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MEMORANDUM.

THE results of the collection of fishery statistics during the year 1901 are given in the annexed Tables. This is the sixteenth complete year during which the statistics have been collected for England and Wales, the collection itself having been commenced in the spring of 1885.

The main figures now given relate to the fishery statistics of England and Wales, but tables are added as in former years giving statistics of the Scottish and Irish fisheries based on monthly returns received from the Fishery Board for Scotland and the Fisheries Branch of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland. Further tables relate to the number of fishing boats registered and employed, and the quantity of fish carried by railway, and some information is also given respecting certain Foreign Countries and Colonies. As regards the statistics for England and Wales the particulars are obtained, generally speaking, through the officers of Coast-Guard employed at the different stations, the exceptions being in the case of the more important ports, where special officers are appointed. The returns as to the quantity and value of fish landed on the coasts of England and Wales are made by the various officers, and an abstract of the results is published each month by the Board of Trade, the figures now given being compiled from the monthly returns, revised and corrected. Throughout the Tables the values given are those of the fish at the time of landing. The statistics it must be remembered relate to *fish of British taking first landed* on the coasts of England and Wales, that is to such fish as is landed direct from the fishing grounds, excluding fish imported from abroad or landed by foreign fishing vessels, as well as all fish that has been previously landed elsewhere in the United Kingdom.

The following statement shows the quantity and value of the fish landed on the coasts of England and Wales during the years 1899, 1900 and 1901 :—

ENGLAND AND WALES.				FISH LANDED IN ENGLAND AND WALES.
Years.	Fish Landed (exclusive of Shell Fish).		Shell Fish Landed.	Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Value.	
	Cwts.	£.	£.	£.
1899	8,605,000	6,342,000	360,000*	6,702,000*
1900	8,600,000	6,610,000	335,000*	6,945,000*
1901	8,648,000	6,523,000	325,000	6,848,000

Returns

* Amended figures, see Note (*) page 30.

Returns for Scotland and for Ireland given in the same form show the following results :—

Statement showing the quantity and value of the fish landed on the coasts of Scotland in 1899, 1900 and 1901 :—

FISH LANDED IN
SCOTLAND.

SCOTLAND.

Years.	Fish Landed (exclusive of Shell Fish).		Shell Fish Landed.	Total Value
	Quantity.	Value.	Value.	
	Cwts.	£.	£.	£.
1899	5,145,000	2,190,000	81,000	2,271,000
1900	5,369,000	2,326,000	76,000	2,402,000
1901*	6,385,000	2,238,000	81,000	2,319,000

* Provisional figures.

Statement showing the quantity and value of fish landed on the coasts of Ireland in 1899, 1900 and 1901 :—

FISH LANDED IN
IRELAND.

IRELAND.

Years.	Fish Landed (exclusive of Shell Fish).		Shell Fish Landed.	Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Value.	
	Cwts.	£.	£.	£.
1899	1,210,000	404,000	56,000†	460,000†
1900	702,000	306,000	62,000†	368,000†
1901*	706,000	285,000	14,000	299,000

* Provisional figures.

† Including some particulars of values for shell fish, obtained from other sources than the returns made by the Collectors. See note ‡ p. 30.

The aggregate result for the whole of the United Kingdom during the triennial period is as follows :—

FISH LANDED IN
THE UNITED
KINGDOM.

UNITED KINGDOM.

Years.	Fish Landed (exclusive of Shell Fish).		Shell Fish Landed.	Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Value.	
	Cwts.	£.	£.	£.
1899	14,960,000	8,936,000	497,000†	9,433,000†
1900	14,671,000	9,242,000	473,000†	9,715,000†
1901*	15,739,000	9,046,000	420,000	9,466,000

* Provisional figures.

† Amended figures. The figures include some particulars of values for shell fish for Ireland, obtained from other sources than the returns made by the Collectors. See notes * and ‡ p. 30.

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It will be observed that in all three divisions of the United Kingdom the general trend of the figures as regards fish other than shell fish was the same—*viz.*, an increase in the quantity and a slight decrease in the value of the fish landed. In England and Wales and in Scotland (though not in Ireland) the quantities landed were the greatest hitherto recorded, and the value of the fish only surpassed by the figures of 1900.

In the United Kingdom as a whole the quantity landed was not quite so great as in 1898.

The following Statement shows (*see* Appendix, Table VIII.) the quantity and value of fish (exclusive of shell fish) returned as landed on the coasts of the United Kingdom in each year in the decennial period 1892 to 1901.

Years.	Quantity (exclusive of Shell Fish).	Value (exclusive of Shell Fish).	Years.	Quantity (exclusive of Shell Fish).	Value (exclusive of Shell Fish).	DECENNIAL STATEMENT OF FISH LANDED IN THE UNITED KINGDOM.
	Cwts.	£.		Cwts.	£.	
1892	12,528,000	6,495,000	1897	13,898,000	7,514,000	
1893	13,568,000	6,743,000	1898	15,837,000	7,985,000	
1894	14,049,000	6,816,000	1899	14,960,000	8,936,000	
1895	14,069,000	7,168,000	1900	14,671,000	9,242,000	
1896	14,711,000	7,058,000	1901*	15,739,000	9,047,000	

* Provisional figures.

In spite of fluctuations the general tendency of these figures is unmistakable. Both the amounts landed and the value are increasing on the whole, but the value, although nearly stationary in the last three years, has increased during the period more markedly than the quantity. Thus in the first three years of the ten above included—*i.e.*, 1892 to 1894 inclusive, the average annual value, exclusive of shell fish, was 6,685,000£, the average quantity being 13,382,000 cwts., whilst during the last three years, 1899 to 1901 inclusive, the average annual value amounted to 9,075,000£, the average quantity being 15,123,000 cwts. These figures therefore show an increase of 13 per cent. as regards quantity, and 36 per cent. as regards value, as between the two above-named periods.

FLUCTUATIONS
IN AMOUNTS OF
FISH LANDED.

As already stated, the total quantity of fish landed in England and Wales (exclusive of shell fish) in 1901 was 8,648,000 cwts. Of this amount (*see* Table I. in the Appendix) herrings (2,453,000 cwts.) and haddock (2,353,000 cwts.) together account for 56 per cent. These fish, however, represent less than 40 per cent. of the value of the fisheries, the value of the haddock being 1,700,000£, and of the herrings 893,000£, out of a total value (excluding shell fish) of 6,523,000£. The most valuable fish in proportion to their weight are, of course, soles and turbot. Of the former the 76,000 cwts. landed were valued at 561,000£, and of the latter 53,000 cwts. were landed, valued at 229,000£.

FISH LANDED IN
ENGLAND AND
WALES.

The variations in the last three years of the quantity and value of particular descriptions of fish landed in England and Wales are shown in Table X. of the Appendix. It will be seen that the haddock decreased in quantity from 2,487,000 cwts. in 1900 to 2,353,000 cwts., but increased in value from 1,696,000£ to 1,700,000£; whilst herrings, on the other hand, increased in quantity from 2,425,000 cwts. to 2,453,000 cwts., but decreased in value from

from 934,000*l.* to 893,000*l.* In spite of this, the average value of the herrings caught on the English and Welsh coasts continues high. The growth in both the volume and the value of the herring fishery in the Southern half of the United Kingdom has during the last few years been very remarkable. In the thirteen years from 1886 to 1898 inclusive the quantity landed never reached two million cwts., and the average value, except in 1890 and 1891, when there was a great scarcity, ranged from 4*s.* 9*d.* to 6*s.* per cwt. In 1898, however, coincidentally with a rise in the quantity to 2½ million cwts., the average value rose to nearly 7*s.* 2*d.* per cwt., a rise which has been fully maintained in the two subsequent years, the average value having been 7*s.* 8*d.* in 1900, and 7*s.* 3*d.* in 1901, and the quantity landed in the latter year nearly reaching 2½ million cwts.

The quantity of plaice landed showed a considerable increase from 753,000 cwts. in 1900 to 848,000 cwts. in 1901; whilst the value increased from 909,000*l.* to 934,000*l.* Soles, the next most important fish as regards total value, increased slightly in quantity and decreased slightly in value. Cod, mackerel, and hake increased in both quantity and value, while turbot and halibut decreased.

The average value of prime fish generally increased from 5*l.* 5*s.* per cwt. in 1900 to 5*l.* 8*s.* 8*d.* per cwt. in 1901, the supply having been somewhat deficient. The average value of all kinds of wet fish landed decreased slightly from 15*s.* 4*d.* per cwt. in 1900 to 15*s.* 1*d.* per cwt. in 1901. Most classes of fish advanced in price, but this advance was outweighed by a decrease in the average value of a few of the more important kinds, notably herrings, plaice, soles, and mackerel.

The following were the average values per cwt. in 1901 of the more important classes of fish at the time of landing on English and Welsh coasts:—Soles, 7*l.* 6*s.* 10*d.*; turbot, 4*l.* 6*s.* 9*d.*; cod, 15*s.* 3*d.*; haddock, 14*s.* 5*d.*; halibut, 1*l.* 17*s.* 7*d.*; herrings, 7*s.* 3*d.*; mackerel, 14*s.* 4*d.*; plaice, 1*l.* 2*s.* 0*d.* These compare with the following averages in 1900:—Soles, 7*l.* 10*s.* 8*d.*; turbot, 4*l.* 3*s.* 3*d.*; cod, 14*s.* 8*d.*; haddock, 13*s.* 8*d.*; halibut, 1*l.* 13*s.* 8*d.*; herrings, 7*s.* 8*d.*; mackerel, 15*s.* 9*d.*; plaice, 1*l.* 4*s.* 2*d.*

FISH LANDED ON
SCOTTISH COASTS.

In Scotland (*see* Table XI.) the quantity of fish landed (other than shell fish) was greater by over a million cwts. than in 1900, but did not equal the quantity landed in 1898, which is the largest so far recorded. Greater quantities of nearly every kind of fish were landed than in 1900, and the values were also in most cases greater. Owing, however, to a considerable fall in the value of herrings, the total value of the fish landed was lower than in the previous year. Herrings, in fact, so largely preponderate in the Scottish fisheries that they, in a great measure, control the whole of the returns.

The following statement shows the total quantity and value of the fish (exclusive of shell-fish) landed on the Scottish coasts in each of the years 1899, 1900 and 1901, distinguishing the quantity and value of the herrings landed during the same period:—

Years.	Total Quantity and Value of Fish landed (exclusive of shell-fish).		Quantity and Value of Herrings- landed.	
	Cwts.	£.	Cwts.	£.
1899	5,145,000	2,190,000	3,207,000	1,143,000
1900	5,369,000	2,326,000	3,520,000	1,243,000
1901*	6,385,000	2,238,000	4,339,000	1,061,000

* Provisional figures.

In Scotland, as in England and Wales, the average values of the herrings landed were abnormally high in 1899 and 1900, *viz.*, 7*s.* 1*d.* per cwt. in

in each year. The average value in 1901, *viz.*, 4s. 11d. per cwt., more nearly resembles the values prevailing before 1899.

The only other descriptions of fish besides herrings which hold an important position in the Scottish sea fisheries returns are haddock and cod. Of the former, 831,000 cwts., valued at 527,000*l.*, were landed in 1901, as against 761,000 cwts. in 1900, valued at 503,000*l.* Of the latter, the quantities landed were 446,000 cwts. in 1901, and 434,000 cwts. in 1900; these quantities being valued at 213,000*l.* and 206,000*l.* respectively. Thus haddock fell in average value from 13s. 2d. per cwt. in 1900 to 12s. 8d. in 1901, whilst cod rose from 9s. 6d. to 9s. 7d. per cwt.

In Ireland (*see* Table XII.) the quantity of fish landed was only slightly greater than in 1900, whilst the value was less. The general results compare, in fact, unfavourably with those of most of the years since 1888, when the statistics were first obtained.

The following statement shows the total quantity and value of the fish (exclusive of shell-fish) returned as landed on the Irish coasts in each of the years 1899, 1900, and 1901, the quantity and value of mackerel landed being stated separately. Mackerel is still from the point of view of total value the principal fish in the Irish fisheries, although the quantities landed are less than they were some years back, whilst the importance of the herring fisheries is on the whole increasing:—

Years.	Total Quantity and Value of Fish landed (exclusive of Shell-fish).		Quantity and Value of Mackerel landed.	
	Cwts.	£.	Cwts.	£.
1899	1,210,000	404,000	625,000	202,000
1900	702,000	306,000	278,000	120,000
1901*	706,000	285,000	310,000	106,000

* Provisional figures.

It will be seen that the quantity of mackerel landed was 310,000 cwts., as against 278,000 cwts. in 1900; but this was less than half the quantity landed in 1899, whilst the total value of the catch was lower than that of 1900, the lowest hitherto recorded. The catch of herrings, on the other hand, though less both in quantity and value than that of 1900 (being 266,000 cwts., valued at 75,000*l.*, as against 284,000 cwts., valued at 84,000*l.*) compares more favourably with the figures for earlier years. The average values of these two kinds of fish, the only kinds of any great importance in the Irish fisheries were:—Mackerel, 6s. 10d. per cwt. in 1901, as compared with 8s. 8d. in 1900; herrings, 5s. 8d. in 1901, as compared with 5s. 11d. in 1900.

The average value of the prime fish landed was 3*l.* 5s. 10d. per cwt., as against 3*l.* 17s. 1d. per cwt. in 1900, and the average value of all fish landed was 8s. 1d. per cwt. as compared with 8s. 9d. in 1900.

The foregoing figures relate to the quantity and value of fish "other than shell-fish." The total value of shell-fish landed on the coasts of England and Wales in 1901 (*see* Table X.) was less than in 1900, being 325,000*l.*, as against 335,000*l.* Oysters were valued at 121,000*l.*, as compared with 132,000*l.* in 1900, although the numbers landed were only slightly less, being 37,301,000 in 1901, and 37,847,000 in 1900. The value of both the crabs and lobsters landed was slightly greater than in 1900, although the number of lobsters was somewhat less. The quantity of other shell-fish landed (cockles, mussels, periwinkles, scallops, shrimps, etc.) fell off from 432,000 cwts. in 1900 to 401,000 cwts. in 1901, and the value from 117,000*l.* to 116,000*l.*

In Scotland the value of the shell-fish landed was 81,000*l.*, as against 76,000*l.* in 1900. In Ireland the value of the amounts returned by the collectors was only 14,000*l.*, as against 16,000*l.* in 1900.*

* These figures are exclusive of some particulars of values obtained from other sources than the returns made by the Collectors, for which *see* the Reports on the Sea and Inland Fisheries of Ireland.

TOTAL VALUE OF
SEA FISHERIES
OF THE UNITED
KINGDOM.

The total value therefore of the Sea Fisheries of the United Kingdom in the year 1901, according to the foregoing figures, and exclusive of salmon,* was as follows:—

					Value, excluding Shell-fish.	Value, including Shell-fish.
					£.	£
Fish landed in	England and Wales	-	-	-	6,523,000	6,848,000
	Scotland †	-	-	-	2,238,000	2,319,000
	Ireland ‡	-	-	-	285,000	299,000
TOTAL - - - £.					9,046,000	9,466,000

† According to the Monthly Statements of the Fishery Board for Scotland for the year 1901, which are subject to rectification in the Annual Report of that Board.

‡ According to the Monthly Statements of the Fisheries Branch of the Department of Agriculture for Ireland for the year 1901, which are subject to rectification. These figures are exclusive of some particulars of values obtained from other sources than the returns made by the Collectors, for which see the Reports on the Sea and Inland Fisheries of Ireland.

It must be understood, however, that all the foregoing figures represent the values at the time of landing only, nothing being included for the earnings of other fishing industries connected with curing and like operations, or with the carriage of the fish to market, by which the value of the fish is frequently much enhanced before it reaches even the wholesale markets. In comparing these figures with estimates of the value of the fishing industry of the United Kingdom in which other items are included, this difference in the basis should always be borne in mind, for if the value of the fish were to be taken at a later stage of the industry, the annual value, instead of being roughly speaking between nine and ten millions, would probably amount to double that total.

EAST COAST
FISHERIES.

A comparative table is given (*see* Table XIII. in Appendix), showing the quantities and value of the fish landed at each of the principal ports in England and Wales during the last ten years, which illustrates the various fluctuations in the fishing trade at each of those ports. On the East Coast, Grimsby maintains its place as the most important fishing port, the amount returned as landed there being 99,466 tons. The labour dispute in the steam trawling industry at this port is no doubt responsible for the fact that this quantity is less than that (107,478 tons) landed in 1900. It is, however, greater than that landed in 1898 or in any previous year. Next in importance come Hull with 67,679 tons, and Lowestoft with 57,561 tons, both these figures being greater than any hitherto recorded. At Yarmouth, on the other hand, the quantity landed (40,081 tons) was not so great as in either of the two preceding years.

In London no water-borne fish has been landed at Shadwell since the commencement of September, 1899, and from this time onwards the quantity first landed in London has been considerably less. The following statement shows the quantities first landed at Billingsgate and Shadwell in recent years with the values thereof:—

Quantities

* A few Salmon caught off the coast of England and Wales are included under the heading of fish not separately distinguished.

QUANTITIES and Total Value of Fish first landed at London in the following Years :—

Years.	Quantities.			Total Value.		
	Billingsgate.	Shadwell.	Total.	Billingsgate.	Shadwell.	Total.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	£.	£.	£.
1895	28,941	23,410	52,351	337,000	344,000	681,000
1896	34,616	17,682	52,298	410,000	255,000	665,000
1897	41,214	14,747	55,961	557,000	228,000	785,000
1898	42,115	13,862	55,977	578,000	198,000	776,000
1899	47,588	8,188*	55,776	739,000	115,000*	854,000
1900	35,841	— *	35,841	641,000	— *	641,000
1901	37,718	— *	37,718	547,000	— *	547,000

* No water-borne fish has been landed at Shadwell since the commencement of September, 1899.

The fish sold at Billingsgate includes, of course, a large quantity of fish other than that first landed there, and in this connection the following statement compiled from the monthly returns of the Fishmongers Company may be of interest :—

STATEMENT showing the quantity of fish* delivered at and near Billingsgate market, by rail and by sea, in the undermentioned years.

Years.	By Rail.	By Sea.	Total.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
1895	110,820	33,069	143,889
1896	134,480	39,212	173,692
1897	134,506	44,262	178,768
1898	135,693	46,874	182,567
1899	129,469	50,514	179,983
1900	149,615	38,069	187,684
1901	157,072	39,118	196,190

* Including Shell Fish.

The two most important ports on the South Coast are Plymouth and Newlyn, the former, with 9,665 tons, having in 1901 surpassed the latter with 8,872 tons. Both these figures are greater than those for the preceding year, the increase at Plymouth being especially marked.

SOUTH COAST
FISHERIES.

WEST COAST
FISHERIES.

On the West Coast Milford has now been for some years the most important fishing port, its progress having been very rapid. The quantity landed in 1901 (16,572 tons) is not only the greatest recorded at this port, but is more than twice as great as the quantity landed six years ago. Fleetwood is next in importance with a total of 9,260 tons. Attention may be called to the growth of the fishing trade at Cardiff and Swansea, the latter not having until 1901 any but an insignificant position.

VALUE OF FISH
LANDED MONTHLY
IN ENGLAND AND
WALES.

The quantity and value of the fish landed in England and Wales in each month of the year are shown in Table III. Similar tables have now been prepared for a series of years, and from them it is evident that there is comparative regularity from month to month in the take of prime fish, as well as in the take of the kinds called "intermediate" between prime fish and those classed as inferior. On the other hand, frequent and great variations occur in the take of the more migratory kinds, such as herrings, mackerel, pilchards, and sprats, the changes as regards these largely affecting the total for particular months. There are necessarily also variations in the product of the oyster fisheries owing to the statutory close season. The following statement gives the value of the fish landed in each month of the last three years:—

VALUES of Fish, including Shell Fish, landed on the Coasts of England and Wales in each Month of the undermentioned Years.

Month.	1899.*	1900.*	1901.
	£.	£.	£.
January - - - -	459,000	503,000	500,000
February - - - -	456,000	448,000	475,000
March - - - -	555,000	542,000	529,000
April - - - -	538,000	593,000	609,000
May - - - -	538,000	586,000	553,000
June - - - -	528,000	529,000	526,000
July - - - -	461,000	475,000	500,000
August - - - -	533,000	592,000	543,000
September - - - -	618,000	608,000	552,000
October - - - -	754,000	725,000	752,000
November - - - -	732,000	775,000	760,000
December - - - -	530,000	569,000	549,000

* Amended figures for these years.

It will be seen that the months of October and November were the most productive to the fishing industry in all three years. This is attributable to the herring fisheries of the East Coast being then at their height. On both the South and West Coasts the importance of the mackerel fisheries has in each of the last three years rendered May (when the greatest quantities of mackerel have been landed) the most productive month of the year. Taking the three coasts together, the value of the catch was, in each year, lower in February than in any other month.

FISHING BOATS.

The Tables in Part III. of the Appendix give particulars of the number and tonnage of fishing boats registered under Part IV. of the Merchant Shipping Act 1894, the number of such boats known to have been employed in fishing during the year, and the number of men and boys regularly employed and occasionally employed in fishing. It appears from these tables that the total tonnage of registered fishing boats at the end of 1900 was 305,324 tons, or slightly less than at the end of either of the two preceding years. As regards the vessels known to have been employed, only the number can be stated

stated—*viz.* 23,349 in 1900, out of 26,162 on the register. This number is also less than during either of the two preceding years. The number of men and boys regularly employed in fishing was 68,708 and the number occasionally employed 37,814 in 1900, as against 71,046 and 37,969 respectively in 1899. Particulars are given in the Tables for each division of the United Kingdom, according to the registration of the boats. It should, however, be noted that many of the first and second class boats do not confine their operations to the divisions in which they are registered, and consequently a portion of their catch of fish may frequently be credited to one of the other divisions of the United Kingdom.

In Part IV. of the Appendix will be found Tables giving particulars with regard to the imports and exports of fish into and from the United Kingdom for the years 1892 to 1901 inclusive. The following statement summarises the information which is there shown for the last two years:—

IMPORTS
AND EXPORTS OF
FISH INTO AND
FROM THE
UNITED KINGDOM.

	1900.		1901.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
NET IMPORTS (after deducting re-exports):—	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>
Cured or Salted - - - - -	980,461	2,199,382	908,010	2,016,960
Fresh (Not of British taking) -	856,543	738,104	945,057	751,639
TOTAL, Net Imports - - - - -	1,837,004	2,937,486	1,853,067	2,768,599
EXPORTS of British and Irish Fish:				
Herrings* - - - - -	3,081,750	2,337,822	3,757,900	2,376,313
Other Descriptions - - - - -	†	663,030	†	694,556
TOTAL, British and Irish Exports	†	3,000,852	†	3,070,869

* The quantities are stated in barrels, but the barrel has here been taken as the equivalent of 2 cwts.

† Cannot be stated.

It will be seen that the net imports of foreign fish were nearly the same in quantity, though less in value, than in the previous year, the proportion of the cured and salted fish (which is more valuable than the fresh fish) being less. The quantity of herrings exported was the greatest recorded, and the value of the exports of fish, which has been tending upwards for the last few years, now amounts to over three millions sterling. Indeed, whilst the value of the net imports of foreign fish has during the last six years fluctuated between £2,637,000 and £2,937,000, the exports of British and Irish fish have risen year by year from a little over two to a little over three millions sterling.

A reference to Table XIX. will show that the largest proportion of the cured and salted fish imported is derived from Canada, Newfoundland, and the United States, though a considerable quantity of sardines imported from France and Portugal are also included in this category. The fresh fish is chiefly imported from Norway and Holland, but includes a quantity of oysters obtained mainly from the United States and France. The fish exported consists almost entirely of herrings, and the greater part of it is sent to Germany.

By taking the figures given above in conjunction with those already given for the produce of the sea fisheries of the United Kingdom, it is possible to give

give an estimate of the value of the sea-fish consumed in the United Kingdom. This is done in the following Table, while the figures for 1891 are also stated for comparison:—

RÉSUMÉ
STATEMENT.

	1891.	1901.
	£.	£.
Fish, the produce of the United Kingdom Fisheries - -	7,001,000	9,466,000
„ Imported from Abroad, and retained for consumption -	2,274,000	2,769,000
TOTAL - - - £.	9,275,000	12,235,000
<i>Deduct,—</i>		
Exports of Fish, the Produce of the United Kingdom Fisheries	1,711,000	3,071,000
TOTAL VALUE at landing of the Fish } Consumed in the United Kingdom - } £.	7,564,000	9,164,000

From the above statement it would appear that the value of the fish consumed in the United Kingdom has risen from $7\frac{1}{2}$ millions sterling in 1891, to nine millions in 1901. It must, however, be recollected that whilst the values of the produce of our own fisheries and of the fresh fish imported represent the values at the place of landing, the values of the cured and salted fish imported and exported are considerably in excess of the values of the same fish when first landed. It is true that the necessary deductions on this account apply to both the import and export trade, so that the resultant figures are not likely to be, far from correct. As between the years 1891 and 1901, however, the increase in imports is considerably less than that in exports, so that the growth in the value of the fish consumed during the ten years has probably been somewhat greater than that shown.

FISH CARRIED
INLAND BY RAIL.

Part V. of the present statement consists of a “Return of fish carried by each railway from the principal ports of the United Kingdom in each year from 1896 to 1901.” This return has now been made for many years past, and serves in some measure as a check upon the returns at each individual port. The chief differences in the basis of the two returns are as follows:—The return of fish landed includes fish landed for local consumption, whereas such fish is, of course, excluded from the return in Part V. of fish carried away by rail. The return in Part V. of fish carried by rail includes the *tare* (boxes, packages and ice), and excludes the weight lost by the fish in cleaning and gutting when, as is sometimes the case, these processes are carried out after landing but before the fish is carried by rail. Further, the railway return includes the amount of shell-fish carried, such as oysters, crabs, lobsters, &c., by weight instead of their being returned separately by number, as in the landing account. The two returns therefore must be taken rather as affording a check on each other than for purposes of direct comparison.

FOREIGN AND
COLONIAL SEA
FISHERIES IN
1899.

Tables relating to the sea fisheries of certain foreign countries are appended to the Statistical Tables accompanying the present Memorandum. (*See* Part VI. of Appendix.) Statistics relating to Canadian fisheries, which are the most important among the Colonial fisheries, have also been added.

Comparing the fishery statistics of these countries with those of the United Kingdom for 1898 and 1899 (particulars for later years not being available in the case of most of the countries included) we have the following results:—

Annual

ANNUAL VALUE of the Sea Fisheries of the undermentioned Countries:

	1899.	1898.
	£.	£.
Norway - - - - -	1,350,000	1,147,000
Denmark (estimated) - - - - -	414,000	340,000
France - - - - -	5,055,000	4,823,000
Portugal - - - - -	880,000	814,000
Canadian Dominion - - - - -	4,561,000	4,097,000
United Kingdom - - - - -	9,433,000	8,460,000

During the course of last year the Committee appointed to inquire into the system of collecting Fishery Statistics made their report, and their recommendations have now been considered. In accordance with these recommendations steps have already been taken to improve and considerably extend the Statistics collected at the most important centres on the East Coast of England. Additions have been made to the number of classes of fish for which returns are sent in, and in future Statistics, such fish as conger-eels, dabs, gurnards, lemon soles, skate and rays, and whiting will be separately distinguished.

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APPENDIX.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

PART I.—RETURNS OF FISH LANDED IN 1901.

ENGLAND AND WALES. I.—SUMMARY STATEMENT of the TOTAL QUANTITY and VALUE of the FISH returned as Landed on the *English* and *Welsh* Coasts from the Fishing Grounds during the Year 1901, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, distinguishing the different Kinds of FISH.

	Quantity.	Value.	Average Price.		
			Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>
Brill - - - - -	17,583	51,219	6·24	2 18 3	58 5 -
Soles - - - - -	76,385	560,859	15·73	7 6 10½	146 17 1
Turbot - - - - -	52,801	228,995	9·29	4 6 8½	86 14 7
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished - - - }	19,379	61,532	6·80	3 3 6	63 10 -
TOTAL Prime Fish -	166,148	902,605	11·64	5 8 7½	108 12 11
Cod - - - - -	572,414	437,940	1·64	- 15 3½	15 5 10
Haddock - - - - -	2,353,468	1,699,723	1·55	- 14 5½	14 8 9
Hake - - - - -	268,134	195,979	1·57	- 14 7½	14 12 6
Halibut - - - - -	102,977	193,494	4·03	1 17 7	37 11 8
Herrings - - - - -	2,452,848	892,637	0·78	- 7 3½	7 5 5
Ling - - - - -	98,192	64,322	1·40	- 13 1½	13 2 1
Mackerel - - - - -	367,659	263,008	1·53	- 14 3½	14 6 3
Pilchards - - - - -	91,025	24,304	0·57	- 5 4	5 6 8
Plaice - - - - -	848,188	934,474	2·36	1 2 -½	22 - 10
Sprats - - - - -	41,186	11,472	0·60	- 5 6½	5 11 3
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish }	1,285,566	903,565	1·51	- 14 -¾	14 1 3
TOTAL - - -	8,647,805	6,523,523	1·62	- 15 1	15 1 8
	<i>No.</i>		Per Dozen.	Per Hundred.	Per Thousand.
Shell Fish :			<i>s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>
Crabs - - - - -	5,325,974	58,743	2 7½	1 2 -¾	11 - 7½
Lobsters - - - - -	650,491	28,735	10 7½	4 8 4½	44 3 6½
Oysters - - - - -	37,301,000	121,185	- 9½	- 6 6	3 5 -
	<i>Cwts.</i>		Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Other Shell Fish -	401 387	116,006	- 0·62	- 5 9½	5 15 5
TOTAL - - -	—	324,669	—	—	—
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - - - }	—	6,848,192	—	—	—

II.—SUMMARY STATEMENT of the Total QUANTITY and VALUE of the FISH returned as Landed on the *English* and *Welsh* Coasts from the Fishing Grounds during the Year 1901, distinguishing the different Kinds of FISH, and the Coasts on which Landed. ENGLAND AND WALES.

	East Coast.	South Coast.	West Coast.	TOTAL.
QUANTITY.				
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>
Brill - - - - -	10,741	4,342	2,500	17,583
Soles - - - - -	42,568	17,163	16,654	76,385
Turbot - - - - -	38,461	8,032	6,308	52,801
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished } - - - - -	19,379	—	—	19,379
TOTAL Prime Fish - - - - -	111,149	29,537	25,462	166,148
Cod - - - - -	533,413	5,244	33,757	572,414
Haddock - - - - -	2,318,161	—	35,307	2,353,468
Hake - - - - -	15,375	27,477	225,282	268,134
Halibut - - - - -	101,999	11	967	102,977
Herrings - - - - -	2,262,287	109,399	81,162	2,452,848
Ling - - - - -	63,800	6,530	27,862	98,192
Mackerel - - - - -	33,701	211,705	122,253	367,659
Pilchards - - - - -	—	90,074	951	91,025
Plaice - - - - -	791,428	35,523	21,237	848,188
Sprats - - - - -	23,575	17,184	427	41,186
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish } - - - - -	769,609	182,566	333,391	1,285,566
TOTAL - - - - -	7,024,497	715,250	908,058	8,647,805
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>
Crabs - - - - -	4,536,118	644,969	144,887	5,325,974
Lobsters - - - - -	138,714	351,031	160,746	650,491
Oysters - - - - -	28,054,000	4,274,000	4,973,000	37,301,000
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>
	252,391	44,673	104,323	401,387
VALUE.				
	£.	£.	£.	£.
Brill - - - - -	33,499	11,736	5,984	51,219
Soles - - - - -	338,111	115,439	107,309	560,859
Turbot - - - - -	173,432	30,070	25,493	228,995
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished } - - - - -	61,532	—	—	61,532
TOTAL Prime Fish - - - - -	606,574	157,245	138,786	902,605
Cod - - - - -	407,359	4,313	26,238	437,940
Haddock - - - - -	1,674,501	—	25,222	1,699,723
Hake - - - - -	18,040	16,992	160,947	195,979
Halibut - - - - -	190,982	33	2,479	193,494
Herrings - - - - -	814,805	37,461	40,371	892,637
Ling - - - - -	46,066	4,006	14,250	64,322
Mackerel - - - - -	32,238	159,278	71,492	263,008
Pilchards - - - - -	—	23,936	368	24,304
Plaice - - - - -	861,400	46,641	26,433	934,474
Sprats - - - - -	5,581	5,673	218	11,472
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish } - - - - -	580,133	112,621	210,811	903,565
TOTAL - - - - -	5,237,709	568,199	717,615	6,523,523
Shell Fish :				
Crabs - - - - -	36,652	20,457	1,634	58,743
Lobsters - - - - -	6,565	16,201	5,969	28,735
Oysters - - - - -	192,886	7,890	10,409	121,185
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	62,900	16,488	36,618	116,006
TOTAL - - - - -	209,003	61,036	54,630	324,669
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed -	5,446,712	629,235	772,245	6,848,192

ENGLAND
AND
WALES.EAST
COAST.

III.—DETAILED STATEMENT of the TOTAL QUANTITY and VALUE of the FISH returned with Particulars for each Month of the Year, distinguishing

A.—EAST COAST. - - - - -

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	
QUANTITY - - - - -						
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
Brill - - - - -	884	921	854	765	973	1
Soles - - - - -	4,263	3,040	2,389	2,120	3,520	2
Turbot - - - - -	3,196	2,895	2,665	2,496	3,738	3
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	966	739	1,058	1,609	2,262	4
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	9,309	7,595	6,966	6,990	10,483	5
Cod - - - - -	33,565	42,774	70,506	55,672	53,319	6
Haddock - - - - -	194,811	182,177	182,840	203,848	212,251	7
Hake - - - - -	902	457	715	802	1,323	8
Halibut - - - - -	1,663	2,665	8,864	12,789	16,119	9
Herrings - - - - -	88	210	2,665	20,769	24,372	10
Ling - - - - -	4,610	4,762	5,639	6,376	7,199	11
Mackerel - - - - -	—	—	—	—	3,928	12
Pilchards - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	13
Plaice - - - - -	50,474	50,301	56,126	84,549	89,200	14
Sprats - - - - -	7,716	5,627	26	—	—	15
Fish not separately distinguished, except } Shell Fish - - - - -	61,724	62,587	72,955	85,961	83,687	16
TOTAL - - -	364,862	359,155	407,302	477,756	501,881	17
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
Crabs - - - - -	137,320	258,057	389,900	1,015,407	1,360,554	18
Lobsters - - - - -	578	1,058	3,926	24,556	40,084	19
Oysters - - - - -	3,266,000	2,965,000	2,621,000	2,414,000	1,221,000	20
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
	27,927	17,767	15,710	20,927	21,153	21
VALUE - - - - -						
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	
Brill - - - - -	3,529	3,036	2,927	3,304	2,138	22
Soles - - - - -	34,938	29,585	22,056	20,742	23,657	23
Turbot - - - - -	17,501	15,795	16,716	12,225	15,849	24
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	2,891	2,441	3,678	6,240	7,011	25
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	58,859	50,857	45,377	42,511	48,655	26
Cod - - - - -	34,218	37,375	49,545	43,938	28,636	27
Haddock - - - - -	163,730	153,206	157,346	171,669	118,977	28
Hake - - - - -	1,227	577	1,042	1,010	1,248	29
Halibut - - - - -	5,700	7,651	19,673	27,994	23,067	30
Herrings - - - - -	45	133	1,040	6,013	7,423	31
Ling - - - - -	4,271	3,744	4,083	4,963	4,300	32
Mackerel - - - - -	—	—	—	—	3,547	33
Pilchards - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	34
Plaice - - - - -	74,746	67,938	63,819	76,583	66,729	35
Sprats - - - - -	1,150	509	5	—	—	36
Fish not separately distinguished, except } Shell Fish - - - - -	50,163	46,046	57,186	62,796	49,135	37
TOTAL - - -	394,109	368,036	399,116	437,477	351,717	38
Shell Fish :						
Crabs - - - - -	992	1,944	3,240	8,590	10,176	39
Lobsters - - - - -	28	54	242	1,267	1,737	40
Oysters - - - - -	13,920	12,476	9,924	7,871	3,154	41
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	4,053	2,828	2,719	4,107	6,728	42
TOTAL - - -	18,995	17,302	16,125	21,835	21,795	43
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - -	413,104	385,338	415,241	459,312	373,512	44
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed, 1900* - -	410,869	370,071	423,036	443,320	398,243	45
Ditto - - ditto - - 1899* - -	387,446	384,722	415,199	409,044	359,414	46

* Amended figures, see Note (*) on p. 30.

as Landed on the *English* and *Welsh* Coasts from the Fishing Grounds during the Year 1901, the different Kinds of FISH and the Coasts on which Landed.

ENGLAND
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A.—EAST COAST.

	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
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QUANTITY.

	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
1	1,185	981	809	633	807	1,167	762	10,741
2	4,602	3,955	3,988	3,691	3,599	3,641	3,760	42,568
3	4,564	3,389	2,563	2,858	3,339	3,789	2,969	38,461
4	2,711	2,588	1,832	1,252	1,523	1,335	1,514	19,379
5	13,062	10,913	9,192	8,434	9,268	9,932	9,005	111,149
6	57,117	43,133	37,258	25,042	35,368	40,275	39,384	533,413
7	202,402	180,277	160,257	167,233	222,559	221,768	187,738	2,318,161
8	1,005	1,808	1,362	1,310	1,629	2,442	1,620	15,375
9	18,414	14,633	4,608	4,312	6,513	9,174	2,245	101,999
10	23,812	70,640	245,198	288,441	845,751	606,602	133,739	2,262,287
11	6,499	5,364	4,627	4,512	5,122	5,134	3,956	63,800
12	3,444	1,035	163	4,362	18,439	2,304	26	33,701
13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14	86,869	68,045	62,019	60,946	71,552	65,367	45,980	791,428
15	—	—	—	—	—	2,990	7,216	23,575
16	52,734	56,535	56,823	44,380	66,135	71,178	54,910	769,609
17	465,358	452,383	581,507	608,972	1,282,336	1,037,166	485,819	7,024,497
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
18	639,000	341,124	170,139	68,440	69,330	39,807	47,040	4,536,118
19	17,260	20,405	15,911	8,337	5,190	1,371	38	138,714
20	897,000	1,120,000	1,362,000	3,017,000	2,912,000	2,748,000	3,511,000	28,054,000
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
21	18,663	22,468	21,278	25,485	29,367	16,345	15,301	252,391

VALUE.

	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
22	2,371	2,441	2,516	2,533	2,677	3,088	2,939	33,499
23	27,773	29,762	30,423	30,750	27,329	29,117	31,479	338,111
24	15,699	13,348	9,594	10,813	13,063	15,314	17,515	173,432
25	8,163	6,984	5,611	4,086	4,801	4,619	5,007	61,532
26	54,006	52,535	48,144	48,182	48,370	52,138	56,940	606,574
27	30,916	22,690	29,977	20,268	31,615	36,305	41,906	407,389
28	126,198	106,474	104,414	113,787	135,789	162,437	160,474	1,674,501
29	1,068	1,990	1,563	1,545	1,853	2,915	2,002	18,040
30	22,680	23,514	10,368	10,950	14,414	17,177	7,794	190,982
31	16,422	38,302	86,806	113,796	256,762	229,159	58,904	814,805
32	3,726	3,435	3,123	3,409	3,747	3,787	3,478	46,066
33	3,969	1,091	234	4,260	16,377	2,731	29	32,238
34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
35	69,028	68,601	68,830	78,680	81,741	81,695	63,010	861,400
36	—	—	—	—	—	1,513	2,404	5,581
37	36,804	46,901	52,360	36,542	42,056	54,977	45,167	580,133
38	364,817	365,533	405,819	431,419	632,724	644,834	442,108	5,237,709
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
39	5,690	2,897	1,507	537	465	282	332	36,652
40	778	954	815	413	222	53	2	6,565
41	2,114	2,129	3,372	11,159	11,065	12,099	13,603	102,886
42	7,020	7,742	6,915	6,261	7,156	4,061	3,308	62,900
43	15,602	13,722	12,609	18,370	18,908	16,495	17,245	209,003
44	380,419	379,255	418,428	449,789	651,632	661,329	459,353	5,446,712
45	394,328	366,615	479,313	511,702	632,532	634,604	430,432	5,601,124
46	386,632	367,032	434,925	511,414	656,432	638,926	424,235	5,376,471

III.—DETAILED STATEMENT of the Total Quantity and Value of the Fish returned as Landed on

ENGLAND
AND
WALES.SOUTH
COAST.

B.—SOUTH COAST.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	
	QUANTITY.					
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
Brill	431	470	402	310	327	1
Soles	989	1,455	2,158	1,308	1,359	2
Turbot	704	739	600	677	799	3
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	—	—	—	—	—	4
TOTAL Prime Fish	2,124	2,664	3,160	2,295	2,485	5
Cod	661	779	705	506	365	6
Haddock	108	2,289	1,024	855	4,492	7
Hake	—	2	2	—	—	8
Halibut	60,242	4,835	868	—	113	9
Herrings	268	1,542	990	599	765	10
Ling	1,722	366	20,550	30,091	94,072	11
Mackerel	554	696	78	—	—	12
Pilchards	4,722	3,955	2,592	2,271	2,567	13
Plaice	4,797	1,109	128	—	—	14
Sprats	17,223	19,877	14,299	14,521	15,343	15
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish	—	—	—	—	—	16
TOTAL	92,421	38,114	44,396	51,138	120,202	17
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
Crabs	8,975	13,189	16,194	38,231	82,105	18
Lobsters	2,294	9,440	11,619	20,529	41,109	19
Oysters	370,000	291,000	335,000	659,000	383,000	20
Other Shell Fish	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
	7,395	7,927	6,575	3,783	1,375	21
	VALUE.					
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	
Brill	1,198	1,242	1,144	887	882	22
Soles	7,264	9,875	14,041	10,477	7,618	23
Turbot	2,811	2,743	2,314	2,626	2,675	24
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	—	—	—	—	—	25
TOTAL Prime Fish	11,273	13,860	17,499	13,990	11,175	26
Cod	600	622	512	438	288	27
Haddock	103	1,926	971	867	2,867	28
Hake	—	6	7	—	—	29
Halibut	16,897	1,960	312	—	39	30
Herrings	220	1,033	658	436	346	31
Ling	2,546	696	16,097	48,190	48,147	32
Mackerel	109	131	17	—	—	33
Pilchards	7,351	4,955	3,130	2,666	2,562	34
Plaice	1,587	384	69	—	—	35
Sprats	10,396	12,103	9,614	9,597	9,339	36
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish	—	—	—	—	—	37
TOTAL	51,082	37,676	48,886	76,184	74,763	38
Shell Fish :						
Crabs	305	457	557	1,094	2,310	39
Lobsters	134	485	575	980	1,750	40
Oysters	710	652	674	1,189	635	41
Other Shell Fish	2,363	2,489	2,358	1,695	852	42
TOTAL	3,512	4,083	4,164	4,958	5,547	43
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed	54,594	41,759	53,050	81,142	80,310	44
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed, 1900	46,607	30,795	43,074	66,687	100,829	45
Ditto . . . ditto . . 1899	33,849	32,602	62,816	56,576	85,225	46

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ENGLAND
AND
WALES.
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SOUTH
COAST.

B.—SOUTH COAST.

	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
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Q U A N T I T Y.

	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
1	270	212	347	362	426	480	305	4,342
2	1,249	1,302	1,605	1,515	1,414	1,771	1,038	17,163
3	677	443	609	599	722	849	614	8,032
4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	2,196	1,957	2,561	2,476	2,562	3,100	1,957	29,537
6	182	157	191	211	361	562	564	5,244
7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8	3,731	7,054	3,129	2,386	1,417	781	211	27,477
9	1	—	—	4	2	—	—	11
10	196	14	4	89	140	12,810	30,088	109,399
11	532	486	263	214	308	282	281	6,530
12	39,762	14,483	3,102	3,173	3,680	278	425	211,705
13	19	4,086	32,447	26,358	14,014	7,614	4,208	90,074
14	2,982	2,370	3,069	2,151	2,758	3,065	3,021	35,523
15	—	—	—	—	653	1,197	9,300	17,184
16	13,036	12,037	13,840	12,759	16,340	19,294	13,997	182,566
17	62,637	42,644	58,606	49,821	42,235	48,983	64,053	715,250
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
18	124,831	148,620	100,651	47,462	36,956	20,849	6,906	644,969
19	58,385	88,390	70,069	27,127	18,218	2,937	414	351,031
20	166,000	87,000	170,000	409,000	522,000	535,000	347,000	4,274,000
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
21	1,040	1,214	1,566	1,589	2,892	4,771	4,546	44,673

V A L U E.

	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
22	736	585	927	1,032	1,090	1,235	778	11,736
23	6,851	8,882	11,904	11,093	9,317	10,749	7,458	115,439
24	2,043	1,585	2,465	2,507	2,655	3,156	2,490	30,070
25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26	9,630	11,052	15,296	14,542	13,062	15,140	10,726	157,245
27	131	118	164	180	327	450	483	4,313
28	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29	2,087	2,747	1,709	1,569	1,196	751	199	16,992
30	2	—	—	12	6	—	—	33
31	110	7	2	39	72	5,080	12,943	37,461
32	247	208	137	135	207	191	188	4,006
33	27,563	7,599	2,416	2,338	2,586	319	781	159,278
34	15	1,366	7,915	7,140	4,001	1,985	1,257	23,936
35	3,323	2,818	4,120	3,063	3,080	4,216	5,357	46,641
36	—	—	—	—	145	530	2,958	5,673
37	8,522	7,598	8,624	7,720	9,605	11,302	8,201	112,621
38	51,630	33,513	40,333	36,738	34,237	39,964	43,093	568,199
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
39	3,754	4,944	3,013	1,574	1,400	805	244	20,457
40	2,558	3,890	3,260	1,375	980	181	33	16,201
41	268	150	269	720	955	982	686	7,890
42	837	649	685	834	1,077	1,389	1,260	16,488
43	7,417	9,633	7,227	4,503	4,412	3,357	2,223	61,036
44	59,047	43,146	47,610	41,241	38,699	43,321	45,316	629,235
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
45	50,642	39,381	39,813	42,221	44,218	43,856	39,333	587,356
46	61,273	40,961	39,495	43,154	43,201	44,045	54,418	597,615

ENGLAND
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COAST.

III.—DETAILED STATEMENT of the Total Quantity and Value of the Fish returned as Landed on

C.—WEST COAST. - - - - -

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	
	Q U A N T I T Y. - - - - -					
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
Brill - - - - -	133	194	209	283	237	1
Soles - - - - -	630	857	1,276	1,519	2,201	2
Turbot - - - - -	544	714	478	578	571	3
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	—	—	—	—	—	4
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	1,307	1,765	1,963	2,380	3,009	5
Cod - - - - -	1,572	5,795	9,047	4,456	2,213	6
Haddock - - - - -	2,987	2,349	4,078	2,635	1,730	7
Hake - - - - -	1,397	9,499	6,764	10,276	20,186	8
Halibut - - - - -	34	68	48	62	102	9
Herrings - - - - -	1,504	25	29	18	4,184	10
Ling - - - - -	2,526	3,377	2,535	2,661	2,991	11
Mackerel - - - - -	2	—	2,790	8,950	74,948	12
Pilchards - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	13
Plaice - - - - -	2,337	2,646	1,680	1,166	1,175	14
Sprats - - - - -	188	26	32	8	5	15
Fish not separately distinguished, except } Shell Fish - - - - -	17,159	31,562	28,580	31,903	31,112	16
TOTAL - - -	31,013	57,112	57,546	64,515	141,655	17
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
Crabs - - - - -	1,040	3,504	9,066	11,502	22,140	18
Lobsters - - - - -	500	1,055	2,570	5,211	16,583	19
Oysters - - - - -	113,000	53,000	72,000	70,000	1,402,000	20
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	9,543	8,259	6,532	6,664	6,843	21
	V A L U E. - - - - -					
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	
Brill - - - - -	311	484	503	737	506	22
Soles - - - - -	3,915	6,095	9,454	10,791	11,259	23
Turbot - - - - -	2,518	3,402	2,296	2,796	1,646	24
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	—	—	—	—	—	25
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	6,744	9,981	12,253	14,324	13,411	26
Cod - - - - -	1,335	3,945	6,683	3,390	1,360	27
Haddock - - - - -	2,704	1,585	3,147	1,816	985	28
Hake - - - - -	1,662	7,250	6,476	11,947	12,752	29
Halibut - - - - -	101	197	145	143	217	30
Herrings - - - - -	1,335	21	19	11	2,121	31
Ling - - - - -	1,224	1,585	1,408	1,480	1,318	32
Mackerel - - - - -	4	—	2,048	10,198	39,573	33
Pilchards - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	34
Plaice - - - - -	3,253	3,844	2,269	1,605	1,542	35
Sprats - - - - -	92	12	14	4	2	36
Fish not separately distinguished, except } Shell Fish - - - - -	11,163	17,319	23,254	20,143	18,010	37
TOTAL - - -	29,617	45,739	57,716	65,061	91,291	38
Shell Fish :						
Crabs - - - - -	9	30	77	102	250	39
Lobsters - - - - -	24	42	106	218	773	40
Oysters - - - - -	243	106	156	147	3,177	41
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	2,633	2,206	2,088	3,190	3,768	42
TOTAL - - -	2,909	2,384	2,427	3,657	7,968	43
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - -	32,526	48,123	60,143	68,718	99,259	44
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed, 1900 - -	45,057	46,802	70,803	83,409	86,743	45
Ditto - - - ditto - 1899 - -	37,392	39,110	77,406	71,978	93,675	46

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ENGLAND
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WEST
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C.—WEST COAST.

	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
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Q U A N T I T Y.

	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
1	250	285	214	180	168	183	164	2,500
2	1,556	1,909	1,400	1,280	1,762	1,514	750	16,654
3	333	507	411	504	584	669	415	6,308
4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	2,139	2,701	2,025	1,964	2,514	2,366	1,329	25,462
6	1,233	1,068	2,192	1,234	2,394	1,348	1,205	33,757
7	4,334	5,555	4,225	1,256	1,072	1,755	3,331	35,307
8	36,673	38,125	46,470	26,294	15,178	9,080	5,340	225,282
9	65	58	100	63	136	171	60	967
10	16,708	10,283	7,057	6,395	4,273	17,352	13,334	81,162
11	1,806	1,916	2,529	2,578	1,905	1,483	1,555	27,862
12	30,243	3,114	1,670	273	243	17	3	122,253
13	—	—	19	499	356	—	77	951
14	1,176	2,335	1,942	1,586	2,050	1,623	1,521	21,237
15	—	—	—	—	—	80	88	427
16	24,894	31,709	28,427	25,055	31,361	29,199	22,430	333,391
17	119,271	96,864	96,656	67,197	61,482	64,474	50,273	908,058
18	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
19	17,807	40,570	27,891	8,781	876	850	860	144,887
20	25,960	55,363	42,728	9,434	486	476	380	160,746
21	517,000	607,000	1,418,000	295,000	161,000	154,000	111,000	4,973,000
22	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
23	5,648	4,180	3,537	10,388	14,404	15,815	12,510	104,323

V A L U E.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
22	506	626	529	445	405	468	464	5,984
23	8,594	13,681	9,695	8,845	10,726	9,002	5,252	107,309
24	1,030	1,821	1,588	1,974	2,155	2,522	1,745	25,493
25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26	10,130	16,128	11,812	11,264	13,286	11,992	7,461	138,786
27	957	814	1,698	1,236	2,329	1,274	1,217	26,238
28	2,830	3,211	3,110	954	757	1,280	2,843	25,222
29	25,378	24,485	25,584	17,941	12,314	8,795	6,863	160,947
30	139	137	286	182	348	421	163	2,479
31	9,126	3,226	2,701	2,511	2,220	9,089	7,991	40,371
32	836	964	1,221	1,341	1,138	815	920	14,250
33	16,480	1,964	840	184	186	12	3	71,492
34	—	—	8	216	113	—	31	368
35	1,214	2,506	2,274	1,733	2,225	1,978	1,990	26,433
36	—	—	—	—	—	49	45	218
37	13,637	17,820	20,705	18,940	22,264	14,852	12,704	210,811
38	80,727	71,255	70,239	56,502	57,180	50,557	41,731	717,615
39	212	518	327	86	8	7	8	1,634
40	942	1,854	1,577	378	21	19	15	5,969
41	1,041	1,216	2,608	667	406	379	263	10,409
42	3,425	2,800	2,390	3,527	3,908	4,053	2,630	36,618
43	5,620	6,388	6,902	4,658	4,343	4,458	2,916	54,630
44	86,347	77,613	77,141	61,160	61,523	55,015	44,647	772,245
45	83,817	69,330	72,875	53,637	47,886	46,941	49,370	756,670
46	80,017	52,684	58,627	62,957	54,232	48,944	50,880	727,952

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TOTAL
OF ALL
COASTS.

III.—DETAILED STATEMENT of the Total Quantity and Value of the Fish Returned as Landed on

D.—TOTAL OF ALL COASTS. - - - - -

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	
Q U A N T I T Y. - - - - -						
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	
Brill - - - - -	1,448	1,585	1,465	1,358	1,537	1
Soles - - - - -	5,882	5,352	5,823	4,947	7,080	2
Turbot - - - - -	4,444	4,348	3,743	3,751	5,108	3
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	966	739	1,058	1,609	2,252	4
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	12,740	12,024	12,089	11,665	15,977	5
Cod - - - - -	35,798	49,348	80,258	60,634	55,897	6
Haddock - - - - -	197,798	184,526	186,918	206,483	213,981	7
Hake - - - - -	2,407	12,245	8,503	11,933	26,001	8
Halibut - - - - -	1,697	2,735	8,914	12,851	16,221	9
Herrings - - - - -	61,834	5,070	3,562	20,787	28,669	10
Ling - - - - -	7,404	9,681	9,164	9,636	10,955	11
Mackerel - - - - -	1,724	366	23,340	39,041	172,948	12
Pilchards - - - - -	554	696	78	—	—	13
Plaice - - - - -	57,533	56,902	60,398	87,986	92,942	14
Sprats - - - - -	12,701	6,762	186	8	5	15
Fish not separately distinguished, except } Shell Fish - - - - -	96,106	114,026	115,834	182,385	130,142	16
TOTAL - - -	488,296	454,381	509,244	593,409	763,738	17
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	
Crabs - - - - -	147,335	274,750	415,160	1,065,140	1,464,799	18
Lobsters - - - - -	3,372	11,553	18,115	50,296	97,776	19
Oysters - - - - -	3,749,000	3,309,000	3,028,000	3,143,000	3,006,000	20
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	21
	44,865	33,953	28,817	31,374	29,371	
V A L U E. - - - - -						
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	
Brill - - - - -	5,038	4,762	4,574	4,928	3,526	22
Soles - - - - -	46,117	45,555	45,551	42,010	42,534	23
Turbot - - - - -	22,830	21,940	21,326	17,647	20,170	24
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished -	2,891	2,441	3,678	6,240	7,011	25
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	76,876	74,698	75,129	70,825	73,241	26
Cod - - - - -	36,153	41,942	56,740	47,766	30,284	27
Haddock - - - - -	166,434	154,791	160,493	173,485	119,962	28
Hake - - - - -	2,992	9,753	8,489	13,824	16,867	29
Halibut - - - - -	5,801	7,854	19,825	28,137	23,284	30
Herrings - - - - -	18,277	2,114	1,371	6,024	9,583	31
Ling - - - - -	5,715	6,362	6,149	6,879	5,964	32
Mackerel - - - - -	2,550	696	18,145	58,388	91,267	33
Pilchards - - - - -	109	131	17	—	—	34
Plaice - - - - -	85,350	76,737	69,218	80,854	70,833	35
Sprats - - - - -	2,829	905	88	4	2	36
Fish not separately distinguished, except } Shell Fish - - - - -	71,722	75,468	90,054	92,536	76,484	37
TOTAL - - -	474,808	451,451	505,718	578,722	517,771	38
Shell Fish :						
Crabs - - - - -	1,306	2,431	3,874	9,786	12,736	39
Lobsters - - - - -	186	581	923	2,465	4,260	40
Oysters - - - - -	14,873	13,234	10,754	9,207	6,966	41
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	9,051	7,523	7,165	8,992	11,348	42
TOTAL - - -	25,416	23,769	22,716	30,450	35,310	43
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - -	500,224	475,220	528,434	609,172	553,081	44
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed, 1900* - -	502,533	447,663	541,913	593,425	585,815	45
Ditto - - ditto - - 1899* - -	458,687	456,434	555,421	537,598	538,314	46

* Amended figures, see Note (*) on page 30.

the English and Welsh Coasts from the Fishing Grounds during the Year 1901, &c.—continued.

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	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	TOTAL.
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Q U A N T I T Y.

	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
1	1,705	1,478	1,370	1,175	1,401	1,830	1,231	17,583
2	7,407	7,166	6,993	6,486	6,775	6,926	5,548	76,385
3	5,574	4,339	3,583	3,961	4,645	5,307	3,998	52,801
4	2,711	2,588	1,832	1,252	1,523	1,335	1,514	19,379
5	17,397	15,571	13,778	12,874	14,344	15,398	12,291	166,148
6	58,532	44,358	39,641	26,487	38,123	42,185	41,153	572,414
7	206,736	185,832	164,482	168,489	223,631	223,523	191,069	2,353,468
8	41,409	46,987	50,961	29,990	18,224	12,303	7,171	268,134
9	18,480	14,691	4,708	4,379	6,651	9,345	2,305	102,977
10	40,716	80,937	252,259	294,925	850,164	636,764	177,161	2,452,848
11	8,837	7,766	7,419	7,304	7,335	6,899	5,792	98,192
12	73,449	18,632	4,935	7,808	22,362	2,599	455	367,659
13	19	4,086	32,466	26,857	14,370	7,614	4,285	91,025
14	91,027	72,750	67,030	64,683	76,360	70,055	50,522	848,188
15	—	—	—	—	653	4,267	16,604	41,186
16	90,664	100,281	99,090	82,194	113,836	119,671	91,337	1,285,566
17	647,266	591,891	736,769	725,990	1,386,053	1,150,623	600,145	8,647,805
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
18	781,638	530,314	298,681	124,683	107,162	61,506	54,806	5,325,974
19	101,605	164,658	128,708	44,898	23,894	4,784	832	650,491
20	1,580,000	1,814,000	2,950,000	3,721,000	3,595,000	3,437,000	3,969,000	37,301,000
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
21	25,351	27,862	26,381	37,462	46,663	36,931	32,357	401,387

V A L U E.

	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
22	3,613	3,652	3,972	4,010	4,172	4,791	4,181	51,219
23	43,218	52,325	52,022	50,598	47,872	48,868	44,189	560,859
24	18,772	16,754	13,647	15,294	17,873	20,992	21,750	228,995
25	8,163	6,984	5,611	4,086	4,801	4,619	5,007	61,532
26	73,766	79,715	75,252	73,988	74,718	79,270	75,127	902,605
27	32,004	23,622	31,839	21,684	34,271	38,029	43,606	437,940
28	129,028	109,685	107,524	114,741	136,546	163,717	163,317	1,699,728
29	28,533	29,222	28,856	21,055	15,363	12,461	8,564	195,979
30	22,821	23,651	10,654	11,144	14,768	17,598	7,957	193,404
31	25,658	41,535	89,509	116,346	259,054	243,328	79,838	892,637
32	4,809	4,607	4,481	4,885	5,092	4,793	4,586	64,322
33	48,012	10,654	3,490	6,782	19,149	3,062	813	263,008
34	15	1,366	7,923	7,356	4,114	1,985	1,288	24,304
35	73,565	73,925	75,224	83,476	87,046	87,889	70,357	934,474
36	—	—	—	—	145	2,092	5,407	11,472
37	58,963	72,310	81,689	63,202	73,925	81,131	66,072	903,565
38	497,174	470,301	516,441	524,659	724,191	735,355	526,932	6,523,523
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
39	9,656	8,359	4,847	2,197	1,873	1,094	584	58,743
40	4,278	6,698	5,652	2,166	1,223	253	50	28,735
41	3,423	3,495	6,249	12,546	12,426	13,460	14,552	121,185
42	11,282	11,191	9,990	10,622	12,141	9,503	7,198	116,006
43	28,639	29,743	26,738	27,531	27,663	24,310	22,384	324,669
44	525,813	500,044	543,179	552,190	751,854	759,665	549,316	6,848,192
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
45	529,387	475,226	592,501	607,560	724,636	775,401	569,185	6,945,150
46	527,922	460,677	533,047	618,525	753,915	731,915	529,583	6,702,038

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IV.—STATEMENT showing the VALUE of FISH Landed at each Port or District in *England and Wales* from the Fishing Grounds in the Year 1901, and the Total QUANTITY of FISH (by Weight), exclusive of Shell Fish.

PORT, OR DISTRICT.	Quantity (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Value (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Total Value, including Shell Fish.	PORT, OR DISTRICT.	Quantity (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Value (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Total Value, including Shell Fish.
EAST COAST.	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>	<i>£.</i>	SOUTH COAST.	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>	<i>£.</i>
Berwick - - - -	26,316	30,729	32,426	Broadstairs - - - -	223	119	297
Holy Island - - - -	2,154	725	2,904	Ramsgate - - - -	35,770	89,477	90,012
North Sunderland - - - -	48,040	12,612	14,115	Deal - - - -	3,389	1,248	1,248
Beadnell - - - -	5,312	1,720	3,836	Walmer - - - -	1,910	783	783
Newton - - - -	535	513	1,555	Kingsdown - - - -	1,916	715	722
Craster - - - -	8,657	2,351	3,857	Dover - - - -	2,236	4,197	4,611
Boulmer - - - -	936	820	1,466	Folkestone - - - -	27,519	27,189	27,651
Hauxley - - - -	419	855	1,320	Dungeness* - - - -	13,823	5,584	5,605
Newbiggin - - - -	3,261	2,356	2,849	Rye - - - -	2,169	2,429	2,429
Blyth - - - -	105	445	457	Winchelsea - - - -	1,456	280	357
Cullercoats (Tynemouth) - - - -	1,546	3,383	4,893	Hastings - - - -	23,807	20,480	20,509
North Shields - - - -	318,286	229,267	233,493	Eastbourne - - - -	1,770	1,484	1,970
Sunderland - - - -	13,250	11,408	11,794	Newhaven - - - -	663	1,068	5,826
Hartlepool - - - -	118,217	103,742	105,554	Brighton - - - -	17,142	21,096	21,157
Redcar (Coatham) - - - -	867	743	1,226	Southwick (Shoreham) - - - -	1,361	2,043	5,033
Staithes - - - -	10,080	4,861	7,189	Worthing - - - -	2,861	2,212	2,674
Whitby - - - -	18,026	9,342	10,791	Bognor (Felpham) - - - -	74	156	641
Rolin Hood's Bay - - - -	324	485	1,094	Selsey - - - -	218	277	4,955
Scarborough - - - -	178,444	101,015	103,626	Portsmouth - - - -	3,972	4,608	4,633
Filey - - - -	3,799	3,277	4,428	Emsworth (Hayling Bridge) - - - -	418	935	5,884
Flemborough - - - -	6,876	4,750	8,661	Warsash (Hamble River) - - - -	-	-	9,423
Brillington - - - -	3,983	3,595	4,467	Southampton - - - -	254	116	289
Hornsea - - - -	199	215	831	Christchurch - - - -	134	497	1,943
Hull - - - -	1,353,581	1,035,861	1,035,861	Poole - - - -	2,366	2,591	3,277
Grimsby - - - -	1,989,315	1,852,865	1,864,241	Swanage - - - -	353	455	931
Boston - - - -	162,178	120,649	125,784	Chapman's Pool (St. Alban's Head) - - - -	2	1	242
Lynn - - - -	1,874	648	9,051	Warbarrow - - - -	81	72	142
Wells - - - -	102	81	2,443	Lulworth - - - -	2	2	132
Blakeney (Morston) - - - -	72	48	798	Weymouth - - - -	105	78	78
Sheringham - - - -	1,475	1,021	7,401	Portland - - - -	560	928	1,333
Cromer - - - -	611	448	7,094	Portland Bill - - - -	91	91	596
Yarmouth - - - -	801,613	328,104	328,332	Wyke - - - -	891	949	987
Lowestoft - - - -	1,151,219	789,352	789,616	Albottsby - - - -	873	609	609
Southwold - - - -	8,554	10,342	11,648	Burton - - - -	305	153	162
Thorpe - - - -	663	535	1,059	Lyme Regis - - - -	80	73	222
Aldeburgh - - - -	3,717	2,850	2,907	Seaton - - - -	38	35	48
Harwich - - - -	4,268	5,057	18,483	Beer - - - -	2,085	1,956	2,583
Brightlingsea - - - -	4,067	773	7,297	Sidmouth - - - -	1,619	758	885
Burnham (Essex) - - - -	929	852	11,461	Budleigh Salterton - - - -	649	715	1,305
Southend - - - -	2,623	2,046	3,033	Exmouth - - - -	2,157	1,900	2,438
Leigh - - - -	7,149	5,685	21,953	Dawlish - - - -	364	261	437
Tilbury - - - -	6	6	50	Teignmouth - - - -	1,124	1,331	2,788
London (Billingsgate) - - - -	754,364	547,388	547,388	Babbacombe - - - -	256	140	309
Gravesend - - - -	230	28	2,142	Torquay - - - -	5,325	3,918	4,024
Queenborough - - - -	2,258	2,744	7,343	Paignton - - - -	578	262	308
East Swale - - - -	1,755	339	8,334	Brixham - - - -	57,156	66,138	67,778
Whitstable - - - -	400	20	68,147	Dartmouth - - - -	968	1,202	3,142
Margate - - - -	1,842	758	1,954	Torcross - - - -	2,408	1,310	3,029
				Yealm - - - -	319	247	1,472
				Plymouth - - - -	193,295	107,916	110,533
				Portwrinkle - - - -	209	150	203
				Downderry - - - -	413	202	379
TOTAL—East Coast - - - -	7,024,497	5,237,709	5,446,712				

* The particulars relate to the returns received from the Coast Guard Stations at No. 2 Battery, No. 1 Battery Dengemarsh, Galloways, Jury's Gap, and Camber.

IV.—VALUE of Fish Landed at each Port or District in *England and Wales* in the Year 1901, &c.—*continued.* ENGLAND
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PORT, OR DISTRICT.	Quantity (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Value (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Total Value, including Shell Fish.	PORT, OR DISTRICT.	Quantity (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Value (ex- cluding Shell Fish).	Total Value, including Shell Fish.
SOUTH COAST—continued.				WEST COAST—continued.			
Looe - - - - -	<i>Cwts.</i> 12,528	£. 3,567	£. 3,983	Milford - - - - -	<i>Cwts.</i> 331,436	£. 298,709	£. 309,288
Pelperro - - - - -	11,318	3,532	4,041	New Quay (Cardigan) - - - - -	936	606	607
Fowey - - - - -	1,041	557	634	Aberayron - - - - -	1,049	1,315	1,315
Mevagissey - - - - -	30,862	10,920	10,953	Aberystwith - - - - -			
Gorran Haven - - - - -	447	218	564	Borth - - - - -	152	172	216
Portloe - - - - -	1,190	406	557	Aberdovey - - - - -			
Falmouth - - - - -	19,971	16,620	26,319	Pwllheli - - - - -	14,835	17,851	18,051
Helford Passage (Porthillic) - - - - -	183	169	292	Carnarvon - - - - -	1,920	2,841	2,841
Cloverack - - - - -	391	244	498	Holyhead - - - - -	1,607	3,353	3,552
Cadgwith - - - - -	1,111	722	742	Bangor* - - - - -	2,216	3,126	7,599
Porthleven - - - - -	17,114	7,154	8,073	Rhyl - - - - -	114	333	500
Prussia Cove - - - - -	88	62	335	Hoylake - - - - -	6,523	9,684	11,444
Penzance - - - - -	13,377	7,960	7,960	Liverpool - - - - -	59,298	51,902	55,360
Newlyn - - - - -	177,439	130,052	130,119	Southport and Marshside - - - - -	1,963	1,538	10,054
Monsehole - - - - -	10,433	4,580	6,050	Lytham - - - - -	265	344	1,884
TOTAL—South Coast - - - - -	715,250	568,199	629,235	Fleetwood - - - - -	185,194	131,472	140,436
WEST COAST.				Cark - - - - -	231	108	2,687
Sennen - - - - -	1,561	1,218	2,584	Ulverston - - - - -	57	156	1,846
St. Ives - - - - -	47,372	26,758	27,866	Morecambe - - - - -	214	140	8,878
Padstow - - - - -	1,525	2,298	2,480	Whitehaven (including Parton) - - - - -	3,879	3,831	3,860
Port Isaac - - - - -	6,736	3,273	3,807	Maryport - - - - -			
Glovelly - - - - -	4,203	2,329	2,484	Isle of Man:			
Ilfracombe - - - - -	961	622	661	Peel - - - - -	19,161	6,463	6,463
Bristol - - - - -	-	-	-	Ramsey - - - - -	8,226	5,594	5,693
Cardiff - - - - -	45,910	28,887	28,887	Douglas - - - - -	10,597	7,006	7,097
Swansea - - - - -	25,605	29,959	29,959	Castletown - - - - -	829	570	811
Mumbles - - - - -	167	363	1,956	Port St. Mary - - - - -	4,778	2,260	3,229
Llanelly - - - - -	172	277	845	Port Erin - - - - -	1,359	668	1,066
Tenby - - - - -	7,153	6,023	6,117	TOTAL—West Coast - - - - -	908,058	717,615	772,245
Neyland - - - - -	108,355	64,473	66,021				

* The statistics of fish landed at Beaumaris, Menai, Aber, and Llanfairfechan are also included with Bangor.

SUMMARY.

	Quantity (excluding Shell Fish).	Value (excluding Shell Fish).	Total Value, including Shell Fish.
TOTAL :-	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	£.
East Coast - - - - -	7,024,497	5,237,709	5,446,712
South „ - - - - -	715,250	568,199	629,235
West „ - - - - -	968,058	717,615	772,245
TOTAL—England and Wales - - - - -	8,647,805	6,523,523	6,848,192
Fish previously Landed in Ireland, and afterwards at :—*			
Bristol - - - - -	1,975	2,358	3,174
Neyland - - - - -	19,429	34,745	35,078
Holyhead - - - - -	85,456	116,908	157,703
Liverpool - - - - -	19,972	30,439	44,647
Fleetwood - - - - -	30,836	23,392	23,392
TOTAL - - - - -	157,668	207,842	263,994
Fish previously Landed in the Isle of Man, and afterwards at :—			
Liverpool - - - - -	9,670	6,111	6,615
Whitehaven - - - - -	246	161	161
TOTAL - - - - -	9,916	6,272	6,776

* Includes salmon.

SCOTLAND. V.—SUMMARY STATEMENT of the Total QUANTITY and VALUE of the FISH returned as Landed on the *Scottish* Coasts during the Year 1901, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, distinguishing the different Kinds of Fish.

(From the MONTHLY RETURNS received from the Fishery Board for Scotland. The figures are provisional, and subject to rectification.)

	Quantity.	Value.	Average Price.		
			Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>
Soles (Lemon Soles) - - - -	22,461	48,131	4.59	2 2 10½	42 17 1
Turbot - - - - -	5,591	20,133	7.72	3 12 -	72 - 5
Cod - - - - -	445,673	212,864	1.02	- 9 6½	9 11 3
Eel (Conger) - - - - -	16,196	6,662	0.88	- 8 2½	8 4 7
Flounder, Plaice, and Brill - -	122,157	134,201	2.35	1 1 11½	21 19 7
Haddock - - - - -	830,768	527,441	1.36	- 12 8½	12 13 9
Halibut - - - - -	36,129	58,295	3.46	1 12 3½	32 5 5
Herrings - - - - -	4,338,743	1,061,046	0.52	- 4 10½	4 17 11
Ling - - - - -	157,164	48,539	0.66	- 6 2	6 3 4
Mackerel - - - - -	6,435	4,452	1.48	- 13 10	13 16 8
Saithe (Coal Fish) - - - - -	78,260	10,618	0.29	- 2 8½	2 14 2
Skate - - - - -	81,832	20,910	0.55	- 5 1½	5 2 1
Sparling - - - - -	386	1,452	8.06	3 15 2½	75 4 7
Sprats - - - - -	14,904	4,488	0.65	- 6 -	6 - 5
Torsk (Tusk) - - - - -	14,619	2,916	0.43	- 3 11½	3 19 7
Whiting - - - - -	123,584	45,122	0.78	- 7 3½	7 6 3
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish - - - - -	90,191	31,026	0.74	- 6 10½	6 17 6
TOTAL - - -	6,385,093	2,238,296	0.75	- 7 -½	7 - 5
	<i>No.</i>		Per Dozen.	Per Hundred.	Per Thousand.
			<i>s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>
Shell Fish :					
Crabs - - - - -	3,155,758	18,698	1 5	- 11 10½	5 18 6½
Lobsters - - - - -	790,310	36,621	11 1½	4 12 8	46 6 8
Oysters - - - - -	620,533	2,452	- 11½	- 7 10½	3 18 11½
	<i>Cwts.</i>		Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Clams - - - - -	6,491	802	- 0.27	- 2 5½	2 9 7
Mussels - - - - -	102,478	5,973	- 0.12	- 1 2	1 3 4
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	57,455	16,519	- 0.62	- 5 9	5 15 -
TOTAL - - -	—	81,065	—	—	—
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed -	—	2,319,361	—	—	—

IRELAND.

VI.—SUMMARY STATEMENT of the Total QUANTITY and VALUE of the FISH returned as Landed on the *Irish* Coasts during the Year 1901, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, distinguishing the different Kinds of Fish.

(From the MONTHLY RETURNS received from the Fisheries Branch of the Department of Agriculture for Ireland. The figures are provisional, and subject to rectification.)

	Quantity.	Value.	Average Price.		
			Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>£.</i>	<i>d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>
Soles - - - - -	3,295	11,001	7.15	3 6 9½	66 15 5
Turbot - - - - -	1,237	3,922	6.79	3 3 5	63 8 4
TOTAL Prime Fish - - -	4,532	14,923	7.06	3 5 10½	65 17 1
Cod - - - - -	22,241	15,748	1.52	- 14 2	14 3 4
Haddock - - - - -	9,583	10,031	2.24	1 - 11½	20 18 9
Hake - - - - -	12,921	9,975	1.65	- 15 5½	15 8 9
Herrings - - - - -	265,750	75,098	0.60	- 5 7½	5 12 11
Ling - - - - -	9,802	4,924	1.08	- 10 -½	10 - 10
Mackerel - - - - -	310,156	105,994	0.73	- 6 10	6 16 8
Sprats - - - - -	6,733	1,078	0.34	- 3 2½	3 4 2
Whiting - - - - -	14,005	9,488	1.45	- 13 6½	13 10 10
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish - - - - -	50,023	37,476	1.60	- 14 11½	14 19 7
TOTAL - - -	705,746	284,735	0.86	- 8 -½	8 1 3
	<i>No.</i>		Per Dozen.	Per Hundred.	Per Thousand.
			<i>s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>	<i>£. s. d.</i>
Shell Fish :					
Crabs - - - - -	203,361	955	1 1½	- 9 4½	4 13 11½
Lobsters - - - - -	244,854	7,351	7 2½	3 - -½	30 - 5
Oysters - - - - -	137,367	385	- 8	- 5 7½	2 16 -½
	<i>Cwts.</i>		Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
Other Shell Fish - - - - -	28,325	4,820	- 0.36	- 3 4½	3 7 11
TOTAL - - -	—	13,511	—	—	—
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed -	—	298,246	—	—	—

VII.—SUMMARY of STATEMENTS I, V., and VI., showing the Total QUANTITY and VALUE of the FISH returned as Landed on the Coasts of the *United Kingdom* during the Year 1901, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, distinguishing the different Kinds of FISH so far as the same can be classified.

	ENGLAND AND WALES.	SCOTLAND.†	IRELAND.‡	TOTAL, UNITED KINGDOM.‡							
QUANTITY.											
Soles	Cwts. 70,385	Cwts.	Cwts. 3,205	Cwts. 73,590							
Turbot	52,801	5,591	1,237	59,629							
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished	30,982 +	386 †	-	37,368							
TOTAL Prime Fish	156,168	5,977	4,432	176,577							
Cod	572,414	445,673	22,241	1,040,328							
Haddock	2,353,408	830,768	9,583	3,193,819							
Herrings	2,452,348	4,388,743	266,750	7,057,341							
Ling	98,192	167,164	8,802	265,158							
Mackerel	367,659	6,435	315,166	684,259							
Sprats	41,186	14,904	6,733	62,823							
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish	2,506,890	585,429	76,049	3,258,268							
TOTAL	8,647,805	6,385,093	705,746	15,738,644							
Shell Fish : Crabs	No. 5,325,974	No. 3,155,758	No. 203,361	No. 8,685,093							
Lobsters	650,491	790,310	244,854	1,685,655							
Oysters	37,301,000	620,533	137,367	38,058,900							
Other Shell Fish	Cwts. 401,387	Cwts. 166,424	Cwts. 28,825	Cwts. 596,136							
VALUE.											
Soles	£. 560,859	£.	£. 11,001	£. 571,860							
Turbot	228,995	20,133	3,922	253,050							
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished	112,751 +	1,452 †	-	114,203							
TOTAL Prime Fish	902,605	21,585	14,923	939,113							
Cod	437,940	212,864	15,748	666,552							
Haddock	1,080,723	527,441	10,031	1,618,195							
Herrings	892,637	1,061,046	75,098	2,028,781							
Ling	64,322	48,539	4,924	117,785							
Mackerel	203,008	1,452	105,994	310,454							
Sprats	11,472	4,488	1,078	17,038							
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish	2,251,816	357,881	56,989	2,666,636							
TOTAL	6,523,523	2,238,206	284,735	8,046,464							
Shell Fish : Crabs	£. 58,743	£. 13,006	£. 955	£. 72,704							
Lobsters	28,735	36,021	7,351	72,107							
Oysters	121,135	2,452	385	124,972							
Other Shell Fish	116,006	23,294	4,820	144,120							
TOTAL	324,619	51,005	13,511	398,135							
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed	6,848,142	2,310,361	298,246	9,456,749							
AVERAGE PRICE.											
Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.	Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.	Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.	Per Lb.	Per Cwt.	Per Ton.
d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.	d.	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
Soles	15-73	7 6 10½	140 17 1	-	-	7-15	3 6 9½	60 15 6	15-88	7 8 6½	143 10 10
Turbot	9-29	4 6 8½	86 14 7	7-72	3 12 -½	72 - 5	6-79	3 3 5	63 8 4	9-69	4 4 10½
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished	8-54	*3 1 -	*61 - -	8-00	†3 15 2½	†75 4 7	-	-	-	6-55	3 1 1½
TOTAL Prime Fish	11-64	5 8 7½	108 12 11	7-74	3 12 2½	72 4 7	7-06	3 5 10½	65 17 1	11-39	5 6 3½
Cod	1-04	- 15 3½	15 5 10	1-02	- 9 6½	9 11 3	1-52	- 14 2	14 3 4	1-37	- 12 9½
Haddock	1-55	- 14 5½	14 8 9	1-36	- 12 8½	12 13 9	2-24	1 - 11½	20 18 9	1-50	- 14 -
Herrings	0-78	- 7 3½	7 5 5	0-52	- 4 10½	4 17 11	0-60	- 5 7½	5 12 11	0-62	- 5 9
Ling	1-40	- 13 1½	13 2 1	0-66	- 6 2	6 3 4	1-08	- 10 -½	10 - 10	0-95	- 8 10½
Mackerel	1-53	- 14 3½	14 6 3	1-48	- 13 10	13 16 8	0-78	- 6 10	6 16 8	1-17	- 10 11
Sprats	0-60	- 5 0½	5 11 3	0-65	- 6 -½	6 - 5	0-84	- 3 2½	3 4 2	0-58	- 5 5
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish	1-80	- 17 4½	17 7 1	1-31	- 12 2½	12 4 7	1-58	- 14 9½	14 15 10	1-75	- 16 4½
TOTAL	1-02	- 15 1	15 1 8	0-75	- 7 -½	7 - 5	0-86	- 8 -½	8 1 3	1-23	- 11 6
Shell Fish : Crabs	Per Dozen. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Thousand. £. s. d.	Per Dozen. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Thousand. £. s. d.	Per Dozen. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Thousand. £. s. d.	Per Dozen. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.
Lobsters	2 7½	1 2 -½	11 - 7½	1 5	- 11 10½	5 18 6½	1 1½	- 9 4½	4 18 11½	2 2	- 18 -½
Oysters	10 7½	4 8 4½	44 8 6½	11 1½	4 12 8	46 6 8	7 2½	3 - ½	30 - 5	10 4½	4 6 3½
Other Shell Fish	- 9½	- 0 0	3 5 -	- 11½	- 7 10½	3 18 11½	- 8	- 5 7½	2 16 -½	- 9½	- 6 6½
Other Shell Fish	Per Lb. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Ton. £. s. d.	Per Lb. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Ton. £. s. d.	Per Lb. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Ton. £. s. d.	Per Lb. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.
Other Shell Fish	0-62	- 5 0½	5 15 5	0-30	- 2 9½	2 15 10	0-36	- 3 4½	3 7 11	0-52	- 4 10

* Includes Brill.

† All Sparling.

‡ Provisional figures, and subject to rectification.

PART II.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF FISH LANDED FOR A SERIES OF YEARS. *

UNITED
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VIII.—STATEMENT showing the QUANTITY and VALUE of FISH (exclusive of Shell Fish), and the TOTAL VALUE of FISH, including SHELL FISH, returned as Landed on the Coasts of the *United Kingdom*, distinguishing *England and Wales*, *Scotland*, and *Ireland*, during each of the undermentioned Years, so far as the Particulars can be given.

YEARS.	QUANTITY (excluding SHELL FISH).			
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	TOTAL, United Kingdom.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>
1891	5,966,076	5,434,206	621,394	12,021,676
1892	6,485,699	5,436,188	606,426	12,528,263
1893	6,578,634	6,208,018	789,965	13,567,617
1894	7,023,963	6,188,775	835,919	14,048,657
1895	7,263,595	6,107,041	698,005	14,068,641
1896	7,550,678	6,146,739	1,013,692	14,711,109
1897	7,946,108	5,001,672	950,198	13,897,978
1898	8,088,123	6,557,768	1,190,623	15,836,514
1899	8,604,807	5,145,076	1,209,729	14,959,612
1900	8,600,061	5,369,265	701,744	14,671,070
1901	8,647,805	6,385,093†	705,746†	15,738,644†

	VALUE (excluding SHELL FISH).			
	£.	£.	£.	£.
1891	4,491,018	1,762,494	301,885	6,555,397
1892	4,628,705	1,595,555	270,662	6,494,922
1893	4,827,300	1,624,896	290,518	6,742,714
1894	4,981,960	1,565,821	267,894	6,815,675
1895	5,129,089	1,763,991	274,945	7,168,025
1896	5,166,780	1,571,803	319,207	7,057,790
1897	5,568,978	1,627,754	317,017	7,513,749
1898	5,761,605	1,879,866	343,036	7,984,507
1899	6,342,022	2,189,933	404,142	8,936,097
1900	6,610,268	2,325,994	306,229	9,242,491
1901	6,523,523	2,238,296†	284,735†	9,046,554†

	TOTAL VALUE (including SHELL FISH).			
	£.	£.	£.	£.
1891	4,847,533	1,838,659	314,954	7,001,146
1892	4,965,333	1,676,043	286,398	6,927,774
1893	5,148,113	1,700,250	316,508†	7,164,871
1894	5,267,195	1,635,709	333,403†	7,236,307
1895	5,415,548	1,830,424	331,755†	7,577,727
1896	5,488,268	1,649,457	368,805†	7,506,630
1897	5,884,079	1,710,157	378,385†	7,972,621
1898	6,110,621	1,956,996	392,587†	8,460,204
1899	6,702,038	2,270,484	460,368†	9,432,890
1900	6,945,150	2,401,900	367,655†	9,714,705
1901	6,848,192	2,319,361†	298,246†	9,465,799†

† Provisional figures, and subject to rectification.

‡ Including 41,083*l.* added for Shell Fish in 1893, 52,728*l.* in 1894, 44,079*l.* in 1895, 35,788*l.* in 1896, 48,858*l.* in 1897, 36,796*l.* in 1898, 39,205*l.* in 1899, and 45,149*l.* in 1900, according to additional information received from other sources than the returns made by the Collectors of Statistics. See Reports on the Sea and Inland Fisheries of Ireland.

ENGLAND
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WALES.

IX.—STATEMENT showing the QUANTITY and VALUE of FISH (exclusive of SHELL FISH), and the Total VALUE of FISH, including SHELL FISH, returned as Landed on the *English and Welsh* Coasts in each of the Years 1899, 1900, and 1901, distinguishing the Coasts on which Landed.

	Quantity (excluding Shell Fish).			Value (excluding Shell Fish).			Total Value (including Shell Fish).		
	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
East Coast	6,929,271	7,091,285	7,024,497	5,146,995	5,378,850	5,237,709	5,376,471	5,601,124	5,446,712
South Coast	736,559	639,348	715,250	517,280	523,917	568,199	597,615	587,356	629,235
West Coast	938,977	869,428	908,058	677,747	707,501	717,615	727,952	756,670	772,245
TOTAL	8,604,807	8,600,061	8,647,805	6,342,022	6,610,268	6,523,523	6,702,038	6,945,150	6,848,192

* The figures for England and Wales for years previous to 1901 have throughout been amended by the exclusion of a certain quantity of imported shell-fish previously included in error in the London return.

X.—STATEMENT, in Detail, showing the TOTAL QUANTITY and VALUE of FISH returned as Landed on the *English* and *Welsh* Coasts, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, in each of the Years 1899, 1900, and 1901, distinguishing the different Kinds of Fish. ENGLAND
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	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	Quantity.			Value.			Average Price.		
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	£.	£.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.
Brill - - - -	20,296	20,717	17,583	56,330	50,273	51,219	2 15 6	2 14 4	2 18 3
Soles - - - -	79,056	75,324	76,385	569,526	567,488	560,859	7 4 1	7 10 8½	7 6 10½
Turbot - - - -	65,422	60,715	52,801	259,900	252,680	228,995	3 19 5½	4 3 2½	4 6 8½
Prime Fish, not separately distinguished - }	46,679	80,205	19,379	130,005	105,098	61,532	2 15 8½	3 9 7	3 3 6
TOTAL Prime Fish -	211,453	186,961	166,148	1,015,761	981,539	902,605	4 16 1	5 5 -	5 8 7½
Cod - - - -	564,877	588,958	572,414	413,148	432,188	437,940	- 14 7½	- 14 8	- 15 3½
Haddock - - -	2,646,391	2,487,222	2,353,468	1,642,642	1,696,424	1,699,723	- 12 5	- 13 7½	- 14 5½
Hake - - - -	228,427	232,551	268,134	159,453	183,902	195,979	- 13 11½	- 15 9½	- 14 7½
Halibut - - - -	126,856	136,522	102,977	216,057	229,668	193,494	1 14 -¾	1 13 7½	1 17 7
Herrings - - -	2,239,176	2,425,247	2,452,848	798,874	934,429	892,637	- 7 1¾	- 7 8½	- 7 3½
Ling - - - -	97,640	99,767	98,192	61,422	63,955	64,322	- 12 7	- 12 9½	- 13 1¼
Mackerel - - -	449,424	321,362	367,659	263,804	252,815	263,008	- 11 9	- 15 8½	- 14 3½
Pilchards - - -	108,611	106,001	91,025	25,146	23,693	24,304	- 4 7½	- 4 5½	- 5 4
Plaice - - - -	752,438	752,504	848,188	922,595	909,328	934,474	1 4 6¼	1 4 2	1 2 -½
Sprats - - - -	45,329	73,405	41,186	9,604	18,230	11,472	- 4 2¾	- 4 11½	- 5 6½
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish - }	1,134,185	1,189,561	1,285,566	813,516	884,097	903,565	- 14 4½	- 14 10½	- 14 -¾
TOTAL - - -	8,604,807	8,600,061	8,647,805	6,342,022	6,610,268	6,523,523	- 14 9	- 15 4½	- 15 1
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>				Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.
Crabs - - - -	4,918,184	5,177,350	5,325,974	62,494	56,822	58,743	1 5 5	1 1 11½	1 2 -¾
Lobsters - - -	790,200	654,152	650,491	32,619	28,590	28,735	4 2 6½	4 7 5	4 8 4½
Oysters - - -	38,982,000	37,847,000	37,301,000	143,846	132,025	121,185	- 7 4½	- 6 11½	- 6 6
Other Shell Fish -	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>				Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.
	486,784	432,363	401,387	121,057	117,445	116,006	- 4 11½	- 5 5½	- 5 9½
TOTAL - - -	-	-	-	360,016	334,882	324,669	-	-	-
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - - - }	-	-	-	6,702,038	6,945,150	6,848,192	-	-	-

SCOTLAND. XI.—STATEMENT, in Detail, showing the Total QUANTITY and VALUE of FISH returned as Landed on the *Scottish* Coasts, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, in each of the Years 1899, 1900, and 1901, distinguishing the different Kinds of Fish.

(Note.—The figures for 1899 and 1900 are taken from the "Nineteenth Annual Report of the Fishery Board for Scotland"; whilst those for 1901 are made up from the Monthly Returns received from that Board, and are subject to rectification.)

	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	Quantity.			Value.			Average Price.		
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	£.	£.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.
Soles (Lemon Soles) -	23,030	20,622	22,461	46,969	41,688	48,131	2 - 9½	2 - 5¼	2 2 10½
Turbot - - - -	6,956	5,571	5,591	19,192	18,325	20,133	2 15 2½	3 5 9½	3 12 -¼
Cod - - - -	514,520	434,138	445,673	223,614	205,958	212,864	- 8 8½	- 9 5¾	- 9 6¾
Eel (Conger) - - -	15,439	14,713	16,196	7,826	7,765	6,662	- 10 1¾	- 10 6¾	- 8 2¾
Flounder, Plaice, and Brill	92,417	102,221	122,157	99,543	109,829	134,201	1 1 6½	1 1 5¾	1 1 11¾
Haddock - - - -	784,898	761,313	830,768	478,116	502,660	527,441	- 12 2¼	- 13 2½	- 12 8¼
Halibut - - - -	22,779	25,683	36,129	33,241	40,801	58,295	1 9 2¼	1 11 9¼	1 12 3¼
Herrings - - - -	3,207,078	3,520,216	4,338,743	1,143,296	1,243,407	1,061,046	- 7 1½	- 7 -¾	- 4 10¾
Ling - - - -	142,411	156,923	157,164	46,703	51,210	48,539	- 6 6¾	- 6 6¼	- 6 2
Mackerel - - - -	5,506	6,873	6,435	3,301	5,025	4,452	- 12 -	- 14 7½	- 13 10
Saithe (Coal Fish) - -	101,591	89,859	78,260	12,422	12,208	10,618	- 2 5½	- 2 8½	- 2 8½
Skate - - - -	83,214	72,488	81,832	20,772	20,659	20,910	- 5 -	- 5 8½	- 5 1½
Sparling - - - -	394	329	386	1,468	1,086	1,452	3 14 6¾	3 6 -¾	3 15 2¾
Sprats - - - -	8,923	7,349	14,904	1,758	1,876	4,488	- 3 11¾	- 5 1¼	- 6 -¼
Torsk (Tusk) - - -	11,016	10,021	14,619	2,164	2,295	2,916	- 3 11¾	- 4 7	- 3 11¾
Whiting - - - -	56,759	75,913	123,584	30,949	35,544	45,122	- 10 10¾	- 9 5¾	- 7 3¾
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish	68,145	65,933	90,191	18,599	25,658	31,026	- 5 5½	- 7 9½	- 6 10½
TOTAL - - -	5,145,076	5,369,265	6,385,093	2,189,933	2,325,994	2,238,296	- 8 6¼	- 8 8	- 7 -¼
Shell Fish :	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>				Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.
Crabs - - - -	3,112,507	3,128,028	3,155,758	18,761	17,780	18,698	- 12 -¾	- 11 4½	- 11 10½
LoBSTERS - - - -	728,022	680,474	790,310	34,150	32,044	36,621	4 13 9¾	4 14 2¼	4 12 8
OYSTERS - - - -	470,091	796,460	620,533	1,884	3,188	2,452	- 8 -¼	- 8 -	- 7 10¾
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>				Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.
Clams - - - -	12,125	6,372	6,491	1,485	861	802	- 2 5½	- 2 8½	- 2 5¾
Mussels - - - -	169,670	143,422	102,478	8,858	7,617	5,973	- 1 -¾	- 1 -¾	- 1 2
Other Shell Fish -	55,822	56,728	57,455	15,413	14,407	16,519	- 5 6¼	- 5 1	- 5 9
TOTAL - - -	-	-	-	80,551	75,906	81,065	-	-	-
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - - - }	-	-	-	2,270,484	2,401,900	2,319,361	-	-	-

XII.—STATEMENT, in Detail, showing the Total QUANTITY and VALUE of FISH returned as IRELAND. Landed on the *Irish* Coasts, together with the AVERAGE PRICE of the same, in each of the Years 1899, 1900, and 1901, distinguishing the different Kinds of Fish.

(Note.—The figures for 1899 and 1900 are taken from the "Report on the Sea and Inland Fisheries of Ireland for 1900"; whilst those for 1901 are made up from the Monthly Returns received from the Fisheries Branch of the Department of Agriculture for Ireland, and are subject to rectification).

	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	Quantity.			Value.			Average Price.		
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	£.	£.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.	Per Cwt. £. s. d.
Soles - - - -	3,317	3,100	3,295	12,800	12,911	11,001	3 17 2½	4 3 3½	3 6 9½
Turbot - - - -	1,486	1,465	1,237	5,380	4,690	3,922	3 12 5	3 4 -¼	3 3 5
TOTAL Prime Fish -	4,803	4,565	4,532	18,180	17,601	14,923	3 15 8½	3 17 1½	3 5 10½
Cod - - - -	33,842	33,561	22,241	17,493	19,092	15,748	- 10 4	- 11 4½	- 14 2
Haddock - - - -	16,305	12,439	9,583	14,152	11,584	10,031	- 17 4½	- 18 7½	1 - 11½
Hake - - - -	15,877	16,296	12,921	8,007	9,786	9,975	- 10 1	- 12 -	- 15 5½
Herrings - - - -	427,382	284,251	265,750	97,096	83,956	75,098	- 4 6½	- 5 11	- 5 7½
Ling - - - -	16,557	11,893	9,802	8,402	5,443	4,924	- 10 1¾	- 9 1¾	- 10 -½
Mackerel - - - -	624,999	277,729	310,156	202,085	120,112	105,994	- 6 5½	- 8 7½	- 6 10
Sprats - - - -	2,882	2,358	6,733	431	234	1,078	- 3 -	- 1 11¾	- 3 2½
Whiting - - - -	12,982	11,942	14,005	8,220	8,468	9,488	- 12 8	- 14 2½	- 13 6½
Fish not separately distinguished, except Shell Fish - - - -	54,100	46,710	50,023	30,076	29,953	37,476	- 11 1½	- 12 10	- 14 11½
TOTAL - - - -	1,209,729	701,744	705,746	404,142	306,229	284,735	- 6 8½	- 8 8¾	- 8 -¾
Shell Fish:	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>				Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.	Per Hundred. £. s. d.
Crabs - - - -	144,562	201,809	203,361	728	1,012	955	- 10 -¾	- 10 -¼	- 9 4½
Lobsters - - - -	311,490	285,821	244,854	8,919	8,318	7,351	2 17 3½	2 18 2½	3 - -½
Oysters - - - -	2,475,400	235,875	137,367	4,087	477	385	- 3 3¾	- 4 -½	- 5 7½
Other Shell Fish -	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>				Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.	Per Cwt.
	17,724	21,141	28,325	3,287	6,470	4,820	- 3 8½	- 6 1½	- 3 4¾
TOTAL - - - -	—	—	—	17,021	16,277	13,511	—	—	—
TOTAL VALUE of Fish Landed - - - -	—	—	—	421,163	322,506	298,246	—	—	—

Note.—In the "Report on the Sea and Inland Fisheries of Ireland for 1900" some particulars, other than those obtained from the Collectors, are added for Shell Fish for the years 1899 and 1900, but in order that the figures for these years may be made comparable with those for 1901, the additional information has not been included in this Table. See also note (†) to Table VIII. p. 30, in which the value of these particulars is given.

ENGLAND AND WALES. XHI.—STATEMENT showing the QUANTITY of FISH (exclusive of Shell Fish) and the Total VALUE of FISH, including Shell Fish, returned as Landed at the Principal Ports or Districts in *England and Wales*, in each of the Years from 1892 to 1901, inclusive.

PORTS, OR DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY (excluding SHELL FISH).									
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
EAST COAST:	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Berwick -	1,684	3,089	2,392	3,243	2,607	1,514	1,582	1,139	1,918	1,316
North Shields -	16,819	16,985	14,554	14,268	13,020	12,096	12,272	12,881	16,208	15,914
Hartlepool -	1,835	2,443	2,675	2,373	3,526	2,656	3,596	5,223	5,304	5,911
Scarborough -	10,174	11,689	12,719	13,700	12,120	10,653	12,218	9,355	7,448	8,922
Hull -	26,582	32,518	37,731	43,292	53,284	56,662	60,042	62,456	64,486	67,679
Grimsby -	68,882	71,505	78,596	83,449	86,380	77,696	87,707	93,453	107,478	99,466
Boston -	6,738	7,639	7,145	8,278	6,507	6,803	6,097	5,979	6,086	8,109
Yarmouth -	28,352	25,808	29,784	28,131	30,790	33,707	29,891	41,343	44,575	40,81
Lowestoft -	31,379	31,420	33,724	31,401	30,889	45,517	38,119	50,064	54,680	57,561
London † -	50,976	52,291	56,712	52,351	52,298	55,961	55,977	55,776	35,841	37,718
SOUTH COAST:										
Ramsgate -	1,872	2,021	2,419	1,929	1,950	2,25	1,634	1,411	1,628	1,778
Folkestone -	1,510	1,322	1,547	1,415	1,733	1,615	1,478	1,260	1,401	1,376
Hastings -	1,806	1,372	1,215	1,305	1,328	1,128	1,088	1,005	1,052	1,190
Brighton -	1,192	798	772	1,289	1,364	1,060	1,324	2,048	861	857
Brixham -	2,955	3,552	4,275	3,873	4,077	3,394	3,234	3,117	3,078	2,858
Plymouth -	6,762	5,119	6,517	5,916	7,443	6,254	7,115	6,949	6,704	9,065
Mevagissey -	1,557	2,373	1,742	1,400	1,708	1,996	1,667	1,615	1,904	1,543
Falmouth -	663	481	373	324	475	709	432	458	680	999
Penzance -	5,364	5,526	6,300	6,720	7,116	2,876*	1,353	2,066	513	669
Newlyn -						7,530†	4,583	10,361	6,878	8,572
WEST COAST:										
St. Ives -	5,058	4,769	3,626	3,891	3,901	6,012	4,031	4,831	4,056	2,309
Cardiff -	604	537	454	503	792	1,029	1,328	1,341	1,381	2,295
Swansea -	302	272	184	75	103	132	167	121	166	1,280
Neyland -	10,660	7,146	8,650	5,228	5,579	6,151	9,523	7,702	3,761	5,418
Milford -	7,875	7,981	5,923	7,512	9,263	10,811	13,010	14,375	15,730	16,572
Pwllheli -	564	570	535	556	611	696	714	681	615	742
Liverpool -	2,590	2,499	2,685	2,627	2,964	3,144	3,549	3,175	3,297	2,965
Fleetwood -	4,796	6,083	5,184	6,759	8,314	12,646	16,724	7,392	8,401	9,269
VALUE (including SHELL FISH).										
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
EAST COAST:										
Berwick -	31,466	29,955	29,174	35,806	41,244	30,720	27,976	28,057	39,526	32,426
North Shields -	149,230	184,516	168,954	175,657	155,247	178,715	165,444	194,346	230,211	233,493
Hartlepool -	32,409	40,939	42,609	27,906	43,117	46,028	54,097	83,463	89,432	105,554
Scarborough -	83,044	99,499	103,036	110,777	100,804	113,554	97,231	119,601	107,266	103,626
Hull -	420,361	526,897	601,526	674,913	729,242	811,514	878,181	941,712	972,901	1,035,861
Grimsby -	1,269,019	1,287,551	1,340,521	1,416,895	1,463,395	1,394,789	1,547,194	1,735,645	1,979,676	1,864,241
Boston -	77,068	93,314	90,670	89,359	74,384	84,792	87,672	97,170	101,911	125,784
Yarmouth -	253,702	230,145	265,351	247,660	211,974	247,781	198,451	368,100	373,367	328,332
Lowestoft -	496,141	532,622	535,922	542,252	485,493	572,634	558,998	638,001	746,388	739,616
London † -	640,731	725,372	715,961	681,191	664,840	785,095	775,762	854,156	641,231	547,888
Whitstable‡ -	62,837	51,277	29,026	27,081	40,981	63,916	70,982	78,807	80,638	68,147
SOUTH COAST:										
Ramsgate -	69,096	71,976	71,677	84,411	76,349	90,343	76,085	71,860	82,588	90,012
Folkestone -	27,508	26,374	30,659	29,771	30,631	33,379	32,037	27,228	28,701	27,651
Hastings -	25,363	20,925	18,937	20,944	20,880	20,454	18,987	18,469	19,478	20,509
Brighton -	18,220	17,479	18,358	27,347	30,435	22,724	27,567	29,339	21,271	21,157
Warrash (Hambly River)§ -	24,530	16,005	13,597	14,052	14,372	13,899	17,735	16,114	10,494	9,429
Brixham -	51,803	57,706	66,759	69,292	71,259	69,621	72,165	72,569	74,304	67,773
Plymouth -	126,186	106,075	90,583	86,420	91,697	88,250	92,086	91,365	95,671	110,533
Mevagissey -	11,880	13,929	12,207	10,742	11,389	12,024	7,150	10,179	12,643	16,233
Falmouth -	17,430	16,259	15,448	13,238	19,412	23,818	17,209	16,643	19,515	26,319
Penzance -	93,362	108,750	107,848	99,187	96,051	47,959*	15,810	9,909	8,521	7,900
Newlyn -						78,837†	71,448	111,561	97,091	130,119
WEST COAST:										
St. Ives -	41,518	41,512	31,512	23,876	26,491	45,082	21,622	33,103	41,228	27,866
Cardiff -	5,556	6,540	5,327	7,475	10,120	12,818	15,840	17,537	21,413	28,857
Swansea -	5,103	5,004	3,646	1,960	2,491	3,014	3,699	2,446	3,349	20,539
Neyland -	213,193	133,649	148,399	99,439	113,206	95,102	124,360	85,539	57,664	66,021
Milford -	133,264	132,521	131,701	156,903	201,954	215,276	283,893	293,250	315,866	299,288
Pwllheli -	16,935	16,794	15,407	15,993	17,401	19,941	20,444	19,183	17,183	18,051
Liverpool -	47,210	46,058	50,832	46,149	52,771	55,276	59,292	57,190	65,970	55,360
Fleetwood -	63,151	74,973	74,069	99,189	117,819	160,788	220,767	103,091	125,064	140,436

* Including Newlyn up to the 30th April 1897.

† For eight months only—included under Penzance prior to 1st May.

‡ The fish landed at Whitstable is almost exclusively shell fish.

§ The fish landed at Warrash is exclusively shell fish.

|| The particulars relate to Billingsgate only, after the commencement of September 1899.

PART III.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF FISHING BOATS REGISTERED AND EMPLOYED, AND OF THE NUMBER OF MEN AND BOYS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.

(See "Annual Statement of the Navigation and Shipping of the United Kingdom.")

XIV.—STATEMENT showing the Number and Net Registered Tonnage of FISHING BOATS of each Class, REGISTERED under Part IV. of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, on the Register on 31st December of each of the Years 1898–1900*.

	1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Number	Tonnage.	Number	Tonnage.	Number	Tonnage.
ENGLAND AND WALES.						
†First Class.—Boats of 15 Tons and upwards - - - -	3,525	155,836	3,316	141,745	3,176	134,958
Second Class.—Boats of less than 15 Tons, navigated } otherwise than by Oars only - - - -	4,061	22,485	4,000	22,067	3,959	21,875
Third Class.—Boats navigated by Oars only - - - -	57	137	55	132	55	128
TOTAL - - -	7,643	178,458	7,371	163,944	7,190	156,959
SCOTLAND.						
†First Class.—Boats of 15 Tons and upwards - - - -	3,293	80,766	3,321	84,368	3,375	89,440
Second Class.—Boats of less than 15 Tons, navigated } otherwise than by Oars only - - - -	6,254	23,989	6,380	23,986	6,237	23,300
Third Class.—Boats navigated by Oars only - - - -	938	1,571	938	1,546	949	1,542
TOTAL - - -	10,485	106,326	10,639	109,900	10,561	114,282
IRELAND.						
†First Class.—Boats of 15 Tons and upwards - - - -	392	10,953	378	10,422	364	9,950
Second Class.—Boats of less than 15 Tons, navigated } otherwise than by Oars only - - - -	3,581	11,681	3,708	12,166	3,818	12,659
Third Class.—Boats navigated by Oars only - - - -	3,901	6,030	3,833	5,822	3,714	5,607
TOTAL - - -	7,874	28,664	7,919	28,410	7,896	28,216
UNITED KINGDOM (including the ISLE OF MAN and CHANNEL ISLANDS).						
†First Class.—Boats of 15 Tons and upwards - - - -	7,453	252,891	7,236	241,406	7,124	238,947
Second Class.—Boats of less than 15 Tons, navigated } otherwise than by Oars only - - - -	14,221	59,470	14,401	59,475	14,317	59,096
Third Class.—Boats navigated by Oars only - - - -	4,899	7,744	4,829	7,506	4,721	7,281
TOTAL - - -	26,573	320,105	26,466	308,387	26,162	305,324

* Undecked boats fishing or dredging on the Coasts of England, Wales, and the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, and Man, and not going outside the distance of three miles from low-water mark along the said Coasts, or, in cases of Bays less than 10 miles wide, the line joining the headlands of such Bays, are exempted from registration. This exemption does not apply to Scotland or Ireland.

† Steam vessels of and above 15 tons gross are included in the First Class, but the Net Register Tonnage is given.

XV.—STATEMENT showing the Number of FISHING BOATS of all Classes REGISTERED under Part IV. of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, on the Register on the 31st December on each of the years 1898 to 1900, and the number of such BOATS, the Certificates of which were endorsed, known to have been Employed in Fishing in each Division of the United Kingdom and in the Isle of Man and Channel Islands.

	1898.		1899.		1900.	
	Number on Register.	Number Employed.	Number on Register.	Number Employed.	Number on Register.	Number Employed.
England and Wales - - - - -	7,643	6,670	7,371	6,728	7,190	6,484
Scotland - - - - -	10,485	9,727	10,639	9,686	10,561	9,559
Ireland - - - - -	7,874	6,860	7,919	7,022	7,896	6,837
Isle of Man and Channel Islands- - -	571	471	537	482	515	469
TOTAL - - -	26,573	23,728	26,466	23,918	26,162	23,349

XVI.—STATEMENT showing the Estimated Number of MEN and BOYS regularly Employed and occasionally Employed in fishing in each Division of the United Kingdom in each of the years 1898 to 1900.

	Regularly employed.			Occasionally employed.		
	1898.	1899.	1900.	1898.	1899.	1900.
ENGLAND AND WALES :—						
Trawling (except for Shrimps) - -	*	16,127	16,320	*	1,050	1,119
Other Fisheries- - - - -	*	16,050	15,269	*	7,245	6,875
TOTAL - - -	32,635	32,177	31,589	8,789	8,295	7,994
SCOTLAND :—						
Trawling (except for Shrimps) - -	*	2,317	1,709	*	12	25
Other Fisheries - - - - -	*	25,959	25,579	*	9,889	10,263
TOTAL - - -	27,599	28,276	27,288	10,909	9,901	10,288
IRELAND :—						
Trawling (except for Shrimps)	*	1,232	1,035	*	331	339
Other Fisheries - - - - -	*	8,101	7,642	*	18,877	18,643
TOTAL - - -	8,438	9,333	8,677	18,131	19,208	18,982
UNITED KINGDOM (including the Isle of Man and Channel Islands) :—						
Trawling (except for Shrimps) - -	*	19,094	19,382	*	1,433	1,523
Other Fisheries - - - - -	*	51,052	49,326	*	36,536	36,291
TOTAL - - -	69,748	71,046	68,708	38,765	37,969	37,814

* Not separately distinguished.

PART IV.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF THE IMPORTS, RE-EXPORTS, AND EXPORTS OF FISH, FRESH AND CURED, FOR A SERIES OF YEARS.

XVII.—STATEMENT of IMPORTS and RE-EXPORTS of FISH, Fresh and Cured, into and from the *United Kingdom*, showing the NET IMPORTS in the undermentioned Years.

UNITED
KINGDOM.

YEARS.	Q U A N T I T Y.								
	Imports.			Re-Exports.			Net Imports.		
	Fresh.	Cured or Salted.	TOTAL.	Fresh.	Cured or Salted.	TOTAL.	Fresh.	Cured or Salted.	TOTAL.
	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>	<i>Cwts.</i>
1892	1,526,229	1,024,388	2,550,617	3,029	338,644	341,673	1,523,200	685,744	2,208,944
1893	1,278,180	1,041,658	2,319,838	3,573	345,481	349,054	1,274,607	696,177	1,970,784
1894	1,525,617	1,030,360	2,555,977	1,501	312,160	313,661	1,524,116	718,200	2,242,316
1895	1,235,877	1,222,766	2,458,643	5,661	322,283	327,944	1,230,216	900,483	2,130,699
1896	1,384,996	1,236,536	2,621,532	11,061	335,076	346,137	1,373,935	901,460	2,275,395
1897	1,086,319	1,363,411	2,449,730	3,459	384,847	388,306	1,082,860	978,564	2,061,424
1898	1,540,117	1,439,996	2,980,113	3,450	389,091	392,541	1,536,667	1,050,905	2,587,572
1899	1,262,076	1,220,617	2,482,693	3,642	384,170	387,812	1,258,434	836,447	2,094,881
1900	859,327	1,366,984	2,226,311	2,784	386,523	389,307	856,543	980,461	1,837,004
1901	947,503	1,353,812	2,301,315	2,446	445,802	448,248	945,057	908,010	1,853,067
V A L U E.									
	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.	£.
1892	939,827	1,820,173	2,760,000	3,076	546,463	549,539	936,751	1,273,710	2,210,461
1893	801,434	1,881,317	2,682,751	2,247	547,009	549,256	799,187	1,334,308	2,133,495
1894	778,237	1,868,843	2,647,080	1,212	474,808	476,020	777,025	1,394,035	2,171,060
1895	689,211	2,289,260	2,978,471	2,540	522,255	524,795	686,671	1,767,005	2,453,676
1896	805,724	2,407,359	3,213,083	4,024	572,548	576,572	801,700	1,834,811	2,636,511
1897	831,149	2,590,165	3,421,314	3,278	608,678	611,956	827,871	1,981,487	2,809,358
1898	925,148	2,637,453	3,562,601	3,488	627,405	630,893	921,060	2,010,048	2,931,708
1899	845,807	2,522,235	3,368,042	3,325	668,349	671,674	842,482	1,853,886	2,696,368
1900	741,593	2,895,330	3,636,923	3,489	695,948	699,437	738,104	2,199,382	2,937,486
1901	755,405	2,863,724	3,619,129	3,766	846,764	850,530	751,639	2,016,960	2,768,599

XVIII.—STATEMENT showing the EXPORTS of FISH, Fresh and Cured (*British and Irish Produce*), from the *United Kingdom*, in each of the undermentioned Years.

EXPORTS.

YEARS.	Total Value.	Value of Herrings only.	Quantity of Herrings.
	£.	£.	<i>Barrels.</i>
1892 - - -	1,659,145	1,211,016	1,125,458
1893 - - -	1,769,420	1,304,803	1,212,126
1894 - - -	2,053,179	1,456,246	1,386,510
1895 - - -	2,282,406	1,626,889	1,425,115
1896 - - -	2,007,505	1,328,662	1,373,827
1897 - - -	2,035,814	1,362,300	1,117,961
1898 - - -	2,588,380	1,899,217	1,743,035
1899 - - -	2,938,760	2,206,125	1,404,324
1900 - - -	3,000,852	2,337,822	1,540,875
1901 - - -	3,070,869	2,376,313	1,878,950

XIX.—STATEMENT of IMPORTS, RE-EXPORTS, and EXPORTS of FISH, Fresh and Cured, into and from the *United Kingdom* in the years 1900 and 1901, distinguishing the principal Countries from which Imported and to which Exported.

(a.) Imports.

	1900.		1901.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Fish, Cured or Salted :	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.
From Norway - - - - -	245,302	315,744	261,833	381,191
„ France - - - - -	96,130	434,971	88,924	398,708
„ Portugal - - - - -	116,417	230,619	130,592	260,777
„ United States - - - - -	283,685	630,509	305,513	738,865
„ Canada - - - - -	333,761	926,151	228,967	687,579
„ Newfoundland - - - - -	106,313	148,794	145,075	180,817
„ Other Countries - - - - -	185,376	208,542	192,908	215,787
TOTAL - - - - -	1,366,984	2,895,330	1,353,812	2,863,724
Fish, Fresh (not of British taking) :				
From Norway - - - - -	344,421	222,555	489,242	283,259
„ Other Countries - - - - -	514,906	519,038*	458,261	472,146
TOTAL - - - - -	859,327	741,593*	947,503	755,405
TOTAL, Fresh and Cured - - -	2,226,311	3,636,923	2,301,315	3,619,129

* Including Oysters for breeding purposes, entered by value only.

(b.) Re-Exports (*i.e.*, Exports of Fish previously Imported).

	1900.		1901.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Exports of Foreign and Colonial Produce :	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.	<i>Cwts.</i>	£.
Fish, Fresh - - - - -	2,784	3,489	2,446	3,766
„ Cured or Salted - - - - -	386,523	695,948	445,802	846,764
TOTAL, Fresh and Cured - - -	389,307	699,437	448,248	850,530

(c.) Exports of Fish, Fresh and Cured, of *British* and *Irish* Produce.

	1900.		1901.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Fish, Fresh and Cured :				
Herrings :	<i>Barrels.*</i>	£.	<i>Barrels.*</i>	£.
To Russia - - - - -	234,693	367,505	296,263	407,819
„ Germany - - - - -	1,060,022	1,651,441	1,303,552	1,636,272
„ Other Countries - - - - -	246,160	318,876	279,135	332,222
TOTAL, Herrings - - - - -	1,540,875	2,337,822	1,878,950	2,376,313
Other Descriptions - - - - -	—	603,030	—	694,556
TOTAL, Fresh and Cured - - -	—	3,000,852	—	3,070,869

* In the Custom House Returns the barrel of herrings weighs 2 cwts.

PART V.—RETURN OF FISH CARRIED BY RAILWAY.

XX.—RETURN of the Quantity of FISH CARRIED by RAILWAY from each of the principal Ports of *England and Wales, Scotland, and Ireland*, in the Years from 1896 to 1901. From Returns made to the Board of Trade by the various Companies.

(Note.—The figures in the back years have been in some cases altered, revised, or added to by the various Railway Companies. It will be understood that the quantity of fish included in this Return is not in some cases strictly the produce of the Sea Fisheries of the United Kingdom, but may include fish brought from abroad as well as river or river-caught fish, and that the gross weight of the fish carried (including boxes, packages, and ice) is in all cases given, as well as regards wet fish as shell-fish.)

ENGLAND AND WALES.

Ports from which Despatched.		Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
			1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Ports served by More than one Railway Company:			Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Barnstaple	- - -	Great Western - - - -	4	8	8	—	—	—
"	- - -	London and South Western -	15	5	7	3	3	5
Berwick	- - -	North British* - - - -	649	809	626	545	1,071	533
"	- - -	North Eastern - - - -	870	675	640	592	844	818
Cromer	- - -	Great Eastern - - - -	145	92	106	100	123	135
"	- - -	Midland and Great Northern Railways Joint Committee.	178	90	113	66	38	44
Gravesend	- - -	London, Tilbury and Southend.	3	—	20	21	10	16
"	- - -	South Eastern and Chatham -	95	92	64	86	92	60
Hastings	- - -	London, Brighton, and South Coast.	805	620	766	710	608	613
"	- - -	South Eastern and Chatham -	203	333	285	296	262	253
Hull	- - -	Great Central - - - -	2,654	2,390	3,087	2,791	2,490	3,600
"	- - -	Hull, Barnsley, and West Riding Junction and Docks.	20,249	21,525	25,471	25,315	20,419	22,824
"	- - -	North Eastern - - - -	41,661	39,744	45,118	44,332	40,371	41,416
Liverpool	- - -	Cheshire Lines Committee -	3,292	2,635	3,402	3,265	2,816	3,060
"	- - -	Great Western - - - -	51	50	41	41	36	28
"	- - -	Lancashire and Yorkshire -	656	480	407	443	404	370
"	- - -	London and North Western -	† 78	† 62	† 34	† 72	† 60	† 54
Lynn	- - -	Great Eastern - - - -	1,482	1,531	1,706	1,446	1,218	1,519
"	- - -	Midland and Great Northern Railways Joint Committee.	† 939	† 658	† 956	† 1,226	† 1,100	† 1,024
Morecambe	- - -	London and North Western -	458	427	674	1,078	804	967
"	- - -	Midland - - - -	590	525	207	779	871	922
Parkgate	- - -	Great Western - - - -	13	5	6	8	6	22
"	- - -	London and North Western -	1,176	1,272	940	512	984	799
Plymouth	- - -	Great Western - - - -	1,975	1,726	2,740	2,759	1,808	3,288
"	- - -	London and South Western -	2,894	2,842	2,006	2,309	2,327	3,522
Portland	- - -	Great Western - - - -	16	12	11	2	5	3
"	- - -	London and South Western -	40	35	23	23	33	9
Portsmouth	- - -	London, Brighton, and South Coast.	74	71	21	104	49	55
"	- - -	London and South Western -	39	51	26	39	51	51
Swansea	- - -	Great Western - - - -	—	—	—	15	14	664
"	- - -	London and North Western -	—	—	—	—	—	51
Wadebridge	- - -	Great Western - - - -	46	46	22	11	—	4
"	- - -	London and South Western -	80	16	38	—	—	—
Weymouth	- - -	Great Western - - - -	23	32	13	7	18	7
"	- - -	London and South Western -	115	136	106	81	85	32
Whitehaven	- - -	Furness - - - -	67	24	41	43	50	40
"	- - -	London and North Western -	10	6	3	28	15	26
Yarmouth	- - -	Great Eastern - - - -	19,433	19,490	17,192	16,738	18,094	18,001
"	- - -	Midland and Great Northern Railways Joint Committee.	7,303	6,319	7,167	6,802	7,616	7,933

* See also under Scotland.

† Exclusive of fish received from the Liverpool market, and also Irish fish.

‡ Including fish carried from Lynn by the Great Northern Railway.

ENGLAND AND WALES—continued.

Ports from which Despatched.	Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
		1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Other Ports:		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Bowness - - - -	Caledonian* - - -	—	—	33	35	13	14
Aberdovey - - -	Cambrian - - - -	27	63	47	11	8	13
Aberystwith - -	- ditto - - - -	27	52	49	61	15	15
Barmouth - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	64	56	10
Pwllheli - - - -	- ditto - - - -	299	367	208	70	77	190
Portmadoc - - -	Festiniog - - - -	49	113	126	135	122	99
Arnsdale - - - -	Furness - - - -	2	1	—	1	1	2
Askam - - - -	- ditto - - - -	96	106	111	54	52	39
Barrow - - - -	- ditto - - - -	16	26	6	4	5	9
Carlisle - - - -	- ditto - - - -	954	2,017	1,818	1,269	1,090	1,140
Dalton - - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	1	1	1
Grange - - - -	- ditto - - - -	2	—	2	—	1	1
Kent's Bank - - -	- ditto - - - -	86	170	155	111	38	42
Millom - - - -	- ditto - - - -	13	19	11	30	36	11
Piel - - - -	- ditto - - - -	64	134	39	58	80	100
Ravenglass - - -	- ditto - - - -	74	225	146	151	159	71
Roose - - - -	- ditto - - - -	1	13	6	1	2	—
Silverdale - - -	- ditto - - - -	2	1	2	14	44	41
Ulverston - - - -	- ditto - - - -	158	528	660	1,039	773	558
Grimsby - - - -	Great Central† - - -	92,638	89,006	94,643	103,783	119,207	114,216
Aldeburgh - - -	Great Eastern - - -	314	274	156	112	239	199
Blythburgh - - -	- ditto - - - -	10	4	2	—	—	—
Brightlingsea - -	- ditto - - - -	2,403	2,125	1,789	1,466	1,636	1,276
Barnham-on-Croneh	- ditto - - - -	193	132	129	119	119	111
Harwich - - - -	- ditto - - - -	1,103	693	753	548	522	542
Lowestoft - - - -	- ditto - - - -	26,972	36,196	30,042	31,249	37,282	37,974
Southwold - - -	- ditto - - - -	325	272	345	204	256	217
Wells - - - -	- ditto - - - -	502	504	588	719	583	561
Wivenhoe - - - -	- ditto - - - -	133	88	97	58	123	70
Boston - - - -	Great Northern‡ - - -	9,834	10,198	9,596	9,802	9,358	11,046
Abbotsbury - - -	Great Western - - -	47	43	54	27	39	2
Birkenhead - - -	- ditto - - - -	9	—	—	—	—	—
Bridgewater - - -	- ditto - - - -	4	2	—	—	—	—
Bridport - - - -	- ditto - - - -	14	40	39	20	16	3
West Bay - - - -	- ditto - - - -	5	75	24	64	101	—
Brixham - - - -	- ditto - - - -	3,181	3,381	3,382	3,515	3,559	2,831
Cardiff - - - -	- ditto - - - -	571	671	987	934	873	1,637
Cardigan - - - -	- ditto - - - -	17	14	9	14	11	11
Carmarthen - - -	- ditto - - - -	2	1	2	1	1	2
Chepstow - - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	15
Churston - - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	—	2	—
Dartmouth - - -	- ditto - - - -	22	18	26	26	12	18
Dawlish - - - -	- ditto - - - -	8	22	50	57	58	1
Dorchester - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	7	—	—	—
Exeter - - - -	- ditto - - - -	22	28	33	43	—	—
Falmouth - - - -	- ditto - - - -	495	740	466	616	538	886
Ferryside - - - -	- ditto - - - -	590	707	720	1,244	2,049	1,470
Fowey - - - -	- ditto - - - -	17	20	13	15	8	5
Goodwick - - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	1	1	2
Gowerton - - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	8	5	10
Grammond Road - -	- ditto - - - -	21	12	15	22	7	8
Helston - - - -	- ditto - - - -	26	8	45	78	16	29
Kidwelly - - - -	- ditto - - - -	85	105	87	90	159	249
Kingsbridge - - -	- ditto - - - -	133	131	164	153	113	105
Kingswear - - - -	- ditto - - - -	48	53	45	38	34	25
Liskeard - - - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	—	1	4
Llanelly - - - -	- ditto - - - -	19	85	168	114	110	33
Marazion - - - -	- ditto - - - -	70	27	34	73	39	28
Menheniot - - - -	- ditto - - - -	198	206	238	326	287	192
Minchaul - - - -	- ditto - - - -	1	8	2	1	1	1
Nancegollan - - -	- ditto - - - -	733	389	495	511	355	434
Newcastle Emlyn - -	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	1	—	—
New Milford - - -	- ditto - - - -	5,827	6,708	9,776	9,867	4,805	6,387
Newquay (Cornwall)	- ditto - - - -	146	130	148	175	67	15
Old Milford - - -	- ditto - - - -	15,057	17,312	17,828	18,631	21,942	22,661
Paignton - - - -	- ditto - - - -	7	2	1	3	—	3
Par - - - -	- ditto - - - -	1	4	2	5	3	1
Pembrey and Burry Port	- ditto - - - -	—	—	—	36	26	40
Penzance - - - -	- ditto - - - -	7,056	6,099	3,887	7,206	6,491	9,033
Pilning - - - -	- ditto - - - -	3	2	1	3	—	2
St. Austell - - -	- ditto - - - -	402	358	247	418	330	408

* See also under Scotland.

† The figures given here for Grimsby include also fish carried from that port by the Great Northern Railway from 15th March 1899 the bulk of the fish from Grimsby was diverted to the Great Central Company's route.

‡ In addition the Great Northern Railway Company carry fish from ports in Scotland and on the north-east coast of England; the total approximate quantity of fish carried over the Great Northern Railway in the year 1899 being about 66,032 tons; in 1900, 65,735 tons; and in 1901, 70,578 tons.

ENGLAND AND WALES—continued.

Ports from which Despatched.	Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
		1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Other Ports—continued.		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
St. Clears	Great Western—continued	—	—	—	—	195	158
St. Germans	ditto	7	2	3	2	1	1
St. Ives	ditto	4,982	4,813	3,368	5,348	3,739	3,141
Saltash	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1
Stareross	ditto	—	—	3	31	68	21
Steer Point	ditto	—	—	—	25	—	24
Teignmouth	ditto	56	114	218	836	1,108	666
Tenby	ditto	403	270	224	190	182	143
Torquay	ditto	325	520	540	143	129	95
Totnes	ditto	—	—	—	—	1	5
Truro	ditto	30	159	120	142	103	84
Watchet	ditto	5	6	3	1	2	4
Weston-super-Mare	ditto	5	10	1	—	13	23
Banks	Lancashire and Yorkshire	—	—	79	110	14	51
Churchtown	ditto	—	—	8	7	3	2
Formby	ditto	174	13	—	—	80	108
Southport	ditto	28	117	98	63	14	17
Wyre Dock	ditto	1,014	753	1,891	3,365	5,463	6,061
Ansdel	Lancashire and Yorkshire and London and North Western (Joint)	1	2	2	4	2	4
Blackpool	ditto	9	7	8	12	—	—
Fleetwood	ditto	13,318	14,887	20,376	4,610	6,188	8,923
Lytham	ditto	193	212	588	670	152	289
St. Annes	ditto	23	22	40	25	16	31
Bexhill	London, Brighton, and South Coast.	4	3	2	1	—	4
Bognor	ditto	4	5	4	2	3	2
Bosham	ditto	39	32	51	21	39	23
Brighton	ditto	270	272	276	420	404	386
Eastbourne	ditto	130	55	75	56	66	40
Emsworth	ditto	710	792	842	816	812	460
Hayling Island	ditto	50	24	34	25	64	63
Littlehampton	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	6
Newhaven	ditto	102	117	103	177	429	494
Pevensey	ditto	49	24	24	11	2	3
Shoreham	ditto	14	10	38	88	46	28
Worthing	ditto	22	28	10	27	23	42
Aber	London and North Western	119	86	115	236	307	233
Anlwhch	ditto	1	5	11	21	24	13
Bagillt	ditto	118	37	85	37	2	—
Bangor	ditto	40	45	73	87	74	71
Bolton-le-Sands	ditto	—	—	—	156	1	1
Carnarvon	ditto	30	17	25	18	26	4
Colwyn Bay	ditto	3	—	6	2	—	—
Conna's Quay	ditto	93	48	115	31	28	30
Conway	ditto	480	540	636	585	738	787
Flint	ditto	—	—	—	1	2	3
Glasson Dock	ditto	225	199	385	298	370	375
Hest Bank	ditto	38	59	91	87	85	130
Heswall	ditto	164	95	164	72	214	73
Holyhead (Irish Fish)	ditto	6,677	6,507	7,289	7,524	8,815	7,882
Holyhead (Local Fish)	ditto	59	39	72	84	78	83
Holywell	ditto	—	—	14	4	35	11
Lancaster	ditto	—	—	—	—	1	—
Llandudno	ditto	21	7	4	19	8	4
Llanmorlais	ditto	39	27	47	33	44	40
Menai Bridge	ditto	11	6	—	1	6	7
Mumbles Road	ditto	90	56	57	112	76	154
Penclawdd	ditto	56	36	56	90	187	138
Queensferry	ditto	3	—	—	—	1	—
Rhyl	ditto	—	—	26	—	7	—
Ty Croes	ditto	4	6	3	5	1	—
West Kirby	ditto	53	83	4	6	25	10
Workington	ditto	1	—	—	—	—	—
Axminster	London and South Western	—	—	—	—	4	—
Bideford	ditto	127	146	145	90	84	57
Budleigh Salterton	ditto	—	12	19	6	10	22
Christchurch	ditto	19	16	12	20	12	11
Delabole	ditto	—	—	—	—	16	5
Exmouth	ditto	291	447	88	22	112	55
Fareham	ditto	37	33	31	39	8	5
Hamworthy	ditto	2	—	—	—	—	—
Instow	ditto	118	36	39	16	13	21
Lynpstone	ditto	1,152	730	775	1,380	1,180	604
Netley	ditto	108	92	80	57	28	31
Padstow	ditto	—	—	—	231	31	49
Poole	ditto	118	367	392	193	427	48
Port Isaac Road	ditto	434	781	719	1,093	689	347
Seaton	ditto	40	30	39	35	57	97
Sidmouth	ditto	80	88	31	29	28	37
Southampton	ditto	117	35	38	35	63	—
Swanage	ditto	30	3	1	1	5	3
Swanwick	ditto	119	100	141	103	52	37
Topsham	ditto	3	1	8	11	8	5

ENGLAND AND WALES.—*continued.*

Ports from which Despatched.	Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
		1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Other Ports—continued.		<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
Benfleet - - - -	London, Tilbury and Southend	8	4	4	2	16	17
Leigh - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1,940	1,368	1,372	1,160	1,480	2,135
Southend - - - -	ditto - - - - -	217	346	215	303	189	212
Tilbury - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	2	1	1	9	12	66
Holt - - - - -	Midland and Great Northern Railways Joint Committee	98	48	47	26	95	18
Mundesley - - - -	ditto - - - - -	—	—	2	53	34	1
Paston and Knapton (for Bacton) - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	69
Sheringham - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1,226	1,074	1,378	1,089	825	943
Stalham (for Palling) - -	ditto - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	15
Sutton Bridge - - - -	ditto - - - - -	—	—	—	—	—	1
Port Carlisle - - - -	North British* - - - -	7	4	5	2	2	1
Silloth - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	16	11	5	5	7	5
Acklington and Amble - -	North Eastern - - - -	160	119	140	84	73	45
Alnmouth - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	41	22	16	14	9	17
Beal - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	297	212	366	139	234	214
Blyth - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	2	4	4	5	28	9
Bridlington - - - -	ditto - - - - -	260	184	131	248	258	228
Chathill - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	657	657	457	148	146	162
Christon Bank - - - -	ditto - - - - -	60	71	76	34	31	42
Cullercoats - - - -	ditto - - - - -	5	2	—	1	3	3
Filey - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	259	197	242	237	270	276
Flamborough - - - -	ditto - - - - -	597	465	560	589	536	572
Hartlepool, East and West - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1,769	1,542	2,354	2,173	2,284	2,417
Hornsea - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	48	19	34	54	61	42
Little Mill - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	382	309	336	227	299	409
Loftus - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1	—	—	—	—	—
Longhoughton - - - -	ditto - - - - -	81	63	80	80	79	90
Middlesbrough - - - -	ditto - - - - -	13	13	13	18	15	23
Newbiggin-by-the-Sea - -	ditto - - - - -	542	341	294	178	121	114
Newcastle - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	626	501	429	293	512	975
Pattrington - - - -	ditto - - - - -	17	10	14	28	48	35
Percy Main - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	5	—	69	77	—	—
Redcar - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	34	24	18	40	42	17
Robin Hood's Bay - - -	ditto - - - - -	25	32	27	26	28	35
Saltburn - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1	1	1	1	1	2
Scarborough - - - -	ditto - - - - -	11,971	9,441	11,684	8,248	6,082	8,309
Seahouses - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	—	—	388	582	760	845
Shields, North and South	ditto - - - - -	293	275	294	275	337	313
Staithes - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	752	500	521	429	528	393
Stockton - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	18	23	20	24	38	33
Sunderland - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	80	18	20	22	81	66
Thornaby - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	7	7	3	2	3	1
Tweedmouth - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	9	9	19	8	2	6
Tynemouth - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	12,435	9,155	9,473	9,194	10,635	11,735
Warkworth - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	3	4	6	16	7	5
Whitby - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1,365	822	991	605	749	929
Widdrington - - - -	ditto - - - - -	82	61	63	68	43	69
Withernsea - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	50	24	55	36	27	25
Birchington-on-Sea - - -	South Eastern and Chatham	1	1	—	1	1	—
Broadstairs - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1	1	—	1	1	—
Chatham - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	—	3	—	—	—	—
Deal - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	59	167	59	127	83	60
Dover - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	176	101	80	37	40	31
Faversham - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	125	28	47	77	67	73
Folkestone - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1,193	629	732	563	656	629
Herne Bay - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	5	1	2	—	—	—
Hythe - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1	2	5	7	2	4
Lydd - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	417	255	344	291	284	524
Margate - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	159	158	43	44	97	34
New Romney - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	2	14	5	20	23	38
Port Victoria - - - -	ditto - - - - -	7	50	87	152	148	210
Queenborough - - - -	ditto - - - - -	89	73	—	271	233	128
Ramsgate - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	2,495	2,809	2,170	1,500	2,033	1,992
Rochester Bridge - - -	ditto - - - - -	—	1	—	—	3	—
Rye - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	453	127	188	211	194	253
Sandgate - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	6	12	—	—	—	—
Sheerness - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	6	15	12	—	3	—
Sittingbourne - - - -	ditto - - - - -	244	234	345	407	206	206
Strood - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	8	40	11	7	1	4
Whitstable - - - - -	ditto - - - - -	1,704	1,539	2,588	2,859	2,494	2,016
TOTAL - - - - -		356,214	353,889	374,457	371,718	385,694	398,424

* See also under Scotland.

SCOTLAND.

Ports from which Despatched.	Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
		1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Ports served by More than One Railway Company:		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Aberdeen	Caledonian	18,062	19,614	21,855	22,668	25,783	31,865
"	Great North of Scotland	—	—	—	—	—	231
"	North British	10,851	12,259	13,753	14,150	17,590	23,309
Alloa	Caledonian	13	12	10	—	—	1
" North	Caledonian	22	28	30	43	36	44
Arbroath	Caledonian	323	299	177	129	89	57
"	North British	343	276	272	137	155	169
Ardrossan	Caledonian	4	56	—	22	60	53
"	Glasgow and South Western	333	676	307	393	365	1,003
Buckie	Great North of Scotland	2,097	2,191	2,066	1,876	1,650	1,395
"	Highland	172	139	60	39	10	47
Dundee	North British	107	616	275	524	826	577
" West	Caledonian	162	339	237	306	725	477
Glasgow	Caledonian	1,801	2,823	2,481	2,669	3,222	3,152
"	Glasgow and South Western	1,433	1,475	1,181	1,182	882	1,225
"	North British	5,459	5,626	5,732	3,337	2,741	2,469
Gourdon	Caledonian	—	392	845	—	—	—
"	North British	3,043	1,868	587	726	831	825
Greenock	Caledonian	81	213	227	223	238	100
"	Glasgow and South Western	139	502	267	428	381	158
Johnshaven	Caledonian	—	28	139	—	—	—
"	North British	530	465	201	201	180	187
Leith	Caledonian	2,152	1,798	1,728	1,829	1,779	1,890
"	North British	1,326	1,237	1,004	989	941	1,246
Montrose	Caledonian	893	902	702	433	364	340
"	North British	1,033	628	412	412	395	313
Perth	Caledonian	7	3	2	3	2	36
"	North British	13	9	9	9	12	30
Portree	Highland	418	208	237	—	379	430
"	North British	—	—	—	—	—	94
Rothsay	Caledonian	—	33	39	67	51	46
"	North British	—	—	—	—	—	17
Saltcoats	Caledonian	4	32	3	1	20	2
"	Glasgow and South Western	145	447	351	431	397	269
Stonehaven	Caledonian	1,067	923	630	758	504	405
"	North British	1,202	1,079	603	375	332	385
Other Ports:							
Annan	Caledonian*	149	100	57	49	53	50
Creetown	ditto	292	289	727	400	161	128
Dunfries	ditto	—	—	27	—	59	—
Dunragit	ditto	2	12	25	23	16	16
Edinburgh	ditto	2,223	1,633	2,477	3,862	2,852	5,170
Garliestown	ditto	22	12	18	15	7	6
Glenearse	ditto	10	—	—	—	—	—
Glenluce	ditto	66	64	107	49	46	32
Gourock	ditto	235	409	2,766	2,124	1,844	793
Kinfauns	ditto	57	43	23	—	1	—
Newtonhill	ditto	112	127	44	32	51	34
Oban	ditto	3,721	2,245	1,580	2,820	4,099	3,095
Port Glasgow	ditto	—	—	1,252	1,422	1,168	405
Portlethan	ditto	38	38	24	29	27	23
Portpatrick	ditto	42	66	32	46	82	37
Stanley	ditto	18	18	10	11	15	18
Stirling	ditto	38	37	17	20	26	25
Stranraer	ditto	135	179	213	172	118	92
Wemyss Bay	ditto	3	8	20	10	17	25
Wigtown	ditto	—	1	—	1	—	—
Ayr	Glasgow and South Western	61	70	73	72	90	121
Fairlie	ditto ditto	1,914	1,842	900	2,029	3,630	3,280
Girvan	ditto ditto	417	391	465	602	1,153	1,951
Banff	Great North of Scotland	201	266	248	152	71	48
Boddam	ditto ditto	—	3	228	305	159	86
Buckpool	ditto ditto	41	56	32	30	19	16
Cruden Bay	ditto ditto	—	95	263	160	115	68
Cullen	ditto ditto	279	300	207	131	48	62
Ellon	ditto ditto	246	122	14	—	—	—
Findochty	ditto ditto	263	262	286	305	220	128
Fochabers	ditto ditto	1	—	—	—	—	—
Fraserburgh	ditto ditto	4,361	4,288	3,898	2,973	3,363	3,412
Glassaugh	ditto ditto	68	55	58	61	35	19
Lady'sbridge	ditto ditto	598	618	127	327	185	117
Lonmay	ditto ditto	15	14	11	21	23	21
Lossiemouth	ditto ditto	1,545	628	448	357	398	248
Macduff	ditto ditto	1,413	1,313	684	722	496	446
Peterhead	ditto ditto	5,780	4,476	3,251	2,513	2,987	3,565
Portgordon	ditto ditto	22	25	8	14	9	—
Portknockie	ditto ditto	290	283	151	350	113	86
Portsoy	ditto ditto	356	189	114	123	103	44
Rathen	ditto ditto	172	135	72	63	64	54

* See also under England and Wales.

SCOTLAND—continued.

Ports from which Despatched.	Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
		1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Other Ports—continued.		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Achnasheen	Highland	5	4	—	—	—	8
Alness	ditto	—	—	—	9	8	10
Avoch	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	83
Beaully	ditto	—	—	1	1	3	5
Bonar Bridge	ditto	—	35	24	13	33	25
Brora	ditto	127	85	49	46	42	28
Burghead	ditto	491	540	240	324	417	220
Conon	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	10
Dingwall	ditto	—	15	8	21	10	1
Duirinish	ditto	—	—	23	75	17	26
Fearn	ditto	158	66	163	197	147	132
Fochabers Town	ditto	245	135	140	117	102	124
Forres	ditto	—	—	6	6	10	12
Forsinard	ditto	27	33	17	29	31	4
Fort George	ditto	28	33	18	17	21	—
Fortrose	ditto	30	23	20	19	26	25
Garve	ditto	30	14	19	18	25	12
Golspie	ditto	1	4	22	16	10	14
Helmsdale	ditto	342	492	331	224	265	272
Hopeman	ditto	1,099	1,137	333	279	401	368
Invergordon	ditto	16	44	26	28	42	41
Inverness	ditto	406	397	144	102	286	587
Kildonan	ditto	—	—	1	—	—	—
Kinbrace	ditto	21	19	—	2	—	—
Kinloss	ditto	110	65	52	50	67	79
Kyle of Lochalsh	ditto	—	—	4,540	5,257	5,976	8,455
Lairg	ditto	9	7	30	22	20	20
Loth	ditto	—	—	3	7	1	—
Muir of Ord	ditto	—	—	3	9	4	—
Nairn	ditto	110	14	12	66	83	70
Novar	ditto	—	—	—	3	3	—
Plockton	ditto	—	—	26	61	19	17
Strathcarron	ditto	9	29	30	8	28	28
Strome Ferry	ditto	3,465	3,370	372	189	52	96
Tain	ditto	5	3	1	10	2	—
The Mound	ditto	35	38	37	41	31	24
Thurso	ditto	2,476	3,681	2,201	2,200	1,174	3,416
Wick	ditto	2,422	2,924	3,407	2,517	2,265	2,390
Abernethy	North British*	14	3	6	4	4	4
Anstruther	ditto	2,871	3,237	2,489	4,788	7,866	6,924
Ayton	ditto	2	1	1	2	2	4
Bervie	ditto	134	84	70	68	99	73
Boarhills	ditto	2	2	24	2	8	2
Boness	ditto	38	18	43	5	10	25
Buckhaven	ditto	140	65	36	21	74	73
Burnmouth	ditto	840	505	356	219	356	331
Burntisland	ditto	1	1	—	—	—	4
Cockburnspath	ditto	269	211	175	184	135	158
Craigendornan	ditto	15	10	1	—	—	3
Crail	ditto	237	262	333	308	292	179
Dumbarton	ditto	17	—	—	—	—	—
Dunbar	ditto	1,813	677	696	635	901	524
Dysart	ditto	2	2	4	3	2	4
Elie	ditto	20	20	26	1	60	26
Eyemouth	ditto	6,420	5,232	4,070	4,159	4,773	2,404
Fort William	ditto	4	5	4	7	3	5
Grangemouth	ditto	99	109	120	83	11	114
Granton	ditto	7	13	14	103	23	20
Helensburgh	ditto	107	62	48	73	74	68
Innerwick	ditto	24	23	25	23	15	21
Inverkeithing	ditto	122	70	57	5	5	47
Kincardine	ditto	18	21	27	161	127	29
Kinghorn	ditto	1	1	—	1	2	2
Kingsbarns	ditto	102	85	70	70	96	43
Kirkcaldy	ditto	—	4	4	—	8	2
Largo	ditto	146	106	54	76	81	97
Lauriston	ditto	20	15	10	27	26	37
Leven	ditto	2	6	—	—	3	6
Longniddry	ditto	3	2	1	—	—	—
Lunan Bay	ditto	2	1	2	3	6	7
Mallaig	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	1,917
Musselburgh	ditto	468	410	280	186	148	143
Newburgh	ditto	300	158	143	251	209	141
North Berwick	ditto	131	71	64	27	66	86
Pittenweem	ditto	447	327	244	288	323	436
Prestonpans	ditto	14	19	17	33	40	46
Queensferry, South	ditto	111	—	—	10	—	—
Reston	ditto	203	155	189	143	130	143
St. Andrews	ditto	429	345	482	668	492	309
St. Cyrus	ditto	24	23	17	23	15	20
St. Monans	ditto	1,021	1,039	958	1,181	1,584	1,554
Stornoway	ditto	—	—	—	—	—	122
Tayport	ditto	12	8	9	190	7	143
Trinity	ditto	18	37	42	111	115	69
Other Ports	Glasgow and South Western	424	461	246	363	429	434
TOTAL		107,202	105,001	101,135	103,317	115,104	130,019

* See also under England and Wales.

IRELAND.

Ports from which Despatched.		Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
			1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Ports served by More than One Railway Company:			Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Londonderry	-	Belfast and Northern Counties.	477	536	531	569	286	230
Sligo	-	Great Northern of Ireland	16	48	32	96	52	171
"	-	Great Southern and Western.	16	24	16	12	16	86
Waterford	-	Midland Great Western	450	302	231	267	490	731
"	-	Great Southern and Western.	204	223	300	301	211	151
"	-	Waterford and Central Ireland.	376	225	946	808	209	
Other Ports:								
Ardglass	-	Belfast and County Down	305	115	210	195	466	601
Bangor	-	- ditto - ditto	26	50	64	29	24	16
Donaghadee	-	- ditto - ditto	21	14	19	19	14	12
Downpatrick	-	- ditto - ditto	2	3	2	-	-	2
Holywood	-	- ditto - ditto	7	2	-	-	1	-
Killough	-	- ditto - ditto	46	16	4	1	4	2
Newcastle (County Down)	-	- ditto - ditto	260	69	44	32	61	41
Newtownards	-	- ditto - ditto	2	1	-	-	-	1
Ballymoney (from Ballycastle).	-	Belfast and Northern Counties.	43	61	23	25	26	20
Bellarena	-	- ditto - ditto	115	91	117	106	98	57
Carrickfergus	-	- ditto - ditto	28	18	35	13	14	8
Coleraine	-	- ditto - ditto	74	68	113	67	56	60
Kilrea	-	- ditto - ditto	22	28	36	33	32	29
Larne	-	- ditto - ditto	6	8	24	40	60	54
Limavady	-	- ditto - ditto	27	21	28	-	17	25
Magheramorne	-	- ditto - ditto	-	-	-	9	4	6
Magilligan	-	- ditto - ditto	16	67	175	85	31	37
Portrush	-	- ditto - ditto	117	175	201	212	166	127
Port Stewart	-	- ditto - ditto	163	147	167	122	94	72
Baltimore	-	Cork, Bandon, and South Coast.	331	173	101	149	386	214
Bantry	-	- ditto - ditto	169	186	212	237	372	392
Kinsale	-	- ditto - ditto	1,299	1,244	975	803	671	746
Skibbereen	-	- ditto - ditto	309	309	210	125	146	94
Ardara Road	-	Donegal	-	-	-	-	1	3
Bruckless	-	- ditto	-	-	-	-	4	9
Cloghan	-	- ditto	1	1	1	1	1	-
Clady	-	- ditto	3	2	1	2	1	-
Donegal	-	- ditto	106	85	116	63	85	81
Dunkineely	-	- ditto	209	275	335	282	247	273
Fintown	-	- ditto	159	226	178	270	322	503
Glenties	-	- ditto	46	103	95	398	926	526
Inver	-	- ditto	49	49	79	138	52	124
Killybegs	-	- ditto	213	367	309	282	434	557
Mountcharles	-	- ditto	13	74	89	110	75	95
Port	-	- ditto	47	50	47	46	31	59
Arklow	-	Dublin, Wicklow, and Wexford.	45	58	35	25	10	2
Bray	-	- ditto - ditto	12	12	29	18	34	33
Dublin	-	- ditto - ditto	-	44	14	52	25	6
New Ross	-	- ditto - ditto	-	73	55	24	30	30
Wexford	-	- ditto - ditto	76	9	5	2	-	1
Wicklow	-	- ditto - ditto	4					
Carlingford	-	Dundalk, Newry, and Greenore.	8	10	-	14	2	-
Greencastle	-	- ditto - ditto	18	1	-	-	-	-
Greenore	-	- ditto - ditto	39	33	7	21	53	11
Omeath	-	- ditto - ditto	3	5	-	9	11	-
Balbriggan	-	Great Northern of Ireland	25	18	14	8	53	51
Ballyshannon	-	- ditto - ditto	66	46	32	21	35	46
Bundoran	-	- ditto - ditto	87	64	69	13	27	26
Drogheda	-	- ditto - ditto	71	24	13	17	36	57
Dundalk	-	- ditto - ditto	8	31	2	7	12	4
Howth	-	- ditto - ditto	-	-	-	-	-	30
Newry	-	- ditto - ditto	-	-	-	9	4	-
Skerries	-	- ditto - ditto	2	2	1	4	9	12
Warrenpoint	-	- ditto - ditto	86	3	26	20	63	54

IRELAND—continued.

Ports from which Despatched.	Railway Company.	Quantity of Fish Carried away.					
		1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
Other Ports—continued.		Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Ardrahan - - - -	Great Southern and Western.	—	—	139	33	23	37
Cahiriveen - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	154	106	85	113	91	73
Cappagh - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	19	12	1	5	4	7
Cappoquin - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	32	20	12	16	7	11
Carrick - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	12	13	2	2
Castle Connell - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	10	47	26	20
Cork - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	194	172	147	92	148	141
Dungarvan - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	139	153	57	57	49	99
Ennis - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	10	6	4
Fenit - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	1,155	757	1,558	1,819	1,306	1,379
Fiddown - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	6	12	25
Foynes - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	45	37	39	40	32	50
Grange - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	12	3	4
Kenmare - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	46	56	47	38	33
Killaloe - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	36	40	39	17
Killorglin - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	93	91	75	76	57	50
Kilsheelan - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	1	1	2
Limerick - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	160	195	231	235	177	385
Lismore - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	40	27	23	22	20	14
Listowel - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	3	2	4
Lixnaw - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	22	10	11
Midleton - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	8	4	2	5	4
Tralee - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	62	54	40	19	31	35
Queenstown Harbour	ditto ditto - - -	30	49	17	15	10	37
Valencia Harbour - -	ditto ditto - - -	1,111	1,505	1,881	2,959	1,637	838
Youghal - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	254	202	155	172	127	116
Buncrana - - - -	Londonderry and Lough Swilly and Letterkenny	48	39	41	38	11	15
Carndonagh - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	—	—	50
Clonmany - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	—	—	—	—	—	2
Fahan - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	4	5	5	6	23	27
Letterkenny - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	8	10	11	12	1	30
Ratnall - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	27	30	31	55	26	23
Achill - - - -	Midland Great Western -	143	71	99	281	556	341
Ballina - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	377	312	272	315	264	237
Ballynahinch - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	45	67	67	113	397	215
Ballysodare - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	20	8	10	8	122	139
Ballyvary - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	1	1	1	—	1	1
Clifden - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	398	343	845	861	1,437	1,006
Foxford - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	10	19	21	21	21	14
Galway - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	1,065	1,599	1,514	1,387	880	1,083
Killala - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	30	29	15	17	3	22
Maam Cross - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	12	45	51	37	18	20
Mallaranny - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	55	82	53	44	94	35
Newport - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	53	70	82	69	75	35
Oranmore - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	179	67	234	203	211	184
Oughterard - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	6	111	7	5	3	3
Recess - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	9	19	11	30	22	22
Westport and Quay -	ditto ditto - - -	96	95	136	70	124	201
Annascaul - - - -	Tralee and Dingle (Light)	28	47	50	8	4	2
Castlegregory - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	82	241	255	489	178	516
Castlegregory Junction	ditto ditto - - -	6	5	3	7	6	1
Dingle - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	439	1,035	1,252	1,191	879	1,048
Lispole - - - -	ditto ditto - - -	7	9	5	1	1	1
TOTAL - - -		12,959	13,772	16,017	17,445	15,815	15,272

SUMMARY.

SUMMARY STATEMENT of the Quantity of Fish carried by RAILWAY from the PORTS of the UNITED KINGDOM in each of the Years from 1896 to 1901.

	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
ENGLAND AND WALES - - -	356,214	353,889	374,457	371,718	385,694	398,424
SCOTLAND - - -	107,202	105,001	101,135	103,317	115,104	130,019
IRELAND - - -	12,959	13,772	16,017	17,445	15,815	15,272
TOTAL - - -	476,375	472,662	491,609	492,480	516,613	543,715

PART VI.—SEA FISHERIES.—FOREIGN COUNTRIES AND BRITISH COLONIES.

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XXI.—STATEMENT of the Number of VESSELS and CREWS engaged in Fishing in *Norway*, with the QUANTITIES and VALUE of the Produce in each year from 1884 to 1900.

Years.	Cod Fisheries.		Herring Fisheries (Summer).		Mackerel Fisheries.		Quantities and Value of the Produce.											
	Vessels.	Crews.	Vessels.	Crews.	Vessels.	Crews.	Cod.		Herrings; and Sprats.		Mackerel.		Coal Fish, Ling, &c. (Summer).	Lobster.		Other.	TOTAL.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Thous- ands.	1,000 Kroner.	1,000 Hectols.	1,000 Kroner.	Thous- ands.	1,000 Kroner.	1,000 Kroner.	Thous- ands.	1,000 Kroner.	1,000 Kroner.	Kr 000 oner.	£.
1884	19,063	76,742	4,879	23,324	1,028	4,006	50,436	16,536	764	4,295	5,349	735	2,809	1,100	418	503	24,388	1,355,600
1885	18,316	76,504	5,198	33,008	1,052	4,147	58,798	11,012	950	3,965	6,112	782	2,430	1,008	398	594	19,190	1,065,000
1886	19,084	78,962	12,110	46,065	1,036	3,907	63,023	12,570	1,352	5,550	6,225	765	2,465	1,134	423	498	22,276	1,238,000
1887	21,547	84,703	8,907	35,007	1,176	4,183	52,346	8,054	1,302	2,957	4,732	554	2,248	889	395	554	14,702	830,000
1888	20,004	81,394	13,107	48,201	1,091	3,991	56,034	12,911	1,233	4,630	8,038	710	2,535	855	414	637	21,352	1,214,000
1889	20,158	83,092	10,778	43,002	1,001	3,860	58,877	15,402	1,235	3,836	2,920	384	2,631	795	402	656	23,311	1,265,000
1890	21,356	80,233	5,638	29,804	880	3,335	63,303	14,075	923	4,141	3,763	512	2,443	627	366	670	22,212	1,234,000
1891	23,252	94,836	7,093	30,180	867	3,294	49,612	14,111	1,463	6,763	5,331	659	3,323	583	369	833	20,118	1,461,000
1892	24,170	101,659	7,061	28,437	825	3,117	65,086	15,272	1,951	4,973	2,639	392	3,058	549	314	735	24,794	1,377,000
1893	22,178	93,743	3,834	20,316	755	2,813	70,653	14,706	1,853	4,432	2,787	380	3,057	570	323	714	23,617	1,312,000
1894	23,749	96,385	6,881	26,769	728	2,709	70,338	15,125	523	3,176	3,907	513	2,700	640	376	950	22,900	1,272,000
1895	20,386	86,037	11,752	47,668	665	2,738	68,434	12,324	1,235	5,322	1,521	249	2,686	633	399	1,230	22,210	1,234,000
1896	22,203	93,277	4,157	17,606	613	2,344	51,765	14,333	842	2,643	1,177	194	3,334	543	393	807	21,714	1,206,000
1897	21,760	92,603	6,572	25,352	567	2,566	61,075	12,429	2,036	7,954	1,525	247	3,027	591	451	1,099	25,207	1,400,000
1898	20,934	80,292	3,908	21,203	547	2,054	41,645	8,034	1,321	5,829	2,961	336	4,177	602	430	847	20,653	1,147,000
1899	17,392	77,130	2,621	13,823	565	2,005	37,534	11,122	1,035	6,636	2,289	374	4,663	612	544	933	24,292	1,350,000
1900	19,204	82,098	4,482	20,705	594	2,741	39,497	13,570	1,257	9,034	4,010	569	4,629	704	544	1,050	29,395	1,633,000

* Boats with ordinary nets.

† Fishermen with ordinary and sweep nets.

‡ Summer and winter herring fisheries.

D E N M A R K.

XXII.—STATEMENT showing the TOTAL VALUE of the Produce of the Fisheries of *Denmark* in each year from 1893 to 1899.

	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.
	Kroner.	Kroner.	Kroner.	Kroner.	Kroner.	Kroner.	Kroner.
West Coast Fisheries	616,000	814,000	736,000	777,000	766,000	639,000	860,000
Limfjord Fisheries	1,126,000	1,309,000	1,231,000	1,111,000	1,029,000	1,032,000	1,187,000
East Coast (except Limfjord) Fisheries	3,532,000	3,898,000	3,929,000	4,724,000	4,620,000	5,449,000	5,409,000
Total	5,274,000	6,021,000	5,946,000	6,612,000	6,415,000	6,120,000	7,456,000*
	£. 293,000	334,000	330,000	367,000	1356 000	340,000	414,000

Note.—These particulars are exclusive of the value of the Flounder and Plaice caught off Iceland, and the Oyster Fisheries Limfjord, as well as fresh water fish.

Of this total Herrings amounted to 987,000 Kroner (£55,000), Cod to 1,116,000 Kroner (£62,000), Flounders to 2 523,000 Krone (£140,000), and Eels to 1,882,000 Kroner (£105,000).

PART VI.—*continued.*

HOLLAND.

XXIII.—STATEMENT of the TOTAL Number of VESSELS and CREWS engaged in Fishing in *Holland*, together with the QUANTITIES and VALUE of OYSTERS Landed, in each year from 1888 to 1900.

Years.	Total Sea Fisheries.			Quantities and Value of Oysters landed.			
	Vessels.	Tons.	Crews.	Quantities.	Value.	Of which Exported to United Kingdom.	
	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Gulden.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Gulden.</i>
1888 - - - -	3,785	} Not stated. {	13,343	36,146,000	1,446,000	13,355,000	534,000
1889 - - - -	3,987		13,653	43,072,000	1,292,000	14,194,000	497,000
1890 - - - -	4,326		15,250	51,237,000	1,793,000	20,787,000	728,000
1891 - - - -	4,427		164,357	17,985,000	1,349,000	4,126,000	309,000
1892 - - - -	4,647	167,549	16,142	12,765,000	1,085,000	3,691,000	314,000
1893 - - - -	4,902	172,603	16,700	15,794,000	1,226,000	4,943,000	384,000
1894 - - - -	5,151	176,649	17,286	18,583,000	839,000	5,331,000	241,000
1895 - - - -	5,189	179,782	17,643	21,668,000	859,000	—	—
1896 - - - -	5,211	181,955	17,895	28,108,000	789,000	—	—
1897 - - - -	5,313	184,576	18,387	40,000,000	1,055,000	—	—
1898 - - - -	5,385	186,554	18,709	—	—	—	—
1899 - - - -	5,661	191,530	19,232	—	—	—	—
1900 - - - -	5,719	195,950	19,498	—	—	—	—

PORTUGAL.

XXIV.—STATEMENT showing the VALUE of the Produce of the Sea Fisheries of *Portugal* in each year from 1896 to 1899.

Years.	Tunnies.	Sardines.	Various Kinds.		Oysters.	Mussels and Other Shell-fish.	Lobsters and Cray-fish.	Crabs.	Prawns.	Sea weeds, Tulse.	TOTAL.	
			Flat-fish.	Other Shapes.								
	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>Milreis.</i>	<i>£.</i>
1896	356,913	1,579,047	28,836	1,402,474	1,509	26,049	32,430	85,223	7,381	31,749	3,551,719	799,137
1897	335,232	1,709,468	64,832	1,343,930	48	40,109	46,981	123,710	4,023	132,070	3,505,497	850,237
1898	281,504	1,789,775	24,023	1,364,024	2	18,154	44,030	11,150	11,723	124,239	3,610,625	814,416
1899	367,934	1,803,935	68,908	1,341,233	725	16,765	35,697	80,138	10,170	130,475	3,911,040	879,284

FRANCE.

XXV.—STATEMENT of the Number of VESSELS and CREWS engaged in Fishing in *France*, with the VALUE of the Produce, in each year from 1882 to 1899.

Years.	Number of Men Employed.				Shipping.						Value of the Produce.			
	Cod Fisheries.		Home Fisheries.		Cod Fisheries.				Home Fisheries.		Cod Fisheries.		Home Fisheries.	
	New-foundland.	Iceland and Dogger Bank.	In Boats.	On Foot.	Newfoundland.		Iceland and Dogger Bank.		Home Fisheries.		New-foundland.	Iceland and Dogger Bank.	In Boats.	On Foot.
					No. of Vessels.	Tons.	No. of Vessels.	Tons.	No. of Vessels.	Tons.				
1882 -	5,980	3,006	73,403	52,054	156	23,324	211	24,346	22,468	108,117	<i>France.</i> 8,703,231	<i>France.</i> 7,409,100	<i>France.</i> 67,834,076	8,915,044
1883 -	6,000	4,148	72,107	52,904	100	23,292	236	23,739	21,806	104,294	10,141,511	7,916,398	81,569,753	7,569,260
1884 -	6,083	6,084	74,412	53,713	178	28,140	347	30,100	23,404	104,227	7,200,067	6,495,356	66,790,364	7,474,737
1885 -	6,734	5,576	73,605	57,088	174	28,281	314	27,308	23,880	104,710	9,008,008	7,331,910	69,284,680	19,847,808 *
1886 -	5,070	3,327	73,760	53,032	185	30,070	205	19,813	23,490	110,407	7,593,392	5,691,943	63,221,786	18,469,237 *
1887 -	6,024	2,619	74,100	55,343	146	25,043	140	16,141	23,901	117,408	9,427,720	4,899,676	86,205,748 *	
1888 -	6,037	3,739	73,780	53,648	166	30,001	219	19,909	25,102	143,940	8,780,085	5,350,966	85,105,954 *	
1889 -	7,587	3,236	76,815	59,329	169	31,004	103	18,128	25,003	142,297	8,471,533	5,211,249	82,052,005 *	
1890 -	7,145	3,428	78,317	57,741	153	28,769	212	18,809	24,678	148,557	7,080,296	5,246,766	94,336,884 *	
1891 -	8,538	2,975	80,985	55,822	137	23,040	163	16,747	26,568	132,319	5,570,932	6,521,375	97,593,753 *	
1892 -	3,085	3,211	83,568	57,758	143	23,005	172	18,714	26,002	129,925	5,282,052	6,130,562	102,004,035 *	
1893 -	3,706	3,305	87,864	60,357	131	19,254	180	17,456	26,417	131,471	5,512,201	7,197,149	104,008,977 *	
1894 -	4,959	4,087	84,800	61,360	135	19,620	218	20,533	27,185	134,595	5,513,752	7,472,877	104,147,015 *	
1895 -	3,870	5,448	83,098	59,311	133	18,086	335	24,305	26,738	147,239	6,977,760	7,438,526	80,523,403 †	8,599,224 †
1896 -	4,429	5,312	84,940	58,204	153	21,555	321	22,545	26,683	127,066	6,871,939	6,494,937	85,739,712 †	7,182,878 †
1897 -	4,722	5,223	84,744	53,018	158	21,644	328	21,900	26,822	129,418	8,762,774	6,260,135	86,729,953 †	7,363,840 †
1898 -	5,105	4,886	87,739	57,517	171	24,109	312	16,173	26,747	126,011	9,343,527	5,731,841	90,295,097 †	6,821,449 †
1899 -	5,132	4,469	85,314	58,354	183	25,989	279	19,444	25,472	130,718	13,177,021	6,492,745	73,661,834 †	6,492,745 †

Notes.—The particulars relating to Algeria are included from and after 1891.

* Including oysters taken up for consumption from the breeding grounds and beds in these years.

† Excluding oysters taken up for consumption from the breeding grounds and beds in these years.

XXVI.—DETAILED STATEMENT showing the Quantities and Value of the Produce of the Fisheries of *France* in each year from 1885 to 1899.

Years.	Cod.		Herrings.		Mackerel.		Sardines and Allaches.		Anchovies, Sprats, and Nonnats.		Soles, Turbot, Plaice, Skate, and other Kinds.	
	<i>Kilogs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Kilogs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Kilogs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Thousands.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Kilogs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Kilogs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>
1885	39,784,000	10,401,000	44,934,000	8,642,000	3,655,000	3,793,000	494,078	11,427,000	40,710,000	1,094,000	54,994,000	36,018,000
1886	46,346,000	13,285,000	32,703,000	7,006,000	15,279,000	3,231,000	367,100	7,155,000	6,304,000	948,000	54,349,000	37,112,000
1887	38,811,000	15,843,000	23,893,000	8,871,000	13,024,000	3,611,000	587,743	11,005,000	1,524,000	1,025,000	51,441,000	36,362,000
1888	33,706,000	14,132,000	46,056,000	8,402,000	7,493,000	3,246,000	1,167,524	8,081,000	897,000	467,000	51,806,000	37,711,000
1889	34,074,000	13,083,000	52,760,000	8,612,000	13,423,000	3,204,000	855,980	7,535,000	1,470,000	463,000	53,768,000	37,262,000
1890	31,701,000	13,227,000	42,976,000	9,870,000	13,277,000	4,933,000	1,080,680	11,259,000	2,266,000	532,000	56,115,000	40,136,000
1891	23,519,000	12,092,000	—	10,712,000	—	5,463,000	—	9,770,000	—	1,221,000	—	41,345,000
1892	26,378,000	11,413,000	—	9,000,000	—	5,805,000	—	9,534,000	—	702,000	—	43,649,000
1893	30,940,000	12,709,000	—	11,377,000	—	5,564,000	—	9,716,000	—	515,000	—	41,833,000
1894	28,808,000	12,902,000	46,085,000	11,375,000	21,053,000	5,744,000	15,297,000	9,419,000	1,900,000	801,000	—	41,360,000
1895	33,001,000	14,416,000	46,764,000	9,311,000	25,020,000	5,387,000	17,870,000	9,314,000	1,740,000	623,000	112,081,000	46,518,000
1896	37,834,000	13,367,000	54,004,000	7,909,000	12,966,000	5,380,000	70,962,000	12,559,000	774,000	631,000	70,718,000	48,040,000
1897	42,000,000	15,023,000	47,447,000	9,886,000	11,253,000	4,964,000	50,927,000	13,727,000	1,435,000	872,000	64,873,000	45,337,000
1898	39,063,000	16,075,000	53,885,000	8,546,000	7,454,000	3,280,000	56,701,000	9,582,000	1,586,000	646,000	61,634,000	45,375,000
1899	47,671,000	19,670,000	43,265,000	9,283,000	7,887,000	3,756,000	32,940,000	9,887,000	1,800,000	614,000	63,305,000	42,407,000

(Continued.)

Years.	Shrimps.		Crabs and Lobsters.		Oysters.*		Mussels.		Other Shell Fish.		Sea-weed for Manure, &c.		TOTAL VALUE.	
	<i>Kilogs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>No.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Hectol.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Hectol.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Met. Cent.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>Francs.</i>	<i>£.</i>
1885	1,602,000	2,047,000	1,837,000	2,605,000	126,579,000	1,675,000	534,000	2,387,000	407,000	1,198,000	—	5,454,000	105,434,000 †	4,219,000 †
1886	1,456,000	1,728,000	2,282,000	2,700,000	151,243,000	1,187,000	1,243,000	2,329,000	263,000	1,145,000	2,420,000	5,501,000	94,997,000 †	3,799,000 †
1887	1,545,000	1,731,000	—	2,754,000	155,646,000	1,318,000	566,000	2,202,000	301,000	1,240,000	2,448,000	5,242,000	100,538,000 †	4,021,000 †
1888	1,583,000	1,729,000	—	2,921,000	607,340,000 †	13,783,000 †	606,000	2,190,000	196,000	1,070,000	2,554,000	5,405,000	99,238,000 †	3,970,000 †
1889	1,460,000	1,680,000	—	3,142,000	672,222,000 †	12,413,000 †	614,000	2,024,000	240,000	1,309,000	2,640,000	4,944,000	96,335,000 †	3,853,000 †
1890	1,027,000	1,085,000	—	3,579,000	1,524,202,000 †	13,853,000 †	632,000	1,968,000	248,000	1,349,000	2,490,000	4,918,000	107,563,000 †	4,303,000 †
1891	—	2,058,000	—	2,645,000	996,159,000 †	14,104,000 †	—	1,500,000	—	2,323,000	—	5,369,000	109,686,000 †	4,387,000 †
1892	—	1,800,000	—	3,238,000	1,299,365,000 †	17,855,000 †	—	1,131,000	—	2,511,000	—	5,718,000	113,417,000 †	4,587,000 †
1893	—	1,623,000	—	3,410,000	1,285,668,000 †	19,955,000 †	—	1,007,000	—	2,243,000	—	5,922,000	116,714,000 †	4,669,000 †
1894	—	1,435,000	—	3,506,000	—	16,618,000 †	—	1,196,000	—	2,970,000	—	7,111,000	117,139,000 †	4,686,000 †
1895	1,507,000	1,673,000	2,507,000	3,387,000	1,203,368,000 †	14,346,000 †	—	1,011,000	—	1,868,000	—	6,702,000	117,235,000 †	4,689,000 †
1896	1,941,000	1,834,000	2,564,000	3,035,000	1,617,076,000 †	18,108,000 †	480,000	1,001,000	—	1,829,000	—	5,370,000	123,827,000 †	4,953,000 †
1897	1,904,000	2,072,000	2,313,000	3,530,000	1,448,555,000 †	19,548,000 †	460,000	1,097,000	—	1,821,000	—	5,326,000	128,061,000 †	5,122,000 †
1898	1,840,000	2,147,000	2,051,000	4,097,000	1,552,611,000 †	19,513,000 †	298,000	880,000	—	2,176,000	—	4,753,000	129,580,000 †	4,823,000 †
1899	1,737,000	1,924,000	2,501,000	3,939,000	1,160,480,000 †	22,065,000 †	275,000	1,002,000	—	1,347,000	—	4,612,000	126,370,000 †	5,055,000 †

Notes.—The particulars relating to Algeria are included from and after 1891.

* The figures given for the years 1885 to 1887 represent the take of deep sea oysters only, and do not include the bred oysters which were treated in the French Returns as a thing apart, and not included in the total of the Sea Fisheries of France prior to the year 1888.

† Including oysters taken up for consumption from the breeding grounds and beds in these years.

‡ Included under Total Value

§ Kilogs. in these years.

SEA FISHERIES.—CANADA.

XXVII.—STATEMENT showing the YIELD and VALUE of the FISHERIES in the Dominion of *Canada* during the Year 1899.

KINDS OF FISH.	1899.	
	Quantity.	Value.
		<i>Dollars.</i>
Cod dried - - - - - <i>Cwts.</i>	932,557	3,738,223
Cod Tongues and Sounds - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	1,675	16,750
Herrings, fresh - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	42,229,311	516,353
„ salted - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	350,459	1,401,838
„ smoked - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	9,738,925	209,739
„ kippered - - - - - —	—	36,120
Lobsters, preserved - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	10,495,310	2,099,062
„ alive or fresh - - - - - <i>Cwts.</i>	154,598	772,990
Salmon, fresh - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	4,391,957	691,236
„ pickled - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	4,641	52,365
„ preserved - - - - - <i>Lb. Cans</i>	36,456,899	3,646,339
„ smoked - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	226,152	24,080
„ dry salted - - - - - „	3,000,000	120,000
Mackerel, fresh - - - - - „	4,037,659	484,519
„ salted - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	21,145	317,175
Haddock, fresh - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	4,419,612	132,588
„ dried - - - - - <i>Cwts.</i>	135,670	407,010
„ smoked (finnan haddies) - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	2,434,216	147,013
Hake, dried - - - - - <i>Cwts.</i>	240,262	540,590
Hake Sounds - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	110,432	55,216
Pollock - - - - - <i>Cwts.</i>	121,543	243,086
Trout - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	8,887,606	874,530
Whitefish - - - - - „	11,024,178	653,162
Smelts - - - - - „	8,833,260	441,663
Sardines - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	222,047	446,220
„ preserved - - - - - <i>Cans</i>	1,261,000	63,050
Oysters - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	40,513	162,052
Alewives - - - - - „	33,827	135,308
Shad - - - - - „	10,707	107,752
Eels, fresh - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	889,665	53,380
„ salted - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	5,620	56,200
Maskinongé - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	395,019	23,701
Bass, sea (striped) - - - - - „	349,460	34,941
„ black (achigan) - - - - - „	449,124	35,930
Pickarel - - - - - „	6,416,994	274,694
Pike - - - - - „	5,838,437	160,314
Sturgeon - - - - - „	2,089,426	121,549
„ caviare - - - - - „	41,649	16,141
Halibut - - - - - „	3,789,605	275,210
Ouananiche - - - - - „	98,000	5,880
Flounders - - - - - „	719,290	35,965
Tom Cod or Frost Fish - - - - - „	3,164,655	123,133
Squid - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	18,658	74,632
Onlachans (British Columbia) - - - - - <i>Lbs.</i>	1,077,000	55,200
Perch - - - - - „	1,034,108	30,783
Clams - - - - - —	—	64,231
Coarse and mixed fish - - - - - <i>Barrels</i>	70,429	142,563
	<i>Lbs.</i>	10,597,174
		185,476

XXVII.—STATEMENT showing the Yield and Value of Fisheries in the Dominion of *Canada*, &c.—*contd.*

KINDS OF FISH.	1899.	
	Quantity.	Value.
Fur Seal Skins (British Columbia) - - - - - No.	35,346	<i>Dollars.</i> 441,825
Hair " " - - - - - " "	11,863	11,061
Beluga (white whale) Skins - - - - - " "	227	908
Fish Oil - - - - - Galls.	783,472	235,042
.. used as Bait - - - - - Barrels	262,273	401,809
" " Manure and Guano - - - - - "	292,927	139,384
For home consumption not included above* - - - - -	—	355,725
TOTAL Value of the Fisheries in Canada - - - - -	—	21,891,706

Note.—The above particulars relate to fresh water as well as sea fisheries. *Cwt.* = 100 *lbs.* *Ton* = 2,000 *lbs.*

* Exclusive of the Home Consumption of fish by the Indians of British Columbia, the Yukon District and more remote parts of the North-West Territories, for which no Returns are available.

XXVIII.—SUMMARY STATEMENT showing the Yield in the several Provinces of the Dominion of *Canada*, during the Year 1899.

PROVINCES.	1899.	
	<i>Dollars.</i>	£.
Nova Scotia - - - - -	7,348,000	1,531,000
British Columbia - - - - -	5,214,000	1,086,000
New Brunswick - - - - -	4,120,000	858,000
Quebec - - - - -	1,953,000	407,000
Ontario - - - - -	1,590,000	331,000
Prince Edward Island - - - - -	1,044,000	218,000
Manitoba and North West Territories - - - - -	623,000	130,000
TOTAL - - - - -	21,892,000	4,561,000

Note.—The above figures relate to fresh water as well as sea fisheries.

XXIX.—STATEMENT showing the NUMBER, TONNAGE, and VALUE of VESSELS and BOATS, Value of FISHING MATERIALS, &c., and Number of FISHERMEN engaged in the several PROVINCES of the DOMINION of *Canada* during the Year 1899.

PROVINCES.	Fishermen in			Vessels.			Boats.		Gill Nets and Snelles.		Value of Pound and Trap Nets, Weirs, Trawls, &c.	Value of Lobster Plant.	Approximate Value of Freezers, Ice and Smoke houses, and other Fixtures not specified.	TOTAL VALUE.
	Vessels.	Boats.	TOTAL.	Vessels.	Boats.	TOTAL.	Number.	Value.	Fathoms.	Value.				
	Number.	Number.	Number.	Number.	Tonnage.	Value.	Number.	Value.						
Nova Scotia - - -	5,706	10,466	25,171	553	25,342	901,498	15,866	322,437	2,030,363	552,731	233,583	586,304	484,162	3,080,706
New Brunswick - -	1,131	11,843	12,974	276	3,640	118,450	6,743	265,992	974,241	640,811	297,108	367,047	492,390	2,181,888
Prince Edward Island -	98	4,055	4,753	21	741	12,950	2,353	63,150	165,494	33,860	21,034	243,565	50,072	424,670
Quebec - - - -	154	13,000	13,250	29	986	18,100	7,328	189,170	333,080	193,962	104,492	137,143	196,540	839,407
Ontario - - - -	541	1,889	2,430	† 109	1,893	238,925	1,033	70,505	1,192,271	198,604	135,260	—	139,204	782,504
British Columbia -	{ *800 } { 469 }	18,977	20,246	{ † 123 } { 153 }	11,894 3,825	184,500 313,560	3,353 4,320	{ \$21,050 } { 250,30 }	682,734	518,823	27,050	—	1,495,000	2,710,333
Manitoba and North West Territories -	72	907	1,039	11	194	29,000	533	13,202	188,629	24,076	300	—	63,675	130,253
TOTAL - - -	8,070	70,803	79,803	1,178	38,508	1,716,973	38,538	1,195,856	5,506,792	2,162,876	818,923	1,334,179	2,921,933	10,149,840

* Sealing crews, Whites and Indians.

† Principally fishing steam tugs.

‡ Sealing vessels.

§ Sealing boats and canoes, the number of the latter being 285, valued at 14,250 dollars.