lost if any attempt had been made to convert it into hay.

Bearing in mind the importance of economy, the Commissioners have inquired into the efficiency of various systems of stacking unchaffed green fodder crops without drying, by which it has been contended that, with a proper system of pressure, the necessity for a silo can be done away with.

The Commissioners are not at present prepared to express any opinion upon the economy of any such system, or to compare its advantages with those which are claimed by the advocates of chaffed and close stored silage; but it seems to be established that a temperature sufficiently high to involve danger of fire can be controlled by a proper and efficient system of applying weight to the stack of green fodder.

The different systems of applying weight have greatly occupied the attention of the Commissioners, but as the quality of the silage does not appear to be materially affected by this question, it becomes simply one of economy, and may safely, for the present, be left to each operator to decide for himself according to the special circumstances affecting the particular locality in which his farm is situated.

Some of the best samples of chaffed silage have been produced with pressure not exceeding 70 lbs per superficial foot, but the degree to which weighting is necessary or desirable remains to be decided upon the greatest amount of evidence that may become available to us. Good results are claimed to have been obtained by means of weights varying from 7 lbs to 300 lbs per superficial foot on the top of the silage.

The experience of dairy farmers does not appear to justify the assertion which has been more or less circulated that dairy produce is, in any way, injuriously affected by silage as food; on the contrary, much valuable evidence has been received to show that the feeding of cows with well-made silage distinctly improves the yield of milk and cream and the quality of butter.

Where complaints have arisen of milk becoming tainted, the cause has been, in our opinion, traceable to its having been in proximity with strong smelling silage, or with persons who have handled it, rather than to the use of such material as food.

The Commissioners have already heard sufficient evidence to justify them in encouraging the development of the system of storing undried green fodder crops as a valuable auxiliary to farm practice. In addition to other advantages, the losses occurring through weather unfavourable for haymaking may be avoided, and some crops not hitherto grown in this country on account of the impossibility of ripening their seed (such as certain varieties of maize) may probably be successfully cultivated in certain districts, to the increase of our present means of feeding various kinds of live stock on arable or partly arable farms.

#### TRADE NOTES.

THE TRADE OF EASTERN ROUMELIA.—The commercial statistics of Eastern Roumelia are confessedly incomplete. There is a Bureau of Statistics, which appears to seek diligently after information, and which embodies the results of its investigations in a well-arranged annual abstract. But the Bureau points out that as Roumelia has a line of Custom houses only on a portion of its frontiers, only a portion of its commerce with Turkey and other foreign nations comes under the cognisance of the officials, while as regards the collection of internal statistics, such, for instance, as those relating to the agricultural production of the country, a difficulty is experienced, owing to the disinclination of the people to give information which they appear to think may possibly be used to their own disadvantage. The latest statistical abstract is that for the year 1883, and for that year the imports are valued at £547,500, as compared with £343,900 in 1882, and the



exports at £641,000, as compared with £253,900. Distributed according to the countries with which the trade was carried on, the figures of the imports and exports are:—

	Imports from. £r.	Exports to. £r.
Bulgaria .....	236,800	196,600
Turkey .....	239,200	305,800
Austria .....	14,800	5,000
Servia .....	15,400	12,000
Russia .....	14,400	2,000
Roumania .....	18,600	10,200
Greece .....	900	1,200
France .....	2,300	92,600
England .....	2,100	14,000
Other countries .....	3,000	1,600
	547,500	641,000

The chief articles of export are cereals, wood, wine, and woollen cloths, while amongst the imports the most important are, cattle, wool, skins, cotton goods, and groceries.

**RUSSIAN FOREIGN TRADE.**—The returns of the foreign trade of Russia continue to show a shrinkage, both in the imports and exports. For the seven months ending July, the figures of the trade over the European frontier are:—

	IMPORTS.	
	Seven Months Ending July. 1885.	1884.
	£	£
Articles of food .....	3,817,000	5,729,000
Raw materials and semi-manufactured articles .....	10,508,000	14,201,000
Animals .....	30,000	16,000
Manufactured goods .....	3,720,000	4,646,000
	18,075,000	24,892,000
	EXPORTS.	
	Seven Months Ending July. 1885.	1884.
	£	£
Articles of food .....	14,831,000	14,639,000
Raw materials and semi-manufactured articles .....	7,832,000	8,535,000
Animals .....	490,000	590,000
Manufactured goods .....	284,000	330,000
	23,437,000	24,094,000

**THE TRADE OF SIAM.**—The following table, giving the values of the imports into, and the exports from, Bangkok in each of the past ten years is taken from a report by Acting Vice-Consul French:—

	Imports. \$	Exports. \$
1884 .....	6,247,893	11,194,572
1883 .....	5,167,459	9,207,709
1882 .....	7,104,361	9,702,778
1881 .....	6,279,484	9,865,956
1880 .....	6,341,519	9,704,318
1879 .....	6,489,817	10,807,445
1878 .....	5,827,640	8,872,193
1877 .....	5,930,521	9,153,607
1876 .....	7,070,053	8,315,683
1875 .....	6,383,235	8,427,416

Upon these figures, Mr Satow, our Agent and Consul-General in Bangkok, comments as follows:—"I have the honour to transmit herewith the trade report and returns of shipping of the port of Bangkok for the year 1884, which have been prepared by Mr French. The increase observable, both in imports and exports, as compared with the year 1883, is partly due to an enlargement in the volume of trade, and partly to the greater care in valuing goods. It is doubtful, however, whether entire reliance can in every instance be placed on the results of such a comparison, owing to the inexactness which appears to characterise the Siamese Custom-house Returns for this as well as previous years. It can scarcely be believed, for instance, that the quantity of jaconet and muslin imported should have suddenly been multiplied twenty-fold, or that the market price of chowls (coloured cloths from India) should have more than doubled in one year. Another practice, which

still further tends to work greatly in favour of importers, is the very liberal interpretation which is put upon the claim in the treaties permitting the import untaxed of all articles destined for personal use. It appears that coal, which is never required for household use, gunny bags, and machinery oil are among the articles which are thus admitted duty free. It is time that manufacturers resorted to some other methods of marking their goods than the trade-marks, labels, and capsules that are now employed. For no sooner does any article by its good quality and moderate price obtain a ready sale in Eastern markets, than a worthless imitation begins to make its appearance, bearing an almost exact copy of the trade mark and labels which distinguish the genuine article. It is usually supposed that Hamburg is the chief port of export of these fraudulent articles. We ought not to lose sight of the fact that these statistics refer only to the trade of Bangkok, the direct commerce carried on with foreign countries by the provinces and States of the Malay Peninsula; that of the Mekong Valley with Cambodia and French Cochin China, and that of the Northern Laos States with British Burmah being entirely discarded. Of this trade, which is considerable, and in the last case gives employment to thousands of British subjects, it is impossible to obtain any returns here. If its value were ascertainable, there can be little doubt that the whole amount of the commerce of Siam with the rest of the world would be found to be very much larger than is usually supposed."

**BRITISH INTERESTS IN SIAM.**—In addition to his report upon the trade of Siam, M. Satow has forwarded a statement, in which he endeavours to arrive at some conclusion as to the proportion of that trade which is in British hands. It is as follows:—"As it does not appear that any attempt has been made in recent years to show what proportion of the total trade of Bangkok is in the hands of British subjects, I think the following statistics and analysis of the Trade Returns for 1884 may be useful as evidence of the great preponderance of British commercial interests in Siam as compared with the interests of other treaty Powers. I have been assisted in this inquiry by one of the principal English merchants of this port. The amount of foreign fixed capital invested in land, houses, and mills may be estimated at about 191,280*l*, divided as follows:—

British—	£
European .....	69,000
Asiatic .....	62,280
French .....	30,000
German .....	30,000

It should be observed that the cost of the real property held by Asiatic subjects of Her Majesty, ascertained by reference to the Land Register of Her Majesty's Consulate-General, amounts to about 48,000*l*, taking the actual purchase-money paid when the various plots were purchased, and the enhancement in value due to the increased prosperity of Bangkok, together with the additional capital invested in buildings and machinery, may be fairly taken at not less than 14,000*l* to 15,000*l*. The trade is chiefly carried on by means of established lines of steamers running between Hong Kong, Singapore, and Bangkok, the values of which are: British 208,000*l*, German 25,000*l*. Cargo coming from or destined for Europe is usually transhipped at Singapore. I have no means of estimating the freights earned by its transmission in British steamers between that colony and Great Britain. It is difficult to obtain even an approximate idea of the amount of floating capital employed in the trade; some of it is Siamese. Of continental, that is, German and French, there is perhaps about 55,000*l*. One English firm alone employs 30,000*l*, while the transactions of two Indian houses amount to as much as 180,000*l* a-year. The balance of the money required is obtained principally from the British banks in Singapore and Hong Kong, through their agencies in Bangkok, bills of lading being hypothecated in return for advances. The direct trade with Europe is in most years extremely small, and it is only in consequence of the large export of rice in 1884 that we find the sum of 250,000*l* credited to Europe. Nine-



elevenths of the total export trade, valued at nearly 1,650,000*l.*, is with Hong Kong and Singapore, and must contribute greatly to the prosperity of those two colonies. Of the imports, about 340,000*l.* represents English manufactures, 200,000*l.* products of British India, while Hong Kong sends goods, partly of British, partly of Chinese origin, to about the same value. From the Straits Settlements produce is imported to the value of 22,000*l.*, making in all 762,000*l.*, or over three-quarters of a million sterling. The imports from the Continent of Europe are valued at 164,000*l.*, and from the United States 50,000*l.* If we suppose the imports from Hong Kong to be equally divided between goods of British and Chinese origin, the result will be articles produced in Great Britain and British possessions to the value of 640,000*l.*, against 314,000*l.*, from the Continent of Europe, the United States, and China combined. The commercial interests of Great Britain in Siam, as compared with the rest of the world, are consequently: In fixed capital, as 2 to 1; in steamers, as 8 to 1; in exports, as 9 to 2; in imports, as 2 to 1. It is further to be noted that the import duties are only 3 per cent., *ad valorem*. If Siam proper were to pass into the hands of any European Power with protectionist tendencies, it cannot be doubted that the tariff would be greatly increased, and it is by no means improbable, if we are to judge by what has been proposed with regard to the trade of Tonquin, that differential duties would be imposed to the disadvantage of British trade."

COTTON STATISTICS ACT, 1868.

Return of the number of bales of cotton imported, exported, forwarded from ports to inland towns, and returned to ports during the month and nine months ended 30th September, 1885, compared with the corresponding months of the years 1884 and 1883:—

Description of Cotton.	Imports			Exports		
	1885.	1884.	1883.	1885.	1884.	1883.
American	41,791	68,426	59,805	13,104	11,136	21,094
Brazilian	3,258	5,644	23,901	...	...	1,197
East Indian	15,446	42,450	68,179	16,429	22,357	32,650
Egyptian	1,016	1,315	627	1,907	486	236
Miscellaneous	6,097	7,660	5,844	85	391	1,760
<b>Total</b>	<b>67,608</b>	<b>123,495</b>	<b>158,356</b>	<b>30,525</b>	<b>34,370</b>	<b>56,786</b>

Description of Cotton.	Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1885.	1884.	1883.	1885.	1884.	1883.
American	144,171	169,077	158,449	97	502	843
Brazilian	10,120	19,334	21,344	...	...	...
East Indian	9,763	27,717	26,217	...	...	...
Egyptian	23,885	17,071	10,964	...	...	...
Miscellaneous	6,266	5,376	5,139	...	...	100
<b>Total</b>	<b>194,205</b>	<b>238,576</b>	<b>222,113</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>943</b>

Description of Cotton.	Imports			Exports		
	1885.	1884.	1883.	1885.	1884.	1883.
American	1,498,337	1,743,233	2,010,714	138,686	134,030	123,233
Brazilian	171,518	192,036	204,113	901	5,816	8,022
East Indian	535,307	734,672	575,421	206,009	296,344	316,900
Egyptian	159,949	136,944	152,186	10,723	7,294	5,929
Miscellaneous	45,951	46,908	43,812	4,172	3,579	9,420
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,217,262</b>	<b>2,853,793</b>	<b>2,936,246</b>	<b>380,542</b>	<b>450,063</b>	<b>468,509</b>

Description of Cotton.	Forwarded from Ports to Inland Towns.			Forwarded from Inland Towns to Ports.		
	1885.	1884.	1883.	1885.	1884.	1883.
American	1,450,174	1,743,513	1,874,912	3,263	7,078	5,350
Brazilian	137,064	232,163	144,812	...	17	...
East Indian	178,851	262,839	259,079	21	15	105
Egyptian	179,158	163,564	145,255	244	404	254
Miscellaneous	47,933	52,315	57,231	...	1	110
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,993,280</b>	<b>2,454,309</b>	<b>2,481,289</b>	<b>3,533</b>	<b>7,515</b>	<b>5,828</b>

STOCKS OF RAW MATERIALS AND COMMODITIES.

INTEREST chiefly attaches to the stocks of pig iron, since that article has been the centre of speculation this month. At Middlesbro' stocks are less than a thousand tons lower, while in Scotland the warrant stock has increased from

617,424 tons to 626,426 tons. The visible supply of copper is larger. Amongst the textiles, the stock of cotton is down. The stock of tea in bond naturally continues to augment. The quantity of sugar in first-hands marks a moderate increase.

I.—RAW MATERIALS. —(T = Total. W = Warrant stores only.)

	Pig Iron.		Raw Cotton.	Raw Silk.	Tobacco. Unmanufactured. (In bond.)	Copp'r Visibl. Sup- ply.
	Scotland.	Cleveland.				
June 30, '81	569,236 W	431,326	768,430	8,783	101,799,621	59,936
Dec. 31, "	940,000 T	378,170	525,900	6,475	106,116,235	50,598
June 30, '82	627,186 W	338,577	883,980	9,770	89,719,686	47,620
Dec. 31, "	635,717 W	266,179	739,700	9,940	84,932,116	47,053
Jan. 31, '83	608,054 W	293,002	850,980	13,076	81,611,925	47,421
Feb. 28, "	591,428 W	307,745	965,210	15,631	79,026,557	46,942
Mar. 31, "	584,700 W	307,241	1,012,570	14,346	77,480,796	48,835
Apr. 30, "	581,093 W	290,946	932,680	12,654	75,606,303	49,971
May 31, "	578,000 W	287,807	977,950	12,947	73,730,094	47,729
June 30, "	584,727 W	270,241	926,860	8,728	73,614,270	49,322
July 31, "	584,763 W	275,198	866,810	9,567	83,133,254	48,739
Aug. 31, "	585,345 W	261,900	616,270	9,023	88,074,964	49,695
Sept. 30, "	588,903 W	242,086	433,140	8,814	88,492,683	46,833
Oct. 31, "	589,098 W	220,288	499,920	9,914	86,041,029	47,842
Nov. 30, "	583,458 W	253,105	680,310	10,230	83,427,484	48,527
Dec. 31, "	835,000 T	286,317	798,360	16,207	79,108,516	47,340
Jan. 31, '84	592,007 W	296,940	998,750	23,330	76,393,397	45,900
Feb. 29, "	593,669 W	291,733	1,060,260	24,158	74,812,482	45,205
Mar. 31, "	594,259 W	...	1,049,190	23,061	73,049,655	42,758
Apr. 30, "	592,900 W	266,152	910,660	21,973	67,709,665	44,730
May 31, "	590,868 W	269,899	857,290	21,936	67,026,835	45,763
June 30, "	588,842 W	277,519	825,650	20,376	67,526,438	43,052
July 31, "	586,691 W	292,594	697,550	19,772	73,667,895	42,556
Aug. 31, "	585,212 W	288,155	532,390	19,772	80,942,921	40,823
Sept. 30, "	583,132 W	287,981	465,250	20,356	80,793,567	41,760
Oct. 31, "	580,126 W	301,480	427,650	21,090	78,376,299	43,518
Nov. 30, "	579,789 W	301,553	604,290	21,090	75,590,052	47,843
Dec. 31, "	821,000 T	371,417	860,280	20,064	72,766,990	51,364
Jan. 31, '85	579,423 W	377,737	974,390	19,887	72,074,557	52,369
Feb. 28, "	587,843 W	389,254	1,008,300	19,578	72,155,635	52,456
Mar. 31, "	591,716 W	388,398	1,023,390	19,578	66,457,895	54,384
Apr. 30, "	594,997 W	398,295	976,510	18,544	67,750,117	53,358
May 31, "	597,866 W	406,125	868,200	18,544	67,535,888	54,137
June 30, "	602,161 W	416,014	724,940	17,518	67,526,438	53,723
July 31, "	610,690 W	430,208	539,620	17,518	84,559,954	55,389
Aug. 31, "	617,424 W	429,428	430,230	17,518	94,354,262	57,165
Sept. 30, "	626,426 W					

II.—COLONIAL PRODUCE.

	Tea.	Coffee.	Cocoa.	Raw Sugar.	Rice.
	In Bond.	In Bond.	In Bond.	In First Hands.	In First Hands.
Jan. 31, 1883	121,389,875	405,369	6,430,687	4,654,000	596,640
Feb. 28, "	118,474,095	384,417	7,430,403	4,470,000	508,000
Mar. 31, "	111,829,191	428,918	8,436,458	4,320,000	401,200
Apr. 30, "	96,472,583	565,579	10,000,167	4,596,000	452,000
May 31, "	82,788,032	794,002	9,924,214	4,960,000	412,100
June 30, "	78,197,795	923,351	10,143,025	5,060,000	543,240
July 31, "	85,360,241	900,303	10,307,593	4,800,000	601,180
Aug. 31, "	98,103,172	886,936	10,430,017	4,254,000	704,820
Sept. 30, "	111,494,216	798,982	9,487,501	3,868,000	791,500
Oct. 31, "	116,202,895	668,846	8,511,775	4,082,000	895,340
Nov. 30, "	124,842,786	575,845	7,186,565	4,200,000	1,144,160
Dec. 31, "	125,039,475	533,828	6,715,829	4,540,000	1,098,000
Jan. 31, 1884	126,759,053	538,266	6,678,268	5,180,000	1,046,000
Feb. 29, "	123,598,665	568,282	7,237,813	5,254,000	976,760
Mar. 31, "	114,893,881	619,963	7,730,136	5,420,000	934,880
Apr. 30, "	100,372,642	656,103	8,431,895	5,454,000	883,520
May 31, "	82,386,108	628,414	8,455,814	5,880,000	877,960
June 30, "	72,235,441	648,019	9,855,207	5,806,000	722,120
July 31, "	86,466,875	617,802	9,650,529	5,960,000	673,960
Aug. 31, "	94,101,622	594,675	10,033,013	5,756,060	587,500
Sept. 30, "	102,913,987	588,596	9,493,305	5,264,500	663,940
Oct. 31, "	110,162,705	525,184	8,469,242	4,808,000	628,480
Nov. 30, "	116,288,986	463,698	7,341,411	4,894,820	649,560
Dec. 31, "	118,901,663	422,567	6,760,872	4,901,200	660,360
Jan. 31, 1885	117,660,982	448,045	7,066,788	5,543,900	598,960
Feb. 28, "	110,523,066	445,491	6,891,517	5,783,940	549,700
Mar. 31, "	86,836,283	479,995	8,184,186	5,740,000	509,720
Apr. 30, "	50,225,241	525,323	7,904,047	6,028,620	509,920
May 31, "	43,907,253	455,606	7,183,050	6,121,140	541,600
June 30, "	37,649,292	439,417	7,029,706	6,126,640	457,800
July 31, "	59,980,137	465,054	6,531,389	6,249,980	367,780
Aug. 31, "	79,870,780	449,328	7,961,728	5,672,160	308,900
Sept. 30, "	94,765,871	434,323	7,308,927	5,768,080	335,000



III.—SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS, &c.

Table with columns: Wines in Bond (Spanish, Portuguese, French), Foreign Spirits in Bond (Brandy, Rum), and Petroleum Stock in London. Rows list monthly data from Jan 1883 to Sept 1885.

II.—MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURE.

Table with columns: Cottons (Raw-Middlg. Upland, Yarn-40 Mule Twist), Wooll (South Down Hoga, Sydney Un-washed), Silk (Cossimbuzar), Flax (Petersburg 12-head), Hemp (Manila), and Jute (Good Marks). Rows list monthly data from Jan 1883 to Oct 1885.

III.—FOOD PRODUCTS.

Table with columns: AMRGN. WHEAT, GAZETTE AVERAGES (Wheat, Barley, Oats), FLOUR (Town Made 2nds, Inferior, Prime Small), MUTT'S, POTATOS, and RICE. Rows list monthly data from Jan 1883 to Oct 1885.

COMPARATIVE PRICES OF COMMODITIES.

The general tendency of prices has been weak. In metals, pig-iron improved in the early part of the month, but as the movement was mainly speculative, this has now been lost. The other metals—copper, tin, and lead, are distinctly lower on the month. Amongst textile materials, hemp has been flat, and Manila shows a heavy fall. Other descriptions have also been dull, except cotton which has hardened. In the Mincing Lane markets the chief staples exhibit but little change. Cereal produce is lower in some cases, but other food products are about the same.

I.—MINERALS.

Table with columns: IRON (Scotch Pig, Cleveland Bars, Steel Rails), COALS (Best Wallsend London), COPPER (Chilli Bars, Straits), TIN (English Pig), LEAD (English Refined), and SALT-PETRE. Rows list monthly data from Jan 1883 to Oct 1885.

IV.—FOR DRINKING, LIGHTING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

Table with columns: SUGAR (Manila, Low Brown, West India Refining), TEA (Congou, Ceylon, Plantain low mid), COFFEE, OILS (Petroleum, Olive: Levant), and TALLOW. Rows list monthly data from Jan 1883 to Oct 1885.



## ACCOUNTS RELATING TO TRADE AND NAVIGATION IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.

### I.—IMPORTS AND CONSUMPTION.

An Account of the Imports of the Principal and other Articles of Foreign and Colonial Merchandise, showing the Consumption of Duty-Paying Articles in the Nine Months ended Sept. 30, 1885, compared with the corresponding period of 1884; also for the Month ended Sept. 30, 1885, compared with the same period of 1884.

IMPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended Sept. 30.				Month ended Sept. 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
<b>I.—ANIMALS, LIVING (For Food).</b>			£	£			£	£
Oxen and Bulls—From Denmark .....	39,595	23,106	793,261	560,755	2,155	1,396	43,134	27,366
Germany .....	6,436	6,317	128,720	126,097	3,612	3,252	72,240	64,989
Spain .....	14,399	9,635	269,464	178,988	2,459	958	46,668	17,740
Canada .....	41,468	50,244	886,784	1,038,824	10,261	10,088	218,317	205,559
United States .....	122,023	115,213	2,915,558	2,696,677	11,169	9,325	261,398	216,146
Other Countries .....	27,347	19,990	586,067	412,457	2,861	1,815	79,495	37,341
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>251,268</b>	<b>229,505</b>	<b>5,579,854</b>	<b>5,013,798</b>	<b>32,517</b>	<b>26,834</b>	<b>721,252</b>	<b>569,141</b>
Cows .....	50,885	39,960	1,003,353	789,222	5,401	3,927	105,012	75,318
Calves .....	47,560	40,330	224,057	185,580	3,693	3,113	18,520	14,977
Sheep and Lambs—From Denmark...	54,138	30,712	113,871	59,207	14,425	7,438	26,862	13,668
Germany .....	459,039	297,242	958,609	622,889	18,832	17,065	49,929	44,842
Holland .....	131,671	166,429	367,465	453,076	22,800	34,678	68,393	103,726
Canada .....	41,160	32,762	87,379	67,414	16,151	6,878	34,374	14,465
United States .....	24,886	9,934	59,045	26,011	1,194	669	3,120	2,007
Other Countries .....	39,972	40,127	84,863	81,676	5,695	2,117	10,991	2,960
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>750,866</b>	<b>577,206</b>	<b>1,671,232</b>	<b>1,310,273</b>	<b>79,097</b>	<b>68,845</b>	<b>193,669</b>	<b>181,668</b>
Swine .....	22,594	14,431	69,863	56,190	5,039	4,904	15,982	19,126
<b>Total of Animals Living</b> .....f	...	...	<b>8,548,359</b>	<b>7,355,063</b>	...	...	<b>1,054,435</b>	<b>860,230</b>
<b>II.—ARTICLES OF FOOD &amp; DRINK.</b>								
<b>A.—DUTY FREE.</b>								
Corn: Wheat—From Russia.....cwts	3,987,806	8,287,076	1,610,106	3,073,243	747,705	795,309	273,425	235,366
Germany .....	682,949	1,272,187	317,634	521,912	140,643	165,642	58,117	64,512
France .....	18,817	1,962	5,477	732	5,841	135	1,162	59
Turkey .....	489,060	556,757	181,574	196,917	26,365	192,094	10,106	69,063
Roumania .....	687	167,939	211	62,625	...	...	...	...
Egypt .....	788,402	109,983	276,776	38,320	89,922	11,591	29,634	4,679
United States—On the Atlantic...	11,914,167	9,175,574	5,259,796	3,752,657	2,573,082	1,081,546	1,041,425	441,418
On the Pacific.....	7,474,067	12,697,811	3,410,787	5,154,808	545,817	870,816	224,206	331,708
Chili .....	782,955	1,167,337	334,956	462,634	172,282	368,108	67,669	139,806
British East Indies .....	5,715,775	7,856,075	2,350,109	2,961,158	1,176,401	1,345,875	455,877	486,951
Australasia .....	3,951,736	4,587,098	1,746,279	1,882,018	1,108,829	1,029,676	449,533	419,266
British North America .....	1,210,033	1,372,440	526,359	567,356	315,030	377,442	127,317	153,225
Other Countries .....	682,693	1,027,050	271,621	351,621	134,302	79,999	50,730	28,007
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>37,699,147</b>	<b>48,279,289</b>	<b>16,291,635</b>	<b>19,026,051</b>	<b>7,036,219</b>	<b>6,318,233</b>	<b>2,789,201</b>	<b>2,424,100</b>
Wheat Meal & Flour—Fm. Germany	1,336,223	998,688	922,846	625,966	186,702	138,006	130,313	81,693
France .....	117,411	126,302	84,106	78,979	13,465	7,251	9,287	4,611
Austrian Territories .....	1,234,861	1,363,022	1,053,484	1,068,300	145,694	114,676	119,528	91,315
United States .....	7,691,228	9,369,885	5,122,032	5,478,494	936,351	599,356	596,541	341,205
British North America .....	476,703	167,427	319,775	98,085	128,840	42,631	87,292	25,363
Other Countries .....	504,948	318,793	306,349	200,683	39,618	37,372	24,417	21,766
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>11,361,374</b>	<b>12,344,117</b>	<b>7,808,592</b>	<b>7,550,507</b>	<b>1,450,670</b>	<b>929,892</b>	<b>967,378</b>	<b>565,953</b>
Barley .....	7,797,589	11,196,313	2,592,262	3,242,154	1,828,945	1,333,167	581,567	381,494
Oats .....	9,886,169	10,112,121	3,217,109	3,345,123	1,122,236	1,174,897	356,788	362,076
Peas .....	1,214,972	1,330,302	430,771	445,886	102,099	149,739	35,066	52,340
Beans .....	2,451,063	2,735,493	818,310	832,577	282,626	378,881	91,726	113,805
Indian Corn or Maize .....	20,754,374	24,786,200	6,149,346	6,731,656	2,180,147	2,103,837	617,372	547,806
Indian Corn Meal .....	12,367	9,632	17,228	13,444	1,020	1,570	1,848	2,069
<b>Total of Corn, &amp;c.</b> .....t	...	...	<b>37,325,303</b>	<b>41,187,398</b>	...	...	<b>5,440,946</b>	<b>4,449,643</b>
Bacon—From United States .....	1,415,440	1,817,472	3,218,002	3,375,825	116,975	179,056	286,059	315,302
Other Countries .....	680,155	595,933	1,973,770	1,642,049	97,082	71,171	280,716	184,051
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>2,095,595</b>	<b>2,413,405</b>	<b>5,191,772</b>	<b>5,017,874</b>	<b>214,057</b>	<b>250,227</b>	<b>566,775</b>	<b>499,353</b>
Beef: Salted—From United States ...	150,722	178,995	299,870	349,807	14,364	14,010	27,321	23,706
Other Countries .....	6,111	4,211	11,982	8,605	1,381	1,098	2,934	2,320
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>156,833</b>	<b>183,206</b>	<b>311,852</b>	<b>358,412</b>	<b>15,745</b>	<b>15,108</b>	<b>30,255</b>	<b>26,026</b>

#### QUANTITIES OF CORN AND WHEAT FLOUR IMPORTED in the MONTH from

	Sept. 1, 1883, to Sept. 30, 1883.		Sept. 1, 1884, to Sept. 30, 1884.		Sept. 1, 1885, to Sept. 30, 1885.	
	cwts.	= qrs.	cwts.	= qrs.	cwts.	= qrs.
Wheat .....	6,324,190	1,459,428	7,036,219	1,623,743	6,318,233	1,458,054
Wheat Flour .....	1,053,247	300,928	1,450,670	414,477	929,892	265,683
Barley .....	1,548,227	453,504	1,828,945	512,104	1,333,167	373,287
Oats .....	865,245	314,635	1,122,236	408,086	1,174,897	427,235
Peas .....	41,120	9,138	102,099	22,689	149,739	33,275
Beans .....	240,370	56,086	282,626	65,946	378,881	88,406
Indian Corn .....	2,799,822	653,292	2,180,147	598,701	2,103,837	490,895



IMPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
II.—ARTICLES OF FOOD & DRINK.	(Con.)		£	£			£	£
Beef: Fresh—United States—cwts	595,963	644,868	1,628,227	1,702,096	59,600	63,869	163,847	166,612
Other Countries	51,377	36,551	129,329	91,526	5,992	3,197	15,394	9,505
Total	647,340	681,419	1,757,556	1,793,622	65,592	67,066	179,241	176,117
Hams—From United States	426,324	619,140	1,255,642	1,595,833	44,000	52,107	134,839	126,160
Other Countries	66,112	75,836	198,623	200,683	12,534	11,795	37,959	32,915
Total	492,436	694,976	1,454,265	1,796,516	56,534	63,902	172,798	159,075
Meat, unenumerated: Salted or Fresh								
—From United States	1,617	2,643	3,058	4,844	...	50	...	50
Other Countries	11,871	19,053	37,559	55,401	231	1,036	903	2,486
Total	13,488	21,696	40,617	60,245	231	1,086	903	2,536
Preserved otherwise than by Salting								
—From Australasia	113,355	142,876	274,542	342,422	17,174	19,946	40,708	47,561
United States	175,484	193,350	487,360	518,509	26,787	19,745	71,582	50,536
Other Countries	48,170	50,984	280,628	287,444	9,374	8,018	46,492	22,302
Total	337,009	387,210	1,042,530	1,148,375	53,335	47,709	158,782	120,399
Mutton: Fresh—From Holland	64,742	41,924	209,616	133,803	6,324	5,097	20,074	15,976
Australasia	238,130	275,387	640,180	693,129	48,029	33,552	127,082	79,684
Other Countries	60,520	127,491	153,324	347,271	12,166	23,795	25,391	59,736
Total	363,392	444,802	1,003,620	1,174,203	66,519	62,444	172,547	155,396
Pork (Salted not Hams)—From								
United States—cwts	137,760	179,915	237,404	275,377	8,657	12,052	14,182	15,572
Other Countries	78,643	78,148	126,982	145,863	9,849	5,536	13,087	7,599
Total	216,403	258,063	364,386	421,240	18,506	17,588	27,269	23,171
Fresh—From United States	102	889	202	1,545	1	...	2	...
Other Countries	32,288	37,675	82,725	100,563	1,375	4,499	3,360	11,800
Total	32,390	38,564	82,927	102,108	1,376	4,499	3,362	11,800
Total of Dead Meat ... £	...	...	11,249,525	11,872,595	...	...	1,311,932	1,173,873
Butter and Butterine	1,817,845	1,818,134	9,229,565	8,828,406	243,359	199,301	1,196,028	939,382
Cheese	1,435,728	1,394,477	3,727,668	3,108,692	216,129	235,611	557,365	480,044
Eggs	6,314,477	6,405,233	2,193,471	2,234,880	633,785	581,797	222,450	202,219
Fish—Cured or Salted	581,822	498,797	1,093,688	894,633	76,455	95,506	145,095	159,765
Fruit—Apples	1,216,298	1,076,527	326,630	323,274	356,428	245,345	99,676	65,673
Oranges and Lemons	3,539,442	2,763,047	1,272,078	984,439	79,718	34,955	36,056	15,864
Unenumerated raw	1,813,912	2,280,037	1,024,664	1,144,158	618,903	718,336	267,226	293,628
Hops	132,473	95,923	885,693	410,221	22,280	21,906	144,077	89,105
Lard	568,508	648,040	1,268,176	1,220,944	61,156	80,820	127,423	143,692
Onions	1,806,471	2,225,115	365,881	324,636	491,128	491,170	70,803	63,432
Potatoes	2,231,305	1,927,529	785,839	663,013	82,522	116,116	15,338	22,877
Poultry and Game—Alive or Dead... £	...	...	314,972	344,592	...	...	40,781	49,339
Rice—From British East Indies	4,285,715	3,506,566	1,713,317	1,305,908	811,810	853,209	315,577	294,949
Other Countries	631,395	632,146	340,739	320,124	71,878	124,896	33,070	51,314
Total	4,917,110	4,138,712	2,054,056	1,626,032	883,688	978,105	348,647	346,263
Spices—Cinnamon	1,230,406	1,083,696	55,365	37,450	192,504	191,606	10,389	8,218
Ginger	55,290	79,976	122,180	152,919	272	1,796	602	2,971
Pepper	20,787,083	23,568,742	616,958	714,216	4,220,288	5,893,414	130,946	181,958
Total	...	...	794,503	904,585	...	...	141,937	193,147
Sugar, Refined & Candy—Germany	483,626	632,868	519,294	534,060	31,142	22,395	28,255	20,356
Holland	991,312	1,005,117	1,086,517	917,869	96,300	76,840	95,191	77,598
Belgium	60,430	54,599	72,731	55,252	2,583	1,827	3,173	2,242
France	923,902	426,292	1,054,064	402,203	112,510	13,111	109,342	13,918
United States	830,309	1,998,188	857,615	1,806,140	127,570	177,913	122,922	166,228
Other Countries	22,420	2,185	25,447	1,840	...	18	...	18
Total	3,311,999	4,119,249	3,615,668	3,717,364	370,105	292,104	358,883	280,360
Sugar—Unrefined—Germany	4,517,186	5,668,150	3,538,530	3,488,141	369,575	420,381	220,645	304,671
Holland	179,498	204,429	142,116	141,838	48,630	18,734	37,959	13,737
Belgium	404,441	325,582	336,607	224,137	17,452	45,247	10,624	33,814
France	61,150	26,213	57,245	21,596	9,365	4,001	6,994	3,905
British W. Indies and Guiana	2,745,646	2,374,239	2,599,139	1,902,229	301,287	258,638	234,304	198,157
British East Indies	828,527	567,568	511,578	290,661	75,982	102,326	38,230	57,697
China and Hong Kong	103,647	14,679	71,476	5,644	...	...	...	...
Mauritius	236,897	182,260	178,953	127,414	12,825	27,129	7,400	18,482
Spanish West India Islands	448,332	645,919	346,246	492,925	20,637	24,256	13,344	18,992
Brazil	1,200,122	1,115,121	928,375	669,548	58,785	21,734	37,784	14,497
Java	2,759,455	3,203,085	2,567,000	2,422,936	151,612	299,862	103,906	227,725
Philippine Islands	558,360	312,282	367,252	159,499	12,624	74,013	5,771	42,414
Peru	317,206	478,800	279,640	339,822	26,522	49,505	19,679	36,994
Other Countries	450,886	485,636	385,763	333,630	65,279	54,095	47,598	36,301
Total	14,811,353	15,603,963	12,309,920	10,620,020	1,170,555	1,399,921	784,238	1,007,386
Molasses	358,664	342,042	128,718	119,865	22,664	60,225	7,055	22,749
Total of Sugar and Molasses £	...	...	16,054,306	14,457,279	...	...	1,150,176	1,310,495
Vegetables, Raw, unenumerated	...	...	367,037	390,386	...	...	31,186	27,123
Yeast, Dried	210,585	220,616	579,583	614,926	24,682	23,846	68,199	65,901



IMPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
II.—ARTICLES OF FOOD & DRINK.	(Con.)		£	£			£	£
Total of Principal Articles £	...	...	90,912,638	91,525,089	...	...	11,415,341	10,091,465
Total of Other Articles.....£	...	...	3,241,711	3,410,750	...	...	371,142	367,514
Total Articles of Food and Drink £	...	...	94,154,349	94,935,839	...	...	11,786,483	10,458,979
B.—DUTIABLE.								
Chicory—Imports.....cwts	85,118	94,252	48,464	53,834	7,453	9,026	4,158	5,167
Home Consumption.....	72,405	75,119			7,057	8,131		
Cocoa—Imports.....lbs	19,964,162	19,331,038	696,589	683,868	1,474,841	1,670,201	54,095	69,882
Home Consumption.....	10,707,302	11,353,931			1,427,210	1,473,834		
Coffee—From Ceylon.....cwts	225,634	193,108	884,859	725,172	16,765	19,674	63,400	74,833
Other British Possessions.....	262,878	227,754	963,112	765,351	6,097	4,217	18,966	13,622
Brazil.....	128,282	137,352	335,689	348,022	7,353	7,555	20,953	19,165
Central America.....	279,035	213,880	899,483	711,207	3,821	27,969	12,843	94,499
Other Countries.....	111,356	112,513	313,722	310,591	10,336	5,944	29,835	14,685
Total { Imports.....	1,007,185	884,607	3,396,865	2,860,343	44,372	65,359	145,997	216,804
Home Consumption.....	220,931	227,092			24,722	24,089		
Currants—Imports.....cwts	492,317	536,360	683,165	720,861	304,810	343,848	409,711	457,216
Home Consumption.....	509,420	551,151			136,634	171,210		
Raisins—Imports.....	138,939	191,995	238,266	308,042	94,132	105,319	163,073	170,163
Home Consumption.....	135,248	143,273			42,558	45,048		
Tea—From British East Indies.....lbs	36,425,823	37,956,614	2,216,446	2,195,762	7,871,682	8,219,598	466,526	478,458
China (inc. Hong Kong and Macao)	100,533,218	106,906,547	4,667,598	5,192,353	17,298,204	22,633,788	834,314	1,090,761
Other Countries.....	3,846,042	3,140,324	195,582	153,068	445,535	180,715	23,216	8,843
Total { Imports.....	140,805,083	148,003,485	7,079,626	7,541,183	25,615,421	31,034,101	132,4056	1,578,062
Home Consumption.....	131,100,574	139,965,014			16,172,737	13,241,532		
Spirits, not sweetened or mixed—								
Brandy—Imports.....prf. galls	1,540,227	1,872,381	689,812	832,943	181,135	192,680	85,122	85,179
Home Consumption.....	2,046,528	1,937,394			269,240	221,887		
Rum—Imports.....	5,911,696	6,106,485	521,191	490,831	684,091	714,241	59,748	64,759
Home Consumption.....	2,593,157	2,558,396			278,303	251,040		
Other Sorts—Imports.....	1,465,436	1,308,424	143,756	120,948	100,739	124,140	12,032	12,157
Home Consumption.....	906,483	1,000,841			103,102	130,281		
Total { Imports.....	8,917,359	9,287,290	1,354,759	1,444,722	965,965	1,031,061	156,902	162,095
Home Consumption.....	5,546,168	3,496,631			650,645	603,208		
Wine Imports:—From British Possessions in South Africa...gallons	54,536	33,635	23,455	12,470	4,122	5,117	2,103	2,313
Other British Possessions.....	40,320	47,673	11,507	13,936	4,312	5,392	896	1,837
Germany.....	273,894	265,822	36,881	36,179	27,305	32,336	3,394	4,529
Holland.....	310,528	299,017	188,168	184,659	24,056	22,306	14,705	13,678
France { Red.....	3,050,831	3,107,567	807,995	832,199	303,476	290,801	79,204	77,275
White.....	1,191,269	1,225,752	1,115,104	1,147,127	120,634	97,743	114,973	88,232
Portugal.....	2,293,755	2,288,672	715,448	671,612	194,274	211,808	63,798	61,432
Madeira.....	84,968	87,233	35,980	33,936	18,678	18,729	6,911	5,713
Spain { Red.....	866,947	958,762	110,796	127,334	66,794	38,184	8,269	5,026
White.....	2,450,246	2,090,889	732,409	629,896	190,721	201,207	59,802	56,613
Italy.....	420,325	432,452	81,912	85,664	32,983	47,024	6,018	8,962
Other Countries.....	110,439	89,867	44,598	37,957	21,702	7,767	7,393	3,745
Total { Of Wine.....	11,148,058	10,927,341	3,904,253	3,812,969	1,009,057	978,414	367,466	329,355
Red.....	6,501,583	6,626,632			592,976	567,355		
White.....	4,646,475	4,300,709	2,206,392	2,115,674	416,081	411,059	210,812	179,540
Wine entered for Home Consump.—								
From France { Red.....	2,972,184	3,045,642	...	...	290,619	262,805	...	...
White.....	1,124,520	1,190,528	...	...	109,597	78,176	...	...
Portugal.....	2,040,426	2,185,321	...	...	221,210	200,755	...	...
Spain { Red.....	827,408	874,533	...	...	89,527	62,288	...	...
White.....	2,190,268	2,121,506	...	...	224,400	184,515	...	...
Other Countries.....	1,114,113	1,054,895	...	...	113,128	98,184	...	...
Total { Of Wine.....	10,268,919	10,472,425	...	...	1,048,481	886,721	...	...
Red.....	6,122,356	6,386,055	...	...	629,559	552,981	...	...
White.....	4,146,563	4,086,370	...	...	418,922	333,740	...	...
Total of Principal Articles £	...	...	17,401,987	17,425,822	...	...	2,625,458	2,088,744
Total of Other Articles.....£	...	...	372,709	316,350	...	...	106,212	67,263
Total Articles of Food and Drink...£	...	...	17,774,696	17,742,172	...	...	2,731,670	3,056,007
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured { Imports.....lbs	44,789,994	64,960,670	1,477,713	2,111,957	11,753,801	14,492,807	379,713	466,108
Home Consump.....	37,657,411	38,301,774			4,209,653	4,270,422		
Manufac. & Snuff { Imports.....	2,420,407	3,122,831	737,421	864,806	235,834	403,955	59,924	145,105
Home Consump.....	1,109,546	1,270,077			121,153	129,640		
Total { Imports.....	47,210,401	68,083,501	2,215,134	2,976,763	11,989,635	14,896,762	439,637	611,213
Home Consump.....	38,766,957	39,571,851			4,330,806	4,400,062		
III.—METALS.								
Copper—Ore—From Italy.....tons	7,108	4,787	35,488	23,459	191	...	1,039	...
United States.....	25,737	4,557	495,203	68,551	6,878	124	128,113	1,690
Venezuela.....	20,694	27,196	131,600	126,019	2,690	3,194	19,530	12,950
Bolivia.....	1,070	4,310	11,660	35,479	381	...	4,000	...
Chili.....	115	372	2,300	5,915	52	...	1,040	...
Cape of Good Hope.....	15,704	16,505	248,472	198,833	3,949	3,210	58,470	37,242
British North America.....	2,066	1,911	8,985	3,940	620	...	3,720	...
Other Countries.....	22,614	15,872	159,104	97,329	451	3,146	5,879	13,571
Total.....	95,098	75,510	1,092,812	559,525	15,212	9,674	221,791	65,453

NOTE.—The Quantities of Goods entered for Home Consumption include the deliveries from the Excise Warehouses under Act 44 Vict. c. 12.



IMPORTS Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
<b>III.—METALS—(Con.)</b>								
Copper (Con.)—Regulus & Precipitate			£	£			£	£
—Portugal .....	3,529	6,483	113,187	235,304	158	920	4,725	36,800
Spain .....	23,098	26,427	787,694	664,065	2,321	2,243	95,590	41,164
United States .....	3,774	22,367	114,573	567,471	541	2,173	18,036	54,311
Chili .....	8,180	5,139	207,948	107,346	1,791	14	44,663	511
Other Countries .....	7,541	3,857	116,200	55,860	737	310	10,059	2,497
Total .....	46,122	64,273	1,339,602	1,630,046	5,548	5,660	173,073	135,283
Unwrought, and Part Wrought—								
United States .....	1,588	2,963	88,514	140,575	448	787	24,555	35,177
From Chili .....	16,075	18,633	907,212	854,762	1,528	2,576	84,333	110,258
Australasia .....	7,321	7,313	438,823	389,007	587	462	33,406	24,868
Other Countries .....	3,095	3,853	186,725	188,639	347	416	19,734	18,784
Total .....	28,079	32,762	1,621,274	1,572,983	2,910	4,241	162,028	189,087
Iron and Steel—Iron, Ore..... tons	2,113,788	2,212,524	1,661,205	1,547,605	185,696	224,111	135,098	161,385
Bar, Angle, Bolt and Rod.....	82,808	90,165	835,045	895,715	13,710	13,902	137,747	137,457
Steel, Unwrought .....	3,929	8,831	48,981	85,446	566	1,775	7,031	13,129
Lead, Pig and Sheet .....	79,191	79,940	896,628	888,792	7,864	5,343	85,167	63,913
Pyrites of Iron or Copper or Sulphur.....	420,231	513,312	936,578	986,380	39,782	36,672	88,784	67,820
Quicksilver..... lbs	4,232,008	3,819,277	313,037	301,518	37,500	22,500	2,727	1,750
Tin, in Blocks, Ingots, Bars, or Slabs—								
From Straits Settlements..... cwts	219,559	241,796	917,148	1,012,888	37,511	26,569	154,475	121,119
Australasia .....	140,505	123,959	579,888	516,954	15,814	10,311	64,895	47,162
Other Countries .....	28,555	17,780	123,405	75,564	2,178	557	9,445	2,488
Total .....	388,619	383,535	1,620,441	1,605,406	55,503	37,437	228,815	170,769
Zinc Crude, in Cakes..... tons	31,923	42,111	467,948	592,202	3,837	5,899	55,085	82,231
Total of Principal Articles .....	£	£	10,833,551	10,665,618	...	...	1,297,346	1,088,177
Total of Other Articles.....	£	£	1,854,528	1,736,267	...	...	200,649	153,591
Total of Metals .....	£	£	12,688,079	12,401,885	...	...	1,497,995	1,241,768
<b>IV.—CHEMICALS, DYESTUFFS, AND TANNING SUBSTANCES.</b>								
Alkali .....	49,784	49,562	52,290	41,686	8,372	6,910	6,805	5,375
Bark, for Tanners' or Dyers' use.....	353,634	298,439	163,601	128,104	31,289	50,907	12,082	22,048
Brimstone .....	536,729	604,170	135,147	154,550	47,417	90,200	11,273	21,596
Chemical Manfs. & Products—Unenu.£	...	...	1,139,820	1,009,195	...	...	113,820	91,810
Cochineal..... cwts	10,555	9,388	58,670	56,384	1,049	722	5,618	4,329
Cutch and Gambier .....	25,239	21,381	662,484	454,937	3,209	2,590	66,195	53,483
Dyes (Coal Tar)—Aniline .....	...	...	200,182	179,705	...	...	18,860	16,241
Alizarine .....	...	...	193,784	170,958	...	...	27,194	31,570
Other Coal-Tar Dyes.....	...	...	32,128	3,304	...	...	264	109
Indigo .....	99,891	83,056	2,381,384	1,886,416	2,618	835	42,810	11,825
Madder, Root, Garancine, & Munjeet...	16,646	33,016	22,249	32,392	2,544	1,262	3,386	1,595
Nitre, Cubic (Nitrate of Soda).....	1,542,505	1,621,745	750,295	787,917	38,613	110,370	19,508	60,280
Saltpetre .....	256,618	224,837	237,164	193,380	36,134	47,414	31,988	39,883
Valonia..... tons	30,415	24,351	452,950	383,660	2,355	1,989	33,509	32,636
Total of Principal Articles .....	£	£	6,482,148	5,482,588	...	...	393,312	392,780
Total of Other Articles.....	£	£	1,378,684	1,476,655	...	...	141,304	168,734
Total of Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, and Tanning Substances .....	£	£	7,860,832	6,959,243	...	...	534,616	561,514
<b>V.—OILS.</b>								
Cocoa-nut .....	152,298	148,657	251,669	223,910	24,350	33,464	39,405	51,261
Olive .....	13,391	19,282	559,403	780,982	680	674	27,657	26,786
Palm .....	599,218	656,475	1,031,458	916,010	74,678	73,552	122,224	95,618
Petroleum..... gals	34,563,794	49,928,620	1,132,250	1,548,091	6,648,632	9,672,123	205,004	292,177
Seed, of all Kinds .....	7,964	8,122	253,562	236,839	1,566	1,237	46,078	34,841
Train, Blubber and Sperm .....	11,944	13,043	367,459	380,986	2,595	3,205	65,030	92,002
Turpentine .....	344,454	225,647	422,298	281,195	51,504	64,847	62,558	84,917
Total of Principal Articles .....	£	£	4,018,099	4,368,013	...	...	567,956	677,602
Total of Other Articles .....	£	£	584,413	584,384	...	...	53,398	54,101
Total of Oils .....	£	£	4,602,512	4,952,397	...	...	621,354	731,703
<b>VI.—RAW MATERIALS FOR TEXTILE MANUFACTURES.</b>								
Cotton, Raw—Fm. United States..... cwts	7,043,720	5,991,854	20,060,921	17,069,357	252,283	167,080	718,956	479,123
Brazil .....	299,818	267,424	882,696	764,643	9,910	5,009	31,538	13,052
Egypt .....	781,280	945,861	3,038,824	3,579,352	7,431	5,703	29,184	21,031
British East Indies .....	2,493,424	1,194,460	5,463,938	2,664,603	154,995	50,521	349,883	108,819
Other Countries .....	113,122	127,473	352,270	384,660	20,517	12,521	63,493	40,839
Total .....	10,731,364	8,527,072	29,798,649	24,462,615	445,136	240,834	1,193,054	682,864
Flax, Dressed, Undressed, and Tow or Codilla of—From Russia.....	881,429	1,029,805	1,342,519	1,820,232	82,839	75,079	121,715	121,077
Germany .....	44,872	27,897	71,814	49,333	2,741	754	4,320	985
Holland .....	52,368	61,999	159,421	176,563	1,420	3,399	3,958	8,427
Belgium .....	234,363	249,665	658,584	591,499	19,062	16,858	38,164	33,021
Other Countries .....	27,445	25,418	48,069	32,671	2,966	2,057	3,029	2,647
Total .....	1,240,477	1,394,784	2,280,407	2,670,293	109,028	98,147	171,186	166,157
Hemp, Dressed, Undressed, and Tow or Codilla of—From Russia.....	201,220	205,909	291,929	309,248	35,835	25,049	52,184	39,149
Germany .....	151,500	209,737	201,141	288,950	15,943	19,643	20,338	26,979
Italy .....	161,393	178,706	273,805	315,605	7,225	7,164	12,175	11,188
Philippine Islands .....	215,697	280,787	409,318	503,066	3,101	33,560	4,835	59,010
Other Countries .....	202,275	254,083	266,240	322,012	34,159	25,822	48,896	31,051
Total .....	932,085	1,129,222	1,442,433	1,738,881	96,263	111,238	138,428	166,377



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	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
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VI.—RAW MATERIALS, &c. (Con.)			£	£			£	
Jute .....cwts	3,920,165	5,001,704	2,882,940	2,817,828	212,267	388,026	140,946	210,179
Total of Flax, Hemp, and Jute...£	...	...	6,605,780	7,227,007	...	...	450,560	542,713
Silk, Raw—From China .....lbs	2,834,580	669,241	2,070,794	432,945	262,068	148,425	185,809	101,345
British East Indies .....	93,201	40,032	64,595	25,363	4,549	1,260	2,707	800
Japan .....	250,931	10,040	201,291	6,936	7,332	1,570	5,220	1,100
Other Countries .....	349,592	378,889	302,674	314,223	47,716	53,818	41,563	45,460
Total.....	3,528,304	1,098,202	2,639,354	779,467	321,665	205,073	235,304	148,705
Knubs or Husks of Silk & Waste.cwts	49,666	36,122	671,615	456,805	4,348	4,682	61,380	58,393
Thrown, Dyed or Undyed .....lbs	258,612	172,834	279,056	177,438	25,149	13,816	27,693	12,788
Wool, Sheep and Lambs'—From Coun- tries in Europe .....	26,247,424	35,214,382	1,066,933	1,402,857	4,264,650	5,254,120	164,443	225,108
British Possessions in South Africa	43,588,562	39,945,221	2,457,010	2,145,863	3,607,160	3,560,768	199,535	193,173
British East Indies .....	19,908,771	19,831,468	721,487	640,159	2,902,477	2,043,036	101,206	64,455
Australasia .....	337,999,131	320,220,365	17,621,046	16,455,291	10,805,274	5,200,000	556,800	292,086
Other Countries.....	16,563,146	15,025,755	643,302	497,187	3,003,180	3,316,881	104,036	104,100
Total.....	444,307,034	430,237,191	22,509,778	21,141,357	24,582,741	19,374,805	1,126,020	878,922
Alpaca, Vicuna, Llama.....	7,288,902	2,705,616	442,367	137,958	897,619	1,185,123	47,874	62,732
Goats' Wool or Hair .....	12,405,477	9,205,836	959,670	581,051	1,958,025	1,886,974	150,997	120,766
Woollen Rags, torn up or not, to be used as Wool .....	55,242,880	57,346,240	539,267	529,993	3,718,400	5,443,200	37,452	51,748
Total of Principal Articles £	...	...	64,445,536	55,493,691	...	...	3,330,334	2,539,631
Total of Other Articles..... £	...	...	260,040	258,428	...	...	35,763	34,100
Total of Raw Materials for Textile Manufactures...£	...	...	64,705,576	55,752,119	...	...	3,366,097	2,573,731
VII.—RAW MATERIALS FOR SUNDRY INDUSTRIES AND MANUFACTURES.								
Bark—Peruvian .....cwts	80,222	84,816	712,844	590,952	9,848	7,180	73,351	43,217
Bristles .....	2,186,797	2,141,843	352,282	304,731	239,632	285,713	39,386	37,415
Caoutchouc .....cwts	155,088	133,091	1,849,772	1,471,860	11,657	11,503	135,623	117,758
Gum—Arabic .....	42,050	66,020	126,842	224,057	2,686	4,637	9,719	14,541
Lac, Seed, Shell, Stick, and Dye .....	81,604	96,913	346,585	312,548	4,229	7,599	15,262	22,752
Gutta Percha .....	52,558	39,247	395,055	253,971	4,401	3,197	31,466	18,236
Hides, Raw, and Pieces thereof: Dry —From British East Indies.....	350,573	369,214	1,228,826	1,273,257	27,104	29,386	87,571	86,798
Other Countries .....	145,113	147,843	541,317	541,766	12,832	11,146	45,551	39,974
Total.....	495,686	517,057	1,770,143	1,815,023	39,936	40,532	133,122	126,772
Wet—From Belgium..... cwts	59,089	64,737	170,910	179,735	4,025	2,938	10,962	7,341
France .....	44,042	46,321	123,501	125,625	6,873	3,319	19,574	8,434
Argentine Republic and Uruguay	78,649	72,795	241,398	205,881	21,966	11,210	62,607	19,389
Brazil .....	64,952	49,347	191,235	137,967	9,750	10,965	27,744	29,389
Australasia .....	60,751	33,618	133,853	82,036	5,458	1,187	10,520	2,600
Other Countries .....	130,367	134,998	352,180	354,345	13,725	10,866	38,863	30,403
Total.....	437,850	401,816	1,213,077	1,085,589	61,797	40,485	170,270	97,556
Ivory, Teeth, Elephants', &c. ....cwts	7,378	6,834	346,123	329,618	1,336	1,115	64,330	56,642
Manures—Guano ..... tons	35,776	18,610	326,336	179,534	8,464	901	65,638	10,301
Bones, whether burnt or not .....	55,140	44,980	339,640	254,727	6,464	6,327	37,758	35,762
Rags, and other Materials used for Making Paper—Linen and Cotton	25,286	25,887	342,453	338,638	2,161	2,338	31,785	30,051
Esparto, and other Vegetable Fibres	139,260	156,016	845,732	897,356	14,372	10,731	83,962	60,963
Rosin.....cwts	1,208,403	1,133,081	315,649	274,846	120,853	95,665	30,998	30,054
Tallow and Stearine—From Russia ...	4,858	3,553	8,368	6,352	730	600	1,634	1,050
Argentine Republic .....	92,182	87,771	180,160	142,427	11,444	5,884	20,479	9,881
United States .....	280,924	214,934	532,120	350,187	24,581	6,480	38,971	9,545
Australasia .....	427,366	319,678	801,664	499,308	59,015	40,010	109,328	55,174
Other Countries .....	156,713	196,178	300,453	314,039	28,286	19,126	53,850	26,126
Total.....	962,043	822,114	1,822,765	1,312,313	124,056	72,100	224,262	101,776
Tar.....barrel	131,130	129,852	92,726	81,874	25,529	42,473	25,807	27,888
Wood and Timber: Hewn—From								
Russia .....load	190,965	207,054	356,646	372,156	31,118	38,822	52,971	65,605
Sweden and Norway .....	488,225	419,001	730,172	586,095	59,858	43,688	91,409	62,989
Germany .....	222,080	245,404	538,441	567,777	19,501	21,686	47,484	56,253
United States .....	147,609	120,675	542,272	403,939	8,116	7,658	32,929	26,734
British East Indies .....	31,798	28,610	464,169	387,962	5,636	3,204	86,677	43,876
British North America .....	172,126	188,254	758,341	830,602	31,271	61,094	142,981	274,965
Other Countries .....	318,613	312,147	431,327	443,273	34,169	36,149	36,654	54,191
Total.....	1,571,416	1,521,145	3,821,368	3,591,804	189,669	212,301	491,105	584,613
Sawn or split, planed or dressed—								
From Russia.....	843,094	842,700	1,803,171	1,817,484	204,503	194,731	467,145	451,009
Sweden and Norway .....	1,247,192	1,317,787	2,655,916	2,773,644	167,445	191,525	349,490	401,700
British North America .....	729,733	683,798	1,721,602	1,674,846	139,753	230,935	328,495	545,894
Other Countries .....	322,791	277,988	988,846	826,119	18,199	32,853	53,049	94,177
Total.....	3,142,810	3,122,273	7,169,535	7,092,093	529,900	650,044	1,198,179	1,492,780



IMPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
VII.—RAW MATERIALS, &c. (Con).			£	£			£	£
Wood, &c. (Con). — Staves of all dimensions .....loads	104,544	90,345	399,139	376,312	15,977	14,332	53,012	53,427
Mahogany.....tons	46,859	45,671	427,949	400,076	5,849	7,119	51,098	60,312
Total of Principal Articles £	...	...	23,026,015	21,187,922	...	...	2,966,133	3,022,816
Total of Other Articles .....£	...	...	8,790,619	7,540,870	...	...	1,562,715	950,382
Total of Raw Materials for Sundry Industries and Manufactures.....£	...	...	31,816,634	28,728,792	...	...	4,528,848	3,973,198
VIII. MANUFACTURED ARTICLES								
Clocks.....number	502,747	548,474	308,190	289,575	52,012	46,575	33,250	27,892
Cotton Manufactures, of all sorts.....£	...	...	1,713,032	1,547,330	...	...	174,600	145,665
Glass—Window &c. ....cwt	521,156	584,210	368,361	392,411	68,443	63,763	49,245	43,211
Plate, silvered or not.....	62,049	74,286	116,577	140,651	7,035	6,800	14,299	12,860
Manufactures, unenumerated.....	438,913	449,689	652,742	640,689	51,990	61,024	79,846	78,716
Hats or Bonnets of Straw .....lbs	262,582	359,115	52,351	67,677	8,373	7,187	2,074	1,245
Iron manufactures, unenumerated.....cwt	2,816,870	2,511,438	2,073,438	1,741,543	383,115	320,736	272,089	206,380
Leather*—From France.....lbs	3,669,031	4,103,911	531,916	652,999	402,491	421,921	59,821	66,311
British East Indies.....	20,881,245	23,408,331	1,410,796	1,587,073	2,430,560	3,001,779	165,896	216,245
Australasia.....	9,167,220	9,329,519	451,607	446,473	1,272,534	748,208	62,242	35,901
United States.....	20,016,617	21,069,637	1,069,165	1,133,267	2,769,395	2,382,164	151,068	127,865
Other Countries.....	4,075,983	3,557,156	648,160	571,164	563,414	389,161	73,187	66,997
Total.....	57,810,096	61,468,554	4,111,644	4,390,976	7,438,394	6,943,233	512,214	513,319
Boots and Shoes.....dozen pairs	81,108	72,414	259,700	247,804	8,872	9,549	29,619	30,087
Gloves.....	1,197,578	1,062,370	1,344,552	1,165,332	105,620	118,151	115,247	128,781
Paper.....cwt	157,940	190,863	241,618	281,600	15,921	19,674	23,420	29,931
Other kinds (except Hangings)—Silk Manufactures — Broadstuffs —	896,129	823,076	796,211	713,634	105,781	92,770	91,704	86,474
From Holland.....£	...	...	1,408,310	1,312,200	...	...	205,289	169,710
France.....	...	...	3,776,863	3,074,759	...	...	335,612	293,486
Other Countries.....	...	...	5,706	93,301	...	...	50	8,760
Total.....	...	...	5,190,884	4,483,260	...	...	540,951	471,956
Ribbons, Silk or Satin—Belgium	...	...	1,036,040	1,232,748	...	...	129,189	180,789
France.....	...	...	227,648	307,943	...	...	22,922	53,766
Other Countries.....	...	...	131,624	150,792	...	...	16,714	18,032
Total.....	...	...	1,395,312	1,691,483	...	...	168,825	252,587
Ribbons, of other kinds.....	...	...	111,519	57,978	...	...	10,737	10,926
Other Sorts of Silk Manufs. unenum.	...	...	2,221,119	1,926,777	...	...	247,726	212,428
Watches.....number	390,678	376,271	453,465	448,512	44,715	42,879	55,456	47,202
Woollen Manufactures—Of Goats' Wool or Hair, mixed or not.....£	...	...	59,448	62,718	...	...	7,221	8,096
Of Wool, other than Goats', or Wool mixed with Cotton—Cloths.....yds	696,587	1,216,755	112,451	193,884	65,874	174,768	12,817	29,413
Stuffs.....	35,739,793	44,544,280	3,423,084	4,155,563	4,295,273	5,152,805	408,364	475,221
Unenumerated.....£	...	...	1,870,034	1,547,676	...	...	240,883	212,864
Woollen Yarn for Weaving, mixed or not with Silk.....lbs	10,058,533	10,686,832	1,267,147	1,287,778	1,241,660	1,335,143	154,035	158,635
Zinc Manufactures, unenumerated cwt	291,184	283,739	285,317	261,100	40,163	40,617	39,060	36,351
Total of Principal Articles £	...	...	28,428,196	27,738,951	...	...	3,283,755	3,220,240
Total of Other Articles .....£	...	...	12,406,621	13,101,150	...	...	1,485,642	1,530,806
Total of Manufactured Articles £	...	...	40,834,817	40,840,101	...	...	4,769,397	4,751,046
IX.—MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.								
Animals, Horses.....number	10,836	11,530	209,568	164,036	1,291	868	21,790	18,565
Drugs, unenumerated.....£	...	...	613,696	579,475	...	...	51,008	72,984
Oil Seed Cakes.....tons	198,218	211,939	1,498,583	1,535,325	15,273	9,205	122,399	69,185
Seeds—Clover and Grass.....cwt	233,230	227,553	539,038	551,952	12,067	13,000	20,819	23,046
Cotton—From Egypt.....tons	103,809	178,026	814,913	1,268,196	1,714	1,682	14,266	11,103
Other Countries.....	18,367	23,199	114,618	137,456	1,270	906	7,899	5,452
Total.....	122,176	201,225	929,531	1,405,652	2,984	2,588	22,165	16,555
Flax and Linseed—From Russia....qrs	226,490	99,953	445,374	195,730	40,410	18,449	81,304	37,252
British East Indies.....	774,187	1,114,078	1,664,003	2,362,314	73,937	197,964	160,968	416,425
Other Countries.....	125,927	267,636	269,579	580,026	2,587	11,264	5,950	24,931
Total.....	1,126,604	1,481,667	2,378,956	3,138,070	116,934	227,677	248,222	478,608
Rape—From British East Indies....qrs	372,547	271,326	828,149	520,257	51,817	75,453	107,523	137,786
Other Countries.....	65,212	142,212	102,581	158,742	1,684	5,298	4,370	7,964
Total.....	437,759	413,538	930,730	678,999	53,501	80,751	111,893	145,750
Total of Principal Articles £	...	...	7,100,102	8,053,509	...	...	598,296	824,693
Total of Other Articles .....£	...	...	2,645,504	2,468,348	...	...	320,770	319,706
Total of Miscellaneous Articles £	...	...	9,745,606	10,521,857	...	...	919,066	1,144,399
Total Value of Imports .....£	...	...	294,946,594	283,166,231	...	...	32,249,598	29,963,788

Under the designation of "Leather" are comprised the following articles—Hides, tanned, tawed, curried or any way dressed; Goat skins dressed; Sheep skins, dressed.



## II.—EXPORTS—BRITISH AND IRISH PRODUCE, &amp;c.

An Account of the Exports of the Principal and other Articles of British and Irish Produce and Manufactures from the United Kingdom in the Nine Months ended September 30, 1885, compared with the corresponding Period of 1884; also for the Month ended September 30, 1885, compared with the same Period of 1884.

EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
<b>I.—ANIMALS LIVING.</b>								
Horses .....	5,832	5,134	£ 342,281	£ 300,370	660	745	£ 32,942	£ 45,507
Other Animals .....	...	...	167,023	108,596	...	...	25,666	24,737
Total Value of Animals, Living ...	...	...	509,309	408,966	...	...	58,608	70,244
<b>II. ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.</b>								
Beer and Ale—To United States ...brls	26,220	23,041	119,734	97,101	2,674	2,891	13,394	14,900
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	17,922	18,743	70,813	72,464	422	537	2,503	2,275
British W. I. Islands and Guiana ...	18,553	13,897	76,083	57,782	953	1,820	3,936	7,657
British East Indies .....	65,145	41,430	171,848	136,282	2,318	2,019	9,757	8,495
Australasia .....	77,771	90,530	350,226	394,193	7,256	8,153	37,634	38,055
Other Countries .....	124,340	129,919	430,470	438,837	12,507	15,547	44,290	52,089
Total.....	329,951	317,560	1,219,174	1,196,659	26,130	30,967	111,514	123,471
Butter .....	21,714	19,750	151,655	125,173	3,304	2,285	23,560	13,224
Cheese .....	9,288	8,010	38,740	32,527	1,506	1,113	6,424	4,507
Fish, Herrings .....	922,351	859,302	1,184,221	1,100,756	378,838	398,680	441,421	458,651
Other Descriptions .....	...	...	326,366	333,815	...	...	50,907	57,825
Hops .....	4,736	3,472	29,455	21,993	800	634	6,202	3,762
Pickles, Vinegar, Sauces, Condiments, & Confectionery, unenumerated .....	...	...	981,860	960,456	...	...	122,180	119,641
Provisions (including Meat).....	...	...	556,064	597,804	...	...	66,814	71,534
Salt, Rock and White .....	755,486	666,566	472,079	479,205	106,953	83,046	64,938	62,382
Spirits, British & Irish—To France gals	22,566	15,981	5,629	4,830	2,628	2,377	445	607
Portugal, Azores, and Madeira .....	1,731	2,168	679	997	196	368	81	163
West Coast of Africa (Foreign) .....	165,323	121,984	22,498	19,315	8,309	3,375	994	672
United States .....	82,657	74,104	24,552	23,671	20,972	29,310	6,054	8,393
British North America.....	96,575	103,892	29,651	29,979	15,001	16,995	4,956	4,863
British East Indies .....	240,913	284,485	92,171	111,289	33,950	37,451	12,872	15,255
Australasia .....	952,559	1,037,349	291,721	308,980	126,163	143,725	39,728	44,856
Other Countries .....	294,890	283,853	103,346	105,222	30,793	39,758	11,042	14,432
Total.....	1,857,214	1,923,816	570,247	604,283	238,012	273,659	76,172	89,246
Sugar, Refined, & Candy—Denmark..cwts	165,517	99,338	140,975	76,965	15,394	13,279	12,376	10,173
Belgium .....	78,827	62,022	65,391	44,335	18,010	10,790	13,189	8,694
France .....	146,405	62,414	129,848	47,960	18,617	6,678	6,664	5,162
Portugal, Azores, and Madeira .....	76,051	62,191	64,351	46,346	10,513	5,749	7,942	4,481
Italy .....	177,405	195,904	155,546	140,948	17,449	30,936	12,998	25,010
British North America.....	68,002	16,668	55,537	11,205	9,948	1,133	6,508	853
Other Countries .....	287,807	229,190	279,601	176,399	29,462	24,622	26,758	21,125
Total.....	1,000,014	727,727	891,249	544,158	109,393	93,187	86,435	75,498
Other Articles.....	...	...	1,243,288	1,069,256	...	...	159,906	135,331
Total Articles of Food and Drink...f	...	...	7,664,398	7,066,085	...	...	1,216,473	1,215,072
<b>III.—RAW MATERIALS.</b>								
Coal, Coke, Cinders, & Fuel—Russia...tons	1,349,847	1,250,533	606,428	536,382	169,010	175,359	76,427	75,322
Sweden and Norway.....	1,256,648	1,377,546	549,643	576,267	181,437	185,810	78,232	78,029
Denmark .....	803,714	820,014	320,804	316,458	122,095	97,413	49,329	41,718
Germany .....	1,814,102	1,895,526	682,043	688,482	251,819	259,685	97,832	95,576
Holland .....	317,488	226,539	136,180	93,655	45,209	35,240	19,785	14,577
France .....	3,201,795	3,070,217	1,347,070	1,270,704	370,709	311,477	152,752	131,428
Spain and Canaries .....	942,540	987,249	502,299	506,219	81,652	114,528	45,868	60,542
Italy .....	1,794,780	2,079,577	780,074	870,847	166,127	165,474	73,351	69,273
Turkey .....	235,810	224,438	124,185	115,557	25,735	24,649	13,265	12,620
Egypt .....	881,247	875,943	464,434	445,534	132,729	85,813	68,482	42,478
Brazil .....	397,927	367,702	231,359	206,313	37,579	40,456	20,984	23,531
Gibraltar .....	340,506	284,833	180,390	141,650	12,737	4,507	6,688	2,161
Malta .....	401,480	485,869	221,486	249,681	55,410	53,179	30,090	26,722
British East Indies .....	983,780	986,951	531,090	517,835	81,506	82,160	44,398	43,814
Other Countries .....	3,042,508	2,925,251	1,611,577	1,496,086	381,915	324,339	199,845	161,614
Total.....	17,764,172	17,858,188	8,289,062	8,031,670	2,115,669	1,960,089	977,328	879,405
Coals, &c., Shipped for use of Steamers engaged in Foreign Trade .....	4,902,941	4,983,197	...	...	599,490	581,478	...	...
Wool, Sheep & Lambs'—To Russia lbs	437,700	123,800	27,690	8,247	60,400	28,400	3,977	1,968
Germany .....	3,432,300	3,347,100	189,348	172,911	518,300	305,100	26,994	15,730
Holland .....	142,900	320,600	9,645	16,862	11,700	32,000	793	1,812
Belgium .....	674,500	463,600	41,484	24,283	4,600	44,800	345	2,633
France .....	1,918,900	3,384,400	88,226	149,235	254,100	304,100	11,683	14,037
United States .....	6,726,000	4,704,600	236,870	140,405	1,357,000	1,278,700	43,096	34,756
British North America.....	232,200	514,300	10,607	23,133	35,600	71,800	1,524	3,171
Other Countries .....	400,000	249,000	25,307	13,214	59,800	27,800	3,261	1,449
Total.....	13,964,500	13,107,400	629,177	548,290	2,301,500	2,092,700	91,673	75,556
Other Articles .....	...	...	1,319,932	1,299,424	...	...	127,069	138,696
Total Value of Raw Materials ...f	...	...	10,238,171	9,879,384	...	...	1,196,070	1,093,657



EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
IV.—ARTICLES MANUFACTURED AND PARTLY MANUFACTURED.			£	£			£	£
A.—YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.								
Cotton, Yarn, & Twist—Russia.....lbs	1,219,500	1,278,900	115,226	111,622	177,300	271,900	15,882	23,609
Sweden and Norway.....	3,602,000	3,471,300	163,261	151,643	403,400	306,100	18,988	14,664
Denmark.....	2,976,500	2,910,300	114,056	108,884	389,700	426,500	14,917	15,744
Germany.....	29,426,200	25,056,000	1,602,468	1,320,234	2,987,800	2,600,700	168,424	134,009
Holland.....	33,575,700	31,530,600	1,711,488	1,462,741	3,464,100	2,910,000	177,369	139,153
Belgium.....	10,237,300	8,892,000	583,224	479,949	1,035,500	1,062,700	62,378	56,295
France.....	10,397,900	11,282,300	642,447	638,373	1,001,300	1,115,300	60,877	61,279
Italy.....	11,183,900	11,144,300	498,751	488,314	1,097,600	1,041,600	49,212	45,327
Austrian Territories.....	2,558,100	1,580,600	111,985	74,693	235,400	216,800	10,539	10,233
Roumania.....	5,937,700	5,518,500	238,189	217,058	523,700	733,700	21,039	28,587
Turkey.....	15,450,300	16,248,100	702,912	702,275	1,481,300	1,804,000	65,630	79,637
Egypt.....	2,422,400	3,172,000	106,807	131,951	224,600	264,100	9,181	10,901
China and Hong Kong.....	13,071,400	16,486,700	515,740	636,960	1,406,900	1,913,700	54,054	73,270
Japan.....	15,080,500	9,473,000	543,318	341,959	1,156,000	866,400	41,562	31,214
British East Indies—Bombay.....	10,808,000	10,949,100	643,777	591,855	1,293,600	1,718,700	86,612	97,452
Madras.....	9,200,900	6,719,100	532,925	342,291	1,496,500	709,300	75,535	41,234
Bengal.....	13,825,100	12,458,500	947,585	714,053	1,764,600	1,269,400	107,350	78,046
Straits Settlements.....	2,658,900	2,290,400	138,852	115,244	269,200	301,300	15,661	15,949
Ceylon.....	109,500	75,700	6,818	4,594	10,000	29,100	770	2,028
Other Countries.....	7,879,500	7,157,500	443,614	390,313	1,205,800	967,400	71,661	53,675
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>201,621,300</b>	<b>187,694,900</b>	<b>10,363,443</b>	<b>9,025,011</b>	<b>21,624,800</b>	<b>20,528,730</b>	<b>1,127,851</b>	<b>1,012,306</b>
Cotton Manufactures—Piece Goods of all kinds—To Germany.....yards	39,200,100	35,045,600	641,264	596,492	3,212,300	3,614,600	55,126	61,086
Holland.....	35,540,600	31,579,100	538,431	481,101	3,259,500	2,436,500	50,178	35,231
Belgium.....	44,659,300	40,425,200	653,181	567,344	3,805,200	4,839,700	69,199	72,047
France.....	38,871,100	36,340,200	781,982	708,670	3,878,800	3,228,900	90,792	68,752
Portugal, Azores and Madeira.....	41,329,300	37,871,900	441,975	409,815	4,130,200	3,215,900	44,933	36,070
Italy.....	71,158,800	73,150,800	920,548	910,252	5,126,200	6,678,700	70,372	91,652
Austrian Territories.....	6,614,700	5,164,400	85,226	61,486	557,400	653,500	6,989	7,719
Greece.....	32,177,700	23,297,400	421,117	302,001	4,675,300	4,153,200	63,950	52,559
Turkey.....	228,243,100	245,984,400	2,822,675	2,894,323	27,037,200	25,316,200	333,246	293,413
Egypt.....	91,307,800	118,164,600	911,860	1,091,500	9,217,800	6,994,200	97,928	64,177
West Coast of Africa (Foreign).....	44,760,600	33,195,600	571,437	380,018	4,618,400	2,569,300	57,034	28,687
United States.....	44,175,900	38,912,800	1,199,928	1,032,063	3,821,800	2,719,100	121,774	82,867
Foreign West Indies.....	57,848,600	52,485,700	667,692	571,228	9,549,500	10,085,200	105,713	104,497
Mexico.....	23,181,700	17,257,400	276,112	199,482	2,848,500	2,376,100	33,591	29,582
Central America.....	34,917,300	23,956,600	384,904	255,486	7,052,700	5,825,500	77,177	59,153
U.S. of Colombia.....	31,645,300	11,992,000	362,846	134,299	3,843,900	4,775,300	44,776	52,996
Venezuela.....	26,443,800	11,194,000	293,539	125,388	2,147,800	568,000	24,075	6,217
Brazil.....	169,462,900	136,543,300	2,125,952	1,585,751	18,952,600	18,613,300	243,043	215,281
Uruguay.....	30,403,600	19,089,500	414,443	259,379	4,640,800	1,999,400	65,110	26,261
Argentine Republic.....	51,097,500	47,550,900	703,911	619,313	8,181,900	6,036,500	115,278	73,896
Chili.....	34,908,200	30,232,000	420,738	299,681	4,020,500	4,535,800	48,130	39,402
Peru.....	27,016,700	14,727,100	331,750	177,249	1,967,300	1,282,900	24,316	15,490
China and Hong Kong.....	305,122,500	427,376,400	3,279,629	4,271,603	30,651,800	37,087,000	319,702	380,838
Japan.....	28,529,900	33,065,200	323,237	361,964	3,250,600	4,146,300	36,047	44,617
Dutch Possessions in India.....	90,869,800	84,130,500	1,118,667	999,083	7,791,600	6,893,300	96,975	82,680
Philippine Islands.....	27,717,900	39,961,500	365,261	436,649	3,662,300	7,499,800	48,196	77,758
Gibraltar.....	12,565,200	12,663,100	153,958	144,630	1,672,800	424,600	19,206	5,053
Malta.....	18,462,200	20,331,700	192,630	230,375	1,709,500	1,810,800	19,941	19,752
West Coast of Africa (British).....	35,064,100	24,989,800	424,220	293,388	3,598,400	2,463,800	45,529	29,458
British North America.....	23,461,100	29,913,300	470,716	567,210	2,896,500	2,276,800	61,246	48,366
British West India Islands & Guiana.....	33,175,900	28,020,800	419,160	345,141	3,257,800	3,623,000	39,277	43,655
British Possessions in South Africa.....	16,302,600	17,483,000	272,469	287,932	1,881,300	1,951,000	30,824	32,498
British East Indies :—Bombay.....	413,337,600	399,082,100	4,148,150	3,711,490	48,735,100	59,128,200	486,904	558,898
Madras.....	81,519,600	75,473,000	984,356	828,323	11,129,400	8,426,700	130,287	91,390
Bengal.....	703,527,600	738,165,700	6,697,399	6,815,453	98,243,100	85,995,100	930,701	788,009
Straits Settlements.....	98,015,400	93,062,300	1,000,050	899,419	9,602,300	11,646,100	99,912	109,419
Ceylon.....	16,898,100	8,026,700	205,864	98,584	2,629,300	895,100	29,814	11,495
Australasia..... yards	72,675,200	62,681,900	1,339,126	1,490,326	5,652,600	5,945,900	103,441	104,884
Other Countries.....	117,549,800	111,776,100	1,537,446	1,430,652	10,389,600	15,094,200	148,124	188,949
<b>Total</b> { Wholly of Cotton—Unbleached or Printed, Dyed or Coloured.....	<b>2,304,412,300</b>	<b>2,393,108,000</b>	<b>23,911,500</b>	<b>23,371,967</b>	<b>267,321,500</b>	<b>262,873,400</b>	<b>2,723,454</b>	<b>2,518,863</b>
{ Printed, Dyed or Coloured.....	<b>995,183,900</b>	<b>917,070,300</b>	<b>14,986,197</b>	<b>13,498,149</b>	<b>115,960,600</b>	<b>114,922,500</b>	<b>1,763,964</b>	<b>1,616,295</b>
{ Mixed Materials, Cotton predom.....	<b>162,800</b>	<b>165,300</b>	<b>6,052</b>	<b>4,427</b>	<b>27,500</b>	<b>29,600</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>586</b>
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>3,299,759,000</b>	<b>3,310,343,600</b>	<b>38,903,749</b>	<b>36,874,543</b>	<b>383,299,600</b>	<b>377,825,500</b>	<b>4,488,506</b>	<b>4,135,744</b>
Lace and Patent Net.....£	...	...	1,791,450	1,887,858	...	...	175,147	204,552
Hosiery—Stockings & Socks...doz prs	1,391,146	1,317,565	442,939	397,838	171,195	120,996	50,393	34,215
Other kinds.....£	...	...	427,190	306,018	...	...	42,889	33,019
Thread for sewing or stitching.....lbs	11,051,600	11,079,900	1,856,089	1,766,533	1,262,400	1,431,600	210,237	211,428
Other Manufactures, unenumerated...£	...	...	952,364	904,355	...	...	115,229	96,991
<b>Total Value of Cotton Manufacs...£</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>44,553,781</b>	<b>42,137,145</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>5,082,401</b>	<b>4,715,949</b>
Jute Yarn—To Germany.....lbs	1,423,100	2,119,900	17,131	21,315	319,100	286,900	3,766	2,714
Holland.....	1,394,000	1,779,300	14,086	14,530	118,100	120,000	902	883
Spain and Canaries.....	8,335,700	6,450,500	106,773	76,323	731,900	407,000	9,022	4,962
United States.....	7,057,100	8,690,400	75,636	60,209	1,329,700	843,100	13,656	5,784
Other Countries.....	1,713,600	2,114,300	21,788	23,715	228,500	209,500	2,442	2,206
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>19,924,300</b>	<b>21,154,400</b>	<b>235,374</b>	<b>196,092</b>	<b>2,728,100</b>	<b>1,866,500</b>	<b>29,788</b>	<b>16,549</b>
Jute Manufactures—Piece Goods of all kinds—To Germany.....yards	21,469,700	15,022,600	232,836	138,466	3,419,600	1,992,100	36,598	17,835
Holland.....	3,509,500	2,410,600	37,932	26,848	392,300	175,200	4,838	2,123
France.....	6,634,900	4,783,600	65,288	45,604	647,100	503,700	6,176	5,184
Italy.....	4,173,100	4,354,000	56,507	48,638	502,800	408,100	6,457	4,729
United States.....	91,345,900	77,005,000	842,809	613,205	12,452,000	8,038,600	106,366	63,401
Brazil.....	12,081,000	12,718,700	116,532	105,575	1,184,500	975,800	10,904	7,850



## II.—EXPORTS—BRITISH AND IRISH PRODUCE, &amp;c.

An Account of the Exports of the Principal and other Articles of British and Irish Produce and Manufactures from the United Kingdom in the Nine Months ended September 30, 1885, compared with the corresponding Period of 1884; also for the Month ended September 30, 1885, compared with the same Period of 1884.

EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
<b>I.—ANIMALS LIVING.</b>								
Horses .....	5,832	5,134	£ 342,281	£ 300,370	660	745	£ 32,942	£ 45,507
Other Animals .....	...	...	167,028	108,596	...	...	25,666	24,737
Total Value of Animals, Living ...	...	...	509,309	408,966	...	...	58,608	70,244
<b>II. ARTICLES OF FOOD AND DRINK.</b>								
Beer and Ale—To United States ...brls	26,220	23,041	119,734	97,101	2,674	2,891	13,394	14,900
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	17,922	18,743	70,813	72,464	422	537	2,503	2,275
British W. I. Islands and Guiana ...	18,553	13,897	76,083	57,782	953	1,820	3,936	7,657
British East Indies .....	65,145	41,430	171,848	136,282	2,318	2,019	9,757	8,495
Australasia .....	77,771	90,530	350,226	394,193	7,256	8,153	37,634	38,055
Other Countries .....	124,340	129,919	430,470	438,837	12,507	15,547	44,290	52,089
Total.....	329,951	317,560	1,219,174	1,196,659	26,130	30,967	111,514	123,471
Butter .....	21,714	19,750	151,655	125,173	3,304	2,285	23,560	13,224
Cheese .....	9,288	8,010	38,740	32,527	1,506	1,113	6,424	4,507
Fish, Herrings .....	922,351	859,302	1,184,221	1,100,756	378,838	398,680	441,421	458,651
Other Descriptions .....	...	...	326,366	333,815	...	...	50,907	57,825
Hops .....	4,736	3,472	29,455	21,993	800	634	6,202	3,762
Pickles, Vinegar, Sauces, Condiments, & Confectionery, unenumerated £	...	...	981,860	960,456	...	...	122,180	119,641
Provisions (including Meat).....	...	...	536,064	597,804	...	...	66,814	71,534
Salt, Rock and White .....	755,486	666,566	472,079	479,205	106,953	83,046	64,938	62,382
Spirits, British & Irish—To France gals	22,566	15,981	5,629	4,830	2,628	2,377	445	607
Portugal, Azores, and Madeira .....	1,731	2,168	679	997	196	368	81	168
West Coast of Africa (Foreign) .....	165,323	121,984	22,498	19,315	8,309	3,575	994	672
United States .....	82,657	74,104	24,552	23,671	20,972	29,310	6,054	8,393
British North America.....	96,575	103,892	29,651	29,979	15,001	16,995	4,956	4,863
British East Indies .....	240,913	284,485	92,171	111,289	33,950	37,451	12,872	15,255
Australasia .....	952,559	1,037,349	291,721	308,980	126,163	143,725	39,728	44,856
Other Countries .....	294,890	283,853	103,346	105,222	30,793	39,758	11,042	14,432
Total.....	1,857,214	1,923,816	570,247	604,283	238,012	273,659	76,172	89,246
Sugar, Refined, & Candy—Denmark..cwts	165,517	99,338	140,975	76,965	15,394	13,279	12,376	10,173
Belgium .....	78,827	62,022	65,391	44,335	18,010	10,790	13,189	8,694
France .....	146,405	62,414	129,848	47,960	18,617	6,678	6,664	5,162
Portugal, Azores, and Madeira .....	76,051	62,191	64,351	46,348	10,513	5,749	7,942	4,481
Italy .....	177,405	195,904	155,546	140,948	17,449	30,936	12,998	25,010
British North America.....	68,002	16,668	55,537	11,205	9,948	1,133	6,508	853
Other Countries .....	287,807	229,190	279,601	176,399	29,462	24,622	26,758	21,125
Total.....	1,000,014	727,727	891,249	544,158	109,393	93,187	86,435	75,498
Other Articles.....	...	...	1,243,288	1,069,256	...	...	159,906	135,331
Total Articles of Food and Drink...£	...	...	7,664,398	7,066,085	...	...	1,216,473	1,215,072
<b>III.—RAW MATERIALS.</b>								
Coal, Coke, Cinders, & Fuel—Russia...tons	1,349,847	1,250,533	606,428	536,382	169,010	175,359	76,427	75,322
Sweden and Norway.....	1,256,648	1,377,546	549,643	576,267	181,437	185,810	78,232	78,029
Denmark .....	803,714	820,014	320,804	316,458	122,095	97,413	49,329	41,718
Germany .....	1,814,102	1,895,526	682,043	688,482	251,819	259,685	97,832	95,576
Holland .....	317,488	226,539	136,180	93,655	45,209	35,240	19,785	14,577
France .....	3,201,795	3,070,217	1,347,070	1,270,704	370,709	311,477	152,752	131,428
Spain and Canaries .....	942,540	987,249	502,299	506,219	81,652	114,528	45,868	60,542
Italy .....	1,794,780	2,079,577	780,074	870,847	166,127	165,474	73,351	69,273
Turkey.....	235,810	224,438	124,185	115,557	25,735	24,649	13,265	12,620
Egypt .....	881,247	875,943	464,434	445,534	132,729	85,813	68,482	42,478
Brazil .....	397,927	367,702	231,359	206,313	37,579	40,456	20,984	23,531
Gibraltar .....	340,506	284,833	180,390	141,650	12,737	4,507	6,688	2,161
Malta .....	401,480	485,869	221,486	249,681	55,410	53,179	30,090	26,722
British East Indies .....	983,780	986,951	531,090	517,835	81,506	82,160	44,398	43,814
Other Countries .....	3,042,508	2,925,251	1,611,577	1,496,086	381,915	324,339	199,845	161,614
Total.....	17,764,172	17,858,188	8,289,062	8,031,670	2,115,669	1,960,089	977,328	879,405
Coals, &c., Shipped for use of Steamers engaged in Foreign Trade .....	4,902,941	4,983,197	...	...	599,490	581,478	...	...
Wool, Sheep & Lambs'—To Russia lbs	437,700	123,800	27,690	8,247	60,400	28,400	3,977	1,968
Germany .....	3,432,300	3,347,100	189,348	172,911	518,300	305,100	26,994	15,730
Holland .....	142,900	320,600	9,645	16,862	11,700	32,000	793	1,812
Belgium .....	674,500	463,600	41,484	24,283	4,600	44,800	345	2,633
France .....	1,918,900	3,384,400	88,226	149,235	254,100	304,100	11,683	14,037
United States .....	6,726,000	4,704,600	236,870	140,405	1,357,000	1,278,700	43,096	34,756
British North America.....	232,200	514,300	10,607	23,133	35,600	71,800	1,524	3,171
Other Countries .....	400,000	249,000	25,307	13,214	59,800	27,800	3,261	1,449
Total.....	13,964,500	13,107,400	629,177	548,290	2,301,500	2,092,700	91,673	75,556
Other Articles .....	...	...	1,319,932	1,299,424	...	...	127,069	138,696
Total Value of Raw Materials ...£	...	...	10,238,171	9,879,394	...	...	1,196,070	1,093,657



EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
<b>IV.—ARTICLES MANUFACTURED AND PARTLY MANUFACTURED.</b>			£	£			£	£
<b>A.—YARNS AND TEXTILE FABRICS.</b>								
Cotton, Yarn, & Twist—Russia.....lbs	1,219,500	1,278,900	115,226	111,622	177,300	271,900	15,882	23,609
Sweden and Norway.....	3,602,000	3,471,300	163,261	151,648	403,400	306,100	18,988	14,664
Denmark.....	2,976,500	2,910,300	114,056	108,884	389,700	426,500	14,917	15,744
Germany.....	29,426,200	25,056,000	1,602,468	1,320,234	2,987,800	2,600,700	168,424	134,009
Holland.....	33,575,700	31,530,600	1,711,488	1,462,741	3,464,100	2,910,000	177,369	139,153
Belgium.....	10,237,300	8,892,000	583,224	479,949	1,035,500	1,062,700	62,378	56,295
France.....	10,397,900	11,282,300	642,447	638,373	1,001,300	1,115,300	60,877	61,279
Italy.....	11,183,900	11,144,300	498,751	488,314	1,097,600	1,041,600	49,212	45,327
Austrian Territories.....	2,558,100	1,580,600	111,985	74,693	235,400	216,800	10,539	10,233
Roumania.....	5,937,700	5,518,500	238,189	217,058	523,700	733,700	21,039	28,587
Turkey.....	15,450,300	16,248,100	702,912	702,275	1,481,300	1,804,000	65,630	79,637
Egypt.....	2,422,400	3,172,000	106,807	131,951	224,600	264,100	9,181	10,901
China and Hong Kong.....	13,071,400	16,486,700	515,740	636,960	1,406,900	1,913,700	54,054	73,270
Japan.....	15,080,500	9,473,000	543,318	341,959	1,156,000	866,400	41,562	31,214
British East Indies—Bombay.....	10,808,000	10,949,100	643,777	591,855	1,293,600	1,718,700	86,612	97,452
Madras.....	9,200,900	6,719,100	532,925	342,291	1,496,500	709,300	75,535	41,234
Bengal.....	13,825,100	12,458,500	947,585	714,053	1,764,600	1,269,400	107,350	78,046
Straits Settlements.....	2,658,900	2,290,400	138,852	115,244	269,200	301,300	15,661	15,949
Ceylon.....	109,500	75,700	6,818	4,594	10,000	29,100	770	2,028
Other Countries.....	7,879,500	7,157,500	443,614	390,313	1,205,800	967,400	71,661	53,675
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>201,621,300</b>	<b>187,694,900</b>	<b>10,363,443</b>	<b>9,025,011</b>	<b>21,624,800</b>	<b>20,528,730</b>	<b>1,127,851</b>	<b>1,012,306</b>
Cotton Manufactures—Piece Goods of all kinds—To Germany.....yards	39,200,100	35,045,600	641,264	596,492	3,212,300	3,614,600	55,126	61,086
Holland.....	35,540,600	31,579,100	538,431	481,101	3,259,500	2,436,500	50,178	38,231
Belgium.....	44,659,300	40,425,200	653,181	567,344	3,805,200	4,839,700	69,199	72,047
France.....	38,871,100	36,340,200	781,982	708,670	3,878,800	3,228,900	90,792	68,752
Portugal, Azores and Madeira.....	41,329,300	37,871,900	441,975	409,815	4,130,200	3,215,900	44,933	36,070
Italy.....	71,158,800	73,150,800	920,548	910,252	5,126,200	6,678,700	70,372	91,652
Austrian Territories.....	6,614,700	5,164,400	85,226	61,486	557,400	653,500	6,989	7,719
Greece.....	32,177,700	23,297,400	421,117	302,001	4,675,300	4,153,200	63,950	52,559
Turkey.....	228,243,100	245,984,400	2,822,675	2,894,323	27,037,200	25,316,200	333,246	293,413
Egypt.....	91,307,800	118,164,600	911,860	1,091,500	9,217,800	6,994,200	97,923	64,177
West Coast of Africa (Foreign).....	44,760,600	33,195,600	571,437	380,018	4,618,400	2,569,300	57,034	28,687
United States.....	44,175,900	38,912,800	1,199,928	1,032,063	3,821,800	2,719,100	121,774	82,867
Foreign West Indies.....	57,848,600	52,485,700	667,692	571,228	9,549,500	10,085,200	105,713	104,497
Mexico.....	23,191,700	17,257,400	276,112	199,482	2,848,500	2,376,100	33,591	29,582
Central America.....	34,917,300	23,956,600	384,904	255,486	7,052,700	5,825,500	77,177	59,153
U.S. of Colombia.....	31,645,300	11,992,000	362,846	134,299	3,843,900	4,775,300	44,776	52,996
Venezuela.....	26,443,800	11,194,000	293,539	125,388	2,147,800	568,000	24,075	6,217
Brazil.....	169,462,900	136,543,300	2,125,952	1,585,751	18,952,600	18,613,300	243,043	215,281
Uruguay.....	30,403,600	19,089,500	414,443	259,379	4,640,800	1,999,400	65,110	26,261
Argentine Republic.....	51,097,500	47,550,900	703,911	619,313	8,181,900	6,036,500	115,278	73,886
Chili.....	34,908,200	50,232,000	420,738	299,681	4,020,500	4,535,800	48,130	39,402
Peru.....	27,016,700	14,727,100	331,750	177,249	1,967,300	1,282,900	24,316	15,490
China and Hong Kong.....	305,122,500	427,376,400	3,279,629	4,271,603	30,651,800	37,087,000	319,702	380,838
Japan.....	28,529,900	33,065,200	323,237	361,964	3,250,600	4,146,300	36,047	44,617
Dutch Possessions in India.....	90,869,800	84,130,500	1,118,667	999,083	7,791,600	6,893,300	96,975	82,680
Philippine Islands.....	27,717,900	39,961,500	365,261	436,649	3,662,300	7,499,800	48,196	77,758
Gibraltar.....	12,565,200	12,663,100	153,958	144,630	1,672,800	424,600	19,206	5,053
Malta.....	18,462,200	20,331,700	192,630	230,375	1,709,500	1,810,800	19,941	19,752
West Coast of Africa (British).....	35,064,100	24,989,800	424,220	293,388	3,598,400	2,463,800	45,529	29,458
British North America.....	23,461,100	29,913,300	470,716	567,210	2,896,500	2,276,806	61,246	48,366
British West India Islands & Guiana.....	33,175,900	28,020,800	419,160	345,141	3,257,800	3,623,000	39,277	43,655
British Possessions in South Africa.....	16,302,600	17,463,000	272,469	287,932	1,881,300	1,951,000	30,824	32,498
British East Indies—Bombay.....	413,337,600	399,082,100	4,148,150	3,711,490	48,735,100	59,128,200	486,904	556,898
Madras.....	81,519,600	75,473,000	984,356	828,323	11,129,400	8,426,700	130,287	91,390
Bengal.....	703,527,600	738,165,700	6,697,399	6,815,453	98,243,100	85,995,100	930,701	788,009
Straits Settlements.....	98,015,400	93,062,300	1,000,050	899,419	9,602,300	11,646,100	99,912	109,419
Ceylon.....	16,898,100	8,026,700	205,864	98,584	2,629,300	895,100	29,814	11,495
Australasia..... yards	72,675,200	82,681,900	1,339,126	1,490,326	5,652,600	5,945,900	103,441	104,884
Other Countries.....	117,549,800	111,776,100	1,537,446	1,430,652	10,389,600	15,094,200	148,124	188,949
<b>Total</b> { Bleached or Printed, Dyed or Coloured.....	<b>2,304,412,300</b>	<b>2,393,108,000</b>	<b>23,911,500</b>	<b>23,371,967</b>	<b>267,321,500</b>	<b>262,873,400</b>	<b>2,723,454</b>	<b>2,518,863</b>
Mixed Materials, Cotton predom.....	<b>995,183,900</b>	<b>917,070,300</b>	<b>14,986,197</b>	<b>13,498,149</b>	<b>115,960,600</b>	<b>114,922,500</b>	<b>1,763,964</b>	<b>1,616,295</b>
Total.....	<b>162,800</b>	<b>165,300</b>	<b>6,052</b>	<b>4,427</b>	<b>27,500</b>	<b>29,600</b>	<b>1,088</b>	<b>586</b>
<b>Total Value of Cotton Manufactures.....£</b>	<b>3,299,759,000</b>	<b>3,310,343,600</b>	<b>38,903,749</b>	<b>36,874,543</b>	<b>383,299,600</b>	<b>377,825,500</b>	<b>4,488,506</b>	<b>4,135,744</b>
Lace and Patent Net.....£	...	...	1,791,450	1,887,858	...	...	175,147	204,552
Hosiery—Stockings & Socks...doz prs	1,391,146	1,317,565	442,939	397,838	171,195	120,996	50,393	34,215
Other kinds.....£	...	...	427,190	306,018	...	...	42,889	33,019
Thread for sewing or stitching.....lbs	11,051,600	11,079,900	1,856,089	1,766,533	1,262,400	1,431,600	210,237	211,428
Other Manufactures, unenumerated...£	...	...	952,364	904,355	...	...	115,229	96,991
<b>Total Value of Cotton Manufactures.....£</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>44,553,781</b>	<b>42,137,145</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>5,082,401</b>	<b>4,715,949</b>
Jute Yarn—To Germany.....lbs	1,423,100	2,119,900	17,131	21,315	319,100	286,900	3,766	2,714
Holland.....	1,394,000	1,779,300	14,086	14,530	118,100	120,000	902	883
Spain and Canaries.....	8,335,700	6,450,500	106,773	76,323	731,900	407,000	9,022	4,962
United States.....	7,057,100	8,690,400	75,636	60,209	1,329,700	843,100	13,656	5,784
Other Countries.....	1,713,600	2,114,300	21,788	23,715	228,500	209,500	2,442	2,206
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>19,924,300</b>	<b>21,154,400</b>	<b>235,374</b>	<b>196,092</b>	<b>2,728,100</b>	<b>1,866,500</b>	<b>29,788</b>	<b>16,549</b>
Jute Manufactures—Piece Goods of all kinds—To Germany.....yards	21,469,700	15,022,600	232,836	138,466	3,419,600	1,992,100	36,598	17,835
Holland.....	3,509,500	2,410,600	37,932	26,848	392,300	175,200	4,838	2,123
France.....	6,634,800	4,783,600	65,288	45,604	647,100	503,700	6,176	5,184
Italy.....	4,173,100	4,354,000	56,507	48,638	502,800	408,100	6,457	4,729
United States.....	91,345,900	77,005,000	842,809	613,205	12,452,000	8,038,600	106,366	63,401
Brazil.....	12,081,000	12,718,700	116,532	105,575	1,184,500	975,800	10,904	7,850



EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
IV.—A. YARNS & TEXTILES—(Con.)			£	£			£	£
Jute Manufs (Con.): Argntne Repub. yds	13,860,400	11,204,400	149,899	95,817	1,191,500	1,810,200	11,182	14,052
Other Countries .....	28,207,800	30,872,600	372,497	348,206	4,068,900	5,482,300	51,183	55,973
Total .....	181,282,200	158,371,500	1,874,300	1,422,359	23,858,700	19,386,000	233,704	171,147
Other Articles (except Bags) .....	...	...	12,426	12,538	...	...	1,444	2,403
Total Value of Jute Manufactures...£	...	...	1,886,726	1,434,897	...	...	235,148	173,550
Linen Yarn—To Germany .....	2,620,300	2,309,400	195,254	180,076	232,600	210,700	18,530	16,990
Holland .....	2,433,300	1,933,700	96,538	85,543	328,800	226,500	13,236	10,103
Belgium .....	2,095,700	1,268,700	150,985	108,872	159,500	154,700	12,604	12,270
France .....	1,070,800	988,700	119,329	101,090	102,500	115,000	10,770	11,683
Spain and Canaries .....	4,804,400	4,128,900	218,052	178,353	592,800	365,800	26,244	15,936
Italy .....	475,600	327,700	24,130	17,679	34,500	41,400	2,208	2,266
United States .....	559,600	773,500	19,970	27,545	83,100	147,200	2,128	5,267
Other Countries .....	774,300	708,900	40,542	39,608	80,900	74,500	4,289	4,061
Total .....	14,834,000	12,439,500	861,800	738,769	1,614,700	1,335,800	90,009	78,606
Linen Manufactures: Piece Goods of all kinds—To Russia .....	304,400	349,000	17,202	20,406	21,800	32,600	1,228	1,844
Germany .....	3,045,200	2,516,400	134,361	119,008	386,800	258,900	16,832	12,690
Holland .....	241,600	216,700	10,029	8,132	17,600	16,600	798	781
France .....	2,647,700	2,064,100	109,108	95,987	234,300	201,100	11,607	8,960
Portugal, Azores, and Madeira .....	652,500	332,800	17,405	11,952	40,400	31,900	1,442	1,204
Spain and Canaries .....	1,663,000	1,619,900	71,428	71,807	114,700	132,900	4,804	5,711
Italy .....	1,227,500	1,413,000	52,198	58,627	105,200	106,800	4,825	4,786
United States .....	57,099,200	54,755,600	1,601,944	1,427,592	5,710,000	6,902,500	169,943	184,466
Foreign West Indies .....	13,402,800	14,579,400	236,543	307,348	2,127,400	1,955,300	47,021	42,341
Mexico .....	2,909,700	2,295,900	68,411	54,038	263,600	188,300	6,080	5,231
U.S. of Colombia .....	3,024,800	1,007,100	63,536	23,267	194,100	302,100	4,212	6,500
Brazil .....	2,204,700	1,765,400	79,774	60,308	204,500	264,200	7,363	8,166
Argentine Republic .....	1,411,900	1,195,700	52,462	40,378	196,800	148,000	6,534	5,836
Chili .....	960,700	323,000	27,466	8,356	98,100	21,100	2,713	832
Peru .....	273,100	170,400	8,558	4,802	29,200	16,300	772	435
Philippine Islands .....	1,007,300	1,340,000	21,032	22,919	131,800	314,300	2,732	5,665
British North America .....	5,560,500	5,923,000	137,673	134,605	583,500	572,000	14,080	12,801
British W.I. Islands and Guiana .....	1,610,100	1,413,200	34,788	29,461	102,300	192,800	2,733	3,625
British East Indies .....	2,182,000	2,065,600	67,757	67,855	288,800	225,600	10,420	7,111
Australasia .....	11,925,900	11,430,800	327,806	317,912	975,400	952,100	28,124	26,804
Other Countries .....	8,714,500	7,250,200	260,481	219,014	936,300	801,800	30,813	26,524
Total .....	113,350,800	105,441,200	3,145,192	2,809,885	11,694,100	12,756,200	339,625	341,321
Total { Plain, Unbleached, or Bleached ...	5,090,800	5,506,800	139,437	158,866	614,200	547,000	14,337	15,200
{ Checked, Printed, or Dyed, and	3,627,500	3,079,200	165,333	135,053	484,300	334,000	21,123	15,792
{ Damasks, or Diapers .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{ Sailcloth and Sails .....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total .....	122,069,100	114,027,200	3,449,962	3,103,804	12,792,600	13,637,200	375,085	372,313
Thread for Sewing .....	1,958,000	2,003,000	236,795	257,347	224,700	211,300	27,622	26,553
Other Articles .....	...	...	377,510	444,249	...	...	46,699	62,895
Total Value Linen Manufactures...£	...	...	4,064,267	3,805,400	...	...	449,406	461,761
Silk: Thrown, Twist & Yarn—Germany £	...	...	113,939	62,724	...	...	8,033	5,685
Holland .....	...	...	21,243	13,167	...	...	3,578	1,804
Belgium .....	...	...	26,028	7,028	...	...	1,873	738
France .....	...	...	270,094	145,322	...	...	22,432	15,359
Other Countries .....	...	...	72,991	50,700	...	...	12,564	9,070
Total .....	...	...	504,295	278,941	...	...	46,480	32,656
Manufactures, wholly of Silk: Broad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stuffs of Silk or Satin—France yds	1,195,312	956,772	220,012	178,246	107,390	82,547	18,755	15,374
United States .....	116,958	469,564	28,741	77,230	12,710	48,825	2,835	6,889
British North America .....	90,697	141,941	17,865	23,009	6,030	11,597	1,269	1,817
British East Indies .....	52,001	22,711	7,548	3,103	3,210	3,924	536	617
Australasia .....	233,095	123,440	41,393	20,144	10,630	12,016	2,110	1,911
Other Countries .....	187,604	223,109	33,411	42,198	20,933	26,864	4,349	5,237
Total .....	1,875,667	1,937,537	348,970	343,930	160,903	185,773	29,872	31,845
Handkerchiefs, Scarfs, and Shawls £	...	...	278,821	298,378	...	...	43,313	37,011
Ribbons of all kinds .....	...	...	56,624	36,215	...	...	3,536	3,392
Lace .....	...	...	138,018	150,154	...	...	16,054	14,490
Other Articles of Silk only—To	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Germany .....	...	...	8,182	5,561	...	...	1,409	431
Belgium .....	...	...	13,228	8,150	...	...	2,300	634
France .....	...	...	15,795	7,837	...	...	659	297
United States .....	...	...	42,989	35,014	...	...	4,844	2,125
Australasia .....	...	...	14,699	44,593	...	...	2,372	5,129
Other Countries .....	...	...	29,625	22,357	...	...	4,293	3,163
Total .....	...	...	124,518	123,512	...	...	15,877	11,779
Of Silk & other Materials—Germany	...	...	81,495	57,006	...	...	7,849	5,175
France .....	...	...	36,965	52,031	...	...	4,461	11,902
United States .....	...	...	419,704	279,036	...	...	53,950	57,059
British North America .....	...	...	89,341	55,775	...	...	15,099	10,255
Australasia .....	...	...	43,079	33,340	...	...	3,732	1,963
Other Countries .....	...	...	113,336	86,845	...	...	16,033	11,765
Total .....	...	...	783,920	564,033	...	...	101,124	98,124
Total Value of Silk Manufactures £	...	...	1,730,871	1,516,222	...	...	209,776	196,641



EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
IV.—A. YARNS & TEXTILES—(Con.)			£	£			£	£
Woolen & Worsted Yarn—Russia, lbs	1,484,100	1,270,500	152,440	134,934	204,400	316,400	20,769	31,061
Sweden and Norway.....	1,193,000	1,418,400	104,625	120,430	235,700	258,900	22,068	23,137
Denmark.....	626,500	744,200	58,994	69,084	117,300	168,000	10,892	15,177
Germany.....	13,288,100	14,014,400	1,250,071	1,352,100	1,625,500	1,690,500	155,241	161,670
Holland.....	7,257,500	7,447,700	725,893	772,638	1,053,000	998,100	111,778	104,828
Belgium.....	1,595,900	1,828,500	159,915	179,505	213,900	253,400	23,780	25,536
France.....	1,894,400	4,365,200	193,824	511,645	240,700	367,900	26,604	42,604
Other Countries.....	1,314,300	1,111,800	144,499	129,106	139,900	166,300	15,768	19,266
Total.....	28,653,800	32,200,700	2,790,261	3,269,442	3,830,400	4,219,500	386,900	423,279
Woolen and Worsted Manufactures:								
Woolen Fabrics, (inc. Coatings, Duffels, &c., all wool or of wool mixed and Woolen Stuffs)—To Sweden and Norway.....yards	797,700	830,600	84,330	84,279	186,800	155,000	18,382	16,854
Germany.....	2,941,500	3,198,900	507,994	484,097	286,700	388,400	34,333	38,679
Holland.....	1,847,400	2,000,300	231,008	255,213	256,200	218,400	27,873	24,234
Belgium.....	5,075,400	4,829,000	669,126	664,940	574,700	562,900	70,917	72,010
France.....	14,474,400	13,135,900	1,698,214	1,474,703	1,678,300	1,660,900	199,077	174,779
Italy.....	2,747,500	3,545,500	337,594	357,082	448,700	540,000	63,068	55,565
Turkey.....	971,600	1,316,300	92,776	112,619	218,800	259,900	22,156	21,405
United States.....	4,375,300	3,734,300	993,871	702,567	402,300	448,500	75,997	66,916
Brazil.....	2,154,000	1,881,600	158,154	112,255	128,000	218,600	9,745	12,022
Uruguay.....	588,000	671,800	61,316	68,798	58,200	27,700	3,483	1,747
Argentine Republic.....	1,890,800	1,991,900	218,043	227,737	151,700	113,500	12,650	11,332
Chili.....	1,515,900	763,500	93,989	79,784	148,300	47,100	6,595	4,780
Peru.....	968,100	761,400	82,766	79,890	81,500	71,300	6,493	7,291
China and Hong Kong.....	2,880,700	3,199,700	218,862	248,749	320,100	347,900	24,644	27,840
Japan.....	813,600	823,300	81,026	59,217	93,800	77,200	7,247	9,578
British North America.....	7,381,600	5,528,500	648,344	581,032	863,800	803,300	78,373	68,535
British Possessions in S. Africa.....	1,236,600	1,123,800	71,375	67,555	108,700	91,200	8,206	6,013
British East Indies.....	3,786,000	3,281,700	277,170	239,367	809,500	598,700	57,996	42,309
Australasia.....	10,709,400	9,339,200	744,366	692,036	588,300	470,100	45,583	39,249
Other Countries.....	6,417,500	4,899,900	515,173	450,754	996,100	974,600	86,887	87,699
Total.....	73,571,000	66,657,100	7,785,497	7,042,674	8,400,500	8,075,200	859,705	788,537
Worsted Fabrics, including Coatings, &c., and Worsted Stuffs—To Sweden and Norway.....yards	2,338,100	2,043,100	68,657	61,190	355,800	302,700	11,163	8,509
Germany.....	4,359,900	3,483,500	165,112	129,733	441,000	327,000	15,388	9,591
Holland.....	6,847,000	7,151,600	231,468	233,420	595,600	483,500	21,357	16,480
Belgium.....	7,669,200	7,904,400	279,142	278,306	719,700	489,700	24,961	17,207
France.....	22,208,000	17,397,600	923,863	744,113	2,287,200	1,108,800	92,448	53,300
Italy.....	12,719,900	10,535,800	377,540	325,933	1,899,300	1,265,400	56,772	40,394
Turkey.....	2,482,000	2,994,000	81,963	101,363	475,500	441,200	15,384	16,009
United States.....	28,941,100	26,086,700	1,430,367	1,308,636	2,628,300	3,184,900	149,346	189,200
Brazil.....	2,624,000	2,519,500	82,297	73,966	290,300	185,100	9,451	5,149
Uruguay.....	1,747,800	1,284,800	54,789	36,236	310,800	92,300	7,822	2,348
Argentine Republic.....	3,649,700	3,100,100	106,677	78,700	357,000	154,000	12,899	4,134
Chili.....	1,856,100	2,040,000	52,358	44,598	127,500	123,100	4,009	3,834
Peru.....	765,100	419,900	33,176	16,179	57,700	56,600	1,890	2,261
China and Hong Kong.....	12,282,100	13,900,800	515,880	574,379	1,117,900	1,453,900	49,522	61,213
Japan.....	2,005,700	3,186,400	72,300	119,399	222,200	448,700	8,951	16,435
British North America.....	8,710,000	8,716,500	427,749	415,527	1,031,600	847,800	47,945	43,910
British Possessions in S. Africa.....	301,100	375,700	12,367	14,105	42,000	31,900	1,596	1,418
British East Indies.....	1,831,600	1,763,700	72,695	71,484	360,300	348,300	15,308	14,313
Australasia.....	2,219,000	4,772,400	156,426	230,253	193,300	394,600	13,565	21,044
Other Countries.....	8,496,200	6,279,300	269,063	233,057	1,068,200	944,000	35,511	30,049
Total.....	134,053,400	125,955,800	5,413,889	5,090,607	14,563,200	12,674,500	595,408	556,828
Worsted Coatings, &c.....	3,750,900	4,498,000	810,409	910,447	574,000	598,400	104,118	123,587
Worsted Stuffs.....	130,302,500	121,457,800	4,603,480	4,180,160	13,989,200	12,076,100	491,290	433,241
Total.....	134,053,400	125,955,800	5,413,889	5,090,607	14,563,200	12,674,500	595,408	556,828
Flannels.....yards	6,604,200	7,099,100	281,292	295,267	839,900	851,800	31,649	32,738
Carpets, not being Rugs—Germany.....	237,800	160,000	33,465	24,222	44,100	31,600	7,006	4,677
Holland.....	513,100	393,000	60,684	47,215	22,100	16,200	3,293	2,243
France.....	1,415,500	1,344,700	135,506	111,222	175,000	183,600	15,985	15,158
Spain and Canaries.....	404,000	456,100	37,336	42,068	208,800	164,100	18,941	14,786
United States.....	896,800	933,800	140,289	144,875	131,700	230,900	24,450	34,565
Chili.....	314,100	237,600	31,657	23,306	39,400	18,900	4,022	1,770
British North America.....	1,727,000	1,710,900	171,320	166,804	227,800	194,800	22,897	21,789
Australasia.....	1,258,900	1,351,700	132,251	145,456	158,500	117,400	16,589	13,279
Other Countries.....	2,188,300	2,183,900	239,922	231,077	373,600	435,600	39,570	43,464
Total.....	8,955,500	8,772,300	982,430	933,245	1,381,000	1,393,100	152,753	151,731
Blankets.....pairs	836,325	760,645	349,422	303,009	87,360	85,591	34,806	33,391
Hosiery of Wool, or of Wool mixed £	...	...	338,183	362,248	...	...	69,754	78,985
Small Wares and unenumerated Manufactures of Wool or Worsted	...	...	652,786	531,944	...	...	89,632	74,841
Woolen & Worsted Manufac. £ Yarn, Alpaca, Mohair, and other description.....lbs	...	9,055,500	15,803,499	14,557,994	...	1,046,500	1,836,698	1,717,351
Total Yarns & Textile Fabrics £	...	...	83,677,691	77,856,551	...	...	9,605,991	8,926,916



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	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
IV.—B. METALS & ARTICLES MANUFACTURED THEREFROM (ex. Machinery).			£	£			£	£
Brass, Manufaca. of, not Ordnance cwts	84,555	68,135	352,473	274,211	9,237	6,705	38,416	26,486
Copper: Unwrought, in Ingots, Cakes, or Slabs	273,586	265,086	819,841	652,456	22,529	31,781	65,273	74,730
Wrought or manufac., unenum. cwts	315,322	304,910	1,122,903	914,117	30,405	34,989	99,278	99,794
Mixed or yellow metal	281,914	305,546	782,369	723,171	36,557	34,695	97,984	78,498
Total of Copper	870,822	875,542	2,725,113	2,289,744	89,491	101,465	262,535	253,022
Hardware and Cutlery, unenumerated			32,823	30,601	...	...	3,978	4,038
—To Russia	...	...	128,549	118,821	...	...	14,807	13,666
Germany	...	...	72,228	56,370	...	...	7,911	7,435
Holland	...	...	112,618	100,273	...	...	12,239	11,511
France	...	...	71,262	57,645	...	...	7,636	5,533
Spain and Canaries	...	...	255,697	217,123	...	...	24,860	32,814
United States	...	...	34,721	27,264	...	...	4,698	4,275
Foreign West Indies	...	...	129,555	97,230	...	...	13,618	12,293
Brazil	...	...	76,990	79,147	...	...	10,096	9,872
Argentine Republic	...	...	103,806	87,056	...	...	13,237	11,931
British North America	...	...	49,923	46,223	...	...	5,094	5,423
British Possessions in S. Africa	...	...	205,135	188,949	...	...	22,059	19,407
British East Indies	...	...	447,575	459,093	...	...	48,016	54,358
Australasia	...	...	647,061	537,017	...	...	76,052	59,603
Other Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	2,367,943	2,102,812	...	...	264,301	252,159
Iron & Steel:—Iron, Pig—Russia... tons	140,897	77,242	316,828	169,149	16,674	37,296	36,496	84,744
Germany	248,598	162,963	520,913	315,525	35,157	33,931	71,649	64,119
Holland	143,085	129,577	334,777	274,911	15,274	10,742	34,006	21,858
Belgium	45,553	24,787	102,228	51,691	5,676	2,276	12,626	4,659
France	87,856	66,365	185,199	134,117	9,479	6,177	19,845	11,642
Italy	48,723	44,184	104,451	90,698	3,963	2,609	8,644	5,419
United States	130,057	80,227	406,150	236,729	15,094	10,477	45,979	30,737
British North America	31,491	31,421	97,996	93,632	9,227	7,276	27,525	19,908
Other Countries	134,993	126,950	296,700	265,457	17,245	15,196	37,267	30,960
Total	1,011,253	743,716	2,365,242	1,631,909	127,789	125,980	294,037	274,046
Bar, Angle, Bolt, and Rod—To Russia	2,250	1,281	17,522	9,115	111	169	772	1,166
Germany	3,786	3,209	23,030	18,368	530	296	2,950	1,641
Holland	3,265	2,863	22,445	19,418	438	306	2,832	1,682
France	754	247	4,253	1,844	286	8	1,485	89
Italy	13,254	13,504	85,179	79,814	1,131	1,566	7,284	9,585
Turkey	11,700	6,525	71,273	38,266	1,664	1,034	9,710	5,731
United States	3,759	1,623	30,153	13,512	249	192	2,191	1,686
British North America	18,750	21,600	115,910	123,798	4,196	4,800	25,607	26,391
British East Indies	46,257	42,803	284,788	244,445	6,245	4,455	35,357	23,375
Australasia	29,156	36,794	208,452	244,943	4,091	4,211	28,826	27,907
Other Countries	80,918	68,945	549,451	436,785	9,074	10,075	60,491	61,455
Total	213,849	199,394	1,412,456	1,230,308	28,015	27,112	177,505	160,738
Railroad of all sorts—To Russia	14,087	12,773	77,306	72,484	1,561	33	9,202	230
Sweden and Norway	28,186	18,625	140,188	101,330	1,193	62	6,891	801
Germany	475	25	2,260	135	48	...	378	...
Holland	27	487	190	2,476	27	6	190	85
Spain and Canaries	11,780	5,140	76,449	29,591	1,437	301	9,944	2,509
Italy	8,867	6,588	48,719	37,011	900	50	5,284	300
Egypt	8,489	26,781	41,014	159,973	359	349	2,047	1,998
United States	16,471	5,302	86,718	27,674	33	230	326	1,166
Mexico	4,185	726	30,222	5,774	91	45	862	463
Brazil	32,098	15,374	197,656	93,799	2,633	1,860	16,861	11,142
Argentine Republic	108,996	52,641	578,301	267,935	16,278	11,541	81,959	51,308
Chili	15,462	6,590	90,880	41,715	683	500	4,550	2,674
Peru	5,526	2,409	36,245	15,874	620	...	4,300	...
British North America	44,690	65,967	232,896	388,525	3,696	9,538	21,005	54,843
British Possessions in S. Africa	10,374	15,153	62,485	88,317	916	523	5,762	3,698
British East Indies	115,462	219,056	660,640	1,097,443	10,098	22,401	58,426	108,055
Australasia	83,110	66,378	539,453	420,570	4,902	6,736	29,685	43,598
Other Countries	44,500	37,487	264,660	223,526	7,003	4,016	45,284	26,709
Total	561,785	557,502	3,166,282	3,074,152	52,487	58,191	302,956	309,579
Wire of Iron or Steel and Manufactures thereof (except Telegraphic Wires)	39,684	39,754	523,689	507,501	4,173	5,234	54,431	64,429
Hoops, Sheets and Boiler and Armour Plates (including Galvanised Sheets)—Russia... tons	11,889	9,513	122,663	82,461	1,638	1,490	22,378	12,294
Germany	8,807	6,685	60,671	50,414	1,250	766	7,952	5,020
Holland	8,881	7,424	60,600	45,266	909	848	4,942	4,492
France	4,455	2,485	52,139	29,643	385	280	4,686	3,294
Spain and Canaries	4,562	3,774	40,260	31,776	377	385	2,923	3,110
Italy	12,832	10,615	186,841	82,723	1,064	1,274	8,720	10,212
United States	14,914	16,602	160,723	124,646	1,109	2,758	29,278	20,101
British North America	10,946	12,684	112,807	117,905	2,392	1,845	25,057	18,856
British East Indies	38,403	32,794	341,374	289,534	3,604	2,285	30,272	19,380
Australasia	52,893	64,818	730,177	829,940	5,535	7,438	75,143	93,266
Other Countries	87,355	77,054	896,459	734,978	10,802	13,170	115,847	127,099
Total	255,937	244,448	2,764,714	2,419,286	29,065	32,539	327,198	317,124



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	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
IV.—B. METALS, &c.—Iron & Steel (Con.)			£	£			£	£
Tin Plates and Sheets—France..tons	3,285	3,503	56,304	54,202	272	364	4,571	5,631
United States .....	163,422	171,368	2,661,547	2,468,717	18,371	16,213	292,492	231,736
British North America .....	11,795	11,745	201,942	173,741	1,378	1,284	23,637	18,548
Australasia .....	4,780	6,262	82,755	98,209	434	433	8,043	6,930
Other Countries .....	36,261	35,272	631,185	566,987	3,691	4,087	64,547	64,811
Total .....	219,543	228,150	3,633,733	3,391,856	24,146	22,381	393,290	327,716
Cast and Wrought and all other Manufactures unenum. (except Ordnance)—To Russia .....	3,995	2,891	60,158	51,711	355	245	7,546	4,547
Germany .....	7,587	5,289	100,750	73,611	658	551	10,378	8,377
Holland .....	25,419	13,413	178,928	114,502	3,189	2,949	20,568	18,589
France .....	3,762	3,123	65,676	53,640	445	325	7,428	5,900
Spain and Canaries .....	18,170	7,065	184,937	108,143	1,875	773	21,951	11,491
United States .....	2,294	1,008	34,384	17,376	204	27	3,210	699
Brazil .....	12,437	9,602	180,799	136,753	1,145	493	19,077	12,562
Argentine Republic .....	19,662	12,721	246,452	143,239	2,942	3,562	40,313	28,466
Chili .....	3,270	2,459	58,391	41,130	479	165	6,811	3,026
Peru .....	1,259	429	20,892	9,475	78	52	1,477	1,097
British North America .....	13,377	7,005	120,776	82,228	1,395	1,201	17,051	11,834
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	8,861	6,625	124,084	90,045	663	965	10,609	9,332
British East Indies .....	46,305	50,550	570,038	494,530	6,586	3,175	81,623	37,587
Australasia .....	56,662	79,038	758,743	896,852	6,201	9,607	73,375	101,171
Other Countries .....	62,393	61,638	772,931	711,481	5,584	8,646	80,121	80,622
Total .....	285,453	262,254	3,477,939	3,024,716	31,799	32,736	401,538	335,300
Old for Re-manufac.—U. States..tons	22,136	6,962	71,856	18,444	3,307	150	11,664	580
Other Countries .....	30,236	50,634	102,341	160,282	2,628	8,664	9,569	27,850
Total .....	52,372	57,596	174,197	178,726	5,935	8,814	21,233	28,430
Steel, Unwrought—To France .....	2,349	1,920	85,241	70,628	249	208	9,011	7,043
United States .....	10,496	8,780	229,102	166,386	1,482	724	23,414	17,815
Other Countries .....	29,470	30,524	542,616	501,823	3,843	4,815	61,019	66,343
Total .....	42,315	41,224	856,959	738,837	5,574	5,747	93,444	91,201
Manufactures of Steel or Steel and Iron Combined .....	8,154	9,498	293,747	313,007	730	937	27,535	25,827
Total of Iron and Steel .....	2,690,345	2,383,536	18,668,958	16,510,298	309,704	319,671	2,093,167	1,934,390
Lead, Pig, Sheet, Piping, and Manufactures—To Russia .....	4,136	2,572	48,733	29,875	172	218	1,996	2,762
Germany .....	819	829	10,274	9,928	97	96	1,176	1,190
France .....	166	696	1,956	8,334	...	192	...	2,410
United States .....	510	392	5,870	4,359	76	...	811	...
China and Hong Kong .....	3,541	8,915	40,625	101,163	524	1,005	5,682	12,211
British East Indies .....	3,318	2,771	48,275	39,698	391	183	5,328	2,877
Australasia .....	3,656	4,806	44,915	56,588	332	350	3,875	4,374
Other Countries .....	8,129	7,159	109,525	93,128	710	973	9,506	12,884
Total .....	24,275	28,140	310,173	343,073	2,302	3,017	28,374	38,708
Plate and Plated and Gilt Wares .....	...	...	223,427	233,420	...	...	29,322	28,442
Telegraphic Wires, and Apparatus .....	...	...	2,269,081	489,550	...	...	280,980	28,080
Tin, Unwrought—To Russia .....	13,667	9,209	60,334	40,767	1,157	1,161	4,932	5,377
Germany .....	7,032	7,021	30,223	30,055	1,044	1,273	4,417	5,894
France .....	22,341	21,527	97,470	90,879	2,700	2,575	11,501	12,179
Turkey .....	6,046	3,196	26,865	13,877	684	462	2,978	2,157
United States .....	2,960	3,318	12,983	14,448	20	456	88	2,145
Other Countries .....	26,742	22,034	117,908	95,893	3,151	3,488	13,764	16,283
Total .....	78,788	66,305	345,783	285,919	8,756	9,415	37,680	44,035
Zincor Spelter, unwrht & wrought..cwts	107,547	107,923	73,484	70,980	17,499	13,135	11,001	8,474
Other Articles .....	...	...	1,294,055	1,160,133	...	...	139,154	132,862
Total Metals and Articles Manufactured therefrom (except Machinery) .....	...	...	28,630,490	23,760,140	...	...	3,184,930	2,746,658
IV.—C. MACHINERY and MILLWORK.								
Steam Engines & parts thereof—Russia .....	...	...	130,769	81,794	...	...	10,831	6,842
Germany .....	...	...	340,342	197,813	...	...	33,089	12,850
Holland .....	...	...	72,714	48,958	...	...	13,684	2,124
Belgium .....	...	...	101,060	74,203	...	...	7,817	4,815
France .....	...	...	161,542	96,437	...	...	32,595	9,601
Spain and Canaries .....	...	...	173,917	232,552	...	...	16,151	9,239
Italy .....	...	...	280,813	230,078	...	...	8,799	5,578
Egypt .....	...	...	29,193	100,730	...	...	694	6,902
United States .....	...	...	20,185	25,012	...	...	1,829	5,929
Brazil .....	...	...	202,918	150,480	...	...	18,414	13,032
British North America .....	...	...	14,052	5,520	...	...	674	272
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	...	...	27,782	26,414	...	...	2,004	1,080
British East Indies .....	...	...	708,345	688,902	...	...	95,332	37,190
Australasia .....	...	...	395,520	477,842	...	...	49,765	44,078
Other Countries .....	...	...	669,978	533,210	...	...	88,387	49,452
Total .....	...	...	3,329,130	2,969,945	...	...	380,065	208,984
Other Descriptions—To Russia .....	...	...	620,295	415,892	...	...	65,036	85,757
Germany .....	...	...	918,369	917,951	...	...	108,823	85,361
Holland .....	...	...	264,191	247,663	...	...	30,718	32,922
Belgium .....	...	...	405,059	428,461	...	...	47,140	37,822



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IV.—C. MACHINERY, &c.—(Con.)			£	£			£	£
Other Descriptions (Con.)—France...£	...	...	690,692	577,169	...	...	86,509	54,463
Spain and Canaries .....	...	...	249,058	182,547	...	...	20,114	10,721
Italy .....	...	...	257,893	250,540	...	...	23,318	24,550
Egypt .....	...	...	42,664	75,707	...	...	5,525	6,004
United States.....	...	...	238,667	166,515	...	...	24,142	20,070
Brazil .....	...	...	220,764	161,853	...	...	17,039	15,000
British North America.....	...	...	67,661	27,270	...	...	3,494	3,752
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	...	...	54,918	41,136	...	...	6,176	4,623
British East Indies .....	...	...	908,037	657,389	...	...	85,592	52,786
Australasia .....	...	...	625,933	535,510	...	...	64,310	67,081
Other Countries .....	...	...	1,103,527	818,141	...	...	121,543	110,094
Total.....	...	...	6,667,728	5,503,744	...	...	709,479	611,006
Total Machinery and Millwork .....	...	...	9,996,858	8,473,689	...	...	1,089,544	819,990
D.—APPAREL AND ARTICLES OF PERSONAL USE.								
Apparel and Slops—To France .....	...	...	168,894	151,647	...	...	18,215	17,839
United States.....	...	...	80,773	79,275	...	...	12,921	13,711
British W. I. Islands and Guiana .....	...	...	84,787	73,994	...	...	9,470	9,867
British North America.....	...	...	190,706	218,306	...	...	33,171	43,097
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	...	...	471,091	483,277	...	...	58,228	53,721
British East Indies.....	...	...	109,313	112,847	...	...	20,875	18,434
Australasia .....	...	...	1,367,272	1,582,946	...	...	119,754	138,556
Other Countries .....	...	...	399,777	376,413	...	...	53,621	51,773
Total.....	...	...	2,872,613	3,078,705	...	...	326,255	346,998
Haberdashry & Millinery, inc. Embroidry and Needlework—To Germany...£	...	...	21,533	21,269	...	...	2,456	2,719
France .....	...	...	38,117	22,276	...	...	2,781	2,102
United States.....	...	...	229,518	134,014	...	...	26,718	21,773
U. S. of Colombia .....	...	...	8,525	4,338	...	...	1,153	793
Channel Islands .....	...	...	43,042	14,702	...	...	4,743	1,302
British North America.....	...	...	619,045	462,785	...	...	84,960	59,338
British W. India Islands and Guiana .....	...	...	155,552	111,516	...	...	16,400	13,365
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	...	...	150,701	141,592	...	...	16,685	15,207
British East Indies .....	...	...	116,573	106,494	...	...	20,939	18,137
Australasia .....	...	...	463,069	445,146	...	...	36,747	34,466
Other Countries .....	...	...	428,594	353,104	...	...	59,540	50,954
Total.....	...	...	2,274,269	1,817,236	...	...	273,122	220,156
Hats of all descriptions.....dozens	837,524	813,194	883,432	856,595	78,491	77,468	89,128	89,502
Leather, Boots & Shoes—To Brazil...doz. pi	29,205	30,935	110,853	109,019	2,661	3,530	9,697	13,244
British W. I. Islands and Guiana .....	29,707	19,525	72,238	52,181	4,139	2,517	11,081	6,762
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	75,571	63,476	236,740	195,139	9,394	7,724	28,205	23,375
British East Indies .....	16,363	16,680	57,808	57,192	2,208	2,422	7,041	7,982
Australasia .....	174,657	225,666	500,498	646,789	29,500	27,376	83,448	77,493
Other Countries .....	50,891	57,592	142,921	147,801	6,595	6,236	19,630	18,960
Total.....	376,399	413,874	1,121,058	1,208,121	54,497	49,805	159,102	147,816
Other Articles .....	...	...	959,921	816,873	...	...	114,356	90,813
Total Apparel & Articles of Personal Use	...	...	8,111,293	7,777,530	...	...	961,063	895,285
E.—CHEMICALS, AND CHEMICAL AND MEDICINAL PREPARATIONS.								
Alkali—To Russia.....cwt	368,878	357,456	133,603	120,233	58,984	32,196	20,810	10,664
Germany .....	385,992	371,465	109,317	90,209	66,794	40,955	17,659	11,460
Holland .....	196,849	206,395	40,631	35,748	22,722	19,506	4,465	3,572
Belgium .....	82,018	87,126	26,469	22,450	10,329	6,760	3,224	1,903
France .....	79,678	87,813	38,597	33,811	9,282	2,040	4,487	1,920
Spain and Canaries.....	208,129	190,333	90,418	72,534	40,870	12,890	16,374	4,749
Italy .....	186,206	189,991	62,592	57,042	17,926	19,093	6,404	5,783
United States.....	2,347,467	2,447,002	769,841	747,798	356,286	341,033	112,836	93,377
Other Countries .....	960,493	1,044,077	282,428	267,927	151,123	139,857	46,620	34,205
Total.....	4,815,710	4,981,658	1,553,896	1,452,752	734,316	614,330	232,889	172,633
Bleaching Materials or Preparatns.cwt	1,130,984	1,146,757	476,936	387,080	144,647	132,311	58,957	44,504
Manure (Chemical)—To Germany ...£	...	...	515,149	331,995	...	...	59,845	30,386
France .....	...	...	308,632	236,952	...	...	51,462	45,002
British W. I. Islands and Guiana .....	...	...	169,718	102,328	...	...	6,210	3,074
Other Countries .....	...	...	712,543	602,585	...	...	44,795	52,137
Total.....	...	...	1,706,042	1,273,860	...	...	162,312	130,599
Medicines, comprising Drugs and Medicinal Preparations.....£	...	...	656,485	606,365	...	...	77,820	64,928
Other Articles.....	...	...	1,580,573	1,431,734	...	...	177,527	168,017
Total Value of Chemicals & Chemical and Medicinal Preparations.....	...	...	5,973,932	5,151,791	...	...	709,505	580,681
F.—ALL OTHER ARTICLES.								
Arms, Ammunition, and Military Stores—Fire Arms (small).....No	239,509	199,056	300,659	301,602	25,650	22,387	35,079	35,559
Gunpowder.....lbs	12,370,400	9,551,600	295,896	235,768	1,316,900	1,000,900	34,152	25,324
All other kinds.....£	...	...	700,582	762,620	...	...	68,495	56,977
Bags and Sacks, empty, for packing Merchandise—To Russia...dozens	418,848	549,476	94,822	96,941	52,407	34,647	11,091	6,488
Germany .....	613,450	426,326	139,766	84,689	106,479	40,478	25,339	8,308
United States .....	234,639	127,208	33,394	20,318	8,935	41,589	1,553	5,273



EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
IV.—F. ALL OTHER ARTICLES.—(Con.)			£	£			£	£
Bags & Sacks (Con.)—Australasia...dozs	160,651	91,682	33,075	20,426	6,832	8,207	1,655	1,286
Other Countries .....	1,697,550	1,334,744	462,891	334,380	245,602	155,065	63,692	40,252
Total .....	3,125,138	2,529,436	763,948	556,754	420,305	279,986	103,330	61,607
Books, Printed .....	89,569	84,061	841,898	819,146	12,355	10,759	114,762	103,377
Candles of all descriptions .....	5,669,600	5,555,800	158,214	144,048	676,200	700,000	18,170	17,459
Caoutchouc, Manufactures of .....	...	...	750,069	660,881	...	...	99,329	78,846
Carriages—Railway Carriages for Pas- sengers, and parts thereof .....	...	...	351,131	196,334	...	...	45,347	20,868
Railway Trucks, Waggon, &c., and parts thereof .....	...	...	557,491	571,188	...	...	30,420	64,787
Cement—To Holland.....cwt	273,700	237,900	32,254	27,744	36,400	28,200	4,277	3,233
France .....	936,600	523,000	95,273	53,686	112,000	46,600	11,303	4,687
United States .....	670,400	844,900	84,215	100,155	142,600	112,600	17,567	14,029
British Possessions in S. Africa .....	176,800	171,000	19,358	18,808	14,400	5,400	1,740	564
British East Indies .....	619,100	551,500	69,651	59,792	43,000	48,900	5,140	5,072
Australasia .....	1,233,500	1,428,900	146,717	163,264	110,200	178,100	13,524	20,382
Other Countries .....	2,124,500	1,854,000	235,967	199,045	261,800	247,900	29,372	25,829
Total .....	6,034,600	5,611,200	683,435	622,494	720,400	667,700	82,923	73,796
Cordage, Cables, Rope and Twine of Hemp, or like Material.....cwt	138,005	131,369	315,746	285,205	17,814	18,723	37,858	30,329
Earthenware, China Ware, Parian, and Porcelain—To Germany.....£	...	...	24,053	24,595	...	...	2,493	2,221
France .....	...	...	54,128	50,164	...	...	4,668	4,592
United States .....	...	...	511,432	505,693	...	...	58,372	67,907
Brazil .....	...	...	66,093	47,013	...	...	4,620	3,727
British North America .....	...	...	69,300	78,507	...	...	7,584	11,519
British East Indies.....	...	...	98,152	79,496	...	...	10,687	7,075
Australasia .....	...	...	213,913	221,682	...	...	29,515	20,125
Other Countries .....	...	...	323,434	261,386	...	...	34,683	25,393
Total .....	...	...	1,360,505	1,268,536	...	...	152,622	142,559
Red Pottery and Brown Stoneware...£	...	...	87,612	82,384	...	...	12,215	9,407
Glass—Plate, Rough or Silvered, in- cluding Looking Glasses.....sq. ft	2,699,669	2,865,799	199,831	187,322	363,039	326,977	22,951	20,378
Flint, of all kinds, & Manufacs...cwt	96,302	103,081	221,767	209,005	10,823	14,469	26,431	24,677
Bottles and Manufactures of Green or Common Glass .....	582,598	538,715	265,856	257,102	66,619	61,199	31,815	29,287
Other Manufactures, unenumerated	106,038	76,645	93,152	63,850	13,761	9,034	11,104	6,961
Leather, Tanned, Tawed, or Dressed: Unwrought (ex Boots & Shoes) cwt	128,557	137,614	1,213,281	1,289,992	16,534	17,863	160,454	164,191
Wrought .....	...	...	264,957	212,910	...	...	36,351	33,836
Oil: Seed Oil—Sweden & Norway.galls	654,800	614,500	57,373	55,313	86,800	85,900	7,923	7,830
Germany .....	4,552,600	4,565,800	380,514	400,632	468,000	533,500	37,830	47,651
Holland .....	1,026,500	1,003,300	97,096	90,252	63,400	146,400	5,357	13,137
Belgium .....	373,600	508,400	33,844	46,167	19,900	67,900	1,676	6,109
France .....	579,400	309,500	58,654	30,605	21,400	13,000	2,025	1,339
Spain and Canaries .....	192,200	114,400	16,419	10,593	14,900	14,400	1,281	1,386
Italy .....	830,700	1,050,900	78,117	100,280	59,000	91,900	5,239	9,040
Austrian Territories.....galls	927,900	717,800	90,811	70,484	21,300	65,800	1,912	6,099
Egypt .....	253,500	384,300	22,857	35,226	19,700	53,100	1,822	4,695
Brazil .....	216,400	248,700	19,611	23,805	24,500	29,000	2,358	2,917
British North America .....	517,400	574,600	43,157	51,939	56,800	94,300	4,902	8,398
Australasia .....	781,100	845,100	81,168	87,996	86,500	64,800	8,814	6,971
Other Countries .....	1,731,700	1,502,500	168,932	149,953	178,400	235,200	17,197	23,204
Total .....	12,637,800	12,439,800	1,148,553	1,152,245	1,120,600	1,495,200	98,336	138,776
Painters' Colours & Materials, unen...£	...	...	990,859	935,102	...	...	110,565	104,055
Paper: Writing or Printing, and Envelopes—To France.....cwt	32,207	31,712	74,518	69,993	4,166	2,900	9,468	6,164
United States .....	5,114	5,140	23,744	20,445	521	376	2,531	1,557
British East Indies.....	61,090	53,621	134,538	115,347	6,612	6,526	14,184	13,335
Australasia .....	208,675	253,840	409,700	458,510	25,962	29,408	53,842	53,427
Other Countries .....	65,781	77,628	174,555	213,839	7,785	6,586	20,461	19,031
Total .....	372,867	421,941	816,055	878,134	45,046	45,796	100,486	93,514
Hangings .....	46,614	45,355	126,395	125,237	4,314	4,358	11,491	11,368
All other descriptions .....	119,640	133,855	196,809	212,412	12,941	15,848	20,820	24,916
Total of Paper.....cwt	539,121	606,151	1,139,259	1,215,783	62,301	66,002	132,797	129,798
Rags (except Woollen) and other Materials for making Paper tons	40,053	35,624	363,987	308,944	3,776	3,422	35,312	29,133
Saddlery and Harness .....	...	...	282,333	270,049	...	...	30,685	34,680
Skins and Furs of all sorts .....	...	...	1,099,795	643,387	...	...	75,453	56,317
Soap .....	359,338	312,254	411,031	363,844	35,776	41,204	40,475	46,587
Stationery other than Paper.....£	...	...	604,668	600,647	...	...	74,731	77,325
Unenumerated .....	...	...	6,700,439	6,096,953	...	...	751,694	647,265
Total Value of all other Articles either Manufactured or partly Manufac- tured .....	...	...	22,166,955	20,314,095	...	...	2,482,861	2,273,161
Total Declared Value of British and Irish Produce and Manufactures Exported .....	...	...	176,969,097	160,688,231	...	...	20,505,945	18,621,664

## III.—EXPORTS—FOREIGN AND COLONIAL MERCHANDISE.

An Account of the Exports of the Principal Articles of Foreign and Colonial Merchandise in the Nine Months ended September 30, 1885, compared with the corresponding Period of 1884; also for the Month ended September 30, 1885, compared with the same Period of 1884

EXPORTS. Principal Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
			£	£			£	£
Bacon .....	148,877	224,181	331,406	424,851	15,637	32,859	31,229	50,115
Bark, Peruvian .....	68,354	76,318	508,083	394,165	9,196	9,007	51,971	51,299
Butter and Butterine .....	43,364	49,394	227,796	254,135	4,986	5,724	25,975	29,341
Caoutchouc .....	80,072	66,902	867,475	682,116	14,384	8,742	125,261	82,769
Cheese .....	36,064	39,354	118,322	109,794	4,534	4,565	13,410	11,935
Chem. Manufac. & Products, unenum. £	...	...	177,532	187,420	...	...	12,260	12,954
Chicory .....	10,815	12,316	11,518	12,461	956	1,305	983	1,312
Cochineal .....	9,083	8,175	50,818	55,155	1,553	657	8,773	4,510
Cocoa .....	5,961,052	6,641,781	197,494	219,300	622,287	859,799	20,623	30,684
Coffee .....	740,423	565,595	2,515,288	1,836,677	74,437	60,014	257,051	192,560
Copper, unwrought & part wright. tons	8,760	4,794	533,848	239,964	708	349	40,499	16,204
Corn—Wheat .....	907,882	538,053	378,323	210,516	51,258	36,108	19,257	14,051
Wheatmeal and Flour .....	84,661	82,454	60,210	51,498	7,988	12,647	4,928	7,036
Cotton, Raw—Russia, North. Ports	242,863	212,124	672,101	561,277	42,488	47,808	120,352	127,681
Germany .....	595,469	519,804	1,254,813	1,093,241	33,756	40,370	73,004	89,525
Holland .....	280,689	209,184	598,612	506,681	19,584	10,697	39,944	24,007
Belgium .....	296,280	266,083	756,765	690,052	21,716	35,419	51,038	81,345
France .....	60,899	33,542	137,108	77,857	5,716	1,944	12,935	5,059
Other Countries .....	218,557	195,546	640,383	507,302	20,842	21,521	57,911	53,514
Total .....	1,694,757	1,436,283	4,059,782	3,436,410	144,102	157,759	355,184	381,131
Cotton Manufactures .....	...	...	263,848	403,188	...	...	25,136	48,514
Currants .....	115,225	150,943	132,731	148,369	8,812	23,030	10,431	22,856
Cutch and Gambier .....	8,272	6,332	225,239	145,527	846	549	21,473	14,418
Fish, Cured and Salted .....	149,061	127,623	317,847	258,537	19,921	21,905	40,462	44,674
Fruit, Oranges and Lemons .....	488,518	336,080	168,323	117,786	6,488	20,945	2,182	5,963
Glass .....	103,871	108,624	96,756	99,160	11,758	9,780	11,958	8,690
Guano .....	8,492	5,310	74,966	47,766	307	255	2,923	1,858
Gum, Arabic .....	28,729	36,586	91,909	128,861	1,879	7,924	6,778	28,252
Lac, Seed, Shell, Stick, and Dye .....	41,321	52,658	163,797	174,195	5,031	3,884	18,384	12,101
Gutta Percha .....	6,244	7,443	48,004	52,338	793	603	4,699	3,350
Hemp and Tow, or Codilla of .....	175,923	313,034	267,193	487,282	18,226	29,416	25,735	41,281
Hides, Raw, and Pieces thereof—Dry	320,651	352,892	1,235,582	1,304,080	26,980	31,876	109,321	116,212
Wet .....	55,976	52,167	136,582	122,586	9,458	11,570	22,386	24,536
Hops .....	7,200	4,096	34,399	12,155	540	1	2,607	3
Indigo .....	61,224	61,747	1,503,980	1,344,639	3,236	3,066	76,946	60,202
Iron & Steel: Bar, Angle, Bolt, &c. tons	43,693	49,078	398,662	432,461	6,903	8,942	67,468	83,154
Steel, Unwrought .....	2,783	5,377	29,190	57,805	83	1,075	1,167	8,340
Manufactures, unenumerated .....	687,819	696,562	550,482	460,472	74,327	81,183	79,721	68,697
Ivory, Teeth, Elephant's, &c. ....	4,076	4,125	228,364	206,507	394	364	21,124	20,843
Jute .....	1,105,623	1,485,769	788,671	899,426	93,601	192,019	62,852	114,437
Lard .....	23,932	27,908	58,013	59,477	1,789	3,894	3,646	7,614
Leather .....	9,131,328	10,238,789	772,626	794,243	1,205,830	2,215,645	106,848	165,667
Boots and Shoes .....	29,369	21,917	119,940	87,381	3,620	2,605	15,202	9,770
Meat, Preserved .....	29,609	24,905	84,878	100,599	1,579	2,485	5,400	8,725
Oil—Cocunut .....	123,163	88,612	203,148	132,295	19,068	8,968	30,537	12,975
Olive .....	1,642	2,308	79,556	104,955	153	216	7,631	10,193
Palm .....	237,716	297,121	422,011	427,941	25,418	27,548	41,373	36,386
Paper—For Printing or Writing .....	13,764	14,355	21,480	21,558	1,579	764	2,668	1,759
Other Kinds (except Hangings) .....	22,954	24,902	35,993	36,079	4,354	3,382	5,937	5,019
Petroleum .....	631,226	925,127	28,493	32,111	61,420	27,792	2,225	1,462
Quicksilver .....	2,960,786	3,053,328	212,407	239,080	280,068	723,252	20,483	55,524
Raisins .....	77,680	80,680	117,362	105,752	4,464	5,951	5,859	8,518
Rice .....	2,728,520	2,309,283	1,332,874	1,083,915	304,648	244,161	153,399	112,064
Saltpetre .....	26,796	17,725	25,503	15,192	2,000	2,255	1,846	1,844
Seeds—Flax and Linseed .....	50,619	47,353	105,915	100,982	656	14,154	1,823	30,284
Rape .....	80,621	75,789	190,097	144,616	5,165	8,173	11,413	15,264
Silk—Raw .....	267,116	253,638	192,312	164,340	26,399	24,710	17,070	14,564
Knubs or Husks of Silk & Waste .....	4,674	5,247	51,486	52,951	403	438	4,828	4,944
Thrown, Dyed, or Undyed .....	31,013	40,958	22,993	24,367	2,614	6,051	1,601	3,529
Silk Manufactures—Broadstuffs .....	...	...	238,064	274,731	...	...	26,347	25,737
Ribbons .....	...	...	104,822	94,320	...	...	5,746	6,612
Other Sorts of Silk Manufactures .....	...	...	153,190	135,353	...	...	14,095	10,822
Spices—Cinnamon .....	1,106,335	1,044,243	48,943	38,251	164,370	131,961	8,879	5,045
Pepper .....	13,467,997	14,449,557	406,012	458,344	2,737,963	2,727,726	85,353	86,055
Spirits—Brandy, unsweetened. prf galls	92,080	94,409	54,380	56,632	8,827	9,070	5,224	6,309
Rum .....	1,148,393	1,113,269	196,024	186,819	136,390	97,804	23,242	17,434
Other Sorts .....	163,678	207,455	20,854	33,577	21,674	19,746	3,533	2,946
Mixed in Bond .....	410,917	398,901	50,601	61,470	37,553	33,345	4,243	3,777
Sugar—Refined and Candy .....	142,371	163,029	161,315	150,861	17,343	22,352	16,996	21,762
Unrefined .....	407,836	344,005	303,630	242,418	42,145	31,019	32,814	26,019
Molasses .....	39,660	27,371	17,317	11,711	4,411	2,297	1,549	1,046
Tallow and Stearine .....	148,276	123,729	262,317	185,347	12,664	19,886	21,460	26,410
Tea .....	32,305,125	30,374,071	1,774,608	1,587,435	3,525,996	4,108,996	204,438	223,833
Tin, in Blocks, Ingots, Bars, or Slabs .....	220,638	174,410	929,717	752,474	23,398	22,402	96,552	103,172
Tobacco—Unmanufactured .....	5,423,922	5,406,554	152,012	172,687	285,140	373,489	9,442	10,174
Manufactured, and Snuff .....	941,282	987,666	143,130	145,889	103,967	123,176	14,566	22,914
Wine—Red .....	383,180	392,213	137,585	150,234	38,705	48,630	14,581	18,524
White .....	468,610	462,148	226,316	233,920	55,649	62,663	27,424	31,516
Mixed in Bond .....	8,440	5,590	2,042	1,169	852	1,054	208	231
Wood and Timber, Sawn or Split, Planed or Dressed .....	22,878	25,332	74,224	82,280	3,100	1,935	9,830	6,510
Wool, Sheep & Lambs—To Germany lbs	49,337,310	38,208,051	2,928,086	2,193,387	10,091,138	3,355,447	578,520	189,395
Holland .....	27,844,078	21,770,945	1,514,875	1,109,056	6,887,200	1,832,076	377,947	90,700
Belgium .....	44,512,748	43,244,641	2,450,856	2,400,822	10,460,544	2,501,047	607,927	128,077
France .....	83,252,074	61,111,985	4,837,433	3,707,450	11,974,449	9,872,785	701,942	600,356
United States .....	21,511,202	29,889,375	851,435	1,114,538	2,115,046	6,867,936	83,579	248,769



EXPORTS. Principal and other Articles.	QUANTITIES.		VALUE.		QUANTITIES.		VALUE.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
Wool, Sheep, &c. (Con).— To Other Countries .....lbs	2,194,032	2,085,505	£ 121,839	£ 94,661	688,010	250,133	£ 39,022	£ 10,905
Total .....	228,651,444	196,310,502	12,704,520	10,619,914	42,216,387	24,679,424	2,388,937	1,268,202
Woolen Manufacs. of Wool, other than Goats', or Wool mxd. — Cloths ...yds	704,961	530,294	86,644	87,490	76,127	53,848	9,711	9,383
Stuffs.....	5,977,109	3,952,210	227,958	213,729	540,235	306,730	21,166	14,475
Unenumerated .....	...	...	87,530	117,743	...	...	8,897	13,757
Total value .....	...	...	48,398,262	43,344,234	...	...	6,356,089	5,086,052

IV.—BULLION AND SPECIE.

An Account of the Declared Real Value of the Imports and Exports of Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie Registered in the Nine Months, ended September 30, 1885, compared with the corresponding Period of 1884; also for the Month ended September 30, 1885, compared with the same Period of 1884.

GOLD.

Countries.	IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.		IMPORTS.		EXPORTS.	
	Nine Months ended September 30.				Month ended September 30.			
	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.	1884.	1885.
Sweden .....	£ 6,426	£ 6,050	£ 146,000	...	£ 950	£ 2,290	£ ...	£ ...
Germany .....	68,845	209,691	17,242	737,686	1,305	1,925	475	289,012
Holland .....	75,721	21,852	1,389,671	366,658	1,241	3,685	...	4
Belgium .....	639,934	850,224	82,578	6,048	17,524	42,309	480	900
France .....	1,194,482	1,506,833	201,692	112,946	95,137	76,013	9,916	3,500
Portugal, Azores, & Madeira	53,817	64,478	700,000	351,500	1,500	21,900	100,000	...
Spain and Canaries .....	247,284	424,764	765,300	444,400	32,631	44,530	65,800	...
Gibraltar .....	15,333	34,058	...	25	1,247	3,075	...	...
Malta .....	3,285	2,301	10,000	...	465	299	...	...
Egypt .....	61,343	194,672	679,195	3,392,990	3,610	4,630	582,995	1,559,000
West Coast of Africa.....	91,543	99,222	29,845	4,072	13,538	7,050	3,762	319
British Possess. in S. Africa	157,675	189,094	...	...	5,322	26,421	...	...
British East Indies.....	3,085	188,371	1,237,718	361,442	1,850	2,420	121,500	11,590
China (including HongKong)	54,661	584,612	...	...	...	6,096	...	...
Japan .....	...	36,604	...	...	...	427	...	...
Australasia .....	558,466	2,552,566	920,000	...	27,519	306,123	...	...
British North America.....	2,550	35,750	252,000	4,167	...	...	...	...
Mexico, South America (ex- cept Brazil), & West Indies	628,924	960,771	990,241	837,167	110,602	138,369	1,120	50,741
Brazil .....	108,845	383,642	414,364	188,990	24,210	41,992	14,900	500
United States .....	5,064,588	893,031	954,791	170,860	270	3,535	38,425	133,500
Other Countries .....	52,099	64,797	150,650	142,514	5,821	18,702	37,900	8,800
Total of Gold .....	9,088,906	9,303,383	8,941,287	7,121,465	344,742	751,791	977,273	2,057,866

SILVER.

Sweden.....	37	510	100	100	...	10	...	...
Germany .....	295,409	303,296	5,529	31,873	39,100	10,565	610	124
Holland .....	6,495	4,318	24,996	67,134	1,414	617	6,034	12,340
Belgium .....	57,081	38,662	683	16,593	2,402	1,003	10	1,818
France .....	1,382,534	1,397,543	405,306	1,064,510	54,530	94,805	14,394	211,472
Portugal, Azores, & Madeira	2,882	2,320	17,660	3,459	...	30	1,800	330
Spain and Canaries .....	59,229	62,362	187,400	308,035	15,930	4,157	57,200	4,600
Gibraltar .....	13,129	17,054	...	...	357	1,100	...	...
Malta .....	4,565	1,752	...	...	415	100	...	...
Egypt .....	15,657	6,594	4,710	13,500	1,855	830	2,250	...
West Coast of Africa.....	46,522	67,600	76,386	40,626	7,516	8,957	8,793	5,070
British Possess. in S. Africa	13,495	65,381	...	17,250	...	...	...	1,650
British East Indies.....	18,330	52,051	6,268,418	5,817,886	1,410	6,590	978,800	446,800
China (including HongKong)	...	838	657,414	368,715	...	...	234,073	51,716
Japan .....	...	...	...	9,000	...	...	...	...
Australasia .....	19,068	99,159	43,900	128,801	60	11,099	...	20,000
British North America.....	2,629	3,722	2,600	30,184	841	...	...	9,441
Mexico, South America (ex- cept Brazil), & West Indies	3,366,151	2,732,185	124,860	25,560	341,263	272,984	4,050	382
Brazil .....	8,125	64,339	2,321	...	108	24,544	...	...
United States .....	1,922,179	2,263,131	8,152	311	237,564	137,494	...	...
Other Countries .....	55,086	15,864	101,023	22,437	9,613	2,566	36,500	175
Total of Silver.....	7,288,703	7,198,681	7,931,458	7,965,974	714,478	577,451	1,344,514	765,918

TOTAL OF GOLD AND SILVER.

Sweden.....	6,463	6,560	146,100	100	950	2,300	...	...
Germany .....	364,254	512,987	22,771	769,559	40,405	12,490	1,085	289,136
Holland .....	82,216	26,170	1,414,667	433,792	2,655	4,302	6,034	12,344
Belgium .....	697,015	888,886	83,261	22,641	19,926	43,312	490	2,718
France .....	2,577,016	2,904,376	606,998	1,177,456	149,667	170,818	24,310	214,972
Portugal, Azores, & Madeira	56,699	66,798	717,660	354,959	1,500	21,930	101,800	330
Spain and Canaries .....	306,513	487,126	952,700	752,435	48,561	48,687	123,000	4,600
Gibraltar .....	28,462	51,112	...	25	1,604	4,175	...	...
Malta .....	7,850	4,053	10,000	...	880	399	...	...
Egypt .....	77,000	201,266	683,905	3,406,490	5,465	5,460	585,245	1,559,000
West Coast of Africa.....	138,065	166,822	106,231	44,698	21,054	16,007	12,555	5,389
British Possess. in S. Africa	171,170	254,475	...	17,250	5,322	26,421	...	1,650
British East Indies.....	21,415	240,422	7,506,136	6,179,328	3,260	9,010	1,100,300	458,390
China (including HongKong)	54,661	585,450	657,414	368,715	...	6,096	234,073	51,716
Japan .....	...	36,604	...	9,000	...	427	...	...
Australasia .....	577,534	2,651,725	963,900	128,801	27,579	317,222	...	20,000
British North America.....	5,179	39,472	254,600	34,351	841	...	...	9,441
Mexico, South America (ex- cept Brazil), & West Indies	3,995,075	3,692,956	1,115,101	862,727	451,865	411,353	5,170	51,123
Brazil .....	116,970	447,981	416,685	188,990	24,318	66,536	14,900	500
United States .....	6,986,767	3,156,162	962,943	171,171	237,834	141,029	38,425	133,500
Other Countries .....	107,185	80,661	251,673	164,951	15,434	21,268	74,400	8,975
Total of Gold and Silver	16,377,609	16,502,064	16,872,745	15,087,439	1,059,220	1,329,242	2,321,787	2,823,784

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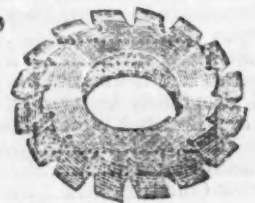
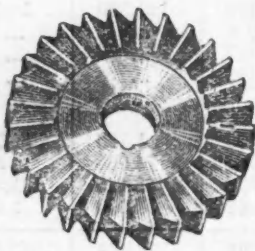
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