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ON THE
TRADE IN IMPORTS AND EXPORTS
AT
IRISH PORTS
DURING THE YEAR ENDED
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To

His Excellency JOHN CAMPBELL, EARL OF ABERDEEN,
&c., &c., &c.,

Lord Lieutenant-General and General Governor of Ireland.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

I am directed by the Vice-President to submit to Your Excellency the following Report on the Trade in Imports and Exports at Irish Ports during the year ended 31st December 1905.

I have the honour to remain,

Your Excellency's faithful Servant,

T. P. GILL,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION FOR IRELAND,
UPPER MERRION STREET,
DUBLIN, 18th July, 1907.

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AT

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DUBLIN CASTLE,

19th July, 1907.

SIR,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, forwarding, for submission to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, a Report on the Trade in Imports and Exports at Irish Ports during the year ended 31st December, 1905.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. B. DOUGHERTY.

THE SECRETARY,

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION,

UPPER MERRION STREET,

DUBLIN.

REPORT ON THE TRADE

IN

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS AT IRISH PORTS

DURING THE YEAR 1905.

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION FOR IRELAND.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit herewith the second Report on Irish Imports and Exports which deals with the year ending 31st December, 1905. In the first Report, dealing with the year 1904, the difficulties of collecting and tabulating information as to Irish trade were fully explained. The chief limitations which were then pointed out hold good as regards the present returns, but to some extent the information now presented is more complete and more accurate.

The trade of forty-seven ports is summarised in the tables for the year 1905, and in the comparative tables for 1904 and 1905. So far as total quantities are concerned this record represents in all probability within five per cent. of the total Irish import and export trade. The main difficulty, however, is in determining values. Much care has been taken to ascertain these as closely as present circumstances will permit, but it should be clearly understood that the information given in this respect cannot claim to be more than approximate. As a statement of the import and export trade of Ireland the Report is therefore neither complete as regards quantities nor exact as regards values. Certain considerations are submitted later in this Report as to steps which appear to be necessary if information, complete and reliable, is to be forthcoming.

In this series of Reports Irish imports and exports mean all goods imported or exported by Ireland whether from or to Great Britain, the Colonies, or foreign countries—the terms Imports and Exports, including not only the colonial and foreign, but also the cross-channel trade between Great Britain and Ireland. The import and export trade is thus the sum of three things: (1) the direct trade between Ireland and all other countries outside of Great Britain; (2) the indirect trade of Ireland with these same countries *via* Great Britain; and (3) the local trade between Ireland and Great Britain.

As a result of inquiries which have been carried on since the figures for 1904 were published, a more accurate estimate can now be made regarding the values of certain classes of produce imported and exported. In all such cases the figures for 1904 have been revised in order to make the returns for that year and for 1905 as strictly comparable as possible. Similarly where, in connection with the 1905 returns, information has been obtained as to imports or exports, regarding which no record was available when the 1904 returns were published, an estimated allowance has been added for such trade in 1904, so as to make the totals for 1904 and 1905 comparable, and it is proposed to make similar allowances in future in any cases where information is not at present forthcoming but may subsequently be obtained. The figures have in this way been made and will be kept as strictly comparable as possible.

The figures thus corrected for the years 1904 and 1905 show a total recorded trade amounting in the year 1904 to £102,512,111 and in 1905 to £106,423,603, being an increase of £3,911,492 in 1905 as compared with 1904. This increase is shown both in the imports and in the exports, though to a larger degree in the case of exports. The imports in 1905 amounted to an estimated total of £55,092,343 as compared with £53,299,930 in 1904, being an increase of £1,792,413. The exports amounted in 1905 to £51,331,260 as compared with £49,212,181 in 1904, being an increase of £2,119,079.

These totals and the individual figures in the tables of imports and exports include not only articles imported for home consumption but also consignments which have been returned or re-exported, as with the present restricted means of information it is not possible to distinguish exports from what are strictly speaking re-exports. In the case of certain articles such as tea, coffee, sago, it is evident that the quantities exported represent re-exports which, it may be assumed, have undergone no change and are either being returned or in certain cases redistributed. But in the case of other articles, such as leather, apparel, machinery, &c., it is very difficult to ascertain, even approximately, the proportion of (a) goods which are returned or re-exported; (b) goods which have been imported, and having undergone some process of manufacture, are then exported; and (c) goods which are wholly or largely the product of Irish industry. Making, however, as careful an estimate as existing information permits, it would appear that approximately £2,500,000* may be taken to be goods

* The main articles contributing to this total figure are—wines, foreign and colonial spirits, guns and rifles, butter, chemicals, dyes and tanning substances, glass and glassware, maize, hops, indian meal, rice, sago, etc.; boots and shoes, india rubber goods, musical instruments, machinery and hardware, oils, paints, sponges, sugar, tea, raw cotton, haberdashery, unmanufactured tobacco.

which have been returned or re-exported without undergoing any process of manufacture. Deducting this sum from the total of imports and exports respectively, it leaves in 1905, for the purposes of Irish consumption and manufacture, a net total import of, approximately £52,600,000, and a net Irish export of, approximately, £48,800,000; the total Irish trade, excluding re-exports amounting to, approximately, £101,400,000. The re-imports are small.

In order to indicate briefly the main features of the trade as shown in the detailed tables, the following summary has been prepared showing respectively the various classes of (1) farm produce, food and drink stuffs; (2) raw materials; (3) manufactured goods. Any such classification has drawbacks. There are certain goods which might be placed in one class or another. Thus a number of articles in the first group, *e.g.*, butter, bacon, wines, ales, spirits, tobacco, have undergone varying degrees of manufacture, and might be classified with manufactured imports and exports. But the present division is simple, well known, and of practical interest, and these advantages outweigh the disadvantages.

SUMMARY TABLE, 1904-1905.

	Imports.		Exports.	
	1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
	£	£	£	£
I. Farm Produce, Food and Drink Stuffs—				
(a.) Live Stock, ..	299,885	295,052	13,670,641	12,889,642
(b.) Dead Meat, including Bacon, Hams, Game, &c.	1,933,445	2,281,226	2,416,171	2,482,035
(c.) Eggs, Poultry and Dairy Produce.	419,809	430,461	6,356,360	6,036,964
(d.) Fish.	254,068	275,205	365,354	403,339
(e.) Grain, Flour, Meals, Fruit, Vegetables, &c.	7,783,018	8,080,500	919,082	928,848
(f.) Cattle Feeding Stuff.	4,037,115	3,700,739	291,120	245,742
(g.) Tea, Coffee, and Colonial Produce.	3,128,151	2,916,128	15,195	15,667
(h.) Tobacco, ..	1,060,161	971,331	1,022,628	1,442,295
(i.) Wine, Spirits, Porter, Ale, Mineral Waters &c.	1,134,113	1,337,161	4,224,595	4,256,131
(j.) Other Provisions and Food Stuff.	641,403	688,313	1,147,991	1,199,547
Total of Farm Produce, &c.	20,691,168	20,976,116	30,429,137	30,801,210
II. Raw Materials—				
(a.) Coal, ..	2,664,971	2,261,545	—	—
(b.) Wood, hewn and unhewn.	1,359,672	1,152,025	239,576	227,802
(c.) Stones, Slates, Metal Ores, &c.	300,216	356,764	123,212	134,157
(d.) Fats.	252,742	281,862	371,018	377,811
(e.) Hides, Skins, Wool, Hair, Feathers, &c.	252,796	220,724	963,333	1,125,559
(f.) Flax.	1,548,950	1,777,311	132,050	106,400
(g.) Other Textile Raw Materials.	2,151,451	1,978,258	1,392,517	1,328,339
(h.) Other Raw Produce, ..	283,188	357,499	231,037	258,079
Total of Raw Materials.	8,822,986	8,385,988	3,452,743	3,558,147

[Table continued on next page.]

SUMMARY TABLE, 1904-1905—*continued.*

	Imports.		Exports.	
	1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
III. Manufactured Goods—	£	£	£	£
(a.) Textiles—				
(1) Yarns, Thread, Rope, Cordage, &c.	1,752,664	1,815,470	2,069,524	2,074,379
(2) Piece Goods, Apparel, Drapery, &c.	9,165,348	9,753,255	9,772,388	10,092,456
(b.) Leather Goods, &c.				
(1) Leather, . . .	401,663	450,870	67,327	90,704
(2) Boots, Shoes, Saddlery, India Rubber Goods, &c.	1,986,719	2,060,880	95,576	119,714
(c.) Metals and Manufactures chiefly of metals—				
(1) Metals and Metal Castings, &c.	2,127,430	2,476,359	115,851	201,307
(2) Machinery, Implements, Motors, Ships, &c.	2,918,452	3,663,181	2,136,472	3,302,587
(d.) Wooden Articles, Furniture, and Articles mainly of Wood.	1,069,402	1,023,573	247,078	309,624
(e.) Paper, Stationery, Books, &c.	1,001,652	975,559	296,445	305,722
(f.) Bricks, Tiles, Earthenware, China, Glass, &c.	689,372	792,808	10,175	13,195
(g.) Chandlery, Soap, Candles, Oils, Paints, &c.	1,514,999	1,605,391	167,031	142,004
(h.) Chemicals, Fertilizers, Dye Stuffs.	1,098,190	1,036,496	235,531	208,463
(i.) Miscellaneous Articles, ..	59,885	76,397	116,903	111,748
Total of Manufactured Goods,	23,785,776	25,730,239	15,330,301	16,971,903
Gross Total, ..	53,299,930	55,092,343	49,212,181	51,331,260

Following the above classification, attention may be directed to the three main groups and to the articles of chief importance in them.

I.—FARM PRODUCE, FOOD AND DRINK STUFFS.

The first group—farm produce, food and drink stuffs, represents an import and export amounting in 1905 to £51,777,326 out of a total of all imports estimated at £106,423,603, and if the farm produce, which is included among the raw materials of manufacture—fats, hides and skins, etc.—were added, this group would amount to over one-half of the total import and export trade of Ireland. Owing to the nature of the existing returns, the quantities and values in this group, as also in that of raw materials, represent a much closer approximation to the actual extent and value of the trade than is the case with the manufactured articles.

Live stock is the largest Irish export, amounting in 1905 to a total estimated value of £12,889,642. Cattle

Live Stock. exported were estimated at £8,928,253, sheep and lambs at £1,256,227, swine at £1,272,091, horses at £1,427,975. Comparing 1905 with 1904 there was a decrease of £780,999 in the total value of live stock exports. This decrease took place in the export of fat cattle, lambs, and swine. There was an increase in the export of horses.

While the exports of live stock are very large and the imports very small, the imports of dead meat approach the value of the exports. The

Dead Meat.

imports consist mainly of beef and mutton, preserved and canned meats, bacon and hams; the exports of pork, bacon and hams, and rabbits. The figures for 1905 compared with those of 1904 show a much larger increase in imports than in exports. The import of beef was 132,137 cwts. in 1905 as compared with 94,726 cwts. in 1904, and the import of mutton 40,721 cwts. in 1905 as against 10,914 cwts. in 1904. The value of the imports of beef and mutton in 1905 amounted to £312,931, almost double the figure, £168,313, for 1904. The import of preserved and canned meat increased from a value estimated at £88,255 in 1904 to £119,295 in 1905. With regard to bacon and hams, which are the principal dead meat imports and exports, the figures for 1905 show, so far as quantity is concerned, an increased import and a decreased export. In bacon the total import in 1905 amounted to 729,937 cwts. as against 656,518 cwts. in 1904, an increase of 73,419 cwts. Similarly, in the case of hams, the figures indicate an import of 35,014 cwts. as compared with 25,575 cwts. in 1904. On the other hand, there was a decrease in the export of bacon from 684,980 cwts. to 617,559 cwts., and of hams from 119,587 cwts. to 105,540 cwts., though owing to the higher prices of Irish bacon in 1905, the total value exported is greater than in the preceding year. It should be stated, however, that the export of Irish bacon and hams is larger than appears from the above figures, as certain quantities of bacon and hams are exported as "provisions and groceries," and are consequently merged in the total of £511,456, shown in the tables under that heading.

One of the most striking features in the returns of Irish trade is the quantity and value of eggs and poultry

Poultry and Eggs.

exported. The estimated value of poultry exported increased from £645,358 in 1904 to £696,923 in 1905; while the quantity of eggs exported in 1905 amounted to 6,098,451 great hundreds, valued at £2,515,611, as against 5,513,814 great hundreds in 1904, valued at £2,205,526, an increase of £310,085. These figures of eggs and poultry do not include quantities sent by parcel post.* The import of eggs in 1905 amounted to an estimated value of £41,084 as compared with £37,087 in 1904.

Attention is specially directed to the diagram in the Appendix showing the monthly export of eggs in 1905.

* So far as agricultural produce is concerned the parcel post trade is mainly confined to the carriage of butter, eggs, and poultry. Through the courtesy of the Postmaster-General the Department have been informed that approximately 3,360,000 parcels are posted annually from Ireland to Great Britain, that it is estimated that about 1,120,000 parcels are of butter, eggs, and poultry, and that the average weight of all inland parcels is 2 lbs. 10 ozs. Assuming the exports of butter, eggs, and poultry by parcel post to have an average weight per parcel of 3 lbs., the export by parcel post of butter, eggs, and poultry would amount to 33,600 cwts.

The export of butter in 1905, according to the returns received, amounted to 685,238 cwts., of an estimated value of £3,357,666, as compared with 687,100 cwts., of an estimated value of £3,195,015 in 1904. These figures do not include butter sent by parcel post.* There is also great difficulty in obtaining a record of small consignments of butter under 28 lbs., which are frequently entered in the returns as parcels or sundries. The actual export of butter is therefore larger than the figure returned. As regards imports, there was a slight decrease in the quantity of butter imported in 1905, but the value amounted to £246,758, as compared with £227,125 in 1904.

Butter.

Attention is specially directed to the diagram in the Appendix indicating the shipments of butter in each month.

The estimated value of margarine imported rose from £95,638 in 1904 to £106,876 in 1905. The export fell from £68,323 in 1904 to £66,210 in 1905.

The returns show an import of cheese amounting to 41,095 cwts., valued at £106,847, as compared with 42,380 cwts. in 1904, valued at £118,664.

Cheese.

The total value of fish, including shell-fish, exported from Ireland in 1905 is estimated at £403,339, an increase of £37,985 as compared with 1904. There was a marked increase in the export of cured herrings, and a considerable decrease in the export of cured mackerel. There was also an increase in the quantity of salmon, trout, and fresh-water eels exported, and amongst shell-fish in the exports of oysters and lobsters.

Fish.

The value of fish imported is estimated at £275,205. Among the imports of fish are large quantities of cured herrings, and of dried and preserved fish. Much, however, of the fish imported is not at present adequately described in the returns, and cannot therefore be classified.

In the summary table, p. vii., the grain and other vegetable food stuffs intended for human consumption have, as far as possible, been distinguished from the feeding stuffs for animals, as it is important to see the respective amounts of these two kinds of imports. But it is not possible to draw any hard-and-fast line between food for human consumption and feeding stuffs for animals, as certain quantities—*e.g.*, of oats or Indian meal—may be for use either as feeding or as food stuffs. The division adopted only indicates broadly the respective proportions of the two classes of imports.

Grain and Vegetable Produce.

Of the £8,080,500 worth of grain and vegetable food-stuffs imported, no less than £5,704,841 worth consisted of wheat and flour. The quantity of wheat imported in 1905 amounted to 50 2,546 cwts., as compared with 6,932,774 cwts. in 1904. Assuming that 1 tons of wheat produce 1 ton

Wheat and Wheat Flour.

* See note (*) on page ix.

of flour, the total quantity of flour represented by this import of wheat amounts to about 5,000,000 cwts. The amount of wheat flour imported in 1905 was returned as 5,595,207 cwts. as compared with 5,528,271 cwts. in 1904. It is estimated that in 1905 the quantity of home-grown wheat amounted to 766,154 cwts., which is equivalent to 510,000 cwts. of flour. According to these figures the total quantity of flour imported, together with the quantity produced in Ireland in 1905, would appear to be approximately 11,105,000 cwts. From this quantity has to be deducted an export of wheat flour, or its equivalent in wheat, amounting to 136,000 cwts., leaving thus a residue of 10,969,000 cwts. for consumption and manufacture in Ireland. It will be noticed from the above figures that in 1905, while the import of flour increased, the increase in the import of wheat was considerably greater.

In the case of oats the returns indicate an export considerably larger than the import. The import

Oats and Oatmeal. amounted to 465,914 cwts. in 1905 as compared with 424,736 cwts. in 1904, while the export in 1905 amounted to 1,184,673 cwts. as compared with 893,892 cwts. in 1904. The export of oats is thus not only much larger, but also shows a considerably larger increase than the import.

In the case of oatmeal the import shows a slight decrease in 1905 as compared with 1904, whereas the export shows a substantial increase. But in gauging the imports of oatmeal allowance must be made for a considerable quantity estimated roughly at one-third of "meal unclassified," being oatmeal or similar meals for human consumption, the remaining two-thirds of these unclassified meals being cattle-feeding stuffs. As there is, however, a falling off in the import of "meal unclassified" in 1905 as compared with 1904, all the evidence points to a smaller import of oatmeal in 1905 as compared with 1904.

The quantity of barley imported in 1905, according to the returns, amounted to 1,208,125 cwts., a

Barley. decrease of 107,817 cwts. as compared with the preceding year. There was a small export of barley amounting to 59,420 cwts. in 1905, an increase of 4,402 cwts. as compared with 1904. The quantity of malt imported in 1905 was 737,824 cwts. as compared with 806,741 cwts. in 1904.

As wheat is among the food stuffs, so maize is among the imported feeding stuffs. In 1905 there was an

Cattle-feeding import of 11,266,196 cwts., valued at
Stuffs: Maize, &c. £2,957,376 as compared with 13,249,671
 cwts., valued at £3,146,797, a decrease of
 1,983,475 cwts. There were also very large imports of bran and
 pollard and of the various classes of cattle meals, though, on the

whole, these imports were lower than in the preceding year, and the total value of cattle-feeding stuffs imported in 1905 is estimated at £3,700,739 as compared with £4,037,115, a decrease of £336,376.

The fruit imports of Ireland are considerable, and were estimated to amount to £581,479 in 1905 as compared with £539,676 in 1904. As regards exports of fruit, Ireland has as yet only a small trade, though the returns do not adequately represent the extent of this trade. In the case of jams and preserves the returns still show imports to be larger than exports, the import in 1905 being estimated at £93,170 and the export at £68,591. There was, however, a substantial increase in the export of Irish preserves in 1905 as compared with 1904.

Among vegetables the largest import is of onions, of which 193,358 cwts. were imported in 1905 as compared with 202,852 cwts. in 1904. The chief export of vegetables is of potatoes, of which there were 72,158 tons exported in 1905, valued at £205,650 as compared with 75,020 tons in 1904, valued at £262,570. It is certain, however, that these figures show considerably less than the actual quantity of potatoes exported, as shipments are made during the season from various points on the coast where no records have been kept.

In tea, coffee, and colonial produce, there was a slight falling off in imports in 1905 as compared with 1904. The quantity of tea imported was returned as 29,387,833 lbs., as compared with 30,366,112 lbs. in 1904. There was also a slight decrease in the import of coffee. The quantity of sugar imported fell from 2,705,049 lbs. in 1904 to 2,488,850 lbs. in 1905, but owing to the rise in the price of sugar the value was greater than that of the preceding year.

As regards tobacco there was a decrease in the quantity both of manufactured and unmanufactured tobacco imported. There was an increase in the export of manufactured tobacco.

The total estimated value of wines, spirits, ales, &c., imported showed an increase from £1,134,113 in 1904 to £1,337,161 in 1905. The increase took place almost entirely in wines, considerable stocks of which were both imported and exported in 1905. There was a decrease in the imports of foreign and colonial spirits. The total estimated value of spirits, ales, porter, &c., exported was £4256,131 in 1905 as compared with

£4,224,595 in 1904. There was a falling off in the shipments of home-made spirits, but an increase in the export of porter. There was also an increase in the export of aerated waters, the export value of which was estimated in 1905 at £214,382.

Amongst sundry food stuffs the most notable items are those of biscuits and confectionery. The imports of biscuits in 1905 were estimated at a value of £63,423 as compared with £62,326 in 1904. The exports are much larger than the imports, and showed a marked increase from an estimated value of £285,885 in 1904 to £306,709 in 1905. On the other hand, in the case of confectionery, the import is much larger than the export, and increased from £207,808 in 1904 to £260,481 in 1905, the export also increasing from £80,244 in 1904 to £105,713 in 1905. Another product of which there is a very considerable export from Ireland is yeast, the export amounting to an estimated value of £198,386 in 1905 as compared with £227,610 in 1904.

The whole question of the exchange of farm produce, food and drink stuffs, forming, as it does, a large part of Irish production and trade, deserves close study. In this connection there is also presented in the Appendix a table showing for the year 1905 respectively the quantities and values of imports of the chief articles of agricultural and horticultural produce into the United Kingdom from British possessions and from foreign countries, and the corresponding quantities and values exported from Ireland to Great Britain. As the imports of foreign and colonial produce into Great Britain alone are not

separately recorded, an exact comparison of agricultural imports into Great Britain—Imports of Agricultural Produce into Great Britain. Irish on the one hand, and colonial and foreign imports on the other—cannot be made. But this table will bring home to Irish producers and exporters the extent of the existing market in Great Britain, and the present strength in that market of the several competitors. It will be noted with interest from a study of the table that in 1905 (1) the Irish import of all classes of live stock—horses, cattle, sheep, and swine—was much larger than the import from any other country into the United Kingdom; (2) the Irish import of butter into Great Britain was the second largest, the import from Denmark being first; (3) Irish eggs were the second largest quantity, and the largest value imported into Great Britain, a larger quantity coming from Russia, but the value being lower than that of Irish eggs; (4) the import of poultry from Ireland was considerably larger than that from any other country into the United Kingdom; and (5) as regards bacon and hams the Irish import was fourth on the list, the largest import coming from the United States of America, Denmark having the second, and Canada the third place. As Great Britain is the great open market for agricultural produce, these figures bring out clearly the wide and representative character

of Irish agricultural exports—a consideration which has to be kept in mind when comparisons are made between, for example, the butter export of Denmark and that of Ireland. For Denmark (which sends three-fourths of its agricultural exports to the United Kingdom) is mainly a butter and bacon-producing country, and not a beef country. Thus in 1905 the total export of Danish home produce and manufactures amounted to £21,526,962, of which over £20,000,000 consisted of agricultural produce. Of this total the export of butter amounted to £8,567,810; pig produce, £4,406,266; eggs, £1,364,310; horses and foals, £1,054,497; cattle, £1,532,377. These figures present interesting contrasts with those of Irish exports, and bring into relief the more diversified interests which Ireland has as a country of production and export.

II. RAW MATERIALS.

For the purposes of the broad classification adopted in the summary table, p. vii., raw materials include coal, coke, rough and sawn timber, boards and deals, stones, slates, sand, clay, metal ores and other mineral substances, hides, skins, horns and hoofs, wool, bristles, feathers, flax, raw cotton, hemp, jute, tow, waste, seeds, plants and bulbs, ice, &c. The total value of raw materials imported into Ireland in 1905 was estimated approximately at £8,386,000. The imports consist mainly of coal, wood, flax, and other raw materials of the textile industries. There is also a large import of raw cotton, which is re-exported to Northern Europe.

The exports in 1905 were estimated approximately at a value of £3,558,000. If the re-export of raw cotton is excluded, they consist mainly of animal produce, such as hides, skins, wool, fats, &c., and to a lesser extent of timber, seeds, and other vegetable produce.

The estimated values of the chief imports of raw materials in 1905 were as follows :—

	£
Coal,	2,246,073
Slates,	108,707
Timber,	1,152,025
Flax,	1,777,311
Hemp and Jute, Tow and Codilla, ...	661,257
Lard, Tallow, &c.,	281,862

The values of the chief exports in 1905 were :—

	£
Timber,	227,802
Hides and Skins,	507,377
Wool,	550,814
Lard, Tallow, &c.,	377,811
Clover and Grass Seed,	191,388

III. MANUFACTURED ARTICLES.

The third division of Irish imports and exports is that of manufactured goods. In 1905 these represent an import the total value of which is estimated at close on £26,000,000, thus approximating one-half of the total value of imports, and an export estimated at almost £17,000,000, or

Total values of one-third of the total export. But to a **Manufactured goods**, greater extent than in the case of other imports and exports the figures indicating the value of manufactured articles must be taken as only approximate statements. For while the existing returns of gross weight and quantity may be regarded as representing the actual amounts of manufactured articles imported and exported respectively, there is great difficulty in determining what is the quality and value of these goods, especially in the case of the more highly differentiated articles. So far as is at present possible, these defects have been overcome by means of wide and careful inquiries among importers and exporters, through whose courtesy in many cases exact data regarding the gross weight and value of representative consignments of goods have been obtained; but it cannot be too plainly said that until import and export returns are available which specify the nature, weight, and value of goods, any figures put forward with regard to manufactured articles can only be regarded as approximate in character.

At the same time it should be clearly understood that the present returns are not arbitrary statements, that they are based on actual figures of weights of goods imported and exported, and on careful inquiries as to value, and that they furnish as close an estimate as is at present possible of the extent and character of this side of Irish trade.

As there is a wide range of manufactured imports and exports, these have been divided, in order to assist analysis, into a number of main groups to certain outstanding features of which attention is directed.

The first and largest group is that of the textiles. The combined imports and exports of manufactured textile goods amounted to a value estimated in 1905 at £23,736,000, a sum exceeding one half of the total manufactured imports and exports of Ireland, and which is between one-fourth and one-fifth of the total estimated value of all goods imported and exported in the year 1905. This fact alone indicates the great importance of the textile group of manufactured goods. The combined textile imports—yarns, piece goods, and made-up goods—amounted in 1905 to an estimated value of £11,569,000, while the corresponding textile exports showed an estimated value of £12,167,000. Distinguishing yarns, thread, rope, cordage, &c., from piece goods and made-up goods the imports of the former were in 1905 estimated at £1,815,470. In this amount the chief items were

cotton yarn, £736,090, linen yarn, £358,384, woollen yarn, £244,759, and yarn unclassified, which inquiry shows to contain a large amount of woollen yarn, £237,039. There was also an import of thread estimated at £151,210. The corresponding exports of yarn, thread, rope, twine, cordage, &c., were estimated in 1905 at £2,074,379. Of this amount the main items were linen yarn, £1,188,216, thread, £369,404, rope, cordage, and twine, £245,910.

Much the largest part, however, alike of textile imports and exports consists of piece goods, ready-made goods, drapery and apparel. The imports of these are estimated in 1905 at a value of £9,753,255, and the exports at a value of £10,092,456, the figures thus indicating an approximate balance between textile imports and exports. On the whole textile imports are of a much more wide and varied character than the exports. The import of the greatest significance is that of drapery and apparel, the combined value of which is estimated to exceed in 1905 a sum of £5,000,000. In addition to this other linen, cotton, woollen, and silk goods are estimated to amount to a sum of approximately £4,500,000, though in the case of cotton goods it is estimated that a considerable quantity is imported for purposes of further manufacture and is re-exported. In addition to the above classes of finer textile fabrics there are large imports of coarser stuffs, such as bags and bagging, oilcloth and canvas goods.

In the case of exports the outstanding feature is the fact that more than three-fourths of the textile goods exported are returned as "linens," but this term in the returns of the portal authorities has a wide significance and includes "unions" and goods which have only a "linen finish." There is also a substantial export of various classes of woollen goods, but it is evident that woollen imports are still largely in excess of exports.

The main features, comparing the returns for the year 1905 with the year 1904, are the considerable increase on the one hand in the imports of drapery and apparel, and on the other hand the increase in the exports of linen goods. In woollen goods there appears in certain classes a slight increase and in others a decrease.

The second group is that of leather and leather manufactures.

**Hides, Skins,
Leather, Boots,
and Shoes.**

One of the most noteworthy features in the import and export returns is the very large export of hides and skins, and the still greater import of leather, saddlery, boots, and shoes. The export of hides and skins in 1905, apart from the hides and skins of the live stock exported amounted to an estimated value of £507,377. On the other hand, the import of leather was of a value estimated at £450,870, and the import of boots and shoes of a value estimated at £1,786,020. In addition to these sums there are the imports of saddlery, of leather belting, and of an item which is considerable, but which cannot be ascertained from the existing returns, leather and kid gloves.

Thus the total imports of leather and of leather manufactures may be estimated to exceed an annual value of £2,250,000.

Large quantities of india rubber goods are also imported, the value of which is estimated at approximately £225,080 in 1905.

The third group is that of metals and metal articles, machinery, ships, &c. This group is a very wide class, and in gross annual value is next in importance to the textiles. It is estimated that in 1905 the total value of the imports of

Metals and Metal Manufactures. metals and metal manufactures exceeded £6,000,000, while the exports, which include the export of steam vessels, amounted to an approximate value of £3,500,000. Among the metal imports approximately £1,500,000 consisted of steel and of bar and wrought iron, imported chiefly into Belfast, while plates and sheets, anchors and chains, bolts, rivets, nails, and screws, rails, iron chairs, and other railway plant, represent a further import of approximately £500,000. Thus the more simple articles of iron and steel manufacture represented a total import in 1905 estimated at not less than £2,000,000. Of the other metals the import of copper was estimated in 1905 at £141,636; tin, £100,376; lead, £70,418; brass and bronze, £40,275. With regard to the more highly manufactured classes of goods the returns show very large imports of hardware utensils and implements, as well as of the heavier iron goods such as ranges, stoves, meters pumps, boilers, and cylinders. The total value of these and similar articles appears to have been in 1905 not less than £1,500,000. In addition there are imports of machinery, chiefly agricultural and textile, estimated in the tables for 1905 at approximately £1,225,000, and of cycles, motor cars, and parts of carriages, estimated at £450,000.

As regards exports considerable quantities of machinery are shipped from Belfast, while the export of steam vessels is of a very large annual value—estimated in 1905 at approximately £2,500,000. While thus there are large individual exports, the trade in hardware and metal goods and manufactures stands in contrast to the textile trade. For whereas the textile exports appear equal in value to the imports, there is a very large surplus of metals and metal manufactures imported over what is exported.

Of wooden manufactures also there is a very large import and only a small export. The article of greatest importance among the imports is furniture, though as indicated in the "remarks" column of the Statistical Tables of this Report, there is in the case of this class of goods a difficulty of distinguishing removals of private furniture from what are genuine trade imports or exports. But taking the import and export figures of furniture there is a balance of imports over exports exceeding £280,000. There is also a wide range of other classes of imported articles wholly or partly of wooden manufacture.

Wooden Manufactures.

There is a very large annual import into Ireland of paper, stationery, cardboard, books, and printed matter, estimated for the year 1905 at a total value of £975,559. The estimated value of imported paper in 1905 was £567,505, stationery £142,902, showcards, strawboards, &c., £105,000, books approximately £90,000. It is of interest to note from the comparison of the 1904 and 1905 returns the smaller import of paper and stationery in 1905 as compared with 1904, whereas there was an increase in paper-making materials from £70,000 in 1904 to £82,000 in 1905. The export of paper, stationery, printing materials, in 1905 was estimated at a value of £305,722, and while it will be seen from the tables that the export is considerable and increasing, the large excess of imports of paper, stationery, &c., over exports is one of the features of Irish trade which deserves particular attention.

Another class of imports which reaches a total value of considerable size is that of the manufactures of clay, earth, china and glass goods. The total value of these classes of goods is estimated in 1905 at £792,808 as compared with £689,372 in 1904—a large total and a considerable increase. In 1905 the import of bricks and tiles was estimated at £75,881, fire-clay, earthenware, and china goods at £251,642, glass, glassware, and bottles at £250,170, cement at £215 11s. The contrast between the large import of these various classes of goods, estimated at £792,808 and the small export estimated at £13,195, is very striking.

A further group of articles of great interest is that of chandlery, &c., including under this heading such goods as candles, soap, starch, matches, oils and paints, polishes, &c. Many of these articles are being manufactured in Ireland and in some cases exported, but the returns for the years 1904 and 1905 show that in this class of goods also there is a very considerable excess of imports over exports. The articles to which attention may specially be directed are as follows:—In 1905 candles imported, £84,193, exported, £7,400; soap imported, £139,599, exported, £40,994; starch imported, £42,317, exported, £11,611; paints and varnish imported, £148,199; matches imported, £79,906. There is also a large import of oils—chiefly petroleum and paraffin, estimated in 1905 at £980,926. Altogether this class of goods represents an annual value approximating £1,600,000.

Comparing, however, the figures of 1905 with those of 1904 there was a decrease in 1905 in the imports of soap, starch, candles, matches, blacking, and blacklead.

The total value of chemicals, drugs, fertilisers, and dye stuffs, imported in 1905 is estimated at £1,036,496.

Chemicals, In the case of drugs and chemicals, goods of
Fertilisers. this class are frequently sent in small consignments, and the figures both of quantity

and value are in all probability considerably lower than the actual quantities and values imported. As regards artificial fertilisers, there is a large import, the estimated value in 1905 being placed at £597,206. There is also a considerable export trade estimated in 1905 at £132,686. Dye stuffs imported in 1905 were of a value estimated at £51,905.

The above analysis indicates briefly the extent and character of Irish trade. With regard to the question of the source or "country of origin" of the imports and the final destination of the exports, the existing returns furnish little in-

formation. The trade which passes directly between Ireland and colonial and foreign countries is known, and the more important details as regards this trade at the chief ports in Ireland are presented annually by the Board of Customs in their Statement of Trade and Navigation of the United Kingdom. But there is at present no means of distinguishing from the colonial and foreign trade of Great Britain, the indirect colonial and foreign trade of Ireland which passes to and from the Irish ports *via* those of Great Britain, especially Liverpool and London. Consequently the total trade of Ireland with countries outside of Great Britain cannot be at present ascertained.

At the same time, after examining carefully the quantities of goods shipped across Channel into and from Ireland, and as a result of inquiries made amongst traders, it is estimated that not more than one-fifth, if as much, of Irish exports goes to colonial and foreign countries, the other four-fifths remaining in Great Britain; and while it is much more difficult to ascertain what proportion of imports into Ireland are of colonial or foreign origin, it seems probable that at least one-third are articles of such origin, the remaining two-thirds being the produce of Great Britain.

With regard to the total extent of the Irish import and export trade, as shown in the records now furnished

Comparison with the imports per head of population amount
Foreign Trade of to £12 10s. 11*d.*, and the exports to £11 13s.
other Countries. 9*d.*; or if the estimated value of re-exports is excluded the imports amount to a value of

£11 19s. 6*d.* per head of population, and the exports to £11 2s. 5*d.* per head of population. This is a very considerable trade per

head of population, and it is of interest to compare it with the corresponding figures of the foreign trade of the chief industrial States as shown in the following table :—

STATEMENT showing for the year 1905 the estimated Population and the Value per head of Population of the Foreign Trade of the undermentioned Countries :—

COUNTRY.	Estimated Population.	Thousand £'s (000's omitted).		Imports per head of Population.	Exports per head of Population.
		Total Imports for Home Consumption.	Total Exports of Domestic Produce.		
	No.			£ s. d.	£ s. d.
France, . . .	39,000,000	191,156	194,676	4 18 0	4 19 10
Belgium, . . .	7,161,000	122,733	93,347	17 2 9	13 0 9
Germany, . . .	60,398,000	356,440	286,580	5 18 0	4 14 11
Holland, . . .	5,592,000	213,753	165,785	38 4 6	29 12 11
Denmark, . . .	2,575,000	26,807	21,718	10 8 3	8 8 8
Switzerland, . . .	3,461,000	52,650	37,592	15 4 0	10 17 0
Sweden, . . .	5,295,000	31,878	25,012	6 0 5	4 14 6
Norway, . . .	2,311,000	15,739	10,496	6 16 2	4 10 10
Austria-Hungary, . . .	47,355,000	89,422	93,491	1 17 9	1 19 6
Italy, . . .	33,604,000	82,583	69,237	2 9 2	2 1 2
Spain, . . .	18,900,000	42,363	38,195	2 4 10	2 0 5
Portugal, . . .	5,197,000	13,655	6,541	2 12 7	1 5 2
United States, . . .	83,143,000	250,136	357,907	3 0 2	4 6 1
Dominion of Canada, . . .	5,683,000	(Year ended 30th June, 1906). 52,730	41,414	9 5 7	7 5 9
Australian Commonwealth, . . .	4,058,000	(Year ended 30th June, 1905). 36,802	45,052†	9 1 4	11 2 0
Cape of Good Hope, . . .	2,470,000	19,771	13,038†	8 0 1	5 5 6
United Kingdom, . . .	43,218,000	487,240	329,817	11 5 5	7 12 7
Ireland, . . .	4,392,000	52,592	48,831	11 19 6	11 2 5

All the above particulars are exclusive of bullion and specie.

These figures show plainly that certain countries have by nature a much larger foreign trade per head of population than others. In general the wider the extent and the more varied the natural resources and the conditions of climate of a country the less likely is its foreign trade to be large. Such a State is to a large extent self-sufficient, and the different parts reciprocate and supply their mutual wants. Thus it is that the United States of America, with in all probability the highest total production per head of population, has a very small foreign trade. Thus also Germany with its great capacity for production, alike agricultural and industrial, has a comparatively limited foreign trade per head of population. In such cases increase or decrease in foreign trade is a very subordinate factor in the industrial progress of the country, and the growth in wealth depends on the internal development of the country and the internal trade, and

not to any large extent on the exchange of commodities with other nations. On the other hand, countries which are small in size and have good maritime communication, have in general a large foreign trade. Denmark has a foreign trade approaching in value per head of population that of Ireland. The imports for home consumption amounted in 1905 to £10 8s. 3d. per head of population, the exports of home production per head of population to £8 8s. 8d. The imports of Belgium for home consumption and manufacture amounted in 1905 to £17 2s. 9d., while exports of home production amount to £13 0s. 9d. Holland has a foreign trade which, taken per head of population, is far greater than that of any other country, the imports for home consumption amounting in 1905 to £38 4s. 6d., and the exports of home produce to £29 12s. 11d.

In these and all such cases of countries having a large external trade, import and export statistics are of great importance. For on the one hand, as regards exports, when a country is to any considerable extent engaged in producing for outside and open markets, full information as to its own and as to other trade in these markets is of the most practical value, while as regards imports, a knowledge of what these are in quantity and value is of great assistance to those who are investing capital and labour in internal industrial developments with a view to supplying the home markets. This commercial purpose is the main value of trade statistics, such as those submitted in the tables of the present Report. From a more general point of view the returns also furnish important evidence as to the producing and the purchasing power of the country. But in itself the increase in imports and exports is not an adequate proof of increased production or consumption. To determine this it is necessary to have also data of internal production and consumption. For while the probability is that expansion in foreign trade indicates an increased total production, it is possible that a nation whose foreign trade is expanding less rapidly than that of another country may be making the greater advance in industrial prosperity. In other words, internal production and trade may be advancing rapidly, and the nation, while supplying its own wants more completely, is selling less and purchasing less. These considerations are relevant to the proper understanding of the Irish import and export figures. The present statistics furnish evidence of a direct commercial value. They determine in one important sphere of trade the strength of demand and supply. But the wider inferences with regard to national gain or loss require much more complete data than are as yet available.

One further question arises out of the total figures of imports and exports, viz., the balance of trade. The total estimated values for the year 1905 show an excess of imports over exports amounting to £3,761,083. The revised figures for the year 1904

show a like excess of imports over exports estimated at £4,087,749. But, as was stated in the previous report, it is impossible to say with any certainty what is the real state of the balance of visible trade between Ireland and England. That cannot be determined until there is a complete and exact record of imports and exports. At present, with the imperfect information both as to quantities and values, it is of very great difficulty to estimate, especially in the case of imports, the total trade, and consequently the balance may be greater or less than is stated. The total estimates of imports and exports have, however, been made strictly in accordance with the existing evidence as to particular quantities and values, and there has been no attempt to balance the two sides or to try to show that the two sides should balance.

But whatever the actual balance of the Irish import and export trade may be, account must also be taken of the other forms of imports and exports which consist in the exchange in services and in property of various kinds, whether labour, investments, or money, and which directly affect the balance of visible trade. Most countries have an excess of imports over exports—Belgium, Germany, Holland, Denmark, Switzerland, Sweden, Norway, Italy, Spain, Portugal, and among the countries more recently settled, Canada and the Cape. The United States, France, Austria-Hungary, Australia, and New Zealand have a balance of exports over imports. But a false significance can easily be attached to those apparent balances, and conclusions may be drawn from them which the evidence does not warrant. The relations of the so-called invisible to the visible trade are complex and subtle, and because of these complex relationships an undue importance may be assigned to the action of one or more particular forces, an apparently simple explanation being put forward which does not in reality represent the causes determining the existing exchange. A nation may be paying for its imports in many ways, by goods which are now sent, by goods which have been sent in the past, by services, by remittances, whether in the form of shares or other property, as well as by various other means of exchange. In this connection it may be noted in passing that the returns of the amount of bullion held by the Irish Banks indicate no large import or export of bullion and specie—the temporary imports and exports being chiefly determined by the state of the note issues of the several Banks.

In the case of Ireland, reference may be made to some of the main entries which have to be filled in before the balance of the exchange can be completed.

First, there are remittances to Ireland of the interest and profits of capital invested outside of Ireland. It will be very difficult to form any reliable approximate estimate of the extent and value of these investments, but the Banking Statistics indicate that Government Stocks, excluding Irish Land Stocks, amounting to £23,277,000 were held in Ireland in December, 1905, and this sum represents only a very limited proportion of the total amount of Irish capital invested outside of Ireland. It does not

include foreign government securities or investments of capital in British and foreign railways or other commercial enterprises, and it is a matter of common knowledge that a very large amount of Irish capital has thus been invested both in British and in foreign enterprises and securities. It is evident that the interest received by people resident in Ireland on capital invested abroad amounts to a large annual sum.

Second, there are the remittances to Ireland by Irish people living abroad, as well as the earnings of migratory agricultural and other labourers who bring back with them to Ireland a considerable portion of their wages.*

Third, there are the earnings of Irish owned shipping in cross-channel or foreign trade. Inquiries have been made on this subject, but, in certain cases, the companies concerned have been unable to see their way to afford information regarding their receipts. At the same time the returns confidentially furnished are sufficient to show that very considerable earnings are annually made by Irish shipping in cross-channel and foreign trade approximating, at least, and possibly exceeding one million sterling.

Fourth, there is the revenue obtained from tourists and commercial travellers and other people temporarily resident in Ireland. This amounts to a large total annual sum, but no satisfactory evidence is available on which to form an estimate.

All these main elements and other minor considerations have to be taken into account in considering one side of the balance of imports and exports. On the other side there are also large sums of money remitted from Ireland to Great Britain or elsewhere, whether as rent or in payment of other charges. But, on both sides of the account, the information necessary to any approximate estimate is very inadequate, and, under these conditions, no satisfactory attempt can at present be made to balance the two sides. In any case the main question of practical importance is not that of being able to complete the balance but of ascertaining correctly the contributory items of greatest economic consequence, and, in this connection, the first step is that of obtaining a reliable system of returns as regards the visible trade.

The experience gained in making the present inquiries has brought out plainly the fact that it is not possible to obtain a complete and satisfactory record of the imports and exports of Ireland unless powers are given for this purpose to a public authority. The necessary information is not, at the present time, in the possession of any public body. The shipping companies do not possess it; the harbour authorities do not possess it; and there can be no adequate record until exporters are required to furnish a statement

* Inquiries made by the "*Statist*" indicate that remittances to Ireland through the Post Office, or the Banks, reach an amount estimated to exceed two millions sterling in the year 1906.

giving a definite description of the classes of goods, the quantity in weight or other measure, *e.g.*, yards, dozens, etc, and finally the estimated value of the goods. These three items of information are essential to any satisfactory system of returns. At present the information is incomplete. There are certain ports from which a record of only part of the trade can be obtained. The description or classification of goods is insufficient. Goods widely different in character and in value are returned under one name. Lastly, no statement is given as regards value.

To remedy these defects it is necessary that exporters, whether from or to Ireland, should furnish, as in the case of foreign trade, a statement of the character, quantity and value of the goods shipped and that such returns should be available for the information of the public authority entrusted with the duty of collecting the trade statistics of the country.

The references in the Consular Reports to Irish trade have been brought together and are reprinted in the first Appendix.* They represent only the references to be found in the Consular Reports dealing with the year ending 31st December, 1905. In the second Appendix a table is presented showing the quantities and values of imports of the chief articles of agricultural and horticultural produce into the United Kingdom from British possessions and from foreign countries, and the corresponding exports from Ireland to Great Britain.

Two diagrams are also attached to the report to show the monthly export of butter and eggs from Ireland to Great Britain, and the total monthly import into the United Kingdom from foreign countries. From the first diagram it will be seen that the Irish export of butter reaches its height in the month of July. The shipments returned for that month in 1905 amounted to 112,382 cwts. August was the second highest month of output, amounting to 100,032 cwts., June the third month, September and October the fourth and fifth, while the shipments in November were practically equal to those in May. The point of greatest increase in the output was between the months of May and June, the output for May amounting to between 50,000 and 60,000 cwts., whereas the output for June amounted to between 90,000 and 100,000 cwts. The comparison of the monthly export of butter from Ireland and the monthly import from Denmark is of special interest.

From the diagram showing the export of eggs it appears that in 1905 April was the month of greatest shipment, May was the second, and March the third. There was a very rapid rise in the output between February and March, the shipments increasing from 457,356 great hundreds in February to over 916,000 great hundreds in the month of March. After May there was a rapid decline in shipments from 960,255 great hundreds in May to

* In accordance with a reply of the Chief Secretary to Mr. Boland, M.P.

677,508 great hundreds in June. Thereafter the falling-off in shipments was slower until August when, again, there was a rapid decline in shipments, from 470,880 great hundreds to 283,818 great hundreds in September. In October there was a further considerable fall from 255,384 great hundreds to approximately 150,000 great hundreds in each of the months of November and December.

It should be stated that the diagrams both of butter and eggs in all probability tend to indicate the output as somewhat later than it actually occurs, owing to the fact that consignments despatched from centres in Ireland, in for example, the latter part of April may appear in some of the portal returns for the month of May. This tendency should be kept in mind in considering the diagrams.

I desire to acknowledge gratefully the assistance given by the port and harbour authorities of Ireland, the shipping companies, and by many individual importers and exporters. I am also specially indebted to the Principal of the Statistical Office, Board of Customs, and to the Comptroller-General of the Commercial, Labour, and Statistical Department of the Board of Trade, for much information kindly afforded.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

W. G. S. ADAMS,

*Superintendent of Statistics and
Intelligence Branch.*

Department of Agriculture and
Technical Instruction for Ireland.
16th July, 1907.

TOTAL RECORDED VALUE OF IMPORTS AND
EXPORTS IN 1904 AND 1905.

	1904.	1905.
IMPORTS,	. £53,299,930	£55,092,343
EXPORTS,	. £49,212,181	£51,331,260
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TOTAL,	. £102,512,111	£106,423,603

TABLES.

IMPORTS.

TABLE I.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
1	Aerated and Mineral Waters.	cwts.	6,040	—	*23,360
2	ALES, SPIRITS, WINES, AND OTHER BEVERAGES—				
	Ale and Beer, ..	barrels	28,649	25,061	101,421
	Porter,	hhd.	432	—	850
	Home-made Spirits (Whiskey, &c.)	proof galls.	229,226	48,923	127,466
	Foreign and Colonial Spirits (Brandy, Gin, Rum, &c.)	„	258,992	20,939	244,870
	Wine,	galls.	263,250	169,063	1,061,150
	Cider,	„	18,000	83,410	53,500
	Hop Bitters, ..	„	68,040	—	3,537
	Cordials,	„	2,025	—	1,035
	Juice (Lemon, Lime, and Orange).	„	5,814	—	10,377
3	ANIMALS—				
	Cattle,	No.	152	22	207
	Calves,	„	10	5	23
	Sheep,	„	15,386	182	14,345
	Lambs,	„	3	—	3,380
	Swine, Fat, ..	„	—	—	9
	„ Store,	„	2	—	8
	Goats,	„	—	—	4
	Horses—Stallions, ..	„	15	9	128
	Mares,	„	333	149	1,760
	Geldings,	„	851	214	1,287
	Mules and Jennets, ..	„	—	—	1
	Asses,	„	4	—	17
4	ARMS AND AMMUNITION—				
	Guns and Rifles, ..	cwts.	159	—	362
	Gunpowder,	„	2,100	—	4,962
	Cartridges,	„	—	—	—
	Shot,	„	1,242	—	1,378
5	ASBESTOS AND OTHER NON - CONDUCTING MATERIALS—				
	Asbestos,	cwts.	900	—	56
	Composition,	„	12,500	—	1,496
	Slagwool,	„	9,305	—	3,578

† These total quantities refer to the year ended 31st March, 1906, and are absolutely reliable. The figures for the separate ports are

VALUES OF COMMODITIES IMPORTED INTO IRELAND FROM GREAT BRITAIN
during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
5,269	34,669 cwts.	27,735	* £8,663 worth direct from Holland.	1
				2
*17,937	173,068 barrels	571,124	* Principally into Londonderry and Limerick.	
*337	1,619 hhds.	5,215	* Principally into Coleraine.	
26,715	1432,330 proof galls.	†82,863	† Exclusive of duty.	
43,558	1568,359 „	†120,776	† Exclusive of duty.	
107,389	1,600,852 galls.	†513,607	† Exclusive of duty.	
17,280	172,190 „	8,610		
*81,306	152,883 „	5,733	* Principally into Londonderry, Dundalk, and Newry.	
126	3,186 „	206		
1,035	17,226 „	1,292		
				3
*203	584 No.	17,520	* Almost all into Larne, Waterford, and Londonderry.	
9	47 „	235		
*4,188	34,101 „	74,454	* Principally into Larne, Londonderry, Waterford, and Dundalk.	
*5,339	8,722 „	12,102	* Almost all into Londonderry.	
-	9 „	27		
4	14 „	28		
3	7 „	4		
27	179 „	44,750		
*590	2,832 „	70,800	* Principally into Larne and Waterford.	
*645	2,997 „	74,925	* Principally into Larne and Waterford.	
-	1 „	12		
57	78 „	195		
				4
29	550 cwts.	33,000		
*2,282	9,344 „	21,257	* All into Arklow and Carrickfergus.	
318	318 „	1,590		
261	2,881 „	2,161		
				5
129	1,085 cwts.	3,391		
297	14,293 „	6,075		
245	13,128 „	3,938		

having been ascertained through the courtesy of the Inland Revenue and Customs Departments.
approximates based on the Portal Returns.

IMPORTS.TABLE I.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
6	Asphalt and Bitumen,	tons	1,332	59	794
7	Biscuits,	cwts.	25,540	4,250	14,367
8	Beds and Bedsteads,	„	22,700	—	12,757
9	Brushes and Brooms,	„	11,440	1,385	9,682
	Bristles,	lbs.	21,280	—	298,592
10	Butter,	cwts.	24,000	1,178	27,626
11	Margarine,	„	13,880	1,265	25,588
12	Candles,	„	6,980	13,477	26,219
13	CARRIAGES, CARS, ETC.—				
	Carriages,	No.	140	—	672
	Cars,	„	548	—	—
	Carts, Lorries and Vans,	„	247	—	165
	Tram Cars,	tons	857	—	—
	Trucks and Waggon,	cwts.	10,629	—	4,843
	Handcarts and Wheelbarrows.	No.	410	—	366
	Mail Carts, Perambulators and Parts thereof.	cwts.	1,540	—	1,013
	Axles,	tons	108	—	173
	Gig Shafts,	cwts.	8	—	171
	Spokes and Felloes,	No.	—	—	6,801
	Wheels,	cwts.	8,708	—	8,150
	Motor Cars,	value	—	—	—
	Motor Cycles,	„	—	—	—
	Cycles,	„	—	—	—
14	Cement	tons,	56,397	12,191	40,887
15	Charcoal	cwts.	4,820	774	2,016
16	Cheese	„	22,020	3,213	12,465

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	No. Index
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
2	*2,187 tons	£ 5,249	* One-third direct from Germany.	6
*6,581	50,738 cwts.	63,423	* Principally into Londonderry.	7
*4,167	39,624 „	59,436	* Chiefly into Waterford, Sligo, and Dundalk.	8
2,201	24,708 „	58,064	£3,700 worth and £1,888 worth into Dublin and Belfast respectively, direct from abroad—chiefly from Germany and Holland.	9
—	319,872 lbs.	55,978		
839	53,643 cwts.	246,758		10
*1,594	42,327 „	106,876	* Chiefly into Londonderry. £14,688 worth and £7,281 worth into Belfast and Dublin respectively, direct from Holland.	11
*13,462	60,138 „	84,193	* Principally into Limerick, Londonderry, and Waterford.	12
9	821 No.	57,470		13
10	558 „	11,160		
108	520 „	9,360		
—	857 tons	51,935		
*1,689	17,161 cwts.	15,159	* Principally into Londonderry and Newry.	
183	959 No.	1,558		
236	2,789 cwts.	6,973		
*83	364 tons	3,094	* All into Dundalk and Londonderry.	
*160	339 cwts.	339	* Almost all into Limerick.	
720	7,521 No.	188		
*4,176	21,034 cwts.	31,551	* Almost all into Dundalk.	
—	—	136,000	No reliable returns as to number available.	
—	—	40,000		
—	—	255,000		
*27,106	136,581 tons	215,115	* Principally into Londonderry, Waterford, and Limerick. £1,497 worth, £18,498 worth and £2,781 worth into Belfast, Dublin, and Limerick, respectively, direct from abroad—almost all from Belgium.	14
447	8,057 cwts.	2,417		15
3,397	41,095 „	106,847		16

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
17	CHEMICALS, DRUGS, ETC.—				
	Acid, unclassified, ..	cwts.	18,220	5,418	5,846
	Alkali,	"	1,660	—	2,995
	Alum,	"	1,320	—	2,491
	Ammonia,	"	1,200	—	2,286
	Blue,	"	840	—	1,082
	Borax,	"	—	—	313
	Carbide of Calcium,	"	960	—	*11,007
	Copper Sulphate, ..	tons	879	—	333
	Cream of Tartar, ..	cwts.	3,640	—	1,203
	Earth, Fuller's, ..	"	1,605	—	1,103
	Finings,	"	3	—	9
	Gas,	"	—	—	2,272
	Glycerine,	"	960	—	382
	Isinglass,	"	—	—	334
	Pot and Pearl Ashes,	"	3,600	17,663	311
	Powder, Washing and Bleaching.	"	67,580	—	5,729
	Powder, Soap,	"	8,540	—	2,211
	Saltpetre,	"	1,860	796	3,847
	Salts, Epsom,	"	7,360	—	2,633
	Sheepwash,	"	1,540	—	4,189
	Soda,	"	104,740	35,556	46,158
	„ Bicarbonate of,	"	—	—	24,964
	„ Caustic,	"	—	—	6,948
	„ Ash,	"	77,700	—	5,162
	Salt Cake (Sulphate of Soda).	"	21,840	—	3,437
	Sulphur,	"	15,081	420	1,022
	Vitriol,	"	18,940	—	654
	Chemicals and Drugs, unclassified.	"	26,721	4,002	27,259

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
*3,591 216	33,075 cwts. 4,871 "	£ 41,344 1,218	* Chiefly into Arklow.	17
5,074	8,885 "	2,666		
3,810	7,296 "	12,403		
353	2,275 "	3,413		
407	720 "	507		
541	12,508 "	8,912	* £5,253 worth direct from foreign ports—chiefly from Italy.	
365	1,577 tons	32,723		
768	5,611 cwts.	23,005		
83	2,791 "	419		
*1,043	1,055 "	950	* All into Dundalk.	
*3,024	5,296 "	5,296	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
*6,818	8,160 "	12,138	* Almost all into Arklow.	
—	334 "	7,482		
86	21,660 "	36,822		
*21,486	94,795 "	24,489	* Almost all into Larne.	
—	10,751 "	10,751		
*1,048	7,551 "	8,306	* Principally into Waterford and Londonderry. Five-sixths into Belfast and nearly all into Dublin direct from Germany.	
*1,797	11,790 "	2,948	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
383	6,112 "	30,560		
*39,695	226,149 "	36,749	* Principally into Londonderry, Limerick, and Wexford.	
*8,311	33,275 "	11,646	* Principally into Sligo and Dundalk.	
—	6,948 "	3,416		
*12,743	95,605 "	22,706	* Almost all into Newry.	
*1,668	26,945 "	2,694	* Almost all into Limerick and Waterford.	
469	16,992 "	5,947		
1,534	21,128 "	3,962		
6,461	64,443 "	33,028	It is probable that additional quantities of the commodities specifically mentioned above are included under this heading.	

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
17	FERTILISERS—				
	Basic Slag, ..	tons	1,167	1,975	6,026
	Bone Manure, ..	"	302	—	13
	Guano,	"	21	280	*1,945
	Kainit,	"	1,972	—	1,099
	Soda, Nitrate of, ..	"	352	—	415
	Sulphate of Ammonia, ..	"	84	—	437
	Mineral Phosphate— Raw.	"	*8,331	†6,538	†40,067
	Superphosphate, ..	"	—	—	—
	Artificial Manures, unclassified.	"	7,774	10,694	19,201
18	CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND RAW MATERIALS THEREFOR—				
	Clay,	tons	—	—	147
	Fireclay, ..	cwts.	15,420	—	16,421
	Pipe Clay, ..	"	3,420	270	2,726
	Bricks,	"	—	52,350	145,566
	Bricks, Fireclay, ..	"	160,320	—	175,678
	Tiles,	"	212,180	7,973	58,301
	Terra Cotta, ..	"	794	—	2,043
	Fireclay Goods, ..	"	40,600	5,410	58,764
	Sewer and Drain Pipes, ..	"	100,100	2,015	28,821
	Flowerpots, Clay, ..	"	1,660	—	408
	Earthenware, un- classified.	"	70,936	45,005	64,807

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		17
*5,792	14,960 tons	29,920	* Principally into Tralee, Limerick, Londonderry, Waterford, and Newry.	
*2,318	2,633 "	13,165	* Chiefly into Dundalk and Ballina.	
†1,246	3,492 "	20,952	* Nearly all direct from Peru. † All into Galway and direct from Peru.	
*1,814	4,885 "	12,213	* Almost all into Londonderry and Coleraine.	
1,356	2,123 "	23,353	It is known that additional quantities of these Fertilisers were imported as Artificial Manures—unclassified.	
353	874 "	10,925		
§9,144	64,080 "	96,120	* Chiefly from Tunis. † Chiefly from U.S.A. and Tunis. ‡ Direct from abroad—chiefly U.S.A. and Algeria. § One-half into Drogheda; remainder into Londonderry and Wicklow.	
*1,020	1,020 "	2,550	* Principally into Dungarvan, Waterford, and Portrush.	
*24,941	62,610 "	388,008	* Principally into Londonderry, Galway, Sligo, and Waterford.	18
80	227 tons	85		
8,723	40,564 cwts.	1,437		
*6,441	12,857 "	7,714	* Almost all into Galway.	
*130,182	328,098 "	16,405	* Principally into Larne, Dundalk, Limerick, Westport, and Galway. Some of these were Fireclay Bricks.	
*4,149	340,147 "	17,007	* See Bricks.	
*30,410	308,864 "	42,469	* Principally into Limerick, Carrickfergus, Coleraine, Newry, and Londonderry.	
51	2,888 "	1,444		
*53,485	158,259 "	146,389	* Principally into Londonderry, Larne, and Kingstown.	
*15,128	146,064 "	13,389	* Principally into Limerick and Newry.	
893	2,961 "	666		
*33,871	214,619 "	64,386	* Principally into Londonderry, and Limerick.	

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
18	CHINA, EARTHENWARE, &c.— <i>con.</i> China Clay, ..	cwts.	6,500	—	15
	China ware, ..	„	1,120	—	3,463
19	Chocolate, ..	lbs.	42,560	—	74,480
20	Cocoa, ..	„	1,359,792	†31,099	2,123,296
21	Clocks, ..	cwts.	1,280	—	1,338
22	Coal, ..	tons	1,517,325	451,176	1,091,943
	Coke, ..	„	6,396	2,811	7,593
23	Coffee, ..	lbs.	134,400	205,968	542,528
	Chicory, ..	„	6,272	—	14,336
24	DYES AND TANNING SUBSTANCES— Aniline, ..	cwts.	1,250	—	—
	Copperas, ..	„	1,426	—	276
	Iron Liquor, ..	„	12,020	—	—
	Logwood, ..	tons	62	—	28
	Cutch, ..	„	17	—	14
	Myrabolans, ..	cwts.	—	—	—
	Sumach, ..	tons	3	22	8
	Gambier, ..	„	7	—	—
	Valonia, ..	„	24	62	5
	Bark, ..	cwts.	665	*5,445	†1,120
	Extract, ..	„	—	—	228
	Dyes and Tanning Substances — unclassified.	„	23,961	1,515	1,942
25	Eggs, ..	Gt. hdrds.	*63,240	—	51,906
	Egg Yolks, ..	cwts.	—	—	447

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		18
*43,318	49,833 cwts.	3,115	* Almost all into Larne.	
249	4,832 „	25,368		
556	117,596 lbs.	*10,633	* Exclusive of duty.	19
80,896	3,595,083 „	*325,055	* Exclusive of duty.	20
534	3,152 cwts.	9,456	† Direct from Holland.	21
1,217,789	4,278,233 tons	2,246,073		22
4,787	21,587 „	15,472		
113,540	996,436 lbs.	*24,688	* Exclusive of duty.	23
785	21,393 „	*296	* Exclusive of duty.	
				24
—	1,250 cwts.	10,172	Direct from foreign parts—chiefly from Holland.	
*2,823	4,525 „	1,810	* Almost all into Sligo.	
*284	12,304 „	5,537		
13	103 tons	484		
23	54 „	1,620		
*1,438	1,438 cwts.	360	* Almost all into Limerick.	
13	46 tons	460		
10	17 „	340		
194	285 „	2,850		
†3,026	10,256 cwts.	3,590	* Nearly all direct from Algeria. † Two-thirds direct from Belgium. † Mostly into Limerick and Newry.	
*5,354	5,582 „	3,070	* Almost all into Limerick.	
*20,168	47,586 „	21,612	* Almost all into Larne. It is probable that additional quantities of the dyeing and tanning substances specifically mentioned above, are included under the general heading.	
856	116,002 Gt. hdrds.	41,084	* Two-thirds direct from foreign parts—chiefly Russia.	25
I	448 cwts.	1,680		

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
26	FATS.				
	Lard,	cwts.	66,120	2,371	15,478
	Stearine,	"	3,280	—	—
	Tallow,	"	11,596	2,695	9,420
	Grease,	"	8,220	—	11,172
27	Feathers,	"	5	1,157	385
28	FISH.				
	Herrings, Fresh, ..	"	1,122	—	9,016
	Herrings, Cured, ..	"	27,660	14,985	16,828
	Fish—Dried and Preserved,	"	23,240	29,065	17,582
	Fish—unclassified ..	"	31,580	8,710	64,050
	<i>Shell Fish.</i>				
	Oysters,	"	—	—	—
	Shell Fish, (unclassified),	"	440	—	1,140
29	Fishing Nets,	"	320	—	1,740
30	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.				
	Apples and Pears, ..	"	61,900	—	49,002
	Grapes,	"	9,480	—	6,630
	Melons,	"	—	—	2,842
	Oranges,	"	65,060	15,560	50,515
	Lemons,	"	10,940		9,641
	Tomatoes,.. ..	"	—		—
	Almonds,	"	—	—	969
	Nuts,	"	6,060	—	2,592
	" Cocoa,	"	—	—	2,894
	Currants,	"	—	—	21,835
	Raisins,	"	—	—	14,732
	Dates,	"	—	—	1,775
	Figs,	"	—	—	2,352
	Fruit—unclassified,..	"	40,790	3,030	66,727

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
*5,658	89,627 cwts.	[£] 224,068	* Mostly into Limerick and Londonderry.	26
282	3,562 "	6,679		
*1,860	25,571 "	35,160	* Almost all into Limerick.	
778	20,170 "	8,068		
25	1,572 "	4,716		27
769	10,907 "	4,545		28
*19,620	79,093 "	59,320	* Principally into Londonderry and Sligo.	
*4,084	73,971 "	89,690	* Mostly into Londonderry. It is probable that additional quantities of herrings were included in this heading.	
*21,512	125,852 "	115,364	* Mostly into Limerick and Waterford. It is probable that additional quantities of herrings were included in this heading.	
*7,265	7,265 "	4,359	* Almost all into Newry.	
78	1,658 "	1,927	Chiefly oysters.	
565	2,625 "	10,500		29
*15,471	126,373 "	113,736	* Mostly into Londonderry and Dundalk.	30
*2,268	18,378 "	42,729	* Mostly into Londonderry, Limerick, and Dundalk.	
*1,057	3,899 "	1,560	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
20,259	†143,614 "	†71,807	† Lemons and oranges are bulked together in the Cork returns.	
3,234	†31,595 "	†23,696		
*639	639 "	1,406	* Mostly into Londonderry, Dundalk, and Waterford.	
33	1,002 "	2,204		
1,542	10,194 "	15,801		
101	2,995 "	1,198		
*11,786	33,621 "	†33,621	* Principally into Limerick, Londonderry, and Waterford.	
			† Exclusive of duty.	
*6,265	20,997 "	†33,595	* Mostly into Limerick and Londonderry.	
			† Exclusive of duty.	
298	2,073 "	1,451		
272	2,624 "	*3,280	* Exclusive of duty.	
*16,733	127,280 "	109,249	* Mostly into Wexford. It is probable that additional quantities of the fruit specifically mentioned above are included under this general heading.	

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
30	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES — <i>con.</i> Fruit—Dried and Preserved.	cwts.	81,350	12,330	7,220
	Jams and Preserves, Onions,	„ „	17,300 101,380	— 10,651	38,988 51,942
	Potatoes,	tons	1,017	—	11,213
	Vegetables—unclassified.	„	144	—	202
	Plants and Bulbs, ..	cwts.	6,540	—	11,754
31	Glass and Glassware—unclassified,	„	64,720	19,565	72,924
	Cullet, Bottles,	„ „	160 134,460	— 24,580	28,984 85,612
32	Glue,	„	6,140	—	3,773
33	Gum,	„	700	—	541
34	GRAIN, FLOUR AND FEED- ING STUFFS.				
	Wheat,	„	1,547,600	1,398,540	2,523,280
	Oats,	„	189,480	42,598	191,678
	Barley,	„	458,020	65,178	495,866

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		30
*1,381	102,281 cwts.	126,146	* Mostly into Wexford. It is probable that additional quantities of the fruit specifically mentioned above are included under this general heading.	
*10,262	66,550 „	93,170	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
*29,385	193,358 „	48,340	* Chiefly into Londonderry and Newry. £2,242 worth and £3,214 worth into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from abroad—chiefly Holland.	
*2,722	14,952 tons	42,613	* Principally into Limerick, Waterford, and Westport.	
77	423 „	323		
722	19,016 cwts.	71,310		
*26,775	183,984 „	151,787	* Principally into Londonderry, Limerick, Waterford, and Sligo. £18,688 worth and £27,127 worth into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from abroad—chiefly from Belgium.	31
-	29,144 „	911		
*36,441	281,093 „	98,383	* Principally into Limerick, Londonderry, Newry, and Sligo. £16,659 worth, £6,479 worth, and £1,949 worth into Belfast, Dublin, and Cork, respectively, direct from abroad—chiefly from Holland.	
367	10,280 „	12,336		32
47	1,288 „	3,993		33
				34
* 2,033,126	7,502,546 „	2,907,237	* Over half into Limerick.	
42,158	465,914 „	128,126	Four-fifths into Belfast, and seven-eighths into Dublin direct from abroad.	
189,061	1,208,125 „	362,438	About half of this was imported direct from S. Russia.	

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
34	GRAIN, FLOUR AND FEED- ING STUFFS— <i>con.</i>				
	Malt,	cwts.	8,460	89,690	590,713
	Rye,	"	273,000	1,545	90,191
	Maize or Indian Corn,	"	3,915,140	1,523,855	973,163
	Peas,	"	20,680	—	7,656
	Beans,	"	8,490	—	3,058
	Tares and Vetches ..	"	3,969	—	934
	Lentils,	"	880	—	888
	Hops,	"	449	4,040	58,311
	Rice,	"	34,500	13,700	16,807
	Sago,	"	30,620	—	2,863
	Tapioca,	"	7,180	—	1,134.
	Wheat Flour,	"	†1,994,260	291,820	†1,017,448
	Farina,	"	20,805	—	3,333
	Oatmeal,	"	†26,874	—	†15,033
	Indian Meal,	"	8,980	—	5,338
	Linseed Meal,	"	2,500	—	2,695

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		34
48,961	737,824 cwts.	451,917		
*99,179	463,915 "	139,175	* Almost all into Londonderry.	
*4,854,038	11,266,196 "	2,957,376	* Principally into Londonderry, Limerick, Sligo, Waterford, and Newry.	
2,770	31,106 "	13,350		
1,761	13,309 "	5,157		
234	5,137 "	1,798		
144	1,912 "	813		
*3,526	66,326 "	331,630	* Principally into Dundalk and Waterford.	
*11,460	76,467 "	36,003	* Principally into Waterford, Londonderry and Wexford.	
124	33,607 "	13,023		
870	9,184 "	5,702		
*2,291,679	5,595,207 "	2,797,604	* Principally into Londonderry, Ballina, Sligo, Westport, Wexford, Galway, and Newry. † One-fourth direct from U.S.A. ‡ Nearly half direct from U.S.A.	
*8,512	32,650 "	19,590	* Principally into Londonderry. £ 15,818 worth and £ 6,741 worth of Starch and Farina into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from Belgium, Holland, and Germany	
*109,242	151,149 "	75,575	* Principally into Sligo, Limerick, and Westport. † Direct from U.S.A. and Canada. See "Meal — unclassified," below.	
690	15,008 "	6,441	See "Cattle Meal" and "Meal, unclassified," below.	
*9,791	14,986 "	9,746	* Mostly into Sligo, Tralee, and Limerick. See "Cattle Meal" and "Meal, unclassified," below.	

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Ind x No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
34	GRAIN, FLOUR, AND FEED- ING STUFFS— <i>con.</i>				
	Cotton Meal, ..	cwts.	44,460	—	19,142
	Cattle Meal, ..	"	129,080	—	—
	Meal—unclassified, ..	"	65,306	46,098	151,148
	Bran and Pollard, ..	"	299,780	67,105	203,156
	Grain Offal, ..	"	3,620	—	17,479
	Grains,	"	59,040	—	2,771
	Cattle Food, ..	tons	19	3,303	3,870
	Linseed Cake, ..	"	13,283	—	8,378
	Cotton Seed Cake, ..	"	*8,115	—	*4,455
	Dog Biscuits, ..	cwts.	—	—	2,106
35	Hay and Straw, ..	tons	1,045	†1,001	*4,378
	Straw Envelopes, ..	cwts.	4,880	1,329	3,399
36	HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
	Hides,	"	} 467	{ †1,936	1,332
	Skins,	"			

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		34
2,443	66,045 cwts.	23,116	See "Cattle Meal," and "Meal, unclassified," below.	
26,146	155,226 "	38,807	Probably almost entirely composed of Indian Meal, Linseed Meal, and Cotton Meal.	
*126,155	388,707 "	97,177	* Principally into Wexford and Coleraine. Probably composed of Indian Meal, Oatmeal, Linseed Meal, and Cotton Meal.	
*393,800	963,841 "	216,864	* Principally into Larne, Sligo, Londonderry, Westport, Newry, Galway, Tralee.	
*41,263	62,362 "	11,693	* Chiefly into Clarecastle.	
*30,934	92,745 "	23,186	* Almost all into Larne and Carrickfergus.	
*9,844	17,036 tons	76,662	* Principally into Londonderry, Larne, Waterford, and Wexford. It is probable that additional quantities of the Cattle Foods specifically mentioned on this return are included in the figures given here for "Cattle Food."	
1,710	23,371 "	167,102	Nearly all direct from Russia and U.S.A.	
1,353	13,923 "	76,577	* Direct from U.S.A.	
953	3,059 cwts.	2,294		
534	6,958 tons	19,135	* Straw valued at £6,277 imported direct from France.	35
415	10,023 cwts.	6,515	† Straw—all direct from France.	
				36
*5,375	†8,877 "	†29,294	* Almost all into Limerick.	
38	†271 "	†1,016	† Hides and Skins were bulked together in the returns received from Belfast.	
			‡ Three-fourths direct from Holland.	

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
36	HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF— <i>con.</i> Leather,	cwts.	36,416	2,523	16,704
	Boots and Shoes, ..	"	52,080	11,956	63,686
	Saddlery and Harness, ..	"	960	—	1,553
	Belts and Belting, ..	"	640	—	223
	Clogs,	"	113	—	397
37	Honey,	"	159	—	72
38	Horns and Hoofs, ..	"	—	—	95
39	Ice,	tons	1,703	2,469	1,050
40	India-Rubber Goods, ..	cwts.	5,300	—	6,149
	Gutta-Percha, ..	"	5	—	2
41	Ink,	"	3,380	—	3,492
42	INSTRUMENTS—MUSICAL. Organs,	"	1,400	—	365
	Pianos,	No.	1,092	—	1,207
	Musical Instruments— unclassified, ..	cwts.	920	—	1,154
43	Instrument — Nautical and Scientific, ..	"	210	—	1
44	Ivory,	"	—	—	2
45	Lime,	"	1,020	—	775
46	MACHINERY. Machinery—Agricul- tural,	tons	12	23	14
	Machinery — Textile, ..	"	500	—	16

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value		
		£		36
*8,767	64,410 cwts.	450,870	* Chiefly into Waterford, Sligo, and Londonderry.	
*10,998	138,720 „	1,786,020	* Chiefly into Londonderry, Dundalk, and Sligo.	
135	2,648 „	37,072		
77	940 „	10,528		
3	513 „	2,180		
6	237 „	326		37
-	95 „	190		38
7,296	12,518 tons	5,998	Nearly all from Norway.	39
460	11,909 cwts.	225,080		40
-	7 „	56		
639	7,511 „	3,160		41
238	2,003 „	12,018		42
116	2,415 No.	84,525	137 valued at £3,420, and 108 valued at £3,256 into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from Germany.	
43	2,117 cwts.	15,878		
*145	356 „	79,744	* All into Londonderry.	43
-	2 „	80		44
3,747	5,542 „	231		45
				46
*588	637 tons	25,480	* Mostly into Limerick and Londonderry. See "Machinery—unclassified," below.	
64	580 „	46,400	See "Machinery—unclassified," below.	

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46	MACHINERY— <i>con.</i>				
	Machinery—unclassified	tons	10,933	1,450	9,295
47	Matches,	cwts.	†14,520	1,467	9,376
48	MEAT, POULTRY AND GAME.				
	Beef,	„	29,020	*85,660	15,147
	Mutton,	„	1,304	15,635	22,541
	Pork,	„	208	*3,611	733
	Bacon,	„	89,060	—	426,162
	Hams,	„	12,660	—	19,771
	Pigs' Heads, ..	„	—	83,360	—
	Meat, Preserved and Canned.	„	40,261	—	5,961
	Meat, Coarse, ..	„	3,651	—	58,601
	Poultry,	„	320	—	2,914
	Rabbits,	„	240	—	688
	Game,	„	64	—	17
	Provisions and Groceries.	„	*13,720	—	*22,931

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		
1,400	23,078 tons	1,153,900	It is probable that a considerable portion of this was made up of Agricultural Machinery and Textile Machinery, and accordingly the figures for these two classes, as stated above, are too small.	46
*10,151	35,514 cwts.	79,906	* Principally into Limerick, Londonderry, and Waterford. † £8,395 worth direct from Sweden and Belgium.	47
				48
2,310	132,137 "	234,543	* Beef and Pork are bulked together in the Cork Returns.	
1,241	40,721 "	78,388		
94	4,646 "	4,394	See "Beef."	
			* This was Salted Pork valued at £2,991, direct from Germany.	
*214,715	729,937 "	1,697,104	* Principally into Limerick, Sligo, Dundalk, Londonderry, and Newry.	
*2,583	35,014 "	82,720	* Principally into Londonderry and Dundalk.	
*11,136	94,496 "	47,248	* Principally into Limerick and Waterford.	
1,496	47,718 "	119,295		
1,977	64,229 "	16,057		
31	3,265 "	9,142	It has been found impossible to differentiate between live and dead poultry.	
2	930 "	1,186		
2	83 "	291		
†30,034	66,685 "	132,259	* Called Groceries—stated to include Bacon, Hams, &c. † Mostly into Wexford.	

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
49	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
	<i>Metals.</i>				
	Antimony, ..	tons	4	—	1
	Brass and Bronze, ..	"	445	—	79
	Copper, ..	"	1,655	—	220
	Lead, ..	"	2,174	421	*1,821
	Pig Iron, ..	"	10,133	70	1,295
	Scrap Iron, ..	"	2,903	—	14
	Steel, ..	"	64,080	1,762	*1,350
	Tin, ..	"	1,267	2,007	48
	Zinc, ..	"	141	34	130
	Solder, ..	"	—	—	14
	Yellow Metal, ..	"	93	—	1
	Manganese, ..	"	193	—	80
	Silver, ..	Troy ozs.	—	—	49,728
	Quicksilver, ..	lbs.	112	—	1,904
	Plate, ..	Troy ozs.	—	—	65,856
	Metal Ashes, ..	tons	217	—	50
	<i>Metal Manufactures.</i>				
	Bar and Wrought Iron, ..	"	37,310	7,502	14,560
	Girders, Beams, and Joists, ..	"	*513	—	†1,562
	Plates and Sheets, ..	"	9,534	—	5,141
	Hoops and Strips, ..	"	880	—	*228
	Anchors and Chains, ..	"	1,233	38	528
	Anvils and Vices, ..	cwts.	800	—	387
	Bolts, Rivets, and Nuts, ..	tons	5,344	276	1,866
	Nails and Screws, ..	"	2,848	995	2,114
	Gutters, Pipes, Bends, Runs, Shoes, Offsets, &c., ..	cwts.	8,280	—	1,533
	Type, ..	tons	24	—	36
	Meters, ..	"	150	—	40
	Safes, ..	"	99	—	47
	Pumps, ..	cwts.	3,360	—	436
	Cables, Electric, ..	"	21,220	—	900
	Trunks, ..	"	1,300	—	2,178
	Forks and Rakes, ..	"	24,040	—	24,975

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		49
-	5 tons	320		
13	537 "	40,275		
39	1,914 "	141,636		
342	4,758 "	70,418	* 898 tons valued at £11,277 came direct from Spain.	
*3,599	15,097 "	47,556	* Principally into Wexford and Waterford.	
-	2,917 "	5,105		
583	67,775 "	1,050,513	* One-third direct from Belgium.	
*986	4,308 "	100,376	* Chiefly into Limerick.	
16	321 "	8,667		
1	15 "	1,020		
-	94 "	5,405		
2	275 "	1,100		
-	49,728 Troy oz	6,838		
-	2,016 lbs.	202		
-	65,856 Troy oz	20,854		
17	284 tons	2,414		
*1,936	61,308 "	456,745	* Principally into Newry, Ballina, and Sligo.	
911	2,986 "	17,170	* Direct from Belgium, valued at £3,591.	
			† Direct from Belgium, valued at £9,259.	
*2,281	16,956 "	133,952	* Principally into Londonderry and Sligo.	
150	1,258 "	10,190	* Imported direct from U.S.A. and valued at £1,953.	
45	1,844 "	31,348		
368	1,555 cwts.	1,944		
539	8,025 tons	92,288		
876	6,833 "	71,746		
*162,622	172,435 cwts.	56,041	* Principally into Kingstown, Newry, and Sligo.	
4	64 tons	8,320		
10	200 "	38,000		
4	150 "	4,500		
41	3,837 cwts.	10,744		
543	22,663 "	305,951		
244	3,722 "	5,583		
677	49,692 "	68,326		

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin
49	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF— <i>con.</i>				
	Spades, Shovels, etc.,	cwts.	2,320	—	1,255
	Scythes, Hooks, etc.,	„	1,061	—	230
	Boilers and Cylinders,	„	31,970	—	11,409
	Railway Plant—Iron Chairs, Buffers, Fish-plates, etc., ..	tons	287	—	7,679
	Ranges, Stoves, Ovens, and parts of same,	cwts.	15,506	—	18,296
	Basins, Tanks, Cisterns, etc., ..	„	—	—	—
	Pots, Pans, Buckets, etc., ..	„	8,420	—	12,116
	Wire and Wire Netting, Hardware, ..	tons cwts.	1,978 89,945	436 6,810	1,546 88,441
	Electro-plated Ware, Iron Manufactures—unclassified, ..	„ tons	1,340 15,705	— 2,520	1,760 10,528
	<i>Ores.</i>				
	Iron Ore, ..	„	6	—	71
	Sulphur Ore, ..	„	†6,620	3,042	†23,625
	Lead Ore, ..	„	19	—	1
	Ore—unclassified, ..	„	†5,760	—	—
50	Milk—Condensed, ..	cwts.	6,800	1,030	7,285
51	Moss, ..	„	506	—	4
52	OILS.				
	Cotton Oil, ..	tons	—	—	295
	Linseed Oil, ..	„	—	—	191
	Naphtha, ..	galls.	540	—	160,520
	Petroleum and Paraffin Oil, ..	„	8,408,242	—	5,887,599
	Oleo and Oleine, ..	cwts.	—	—	—
	Turpentine, ..	„	6,320	—	7,326
	Oils, unclassified, ..	„	†184,200	109,005	†455,344

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value		
		£		49
563	4,138 cwts.	5,690		
908	2,199 "	3,463		
2,729	46,108 "	92,216		
*8,446	16,412 tons	123,090	* Principally into Dundalk and Kingstown.	
*3,453	37,255 cwts.	44,706	* A large quantity into Limerick and Newry.	
1,006	1,006 "	880		
*3,407	23,943 "	14,964	* Principally into Limerick, Dundalk, Newry, and Sligo.	
458	4,418 tons	37,553		
*22,571	207,767 cwts.	441,505	* Principally into Londonderry, Dundalk, and Wexford.	
-	3,100 "	51,925		
8,400	37,153 tons	766,281		
-	77 "	58		
*5,491	38,778 "	31,022	* Principally into Wicklow, Londonderry, and Drogheda.	
			† Direct from Spain.	
*300	320 "	2,560	* All into Kingstown.	
*1,200	6,960 "	8,207	* All Copper Ore—imported at Wicklow.	
			† Direct from France.	
*2,318	17,433 cwts.	†24,624	* Mostly into Waterford, Limerick, Dundalk, and Londonderry.	50
			† Exclusive of duty.	
I	511 "	409		51
5	300 tons	6,075		52
181	372 "	6,975		
5,892	166,952 galls.	5,217		
2,116,126	16,411,967 "	410,299	From U.S.A. and Russia direct.	
5,258	5,258 cwts.	7,887	Almost all into Limerick.	
1,559	15,205 "	34,591		
*101,255	849,804 "	509,882	* Chiefly into Londonderry, Limerick, and Wexford.	
			† Other than Petroleum and Paraffin.	
			It is probable that additional quantities of the oils specifically mentioned above are included in these figures.	

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53	PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS. Paints—unclassified,	cwts.	57,200	9,905	34,423
	Lead Paint, ..	"	—	—	1,879
	Varnish, ..	"	6,677	—	6,986
	Lampblack, ..	"	1,120	—	77
	Iron Oxide, ..	"	40	—	11,158
	Barytes, ..	"	1,126	—	249
	Mineral, White, ..	"	—	—	119
	Mineral, Black, ..	"	—	—	129
	Putty, ..	"	5,700	—	5,341
	Sizing, ..	"	5,820	—	861
	Shellac, ..	"	133	—	45
54	PAPER AND PRINTED MATTER. Paper, ...	"	248,320	54,450	318,657
	Paper Pulp, ..	"	100	—	6,472
	Wood Pulp, ..	tons	19,705	—	71
	Foreign Grass, ..	cwts.	3,300	—	814
	Cardboard & Millboards	"	26,386	—	10,876
	Strawboard, ..	"	*40,934	*687	*9,460
	Stationery, ..	"	13,360	—	28,668
	Books, ..	value	—	—	—
	Showcards, ..	cwts.	5,420	—	2,514
	Other Printed Matter, Newspapers, etc., ..	"	18,580	—	20,870
55	Paraffin Shale, ..	"	28,460	—	—
56	Peat Litter, ..	"	42,740	5,860	17,553
57	Perfumery, ..	lbs.	10,864	—	11,424
58	Pickles, Sauces, etc., ..	cwts.	9,300	—	10,222
	Vinegar, ..	galls.	22,600	—	38,340
59	Pictures, Engravings, etc.,	cwts.	980	—	1,553

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		53
*14,483	116,011 cwts.	58,006	* Principally into Londonderry and Wexford. It is probable that additional quantities of the commodities mentioned below are included in this general heading.	
4,010	5,880 "	5,079		
1,009	14,672 "	62,356		
I	1,198 "	419		
95	11,293 "	3,247		
—	1,375 "	172		
—	119 "	95		
—	129 "	48		
*2,166	13,207 "	3,962	* Principally into Londonderry and Limerick.	
100	6,781 "	13,562		
I	179 "	1,253		
				54
73,477	694,904 "	567,505	£35,313 worth, and £20,907 worth of unprinted paper (not on reels) imported into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from Sweden, Belgium, and Germany; and £13,398 worth of unprinted paper (on reels) into Dublin direct from Sweden.	
16	6,588 "	1,565		
*7,317	17,093 tons	81,192	* Almost all into Larne. † Direct from Russia, Sweden, and Norway.	
4	4,118 cwts.	772		
2,791	40,053 "	21,195		
1,680	52,761 "	24,200	* Direct from Holland.	
5,606	47,634 "	142,902		
—	—	90,000		
708	8,642 cwts.	60,494		
2,340	41,790 "	43,880		
—	28,460 "	36,998		
1,763	67,916 "	4,245		55 56
1,232	23,520 lbs.	2,352		57
*1,465	20,987 cwts.	47,221	* Mostly into Londonderry.	58
*9,450	70,390 galls.	1,760	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
430	2,963 cwts.	22,223		59

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60	POLISHES & ABRASIVES.				
	Blacking & Blacklead,	cwts.	10,420	2,987	13,507
	Polishes, unclassified	"	—	—	204
	Bathbrick, ..	"	1,166	—	1,267
	Emery, ..	"	271	—	428
	„ Cloth, ..	"	1,660	—	123
	Pumice Stone, ..	tons	11	—	13
	Grindstones, ..	"	225	—	66
	Scythe Stones, ..	"	24	—	5
61	Rags, ..	"	6,270	—	535
62	Resin, ..	cwts.	43,020	4,280	14,645
63	Retorts, ..	"	2,800	—	4,406
64	Salt, ..	tons	582	4,697	15,456
65	Sand, Building, ..	"	12	—	260
	„ Silver, ..	cwts.	15,008	—	4,984
66	SEEDS.				
	Clover and Grass Seed,	"	†22,228	—	13,864
	Flax Seed, ..	"	*37,560	—	58,722
	Hemp Seed, ..	"	587	—	764
	Seeds, unclassified ..	"	18,260	†11,262	14,582
67	SHIPS, BOATS, AND PARTS OF SAME.				
	Boats, ..	No.	151	—	43
	Oars and Spars, ..	cwts.	281	—	163
68	Soap, ..	"	51,520	11,238	44,012
69	Soot, ..	"	1,100	—	9,788
70	SPICES.				
	Ginger, ..	"	1,180	—	725
	Mustard, ..	lbs.	192,640	—	57,008
	Pepper, ..	"	107,520	—	149,184
	Spices, unclassified, ..	"	107,520	—	20,496

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value		
		£		
*4,163	31,077 cwts.	15,797	* Chiefly into Londonderry.	60
133	337 "	838		
293	2,726 "	341		
82	781 "	625		
6	1,789 "	4,697		
—	24 tons	240		
66	357 "	1,357		
92	121 "	363		
1	6,806 "	64,657		61
1,323	63,268 cwts.	26,889		62
271	7,477 "	654		63
*17,955	38,690 tons	29,018	* Principally into Limerick, Londonderry, Dingle, Kinsale, and Sligo.	64
226	498 "	75		65
—	19,992 cwts.	600		
*9,272	45,364 "	21,973	* Principally into Newry, Londonderry, and Dundalk. † One-third direct from abroad—chiefly U.S.A.	66
19,978	116,260 "	71,188		
8	1,359 "	815	* £23,958 worth imported direct from abroad—chiefly from Holland and Russia.	
*†12,721	†56,825 "	27,525		
			* Principally into Londonderry, Waterford, Limerick, Wexford, and Sligo. ‡ It is probable that these quantities included some Clover and Grass Seed, Flax Seed, and Hemp Seed.	
17	211 No.	4,220	Impossible to estimate gross tonnage.	67
51	495 cwts.	322	* Mostly into Londonderry, Limerick, Waterford, and Wexford.	68
*26,181	132,951 "	139,599		
912	11,800 "	885		69
136	2,041 "	2,602		70
*23,324	272,972 lbs.	6,824	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
*19,877	276,581 "	7,168	* Almost all into Londonderry and Limerick.	
*28,382	156,398 "	3,467	* Mostly into Londonderry.	

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71	Sponges,	lbs.	21,504	—	25,200
72	Starch,	cwts.	23,660	4,593	20,034
73	STONES.				
	Stones — Freestone and Limestone, ..	tons	7,408	—	842
	Marble,	"	312	—	759
	Marble Chimney Pieces,	cwts.	6,620	—	157
	Figures,	"	174	—	419
	Granite,	tons	—	—	1,788
	Setts and Blocks, ..	"	34,604	—	1,028
	Flags,	"	610	—	611
	Lithographic Stones, ..	"	75	—	13
	Slates,	"	8,828	1,305	9,884
	Slate Slabs, ...	"	23	—	60
	Slates, Writing, ..	cwts.	350	—	431
	Slate Chimney Pieces, ..	"	5,040	—	—
	Gannister,	tons	334	—	27
	Alabaster, ...	cwts.	34,760	—	151
	Gypsum (Plaster of Paris),	tons	343	218	2,799
	Chalk and Whiting, ..	cwts.	1,025	5,867	21,826
	Bauxite,	"	2	—	—
74	SUGAR AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
	Sugar,	"	*591,100	†289,095	†616,898
	Confectionery ..	"	42,580	2,664	42,945
	Glucose, ...	"	25,060	—	9,042
	Molasses,	"	—	—	—
	Syrup and Treacle, ..	"	26,660	—	14,591

VALUES of COMMODITIES Imported into IRELAND from GREAT BRITAIN during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		
1,232	47,936 lbs.	9,587		71
6,316	54,603 cwts.	42,317	£15,818 worth and £6,741 worth of Starch and Farina into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from Belgium, Holland, and Germany.	72
843	9,093 tons	9,093		73
119	1,190 „	7,140		
8	6,785 cwts.	10,178		
51	644 „	5,796		
305	2,093 tons	25,116		
1,161	36,793 „	44,152		
21	1,242 „	621		
-	88 „	2,266		
4,284	24,301 „	108,747	£18,373 worth and £22,781 worth of roofing slates into Belfast and Dublin, respectively, direct from abroad—chiefly U.S.A.	
5	88 „	374		
-	781 cwts.	335		
-	5,040 „	4,410		
35	396 tons	366		
14	34,925 cwts.	3,056		
*940	4,300 tons	6,450	* Mostly into Londonderry.	
2,130	30,857 cwts.	1,157		
*114,700	114,702 „	3,345	* All into Larne.	
				74
991,757	2,488,850 „	\$1,648,863	* One-fourth direct from Holland. † One-third direct from Germany. ‡ One-fifth direct from Germany. § Exclusive of duty.	
*11,996	100,185 „	260,481	* Principally into Limerick and Londonderry.	
*3,960	38,062 „	†22,361	* Mostly into Dundalk. † Exclusive of duty.	
2,799	2,799 „	560	Mostly into Londonderry.	
3,186	44,437 „	33,328		

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TABLE I.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
75	Tar and Pitch, ..	cwts.	150,820	1,917	39,052
76	Tea,	lbs.	9,253,440	4,328,240	12,618,816
77	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS—				
	Cotton, Raw, ..	cwts.	467,026	—	7,440
	Cotton Yarn, ..	lbs.	14,322,560	—	53,200
	Cotton Wool, ..	cwts.	1,523	—	405
	Cotton Goods, ..	„	275,587	—	7,375
	Flax,	tons	32,628	1,108	15
	Linen Yarn, ...	lbs.	†9,775,360	—	319,424
	Linen Goods, ..	cwts.	69,220	162	15,471
	Jute,	tons.	260	—	2,663
	Jute Goods, ..	cwts.	—	—	—
	Jute Yarn, ..	lbs.	1,120,000	—	191,296
	Hemp,	tons	*14,021	5	19
	Tow and Codilla, ..	„	5,943	—	2
	Rope, Cordage, and Twine.	cwts.	14,982	5,227	16,633
	Oil Cloth, ..	„	16,820	—	16,302
	Bags and Bagging, ..	„	77,120	20,435	50,214
	Canvas Goods, ...	„	3,819	1,640	1,568
	Silk and Velvet, ..	„	560	—	327
	Wool,	lbs.	1,184,960	590,912	673,120
	Wool Yarn, ..	„	1,843,520	—	370,720

VALUES of COMMODITIES Imported into IRELAND from GREAT BRITAIN during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
5,854	197,643 cwts.	£ 55,175		75
*3,187,337	29,387,833 lbs.	886,532	* Mostly into Londonderry.	76
				77
24	474,490 cwts.	1,257,399	Chiefly from U.S.A.	
*723,520	15,099,280 lbs.	736,090	* All into Larne See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
115	2,043 cwts.	6,129		
*37,013	319,975 "	2,239,825	* Almost all into Londonderry.	
232	33,983 tons	1,777,311	Chiefly from Russia and Belgium.	
*24,304	10,119,088 lbs.	358,384	* All into Londonderry. † Three-fourths direct from Belgium. See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
38	84,891 cwts.	636,683		
325	3,248 tons	55,216		
176	176 cwts.	328		
*119,810	1,431,106 lbs.	23,852	* Almost all into Newry. See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
81	14,126 tons	448,501	* Nearly one-third direct from Russia.	
*1,932	7,877 "	157,540	* All into Coleraine and Newry.	
4,931	41,773 cwts.	50,128		
*3,724	36,846 "	64,481	* Principally into Londonderry, Limerick, and Dundalk.	
*30,771	178,540 "	†108,313	* Principally into Londonderry, Limerick, and Newry. † It is estimated that about 74 per cent. of the total quantity was "Returned Empty Bags," and in calculating the value these were not considered.	
556	7,583 "	28,436		
-	887 "	126,664		
*193,872	2,642,864 lbs.	102,411	* Almost all into Londonderry.	
*339,766	2,554,006 "	244,759	* All into Londonderry. See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	

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TABLE I.—*continued*.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
77	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS— <i>con.</i>				
	Blankets, ..	cwts.	3,540	—	1,618
	Carpets,	„	6,160	—	6,881
	Felting,	„	9,800	—	1,241
	Woollen Goods—un- classified.	„	43,800	—	7,014
	<i>Thread and Yarn.</i>				
	Thread,	lbs.	535,360	—	402,976
	Yarns—unclassified,	„	—	†1,355,424	748,496
	<i>Hair, Fibre, Flock, etc.</i>				
	Hair, Curled, ...	cwts.	3,740	—	2,212
	„ Plasterers', ..	„	11,700	—	483
	Cotton Waste, ...	lbs.	799,680	—	881,216
	Waste (Flax, Hemp, and Tow).	cwts.	74,040	—	—
	Wool Flock and Waste.	lbs.	14,896	—	8,848
	Fibre and Oakum,	cwts.	1,488	—	2,256
	Coir Yarn,	„	5,240	—	3,514
	Mattresses, ..	„	668	—	432
	Mats and Matting,	„	2,120	—	2,219
	<i>Textile Goods—unclassified.</i>				
	Hosiery,	„	7,880	—	*5,953
	Drapery,	„	77,940	24,633	178,328
	Apparel—unclassified,	„	21,740	2,111	23,450

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		77
22	5,180 cwts.	36,993		
*950	13,991 „	237,847	* Almost all into Londonderry.	
664	11,705 „	3,512		
895	51,709 „	883,370		
*271,346	1,209,682 lbs.	151,210	* Almost all into Londonderry.	
*2,189,620	4,293,540 „	237,039	* Almost all into Drogheda; probably Cotton Yarn. † The major portion of this was understood to have been Woollen Yarn. See Cotton Yarn, Linen Yarn, Jute Yarn, Wool Yarn, and Coir Yarn.	
487	6,439 cwts.	20,283		
8	12,191 „	6,756		
*41,888	1,722,784 lbs.	17,228	* All into Londonderry. See "Waste, unclassified," No. 82.	
50	74,090 cwts.	37,045		
*3,752	27,496 lbs.	143	* Almost all into Londonderry. See "Waste, unclassified," No. 82.	
245	3,989 cwts.	5,186		
*2,501	11,255 „	7,879	* Mostly into Londonderry. See "Yarns, unclassified," above.	
29	1,129 „	6,322		
205	4,544 „	21,243		
5	13,838 „	161,559	* £3,668 worth of "Cotton Hosiery," came direct from foreign countries—nearly all from Holland.	
*33,480	314,381 „	4,489,099	* Chiefly into Londonderry, Limerick, and Sligo.	
1,517	48,818 „	698,080		

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and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
78	Tobacco { Manufactured, Unmanufactured, ...	lbs. ,,	895,104 7,481,152	598,752	3,280,480
79	Tobacco Pipes, ..	cwts	280	—	342
80	Toys,	,,	4,600	—	7,356
81	Umbrellas,	,,	210	—	153
82	Waste, unclassified, ..	,,	—	—	561
83	Wax, Bees',	,,	—	—	217
	Wax, Paraffin,	,,	*5,060	—	21,414
84	WOOD, TIMBER, AND MANUFACTURES THERE-OF.				
	Timber,	loads	26,362	3,229	29,492
	Boxwood,	,,	948	—	3
	Mahogany,	,,	1,148	—	226
	Corks and Corkwood, ..	,,	459	59	687
	Timber, Sawn,	,,	1,308	—	2,235
	Boards and Deals, ..	,,	92,409	19,081	49,207
	Sleepers, Railway, ..	,,	3,249	—	9,349
	Staves,	tons	1,323	724	2,347
	Hoops,	cwts.	—	961	4,438
	Baskets,	,,	1,460	—	2,141
	Basket Rods,	,,	*6,340	—	497
	Rushes,	,,	72	—	54
	Clog Soles,	,,	113	—	303
	Handles,	,,	160	—	7,642
	Cane,	,,	860	—	548
	Picture Frames,	,,	420	—	698
	Rollers, Wood,	,,	500	—	871
	Walking Sticks, etc., ..	,,	249	—	180
	Washboards,	,,	813	—	778

VALUES of COMMODITIES Imported into IRELAND from GREAT BRITAIN during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
1,662,768	{ 3,449,980 lbs. { 10,468,276 „	[£] 689,996 281,335	These weights are net. The returns for all ports except Belfast do not admit of a differentiation between Manufactured and Unmanufactured Tobacco. The total weights have kindly been supplied by the Customs Department. The values have been estimated exclusive of duty.	78
*1,663	2,285 cwts.	73,120	* Principally into Sligo.	79
940	12,896 „	14,830		80
9	372 „	16,740		81
1,440	2,001 „	1,001	Some Cotton Waste and Wool Waste are doubtless included under this heading.	82
53	270 „	1,215		83
15	26,489 „	32,449	* Nearly all direct from U.S.A.	84
24,814	83,897 loads	377,536		
—	951 „	15,216		
172	1,546 „	11,595		
*110	1,315 „	110,460	* Principally into Limerick and Londonderry.	
862	4,405 „	22,025		
*15,470	176,167 „	528,501	* Principally into Newry, Londonderry, and Galway.	
*3,090	15,688 „	43,142	* Chiefly into Kingstown.	
*1,012	5,406 tons	40,545	* Chiefly into Limerick.	
*1,672	7,071 cwts	3,005	* Chiefly into Limerick.	
320	3,921 „	15,684		
7	6,844 „	6,844	* £967 worth of "Willows and Rods" came direct from Holland.	
3	129 „	123		
5	421 „	653		
*1,901	9,703 „	6,307	* Principally into Newry and Londonderry.	
40	1,448 „	1,086		
881	1,999 „	1,849		
43	1,414 „	778		
15	444 „	11,988		
84	1,675 „	1,173		

IMPORTS.TABLE I.—*continued*.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
84	WOOD, TIMBER, AND MANUFACTURES THERE- OF— <i>con.</i> Furniture,.. ..	cwts.	51,160	7,893	45,225
	Wooden Manufactures —unclassified.	„	8,718	—	1,926
85	Xylonite,	„	—	—	5
86	Yeast,	„	5,640	—	3,677

VALUES of COMMODITIES Imported into IRELAND from GREAT BRITAIN
during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		84
*10,637	114,915 cwts.	402,203	* Principally into Londonderry, Dundalk, and Sligo. Some of this was probably personal effects.	
*3,250	13,894 „	9,031	* Principally into Londonderry, Dundalk, and Limerick.	
18	23 „	612		85
285	9,602 „	20,044	Record very incomplete.	86

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TABLE II.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork	Dublin.
57	Aerated and Mineral Waters,	cwts.	211,091	225	56,591
88	ALES, SPIRITS, WINES, AND OTHER BEVERAGES.				
	Ale and Beer, ..	barrels.	482	—	625
	Porter, ..	hhds.	321	3,754	515,362
	Home-made Spirits (Whiskey, &c.)	proof galls.	5,262,057	212,625	2,003,319
	Foreign and Colonial Spirits (Brandy, Gin, Rum, &c.)	„	10,023	—	16,353
	Wine, ..	galls.	25,010	5,228	310,883
	Hop Bitters, ..	„	—	—	315
	Cordials, ..	„	4,500	—	1,998
	Lime Juice, ..	„	927	—	54
89	ANIMALS.				
	Cattle, Fat, ..	No.	8,674	4,765	142,218
	„ Store, ..	„	113,211	32,046	135,750
	„ Other, ..	„	12	1,949	2,037
	Calves, ..	„	735	34,363	11,867
	Goats, ..	„	195	2	108
	Sheep, ..	„	7,579	21,106	201,981
	Lambs, ..	„	18,484	34,250	164,894
	Swine, Fat, ..	„	15,501	23,432	200,557
	„ Store, ..	„	319	—	—

† These total quantities refer to the year ended 31st March, 1906, and are absolutely reliable.

The figures for the separate ports are

VALUES of COMMODITIES Exported from IRELAND to GREAT BRITAIN
during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		
70	267,977 cwts.	214,382		87
				88
*829	1,936 barrels.	6,389	* Almost all from Dundalk.	
19,942	539,379 hhds.	1,737,250	* Almost all from Waterford.	
569,041	18,047,042 proof galls.	*2,179,407	* £19,992 worth sent direct and via Great Britain to U.S.A. during the year ended 30th June, 1905.	
11,751	138,127 „	8,102		
1,691	342,812 galls.	109,986		
—	315 „	12		
*513	7,011 „	526	* All from Limerick and Londonderry.	
45	1,026 „	77		
*69,373	225,030 No.	3,577,977	* Chiefly from Drogheda, Waterford, and Londonderry.	89
*175,354	456,361 „	5,019,971	* Chiefly from Londonderry, Waterford, Greenore, and Larne.	
*2,207	6,205 „	18,615	* Chiefly from Londonderry, Waterford, and Ballina.	
*15,373	62,338 „	311,690	* Two-thirds from Londonderry; remainder chiefly from Waterford.	
*1,987	2,292 „	688	* Three-fourths from Dundalk; remainder chiefly from Greenore.	
*120,723	351,389 „	767,199	* Chiefly from Drogheda, Waterford, and Londonderry	
*134,825	352,453 „	489,028	* Chiefly from Drogheda, Waterford, and Dundalk.	
*123,301	362,791 „	1,269,769	* Chiefly from Waterford, Sligo, and Dundalk.	
*713	1,032 „	2,322	* Three-fourths from Dundalk; remainder chiefly from Drogheda.	

having been ascertained through the courtesy of the Inland Revenue and Customs Departments, approximates based on the Portal Returns.

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TABLE II.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
89	ANIMALS— <i>con.</i>				
	Horses—Stallions, ..	No.	15	15	134
	Mares, ..	"	2,700	689	5,277
	Geldings, ..	"	5,707	1,322	4,370
	Mules and Jennets,	"	1	—	6
	Asses, ..	"	51	539	73
90	ARMS AND AMMUNITION.				
	Guns and Rifles, ..	cwts.	15	—	415
	Gunpowder, ..	"	8	—	8
	Blasting Gelatine, ..	"	—	—	—
	Gelignite, Dynamite, etc.	"	—	—	—
91	ASBESTOS AND NON-CONDUCTING MATERIALS.				
	Composition, ..	"	4,605	—	35
	Cotton Silicate, ..	"	24	—	—
92	Asphalt and Bitumen ..	tons	1,864	—	—
93	Beds and Bedsteads, Bedding, etc., ..	cwts.	380	—	497
		"	—	—	218
94	Biscuits, ..	"	19,120	—	226,218
95	Brushes and Brooms, ..	"	893	—	333
96	Butter, ..	"	56,180	200,385	155,447
	Margarine, ..	"	55	1,930	15,341
97	Candles, ..	"	4,020	40	1,195
98	CARRIAGES, CARS, ETC.				
	Carriages, Cars, etc.	No.	619	51	666
	Carts, Vans, etc., ..	"	102	59	56

VALUES of COMMODITIES Exported from IRELAND to GREAT BRITAIN during the year 1905.

Other Ports	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
39 *5,551	203 No. 14,217 "	£ 50,750 639,765	* One-half from Greenore ; remainder chiefly from Waterford and Dundalk.	89
*4,989	16,388 "	737,460	* Principally from Greenore and Waterford.	
3	10 "	100		
*1,060	1,723 "	4,308	* Mostly from Waterford and Dundalk.	
16 1	446 cwts. 17 "	26,760 38		90
*10,160	10,160 "	51,308	* All from Arklow.	
*13,690	13,690 "	48,942	* All from Arklow.	
*9,588 —	14,228 " 24 "	5,691 7	* All from Waterford.	91
—	1,864 tons	4,474		92
42 63	919 cwts. 281 "	1,310 492		93
29	245,367 "	306,709	About four-fifths for consumption in Great Britain and the remainder for abroad	94
28	1,254 "	2,947		95
*273,226	685,238 "	3,357,666	* Chiefly from Waterford ; Londonderry and Dundalk also exported large quantities.	96
*8,896	26,222 "	66,210	* Almost all from Waterford and Limerick.	
31	5,286 "	7,400		97
6 14	1,342 No. 231 "	66,765 4,158		98

EXPORTS.TABLE II.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
98	CARRIAGES, CARS, &c.— <i>con.</i> Mailcarts and Perambulators, Axles, Shafts, Spokes and Felloes, Wheels,	cwts. tons No. ,, cwts.	114 3 — 1,290 788	— — — — —	89 3 10,025 24,427 10,184
99	Cement,	tons	39	—	12
100	Cheese,	cwts.	190	—	249
101	CHEMICALS, DRUGS, ETC. Acid, unclassified, .. ,, Sulphuric, .. Alum, Carbide of Calcium, .. Copper Sulphate, .. Glycerine, .. Nitric Cake, .. Sulphate of Lead, .. Magnesia, Powder (Washing and Bleaching). Soap Lye, Sheep Wash, Soda, Soda Ash, Sulphur, Chemicals and Drugs, unclassified. Manures, Artificial, unclassified.	,, ,, ,, ,, tons cwts. ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, tons ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, ,, tons	3,960 162 1,042 180 27 664 — — — 220 4,660 718 4,180 900 3 3,971 5,825	— — — — — 590 — 1,545 — — — — — — — — — — 1,738	140 — 3 4,534 1 3 — — 65 1,705 95 52 — 132 3,439 11,159
102	CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND CLAY GOODS. Bricks, Fireclay, Tiles,	cwts. ,, ,,	20 849 73	8,500 — —	59 11 155

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
8	211 cwts.	£ 527		93
-	6 tons	51		
100	10,125 No.	365		
9,750	35,467 "	887		
230	11,202 cwts.	16,803		
*205	256 tons	403	* Practically all from Galway.	99
*477	916 cwts.	2,382	* Almost all from Coleraine.	100
-	4,100 "	5,125		101
-	162 "	28		
4	1,049 "	315		
25	4,739 "	3,377		
-	28 tons	581		
10	1,267 cwts.	2,011		
*40,180	40,180 "	1,507	* Almost all from Arklow ; remainder from Wicklow. Used in the manufacture of Galvanised Iron,	
134	134 "	85		
-	1,545 "	2,124		
3	288 "	74		
-	6,365 "	2,387		
4	817 "	4,085		
4	4,236 "	688		
-	900 "	214		
-	135 "	47		
27	7,437 "	2,665	These quantities doubtless include many of the commodities specifically mentioned above.	
*2,853	21,575 tons	132,686	* Chiefly from Wicklow.	
-	8,579 cwts.	429		102
-	860 "	43		
8	236 "	32		

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
102	CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND CLAY GOODS— <i>con.</i> Fireclay Goods, .. Earthenware — unclassified. Chinaware and Porcelain.	cwts. " " "	33 981 95	— 255 —	55 1,331 261
103	Chocolate,	lbs.	336	—	2,688
104	Clocks,	cwts.	215	—	138
105	Cocoa,	lbs.	5,824	—	33,600
106	Coffee,	"	4,368	—	1,232
107	DYES AND TANNING SUBSTANCES. Annatto, Copperas, Iron Liquor, Gambier, Divi-Divi, Bark, Dyes and Tanning Substances — unclassified.	cwts. " " tons cwts. " " "	4 161 80 1 40 563 484	— — — — — — —	— — — — — 4 11
108	Eggs,	Gt. hdrds.	1,550,280	545,460	1,781,058
109	FATS. Lard, Tallow, Grease,	cwts. " " "	84,540 10,340 7,880	11,360 — —	6,080 8,052 26,532
110	Feathers,	"	3,060	4,180	7,081
111	FISH. Herrings, Fresh, .. " Cured, ..	" "	4,340 848	511 —	12,094 8,443

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		102
6	94 cwts.	47		
313	2,880 "	864		
38	394 "	2,955		
*840	3,864 lbs.	†349	* All from Portrush. † Exclusive of duty.	103
77	430 cwts.	1,290		104
112	39,536 lbs.	*3,575	* i.e., before payment of duty.	105
*1,596	7,196 "	†178	* All from Coleraine and Londonderry. † Exclusive of duty.	106
				107
-	4 cwts.	41		
-	161 "	64		
-	80 "	36		
-	1 ton	20		
-	40 cwts.	20		
-	567 "	113		
8	503 "	170	Additional quantities of the articles mentioned above were doubtless included under this heading.	
*2,221,653	6,098,451 Gt. hdrds.	2,515,611	* One-half from Londonderry; the remainder chiefly from Waterford, Dundalk, and Sligo.	108
				109
*20,625	122,605 cwts.	306,513	* Three-fourths from Waterford; the remainder chiefly from Londonderry.	
*5,514	23,906 "	32,871	* Chiefly from Waterford.	
*3,611	32,023 "	38,427	* Chiefly from Dundalk and Limerick.	
*3,675	17,996 "	53,988	* Chiefly from Dundalk, Wexford, and Waterford.	110
				111
*11,563	28,508 "	14,254	* Almost all from Londonderry.	
*90,913	†100,204 "	100,204	* 1,326 barrels valued at £7,000 from Londonderry to North Russia. † 3,484 cwts. of Kipperred Herrings were cured for exportation.	

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TABLE II.—*continued*.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
III	FISH— <i>con.</i>				
	Mackerel, Fresh, ..	cwts.	—	8,764	48,597
	„ Cured, ..	„	—	9,335	—
	„ unclassified,	„	—	—	14,455
	Salmon and Trout,	„	—	958	10,494
	Eels, Fresh Water, ..	„	—	—	2,874
	Fresh Fish, unclassified	„	3,220	—	6,354
	Fish, Dried or Preserved.	„	1,029	—	30,738
	<i>Shell Fish.</i>				
	Mussels,	„	2,980	—	—
	Oysters,	„	—	—	} 4,636 }
	Lobsters,	„	—	—	
	Winkles,	„	—	—	—
	Shell Fish, unclassified,	„	4,660	8,340	37,277
III 2	Fishing Nets,	„	700	—	22
III 3	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.				
	Apples,	„	12,789	135	446
	Blackberries,	„	—	—	—

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
-	57,361 cwts.	£25,812		III
*23,782	33,117 „	24,838	* Chiefly from Dingle.	
*48,319	62,774 „	37,664	* Chiefly from Waterford and Tralee.	
*6,369	17,821 „	99,798	* 2,064 cwts. from Greenore and nearly all the remainder from Waterford.	
-	2,874 „	10,059		
{ 1,572	*42,913 „	37,284	* It is estimated that 27,320 cwts. of this quantity was made up as follows :—Soles, 1,770 cwts.=£7,523 ; Conger Eels, 3,640 cwts.=£2,366 ; Hake, 2,350 cwts.=£2,350 ; Ray or Skate, 7,060 cwts.=£3,530; Whiting, 6,100 cwts.=£4,270 ; Pollen, 6,400 cwts.=£6,720. Fish valued at £784 was shipped direct from Tralee to France, and at £613 direct from Galway to Norway.	III
*27,655	30,635 „	3,446	* Principally from Londonderry Dundalk, and Sligo.	
*13,059	15,377 „	23,066	* All from Greenore.	
*1,240	3,558 „	14,232	* 936 cwts. exported from Greenore, and the remainder from Larne and Waterford.	
*5,780	5,780 „	1,300	* Chiefly from Londonderry, Waterford, and Sligo.	
311	50,588 „	11,382	Mainly Periwinkles.	
*146	868 „	3,472	* Chiefly from Wexford.	
723	14,093 „	8,456		III
*5,529	5,529 „	2,212	* Almost all from Londonderry and Dundalk.	

EXPORTS.TABLE II.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork	Dublin.
113	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES — <i>con.</i>				
	Damsons,	cwts.	—	—	—
	Gooseberries, ..	"	—	—	—
	Lemons,	"	150	30	47
	Oranges,	"	111		148
	Currants,	"	—	70	7
	Raisins,	"	—		338
	Fruit, Pulped, ..	"	—	—	—
	Fruit, unclassified, ..	"	13,198	—	1,283
	Jams and Preserves,	"	48,420	395	391
	Potatoes	tons	35,767	125	1,070
	Preserved,	"	480	—	—
	Turnips,	"	1,766	—	—
	Vegetables, unclassified	"	690	16	1,974
	Plants and Bulbs, ..	cwts.	3,120	—	2,464
114	Glass and Glassware, un- classified,	"	1,884	2,340	2,054
	Cullet,	"	2,060	—	28
	Bottles,	"	140	—	6,691
115	Glue,	"	231	—	3,372
116	Gum,	"	—	—	4
117	GRAIN, FLOUR, AND FEED- ING STUFFS.				
	Wheat,	"	18,882	75	251
	Oats,	"	17,820	191,855	4,277
	Barley	"	12,644	1,940	4,256

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		113
1,880	1,880 cwts.	1,880	All from Dundalk.	
3,728	3,728 „	1,305	Almost all from Londonderry.	
2	214 „	160		
26	300 „	150		
9	51 „	*51	* Before payment of duty.	
11	384 „	*614	* Before payment of duty.	
2,170	2,170 „	868	Almost all from Waterford, and believed to have been Blackberries.	
526	15,007 „	8,316	Additional quantities of the Fruit specifically mentioned above were included in these totals.	
1,602	50,808 „	68,591		
*35,195	72,158 tons	205,650	* Nearly half from Coleraine ; remainder principally from Kilkeel, Ardglass, and Strangford.	
—	480 „	14,400		
*652	2,418 „	3,023	* Chiefly from Coleraine.	
234	2,914 „	2,222		
*202	5,786 cwts.	21,697	* Principally from Londonderry	
534	6,812 „	5,620		114
211	2,299 „	72		
*1,175	8,006 „	2,802	* Nearly all from Limerick.	
57	3,660 „	4,392		115
—	4 „	12		116
—	19,208 „	7,443		117
*970,721	1,184,673 „	370,210	* Principally from Waterford, Dungarvan, Londonderry, and Kinsale.	
			18,973 cwts. = £5,328, from Cork to Channel Islands ;	
			26,717 cwts. = £7,488 ; and	
			11,565 cwts. = £3,368 from Waterford to Channel Islands and France, respectively.	
*40,580	59,420 „	17,826	* Chiefly from Dundalk, Tralee, and Waterford.	

EXPORTS.TABLE II.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
117	GRAIN, FLOUR AND FEED- ING STUFFS— <i>con.</i>				
	Malt,	cwts.	2,442	3,805	75,407
	Rye,	"	40	—	—
	Maize,	"	375,660	490	33,122
	Peas,	"	203	—	133
	Beans,	"	1,504	—	41
	Tares,	"	118	—	—
	Hops,	"	22	—	602
	Wheat Flour,	"	70,240	7,365	32,672
	Oatmeal,	"	20,050	—	9,864
	Indian Meal,	"	4,049	—	—
	Bran and Pollard,	"	12,721	4,860	47,489
	Rice, Sago, Tapioca, Corn Flour, and Farina,	"	4,262	—	121
	Grain Offal,	"	63,808	—	*72,722
	Grains,	"	13,900	—	84,698
	Cattle Meals,	"	45,524	—	2,170
	Cotton Meal,	"	9,260	—	—
	Oil Cake,	tons	1,344	—	16
118	Hay and Straw,	"	2,994	8	34
119	HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
	Hides,	cwts.	45,080	26,350	—
	Skins,	"		—	86,171
	Leather,	"	9,503	225	827
	Boots and Shoes,	"	1,200	—	2,107
	Saddlery and Harness,	"	107	—	243
	Clogs,	"	4,360	—	283

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		117
2	81,656 cwts.	50,014		
30	70 "	21		
*2,401	411,673 "	108,064	* Chiefly from Sligo.	
*183	519 "	223	* Chiefly from Limerick.	
*12,313	13,858 "	5,370	* Mostly from Wexford.	
—	118 "	41		
—	624 "	3,120		
*13,388	123,665 "	61,833	* Principally from Londonderry, Galway, and Wexford.	
*165,545	195,459 "	97,730	* Almost all from Londonderry.	
*410	4,459 "	1,914	* All from Coleraine and Waterford.	
*38,204	103,274 "	23,237	* Principally from Limerick.	
278	4,661 "	2,530		
†96,159	232,689 "	43,629	* All to foreign countries—chiefly to Holland. † Mostly from Londonderry.	
4,143	102,741 "	25,685		
306	48,000 "	12,000		
—	9,260 "	3,241		
16	1,376 tons	8,462		
*2,091	5,127 "	14,099	* Principally from Coleraine and Londonderry.	118
				119
*28,250	77,140 cwts.	161,994	* Principally from Londonderry, Waterford, and Newry.	
*12,476	121,187 "	345,383	* Chiefly from Waterford and Londonderry.	
783	11,338 "	90,704		
237	3,544 "	45,629		
14	364 "	5,096		
—	4,643 "	19,733		

EXPORTS.TABLE II.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
120	Honey,	cwts.	2	—	87
121	Horns and Hoofs, ..	„	—	—	125
122	India-Rubber Goods, ..	„	940	—	1,305
	Gutta-Percha, ..	„	8	—	—
123	Ink,	„	75	—	775
124	INSTRUMENTS, MUSICAL.				
	Organs,	„	39	—	12
	Pianos,	No.	203	28	115
	Musical Instruments, unclassified, ..	cwts.	360	—	188
125	Instruments, Nautical and Scientific, ..	„	2	—	—
126	Lime,	„	1,000	—	65
127	Machinery,	tons	9,703	222	529
128	Matches,	cwts.	127	—	79
129	MEAT, POULTRY, AND GAME.				
	Beef,	„	6,520	—	158
	Pork,	„	22,700	—	6,739
	Bacon,	„	170,420	—	128,587
	Hams,	„	65,120	—	10,708
	Tripe,	„	4,460	—	3,082
	Meat, Preserved and Canned, ..	„	4,118	—	2,047
	Meat, Coarse, ..	„	35,900	10,100	19,521
	Poultry,	„	49,566	12,750	108,299
	Rabbits,	„	1,928	—	47,872
	Game,	„	321	—	1,168
	Provisions & Groceries	„	4,280	150,565	3,503

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		
*207	296 cwts.	1,021	* Mostly from Waterford.	120
19	144 „	288		121
46	2,291 „	49,256		122
-	8 „	64		
-	850 „	358		123
				124
20	71 „	426		
13	359 No.	12,565		
10	558 cwts.	4,185	Probably Organs and Pianos were also included in this.	125
*59	61 „	13,664	* All from Londonderry.	126
-	1,065 „	44		
317	11,171 tons	558,550	754 tons of Textile Machinery valued at £33,668, and 119 tons valued at £6,268, from Belfast to Belgium and North Russia, respectively.	127
3	209 cwts.	470		128
				129
106	6,784 „	18,062		
*10,451	39,890 „	93,742	* Nearly all from Sligo.	
*318,552	617,559 „	1,790,921	* Chiefly from Waterford and Londonderry.	
*29,712	105,540 „	464,376	* Chiefly from Londonderry and Waterford.	
-	7,542 „	5,657		
11	6,176 „	15,440		
*26,820	92,341 „	23,085	* Mostly from Londonderry and Waterford.	
*78,286	248,901 „	696,923	* Principally from Londonderry Waterford, Wexford, and Dundalk.	
823	50,623 „	64,544		
63	1,552 „	6,208		
*18,016	176,364 „	511,456	* Chiefly from Dundalk and Waterford.	

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TABLE II.—continued.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
130	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
	<i>Metals.</i>				
	Brass and Bronze, ..	tons	72	22	163
	Copper Bars, Blocks, etc. (unwrought), ..	"	217	45	103
	Yellow Metal, ..	"	15	—	—
	Iron and Manufactures thereof, ..	"	3,192	127	963
	Iron, Scrap, ..	"	19,345	2,887	12,958
	Steel, ..	"	2,398	—	23
	Forks, Rakes, Spades, and Scythes, ..	cwts.	1,702	—	1,012
	Anchors and Chains, ..	tons	44	—	17
	Anvils and Vices, ..	cwts.	82	—	97
	Bolts, Rivets, and Nuts, ..	tons	40	—	7
	Meters, ..	"	68	—	6
	Nails and Screws, ..	"	33	—	19
	Pots, Pans, etc., ..	cwts.	5,377	—	493
	Pumps, ..	"	99	—	60
	Railway Plant, ..	tons	167	—	20
	Ranges, Stoves, and Ovens, ..	cwts.	7,160	—	209
	Safes, ..	tons	7	—	6
	Wire & Wire Netting, ..	"	45	—	22
	Lead, ..	"	438	215	322
	Piping, etc., ..	cwts.	5,220	—	5
	Type, ..	tons	5	—	1
	Silver, ..	Troy ozs.	—	—	14,700
	Electro-plated Ware, ..	cwts.	391	—	179
	Tin, ..	tons	72	72	33
	Trunks, ..	cwts.	280	—	1,100
	Zinc, ..	tons	54	—	46
	Hardware—Miscellaneous, ..	cwts.	13,001	2,910	12,771
	Electric Cables, ..	"	1,913	—	9
	Metal Ashes—unclassified, ..	tons	252	—	126
	Boilers and Cylinders, ..	cwts.	580	—	1,088

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
				130
*102	359 tons	26,925	* Chiefly from Dundalk.	
11	376 "	27,824		
-	15 "	862		
*188	4,470 "	92,194	* One-half from Limerick ; remainder principally from Londonderry.	
*4,687	39,877 "	69,785	* Chiefly from Londonderry, Dundalk, and Limerick.	
-	2,421 "	37,526		
12	2,726 cwts.	3,748		
2	63 tons	1,071		
-	179 cwts.	224		
1	48 tons	552		
2	76 "	14,440		
3	55 "	523		
3	5,873 cwts.	3,672		
-	159 "	557		
60	247 tons	1,853		
26	7,395 cwts.	8,874		
-	13 tons	390		
4	71 "	604		
*319	1,294 "	19,087	* Chiefly from Dundalk, Arklow, and Londonderry.	
-	5,225 cwts.	1,568		
1	7 tons	910		
*3,264	17,964 Troy ozs.	2,470	* All from Londonderry.	
9	579 cwts.	9,698		
-	177 tons	4,124		
-	1,380 cwts.	2,070		
*34	134 tons	3,618	* Almost all from Limerick.	
*1,007	29,689 cwts.	63,089	* Principally from Londonderry and Waterford. It is probable that additional quantities of some of the articles specifically mentioned above are included under this heading.	
-	1,922 "	25,947		
6	384 tons	3,295		
422	2,090 cwts.	4,180		

EXPORTS.TABLE II.—*continued.*—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF— <i>con.</i>				
	<i>Ores.</i>				
	Iron Ore,	tons	56,799	—	—
	Bog Ore,	"	213	—	1,050
	Burnt Ore,	"	—	2,123	14,699
	White Ore,	cwts.	2,800	—	400
	Sulphur Ore,	tons	5,712	—	—
	Ores—unclassified, ..	"	83	—	5
131	Milk, Condensed, ..	cwts.	2,380	132,925	84,591
	" not Condensed ..	"	—	—	—
132	Moss,	"	230	1,005	138
133	<i>OILS.</i>				
	Petroleum and Paraffin Oil, ..	galls.	1,839,672	—	68,947
	Oils—unclassified, ..	cwts.	11,704	415	8,752
134	PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS.				
	Paints—unclassified, ..	cwts.	4,360	—	1,649
	Varnish,	"	245	—	122
	Lampblack,	"	625	—	—
	Barytes,	"	—	340	—
	Ochre,	"	322	—	16
	Putty,	"	7	—	49
	Sizing,	"	163	—	4
135	PAPER AND PRINTED MATTER.				
	Paper,	"	98,800	630	59,912
	Wood Pulp,	tons	1,052	—	120
	Millboards,	cwts.	340	—	2,020
	Stationery,	"	12,520	—	5,188
	Books,	"	840	—	2,797
	Showcards,	"	12,160	—	527
	Other Printed Matter, ..	"	—	—	—
	Newspapers, etc., ..	"	3,120	—	3,759
136	Paraffin Shale,	"	820	—	—
137	Peat,	"	10,643	—	119
138	Pickles, Sauces, etc., ..	"	96	—	12
	Vinegar,	galls.	560	43,450	1,230
139	Pictures, Engravings, etc.,	cwts.	260	—	806

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Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		
*40,079	96,878 tons	33,907	* Chiefly from Glenarm and Red Bay, Co. Antrim.	
*1,149	2,412 "	724	* Chiefly from Londonderry.	
*4,386	21,208 "	21,208	* Almost all from Londonderry and Wicklow.	
-	3,200 cwts.	120		
*458	6,170 tons	4,936	* All from Wicklow.	
*890	978 "	6,650	* Principally from Arklow.	
*70,023	289,919 cwts.	†347,903	* Almost all in equal quantities from Waterford and Limerick.	131
			† Duty paid.	
*17,500	17,500 "	15,458	* All from Larne.	
*5,048	6,421 "	3,211	* Nearly one-half from Galway ; remainder chiefly from Waterford and Limerick.	132
-				133
*830	1,908,619 galls. 21,701 cwts.	47,715 13,111	* Nearly all from Wexford.	134
51	6,060 cwts.	3,030		
*67	434 "	1,519	* Almost all from Waterford.	
-	625 "	219		
*38,630	38,970 "	4,871	* Greater part from Schull ; remainder from Kinsale and Sligo.	
*10,480	10,818 "	1,893	* All from Arklow.	
-	56 "	17		
-	167 "	334		135
*19,323	178,665 "	145,910	* Almost all from Larne.	
64	1,236 tons	5,871		
66	2,426 cwts.	1,213		
71	17,779 "	44,448		
19	3,656 "	8,774		
-	12,687 "	88,809		
273	7,152 "	7,510		136
-	820 "	1,066		137
64	10,825 "	677		
6	114 "	257		138
-	45,240 galls.	1,131		
94	1,160 cwts.	8,700		139

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
140	POLISHES & ABRASIVES.				
	Blacking, ..	cwts.	203	—	176
	Polishes—unclassified, ..	„	39	—	175
141	Rags, ..	tons	1,776	360	1,977
142	Resin, ..	cwts.	4,121	—	4
143	Salt (Manufactured), ..	tons	39	1	1
	Salt, Rock, ..	„	11,412	—	—
144	Sand, ..	„	1	145	—
	„ Moulding, ..	„	10,846	—	—
145	Seaweed, ..	cwts.	52	—	596
	Kelp, ..	value	—	—	—
146	SEEDS.				
	Clover and Grass Seed, ..	cwts.	281,034	—	275
	Seeds—unclassified ..	„	2,589	155	*6,134
147	SHIPS AND STEAM VESSELS.				
	Steam Vessels, {	No. gross tonnage.	21 143,477	— —	— —
148	Soap, ..	cwts.	29,840	540	8,458
149	Spices, ..	lbs.	6,384	—	10,752
150	Sponges, ..	„	11,312	—	896
151	Starch, ..	cwts.	12,220	465	136
152	STONES. ..				
	Stones (Marble, Granite, etc.), ..	tons	30	425	41
	Limestone, ..	„	—	—	4
	Figures, ..	cwts.	4	—	84
	Setts, Blocks and Curbs, ..	tons	—	—	—
	Flags, ..	„	—	—	46
	Macadam and Gravel, ..	„	26	—	—
	Slates, ..	„	3	5	7
	Bauxite, ..	cwts.	45,560	—	—
	Chalk and Whiting, ..	„	625	—	71

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value		
24	403 cwts.	£ 202		140
5	219 „	545		
*1,792	5,905 tons	14,763	* Chiefly from Londonderry, Newry, and Waterford.	141
-	4,125 cwts.	1,753		142
*2,871	2,912 tons	2,427	* Nearly all from Carrickfergus	143
*12,892	24,304 „	8,658	* All from Carrickfergus.	
*5,911	6,057 „	252	* Almost all from Ballycastle.	144
-	10,846 „	811		
645	1,293 cwts.	65	* Chiefly from Londonderry and Waterford.	145
-	-	*50,000	* A rough estimate.	
113,814	395,123 cwts.	191,388	* Chiefly from Newry ; remainder mostly from Dundalk, Londonderry, and Coleraine.	146
10,608	19,486 „	12,585	* Valued at £3,973 ; exported direct to Germany and Holland.	
-	21 No.	2,500,000		147
-	143,477 gross tonnage		Three of these, valued at £518,860, were for foreign countries :—One of 22,724 gr. ton. for Germany; one of 4,603 gr. ton. for Italy; and one of 1,155 gr. ton. for Cuba.	
*204	39,042 cwts.	40,994	* Mostly from Dundalk.	148
532	17,668 lbs.	392		149
224	12,432 „	2,486		150
80	12,901 cwts.	11,611		151
				152
*718	1,214 tons	1,518	* Chiefly from Newry.	
*1,989	1,993 „	498	* Chiefly from Ballycastle and Dungarvan.	
-	88 cwts.	792		
*11,546	11,546 tons	11,546	* Almost all from Newry.	
140	186 „	70		
*4,038	4,064 „	610	* Chiefly from Arklow and Wicklow.	
-	15 „	105		
*135,560	181,120 cwts.	5,434	Exported for the extraction of the Alumina in electric furnaces in Great Britain.	
-	696 „	17	* All from Larne.	

EXPORTS.TABLE II.—*continued*.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
153	SUGAR AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.				
	Sugar,	cwts.	1,880	-	139
	Confectionery, ..	"	30,005	3,745	6,839
	Syrup and Treacle, ..	"	10,988	-	1,885
154	Tar and Pitch, ..	"	56,293	13,225	36,515
155	Tea,	lbs.	212,800	-	81,760
156	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS.				
	Cotton, Raw, ..	cwts.	*460,560	-	7,433
	„ Yarn, ..	lbs.	380,800	-	41,888
	„ Goods, ..	cwts.	130,360	-	495
	Flax,	tons	2,042	-	-
	Linen Yarn, ..	lbs.	17,077,760	-	2,800
	Linen Goods, ..	cwts.	998,500	780	16,350
	Jute,	tons	-	-	13
	„ Yarn, ..	lbs.	105,280	-	107,408
	Hemp,	tons	78	-	-
	Tow and Codilla ..	"	214	6	-
	Rope, Cordage, and Twine,	cwts.	200,100	1,300	2,606
	Oil Cloth, ..	"	266	-	152
	Bags and Bagging, ..	"	61,316	8,235	59,729
	Canvas Goods, ..	"	226	-	850
	Silk, Poplin, and Velvet,	"	8	-	25
	Wool,	lbs.	575,680	766,640	7,154,000

* The following Return, kindly furnished by the Department of Commerce and Labour, U.S.A., shows the 1905:—Linsens, £1,544,428; Handkerchiefs, £427,517; Cotton Cloths, bleached, dyed, &c., Manufactured Flax and Wool valued at £79,070 and £7,239, respectively, were exported to U.S.A. following twelve months.

VALUES of COMMODITIES Exported from IRELAND to GREAT BRITAIN during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		153
*2,326	4,345 cwts.	†2,879	* Principally from Limerick. † Before payment of duty.	
70	40,659 „	105,713		
40	12,913 „	9,685		
*9,009	115,042 „	32,116	* Practically all from Limerick.	154
13,539	308,099 lbs.	*9,294	* Before payment of duty.	155
				156
-	467,993 cwts.	1,240,181	* 447,703 cwts. = £983,221, exported direct to North Russia.	
-	422,688 lbs.	20,606	See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
*50,300	181,155 cwts.	1,268,085	* Nearly all from Londonderry.	
86	2,128 tons	106,400		
*1,619,248	18,699,808 lbs.	1,188,216	See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
*3,036	1,018,706 cwts.	7,640,295	* All from Londonderry.	
-	13 tons	221	* Chiefly from Coleraine, Dundalk, and Newry.	
-	212,688 lbs.	3,545	See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
-	78 tons	2,477		
-	220 „	4,400		
919	204,925 cwts.	245,910		
*53	471 „	824	* Principally from Wexford.	
*27,335	156,615 „	†73,218	* Mostly from Limerick and Waterford.	
			† It is estimated that about 80 per cent. of the total quantity was "Returned Empty Bags," and in calculating the value these were not considered.	
*748	1,824 „	6,840	* Nearly all from Waterford.	
-	33 „	4,620		
*2,186,118	10,682,438 lbs.	550,814	* Nearly half from Waterford ; remainder chiefly from Dundalk, Londonderry, and Newry.	
			81,800 lbs. = £3,676 from Belfast to Holland ; 707,300 lbs. = £32,759, from Dublin to Holland and Germany.	

total value of certain goods exported direct and *via* Great Britain to the U.S.A. in the year ending 30th June, £71,515; Woollen Cloth, £4,150; Laces, insertings, &c., £5,748; Cordage, Twine, Cables, &c., £6,996, during the year ended 30th June, 1904, but there were no direct exports of these commodities during the

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TABLE II.—*continued*.—SHOWING the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED
and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
156	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS— <i>con.</i>				
	Wool Yarn, ..	lbs.	118,720	—	—
	Blankets,	cwts.	79	—	16
	Carpets,	"	1,040	—	906
	Felting,	"	306,660	—	45
	Woollen Goods—unclassified, ..	"	10,820	930	9,253
	Thread,	lbs.	2,954,560	—	672
	Lace,	value	—	—	—
	Yarns—unclassified,	lbs.	150,080	466,480	1,811,936
	<i>Hair, Fibre, Flock, etc.</i>				
	Hair,	cwts.	—	1,105	355
	" Curled,	"	540	—	—
	" Plasterer's, ..	"	106	—	579
	Cotton Waste, ..	lbs.	37,296	—	307,328
	Waste (Flax, Tow and Hemp).	cwts.	146,780	—	—
	Wool Flock and Waste,	lbs.	43,344	—	12,096
	Coir Yarn,	cwts.	133	—	12
	Mattresses,	"	99	—	247
	Mats and Matting, ..	"	178	—	303
	Fibre and Oakum, ..	"	27	—	2,400
	<i>Textile Goods—unclassified.</i>				
	Hosiery,	"	1,920	—	367
	Drapery,	"	1	4,365	9
	Haberdashery, ..	"	11,180	—	8,727
	Apparel—unclassified, ..	"	1,399	—	2,115
157	Tobacco, { Manufactured,	lbs.	6,139,280	233,520	598,976
	{ Unmanufactured, ..	"	1,331,456		

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
		£		156
*14,000	132,720 lbs.	12,719	See "Yarns, unclassified," below.	
-	95 cwts.	665	* All from Londonderry.	
*1,012	2,958 "	50,286	* Almost all from Londonderry.	
*4,866	311,571 "	93,471	* Nearly all from Waterford.	
200	21,203 "	355,150		
-	2,955,232 lbs.	369,404		
-	-	90,000		
*1,807,764	4,236,260 lbs.	233,877	This included quantities of Cotton Yarn, Linen Yarn, Hemp Yarn, Wool Yarn, and Coir Yarn in addition to the quantities mentioned elsewhere.	
			* Five-sixths from Newry; almost all the remainder from Waterford.	
491	1,951 cwts.	10,926		
-	540 "	1,755		
-	685 "	411		
112	344,736 lbs.	3,477	See "Waste, unclassified," below.	
14	146,794 cwts.	73,397		
*13,682	69,122 lbs.	360	Do. Do.	
-	145 cwts	102	* Almost all from Londonderry	
2	348 "	1,949	See "Yarns, unclassified," above.	
*66	547 "	2,557	* Nearly all from Limerick.	
*449	2,936 "	3,826	* Chiefly from Waterford.	
*460	2,747 "	38,458	* All from Londonderry.	
*3,032	7,407 "	103,698	* Principally from Londonderry	
1	19,908 "	306,086		
*221	3,735 "	52,290	* Principally from Londonderry	
55,328	6,972,248 lbs.	1,394,450	These weights are net. The	157
	1,386,312 "	37,257	returns for all ports, except Belfast, do not admit of a differentiation between Manufactured and Unmanufactured Tobacco. The total weights exported from Ireland have kindly been supplied by the Customs Department. The values have been estimated exclusive of duty.	

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and PLACES ABROAD

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Belfast.	Cork.	Dublin.
158	Snuff,	lbs.	63,952	—	6,384
159	Tobacco Pipes, ..	cwts.	8	—	169
160	Toys,	"	61	—	59
161	Umbrellas,	"	11	—	10
161	Waste Salt,	tons	367	—	—
	„ , unclassified, ..	cwts.	—	4,445	2,240
162	Wax, Paraffin, ..	"	586	—	108
163	WOOD, TIMBER AND MANUFACTURES THERE-OF.				
	Timber, Rough—unclassified, ..	loads	7,687	12,968	46,361
	Timber, Sawn—unclassified, ..	"	2,734	—	1,997
	Baskets,	cwts.	53	—	459
	Willows,	"	70	—	93
	Clog Blocks,	"	—	—	3,628
	Walking Sticks, etc., ..	"	12	—	268
	Washboards,	"	70	—	18
	Furniture,	"	13,840	—	19,180
	Wooden Manufactures—unclassified, ..	"	100	—	640
164	Yeast,	"	60,500	—	31,909

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during the year 1905.

Other Ports.	Total for Ireland.		Remarks.	Index No.
	Quantity.	Estimated Value.		
252	70,588 lbs.	10,588	* The greater part from Newry; remainder chiefly from Waterford. It is possible that some Cotton Waste and Wool Waste are included under this heading.	158
52	229 cwts.	33,000		159
2	122 "	141		160
-	21 "	441		161
-	367 tons	459		
*8,800	15,485 cwts.	7,743		
-	694 "	850		162
				163
*39,404	106,420 loads	191,556	* Principally from Wicklow, Limerick, Galway, Londonderry, and Dungarvan.	
*7,351	12,082 "	36,246	* Principally from Dungarvan, Kilkeel, Baltimore, and Wicklow.	
11	523 cwts.	2,092	* Principally from Waterford.	
*6,403	6,566 "	6,566		
*830	4,458 "	1,672	* The greater part from Westport; remainder from Londonderry.	
*19	299 "	5,382	* All from Waterford.	
-	88 "	62	A large quantity of personal effects probably included. * Principally from Waterford.	
*1,420	34,440 "	120,540		
*320	1,060 "	689		
			* Principally from Coleraine and Londonderry.	
			£6,801 worth of Wooden Manufactures were exported from Dublin to foreign countries—nearly all to Holland.	
*2,626	95,035 "	198,386	Record very incomplete. * Three-fourths from Londonderry; remainder from Dundalk.	164

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TABLE III.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Imported into IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
1	Aerated and Mineral Waters.	cwts.	34,233	34,669	27,386	27,735
2	ALES, SPIRITS, WINES, AND OTHER BEVERAGES.					
	Ale and Beer, ..	barrels,	170,640	173,068	568,800	571,124
	Porter, ..	hhds.	1,721	1,619	5,507	5,215
	Home Made Spirits (Whiskey, &c.)	proof galls.	386,917	432,330	74,159	82,863
	Foreign and Colonial Spirits (Brandy, Gin, Rum, &c.)	"	667,995	568,359	136,382	120,776
	Wine, ..	galls.	1,003,240	1,600,852	309,332	513,607
	Cider, ..	"	91,900	172,190	4,595	8,610
	Hop Bitters, ..	"	173,628	152,883	6,511	5,733
	Cordials, ..	"	6,381	3,186	415	206
	Juice (Lemon, Lime, and Orange).	"	13,680	17,226	1,026	1,292
3	ANIMALS—					
	Cattle, ..	No.	608	584	18,240	17,520
	Calves, ..	"	31	47	161	235
	Sheep, ..	"	29,695	34,101	59,390	74,454
	Lambs, ..	"	8,608	8,722	13,773	12,101
	Swine, Fat, ..	"	5	9	15	27
	Swine, Store, ..	"	19	14	38	28
	Goats, ..	"	17	7	9	4
	Horses—Stallions, ..	"	182	179	45,500	44,750
	Mares, ..	"	3,230	2,832	80,750	70,800
	Geldings, ..	"	3,277	2,997	81,925	74,925
	Mules and Jennets, ..	"	2	1	24	12
	Asses, ..	"	24	78	60	195
4	ARMS AND AMMUNITION—					
	Guns and Rifles, ..	cwts.	2,372	550	142,320	33,000
	Gunpowder, ..	"	3,873	9,344	8,822	21,257
	Cartridges, ..	"	88	318	440	1,590
	Shot, ..	"	2,844	2,881	2,133	2,161
5	ASBESTOS AND OTHER NON-CONDUCTING MATERIALS—					
	Asbestos, ..	cwts.	1,437	1,085	4,311	3,391
	Composition, ..	"	13,633	14,293	4,776	6,075
	Slagwool, ..	"	38,354	13,128	11,506	3,938

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
6	Asphalt and Bitumen, ..	tons,	1,296	2,187	3,240	5,249
7	Biscuits, ..	cwts.	49,861	50,738	62,326	63,423
8	Beds and Bedsteads, ..	"	39,717	39,624	54,611	59,436
9	Brushes and Brooms, ..	"	26,177	24,708	61,516	58,064
	Bristles, ..	lbs.	313,936	319,872	54,939	55,978
10	Butter, ..	cwts.	55,258	53,643	227,125	246,758
11	Margarine, ..	"	36,784	42,327	95,638	106,876
12	Candles, ..	"	65,171	60,138	91,239	84,193
13	CARRIAGES, CARS, &C.—					
	Carriages, ..	No.	628	821	43,960	57,470
	Cars, ..	"	358	558	7,160	11,160
	Carts, Lorries, and Vans.	"	556	520	10,008	9,360
	Tram Cars, ..	tons	—	857	—	51,935
	Trucks and Waggon, ..	cwts.	13,317	17,161	11,775	15,159
	Handcarts and Wheelbarrows.	No.	649	959	1,056	1,558
	Mail Carts, Perambulators and Parts thereof.	cwts.	2,873	2,789	7,183	6,973
	Axles, ..	tons	292	364	2,475	3,094
	Gig Shafts, ..	cwts.	493	339	493	339
	Spokes and Felloes, ..	No.	28,945	7,521	724	188
	Wheels, ..	cwts.	22,139	21,034	33,210	31,551
	Motor Cars, ..	value	—	—	72,100	136,000
	Motor Cycles, ..	"	—	—	7,500	40,000
	Cycles, ..	"	—	—	250,000	255,000
14	Cement, ..	tons	106,665	136,581	137,776	215,115
15	Charcoal, ..	cwts.	8,396	8,057	2,519	2,417
16	Cheese, ..	"	42,380	41,095	118,664	106,847
17	CHEMICALS, DRUGS, &C.—					
	Acid, unclassified, ..	cwts.	31,198	33,075	38,998	41,344
	Acid, Sulphuric, ..	"	3,167	—	713	—
	Alkali, ..	"	2,867	4,871	717	1,218
	Alum, ..	"	5,359	8,885	1,608	2,666
	Ammonia, ..	"	5,877	7,296	9,991	12,403
	Blue, ..	"	2,049	2,275	3,074	3,413
	Borax, ..	"	740	720	481	507
	Carbide of Calcium, ..	"	8,623	12,508	6,144	8,912
	Copper Sulphate, ..	tons,	1,727	1,577	37,994	32,723
	Cream of Tartar, ..	cwts.	4,982	5,611	18,682	23,005
	Earth, Fuller's, ..	"	1,982	2,791	297	419
	Finings, ..	"	1,043	1,055	939	950
	Gas, ..	"	3,045	5,296	3,197	5,296
	Glycerine, ..	"	7,475	8,160	16,445	12,138
	Isinglass, ..	"	249	334	5,578	7,482
	Gelatine, ..	"	1,000	—	5,000	—

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
	CHEMICALS, DRUGS, &c.— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Pot and Pearl Ashes, ..	cwts.	6,283	21,660	10,681	36,822
	Powder, Washing and Bleaching, ..	"	97,755	94,795	34,214	24,489
	Powder, Soap, ..	"	10,847	10,751	10,847	10,751
	Saltpetre, ..	"	8,086	7,551	9,097	8,306
	Salts, Epsom, ..	"	16,616	11,790	4,154	2,948
	Sheepwash, ..	"	5,194	6,112	25,970	30,560
	Soda, ..	"	235,444	226,149	38,259	36,749
	Soda, Bicarbonate of, ..	"	34,594	33,275	12,108	11,646
	Soda, Caustic, ..	"	1,663	6,948	832	3,416
	Soda Ash, ..	"	104,095	95,605	26,024	22,706
	Salt Cake (Sulphate of Soda), ..	"	24,521	26,945	2,575	2,694
	Sulphur, ..	"	5,575	16,992	1,951	5,947
	Vitriol, ..	"	24,247	21,128	4,546	3,962
	Chemicals and Drugs, unclassified, ..	"	59,762	64,443	28,885	33,028
	<i>Fertilisers.</i>					
	Basic Slag, ..	tons	9,098	14,960	18,196	29,920
	Bone Manure, ..	"	3,431	2,633	17,155	13,165
	Guano, ..	"	1,670	3,492	10,020	20,952
	Kainit, ..	"	3,456	4,885	8,640	12,213
	Soda, Nitrate of, ..	"	6,825	2,123	71,663	23,353
	Sulphate of Ammonia, ..	"	678	874	8,136	10,925
	Mineral Phosphate— Raw, ..	"	60,981	64,080	91,472	96,120
	Superphosphate, ..	"	2,341	1,020	5,852	2,550
	Artificial Manures, unclassified, ..	"	69,952	62,610	434,441	388,008
18	CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND RAW MATERIALS THEREFOR.					
	Clay, ..	tons	7,925	227	2,972	85
	Fireclay, ..	cwts.	54,926	40,564	1,947	1,437
	Pipe Clay, ..	"	18,262	12,857	10,957	7,714
	Bricks, ..	"	465,622	328,098	25,221	16,405
	Bricks, Fireclay, ..	"	253,196	340,147	12,660	17,007
	Tiles, ..	"	278,583	308,864	38,305	42,469
	Terra Cotta, ..	"	1,899	2,888	950	1,444
	Fireclay Goods, ..	"	150,882	158,259	139,566	146,389
	Sewer and Drain Pipes, ..	"	200,095	146,064	18,342	13,389
	Flowerpots, Clay, ..	"	3,478	2,961	783	666
	Earthenware, unclassified, ..	"	171,287	214,619	51,386	64,386
	China Clay, ..	"	45,105	49,833	2,818	3,115
	Chinaware, ..	"	4,220	4,832	21,100	25,368

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
19	Chocolate,	lbs.	183,008	117,596	18,383	10,633
20	Cocoa,	"	3,554,218	3,595,083	355,422	325,055
21	Clocks,	cwts.	2,545	3,152	7,635	9,456
22	Coal,	tons	4,413,995	4,278,233	2,648,390	2,246,073
	Coke,	"	18,423	21,587	16,581	15,472
23	Coffee,	lbs.	1,007,328	996,436	28,331	24,688
	Chicory,	"	24,976	21,393	327	296
24	DYES AND TANNING SUBSTANCES—					
	Aniline,	cwts.	1,690	1,250	14,124	10,172
	Copperas,	"	4,494	4,525	1,797	1,810
	Iron Liquor,	"	13,952	12,304	6,278	5,537
	Logwood,	tons	172	103	860	484
	Cutch,	"	53	54	1,866	1,620
	Myrabolans,	cwts.	1,262	1,438	316	360
	Sumach,	tons	72	46	725	460
	Gambier,	"	18	17	456	340
	Valonia,	"	284	285	2,642	2,850
	Bark,	cwts.	8,297	10,256	2,697	3,590
	Extract,	"	7,814	5,582	4,102	3,070
	Dyes and Tanning Substances — unclassified.	"	49,407	47,586	35,968	21,612
25	Eggs,	gt. hdrds.	114,114	116,002	37,087	41,084
	Egg Yolks,	cwts.	471	448	1,413	1,680
26	FATS—					
	Lard,	cwts.	76,045	89,627	184,409	224,068
	Stearine,	"	3,330	3,562	6,244	6,679
	Tallow,	"	30,179	25,571	41,496	35,160
	Grease,	"	25,641	20,170	10,256	8,068
27	Feathers,	"	1,207	1,572	3,621	4,716
28	FISH—					
	Herrings, Fresh,	"	6,702	10,907	2,792	4,545
	Herrings, Cured,	"	100,026	79,093	75,020	59,320
	Fish—Dried and Preserved.	"	53,250	73,971	64,690	89,690
	Fish—unclassified,	"	112,911	125,852	103,502	115,364
	Shell Fish—					
	Oysters,	"	10,613	7,265	6,368	4,359
	Shell Fish, (unclassified).	"	1,458	1,658	1,696	1,927
29	Fishing Nets,	"	2,873	2,625	11,492	10,500

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			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
30	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES :				£	£
	Apples and Pears, ..	cwts.	133,972	126,373	93,780	113,736
	Grapes,	"	17,204	18,378	40,143	42,729
	Melons,	"	6,108	3,899	2,443	1,560
	Oranges,	"	154,242	143,614	84,833	71,807
	Lemons,	"	39,735	31,595	31,788	23,696
	Tomatoes,	"	485	639	970	1,406
	Almonds,	"	384	1,002	845	2,204
	Nuts,	"	9,639	10,194	13,495	15,801
	Nuts, Cocoa, ..	"	2,669	2,995	534	1,198
	Currants,	"	34,526	33,621	30,210	33,621
	Raisins,	"	18,598	20,997	27,897	33,595
	Dates,	"	1,577	2,073	986	1,451
	Figs,	"	1,891	2,624	2,837	3,280
	Fruit—unclassified, ..	"	118,890	127,280	93,626	109,249
	Fruit—Dried and Preserved, ..	"	104,809	102,281	115,289	126,146
	Jams and Preserves, ..	"	63,247	66,550	88,546	93,170
	Onions,	"	202,852	193,358	45,642	48,340
	Potatoes,	tons	5,213	14,952	18,246	42,613
	Vegetables—unclassified, ..	"	544	423	416	323
	Plants and Bulbs, ..	cwts.	16,157	19,016	60,589	71,310
31	Glass and Glassware—unclassified, ..	"	193,572	183,984	159,697	151,787
	Cullet,	"	25,458	29,144	796	911
	Bottles,	"	238,819	281,093	83,586	98,383
32	Glue,	"	12,302	10,280	14,762	12,336
33	Gum,	"	1,442	1,288	4,783	3,993
34	GRAIN, FLOUR, AND FEEDING STUFFS.					
	Wheat,	"	6,932,774	7,502,546	2,599,790	2,907,237
	Oats,	"	424,736	465,914	116,802	128,126
	Barley,	"	1,315,942	1,208,125	394,783	362,438
	Malt,	"	806,741	737,824	510,936	451,917
	Rye,	"	404,403	463,915	111,211	139,175
	Maize,	"	13,249,671	11,266,196	3,146,797	2,957,376
	Peas,	"	26,871	31,106	10,077	13,350
	Beans,	"	16,932	13,309	7,619	5,157
	Tares and Vetches, ..	"	6,723	5,137	1,933	1,798
	Lentils,	"	1,358	1,912	423	813
	Hops,	"	67,260	66,326	403,560	331,630
	Rice,	"	71,803	76,467	32,311	36,003
	Sago,	"	29,079	33,607	11,632	13,023
	Tapioca,	"	5,684	9,184	3,410	5,702
	Farina,	"	30,827	32,650	19,267	19,590
	Wheat Flour,	"	5,528,271	5,595,207	2,764,136	2,797,604
	Oatmeal,	"	152,634	151,149	78,225	75,575

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34	GRAIN, FLOUR, AND FEED- ING STUFFS— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Indian Meal, ..	cwts.	21,219	15,008	6,719	6,441
	Linseed Meal, ..	"	29,542	14,986	17,725	9,746
	Cotton Meal, ..	"	36,929	66,045	11,079	23,116
	Cattle Meal, ..	"	151,517	155,226	37,879	38,807
	Meal—unclassified, ..	"	407,154	388,707	101,788	97,177
	Bran and Pollard, ..	"	1,504,747	963,841	357,377	216,864
	Grain Offal, ..	"	27,086	62,362	4,740	11,693
	Grains, ..	"	167,489	92,745	41,872	23,186
	Cattle Food, ..	tons	18,156	17,036	81,702	76,662
	Linseed Cake, ..	"	23,643	23,371	149,736	167,102
	Cotton Seed Cake, ..	"	14,098	13,923	70,490	76,577
	Dog Biscuits, ..	cwts.	1,756	3,059	1,317	2,294
35	Hay and Straw, ..	tons	11,525	6,958	32,271	19,135
	Straw Envelopes, ..	cwts.	9,889	10,023	6,428	6,515
36	HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.					
	Hides, ..	"	7,184	8,877	23,467	29,294
	Skins, ..	"	1,793	271	6,694	1,016
	Leather, ..	"	61,479	64,410	401,663	450,870
	Boots and Shoes, ..	"	134,799	138,720	1,735,537	1,786,020
	Saddlery and Harness, ..	"	2,761	2,648	38,676	37,072
	Belts and Belting, ..	"	787	940	8,800	10,528
	Clogs, ..	"	495	513	2,100	2,180
37	Honey, ..	"	224	237	392	326
38	Horns and Hoofs, ..	"	58	95	99	190
39	Ice, ..	tons	10,504	12,518	5,252	5,998
40	India-rubber Goods, ..	cwts.	10,667	11,909	201,606	225,080
	Gutta-Percha, ..	"	80	7	844	56
41	Ink, ..	"	7,313	7,511	3,071	3,160
42	INSTRUMENTS—MUSICAL.					
	Organs, ..	"	2,071	2,003	12,426	12,018
	Pianos, ..	No.	2,501	2,415	87,535	84,525
	Musical Instruments— unclassified, ..	cwts.	2,601	2,117	19,508	15,878
43	Instruments—Nautical and Scientific.	"	252	356	56,448	79,744
44	Ivory, ..	"	87	2	3,480	80
45	Lime, ..	"	17,443	5,542	727	231
46	MACHINERY.					
	Machinery—Agricul- tural, ..	tons	666	637	26,640	25,480
	Machinery — Textile, ..	"	614	580	49,120	46,400
	Machinery, unclassified ..	"	19,788	23,978	989,400	1,153,900
47	Matches, ..	cwts.	36,734	35,514	82,651	79,906

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			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
48	MEAT, POULTRY AND GAME					
	Beef,	cwts.	94,726	132,137	146,485	234,543
	Mutton,	"	10,914	40,721	21,828	78,388
	Pork,	"	8,457	4,646	8,013	4,394
	Bacon,	"	656,518	729,937	1,542,817	1,697,104
	Hams,	"	25,575	35,014	63,938	82,720
	Pigs' Heads, ..	"	107,129	94,496	53,565	47,248
	Meat, Preserved, and Canned.	"	35,302	47,718	88,255	119,295
	Meat, Coarse, ..	"	31,937	64,229	7,984	16,057
	Poultry,	"	2,558	3,265	7,162	9,142
	Rabbits,	"	294	930	294	1,186
	Game,	"	76	83	266	291
	Provisions and Groceries.	"	74,458	66,685	154,500	132,259
49	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.					
	<i>Metals.</i>					
	Antimony, ..	tons	10	5	600	320
	Brass and Bronze, ..	"	498	537	32,370	40,275
	Copper,	"	1,676	1,914	113,968	141,636
	Lead,	"	5,548	4,758	73,511	70,418
	Pig Iron,	"	13,052	15,097	28,062	47,556
	Scrap Iron, ..	"	3,012	2,917	5,251	5,105
	Steel,	"	55,502	67,775	860,281	1,050,513
	Tin,	"	3,584	4,308	71,680	100,376
	Zinc,	"	364	321	9,464	8,667
	Solder,	"	12	15	720	1,020
	Yellow Metal, ..	"	55	94	2,750	5,405
	Manganese, ..	"	448	275	1,792	1,100
	Silver,	Troy ozs.	63,700	49,728	8,759	6,838
	Quicksilver, ..	lbs.	1,344	2,016	75	202
	Plate,	Troy ozs.	107,800	65,856	34,137	20,854
	Metal Ashes, ..	tons	250	284	2,125	2,414
	<i>Metal Manufactures.</i>					
	Bar and Wrought Iron, ..	"	62,659	61,308	407,284	456,745
	Girders, Beams, and Joists.	"	3,934	2,986	22,620	17,170
	Plates and Sheets, ..	"	13,307	16,956	103,127	133,952
	Hoops and Strips, ..	"	1,203	1,258	9,323	10,190
	Anchors and Chains, ..	"	1,398	1,844	27,960	31,348
	Anvils and Vices, ..	cwts.	1,338	1,555	1,673	1,944
	Bolts, Rivets, Nuts, ..	tons	7,712	8,025	88,688	92,288
	Nails and Screws, ..	"	6,640	6,833	69,720	71,746
	Gutters, Pipes, Bends, ..	"				
	Runs, Shoes, Offsets, &c.	cwts.	72,560	172,435	23,582	56,041
	Type,	tons	72	64	9,000	8,320

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	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Meters,	tons.	218	200	39,303	38,000
	Safes,	"	172	150	5,160	4,500
	Pumps,	cwts.	1,176	3,837	3,293	10,744
	Cables, Electric, ..	"	2,625	22,663	32,813	305,951
	Trunks,	"	4,677	3,722	7,016	5,583
	Forks and Rakes, ..	"	72,150	49,692	99,206	68,326
	Spades, Shovels, &c.,	"	3,872	4,138	5,324	5,690
	Scythes, Hooks, &c.,	"	2,521	2,199	3,966	3,463
	Boilers and Cylinders,	"	51,340	46,108	102,680	92,216
	Railway Plant—Iron	tons	21,606	16,412	162,045	123,090
	Chairs, Buffers, Fish-plates, &c.					
	Ranges, Stoves, Ovens, and parts of same.	cwts.	32,658	37,255	36,740	44,706
	Basins, Tanks, Cisterns, &c.	"	946	1,006	828	880
	Pots, Pans, Buckets, &c.	"	19,770	23,943	12,356	14,964
	Wire and Wire Netting	tons	4,096	4,418	34,816	37,553
	Hardware,	cwts.	215,217	207,767	430,434	441,505
	Electro-plated Ware,	"	3,019	3,100	50,719	51,925
	Iron Manufactures—unclassified, ..	tons	27,769	37,153	555,380	766,281
	<i>Ores.</i>					
	Iron Ore,	"	622	77	467	58
	Sulphur Ore,	"	38,287	38,778	30,671	31,022
	Lead Ore,	"	465	320	4,187	2,560
	Ore—unclassified, ..	"	6,844	6,960	8,062	8,207
50	Milk—Condensed, ..	cwts.	19,799	17,433	27,966	24,624
51	Moss,	"	268	511	214	409
52	<i>OILS—</i>					
	Cotton Oil,	tons	314	300	6,594	6,075
	Linseed Oil,	"	213	372	3,830	6,975
	Naphtha,	galls.	202,803	166,952	6,338	5,217
	Petroleum and Paraffin Oil.	"	20,191,678	16,411,967	504,792	410,299
	Oleo and Oleine, ..	cwts.	6,891	5,258	10,337	7,887
	Turpentine,	"	15,795	15,205	33,170	34,591
	Oils, unclassified, ..	"	534,526	849,804	320,716	509,882
53	<i>PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS.</i>					
	Paints, unclassified,	cwts.	97,635	116,011	48,818	58,006
	Lead Paint,	"	5,077	5,889	5,677	5,079
	Varnish,	"	13,599	14,672	57,796	62,356
	Lampblack,	"	893	1,198	313	419
	Iron Oxide,	"	882	11,293	265	3,247

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	PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Barytes, ..	cwts.	757	1,375	95	172
	Mineral, White, ..	"	179	119	143	95
	Mineral, Black, ..	"	260	129	98	48
	Putty, ..	"	12,439	13,207	3,110	3,962
	Sizing, ..	"	4,442	6,781	11,993	13,562
	Shellac, ..	"	131	179	786	1,251
54	PAPER AND PRINTED MATTER.					
	Paper, ..	"	709,566	694,904	603,131	567,505
	Paper Pulp, ..	"	27,719	6,588	6,930	1,565
	Wood Pulp, ..	tons	12,707	17,093	63,553	81,192
	Foreign Grass, ..	cwts.	4,147	4,118	778	772
	Cardboard and Mill-boards.	"	48,662	40,053	25,756	21,195
	Strawboard, ..	"	33,429	52,761	9,193	24,200
	Stationery, ..	"	51,916	47,634	155,748	142,902
	Books, ..	value	—	—	80,000	90,000
	Showcards, ..	cwts.	8,667	8,642	60,669	60,494
	Other Printed Matter, Newspapers, &c.,	"	39,375	41,790	41,344	43,880
55	Paraffin Shale, ..	"	24,720	28,460	32,136	36,998
56	Peat Litter, ..	"	79,303	67,916	5,948	4,245
57	Perfumery, ..	lbs.	25,648	23,520	2,288	2,353
58	Pickles, Sauces, &c.,	cwts.	23,870	20,987	50,724	47,221
	Vinegar, ..	galls.	69,140	70,390	1,729	1,760
59	Pictures, Engravings, &c.,	cwts.	3,032	2,963	22,740	22,223
60	POLISHES & ABRASIVES.					
	Blackening and Black-lead.	"	33,073	31,077	16,812	15,797
	Polishes, unclassified,	"	319	337	718	838
	Bathbrick, ..	"	1,852	2,726	232	341
	Emery, ..	"	1,016	781	813	625
	Emery Cloth, ..	"	1,424	1,789	3,560	4,697
	Pumice Stone, ..	tons	21	24	210	240
	Grindstones, ..	"	341	357	1,023	1,357
	Scythe Stones, ..	"	46	121	138	367
61	Rags, ..	"	1,325	6,806	11,704	64,657
62	Resin, ..	cwts.	69,945	63,268	26,229	26,888
63	Retorts, ..	"	12,306	7,477	1,077	694
64	Salt, ..	tons	33,129	38,690	27,331	29,018
65	Sand, Building, ..	"	502	498	75	75
	Sand, Silver, ..	cwts.	34,688	19,992	1,040	600
66	SEEDS—					
	Clover and Grass Seed,	"	43,209	45,364	19,444	21,975
	Flax Seed, ..	"	104,856	116,260	64,665	71,188
	Hemp Seed, ..	"	1,028	1,359	617	815
	Seeds, unclassified, ..	"	60,666	56,825	27,300	27,525

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67	SHIPS, BOATS, AND PARTS OF SAME.				£	£
	Boats,	No.	136	211	2,720	4,220
	Oars and Spars, ..	cwts.	424	495	276	322
68	Soap,	"	140,293	132,951	154,322	139,599
69	Soot,	"	10,433	11,800	783	885
70	SPICES—					
	Ginger,	"	1,467	2,041	2,200	2,602
	Mustard,	lbs.	314,944	272,972	7,874	6,824
	Pepper,	"	237,440	276,581	6,925	7,168
	Spices, unclassified, ..	"	96,320	156,398	2,602	3,467
71	Sponges,	lbs.	57,232	47,936	10,016	9,587
72	Starch,	cwts.	61,084	54,603	47,340	42,317
73	STONES—					
	Stones — Freestone and Limestone.	tons	9,441	9,093	9,441	9,093
	Marble,	"	1,059	1,190	6,354	7,140
	Marble Chimney Pieces.	cwts.	4,821	6,785	7,232	10,178
	Figures,	"	526	644	4,734	5,796
	Granite,	tons	714	2,093	8,568	25,116
	Setts and Blocks, ..	"	5,309	36,793	6,371	44,152
	Flags,	"	1,452	1,242	726	621
	Lithographic Stones, ..	"	96	88	2,464	2,266
	Slates,	"	25,096	24,301	106,658	108,747
	Slate Slabs,	"	275	88	1,169	374
	Slates, Writing, ..	cwts.	725	781	311	335
	Slate Chimney Pieces, ..	"	5,345	5,040	4,677	4,410
	Gannister,	tons	388	396	359	366
	Alabaster,	cwts.	30,596	34,925	2,677	3,056
	Gypsum (Plaster of Paris).	tons	4,834	4,300	7,251	6,450
	Chalk and Whiting, ..	cwts.	15,519	30,857	582	1,157
	Bauxite,	"	108,287	114,702	3,158	3,345
74	SUGAR AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.					
	Sugar,	"	2,705,049	2,488,850	1,623,029	1,648,863
	Confectionery,	"	103,904	100,185	207,808	260,481
	Glucose,	"	40,628	38,062	20,314	22,361
	Molasses,	"	4,619	2,799	866	560
	Syrup and Treacle, ..	"	33,491	44,437	25,118	33,328
75	Tar and Pitch,	cwts.	195,442	197,643	58,633	55,175
76	Tea,	lbs.	30,366,112	29,387,833	1,083,058	886,532
77	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS.					
	Cotton, Raw,	cwts.	461,755	474,490	1,454,528	1,257,399
	Cotton Yarn,	lbs.	14,031,472	15,099,280	643,109	736,090
	Cotton Wool,	cwts.	2,677	2,043	8,031	6,129

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	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Cotton Goods, ..	cwts.	314,651	319,975	2,202,557	2,239,825
	Flax, ..	tons	27,909	33,983	1,548,950	1,777,311
	Linen Yarn, ..	lbs.	10,522,400	10,119,088	372,668	358,384
	Linen Goods, ..	cwts.	96,436	84,891	723,270	636,683
	Jute, ..	tons	4,613	3,248	64,582	55,216
	Jute Goods, ..	cwts.	67	176	125	328
	Jute Yarn, ..	lbs.	1,547,392	1,431,106	25,790	23,852
	Hemp, ..	tons	13,489	14,126	445,140	448,501
	Tow and Codilla, ..	"	5,345	7,877	117,590	157,540
	Rope, Cordage, and Twine.	cwts.	33,864	41,773	42,894	50,128
	Oil Cloth, ..	"	33,285	36,846	58,249	64,481
	Bags and Bagging, ..	"	163,979	178,540	99,481	108,313
	Canvas Goods, ..	"	8,953	7,583	33,425	28,430
	Silk and Velvet, ..	"	1,011	887	141,540	126,664
	Wool, ..	lbs.	3,454,080	2,642,864	129,528	102,411
	Wool Yarn, ..	"	2,694,832	2,554,006	269,483	244,759
	Blankets, ..	cwts.	3,123	5,180	21,861	36,993
	Carpets, ..	"	12,993	13,991	207,888	237,847
	Felting, ..	"	12,608	11,705	3,782	3,512
	Woollen Goods—unclassified.	"	58,053	51,709	975,290	883,370
	Thread and Yarn.					
	Thread, ..	lbs.	1,144,304	1,209,682	143,038	151,210
	Yarns—unclassified,	"	4,303,264	4,293,540	237,576	237,039
	Hair, Fibre, Flock, &c.					
	Hair, Curled, ..	cwts.	7,577	6,439	23,930	20,283
	Hair, Plasterers', ..	"	12,731	12,191	7,038	6,756
	Cotton Waste, ..	lbs.	1,229,200	1,722,784	14,341	17,228
	Waste (Flax, Hemp, and Tow).	cwts.	84,020	74,090	42,010	37,045
	Wool Flock, and Waste.	lbs.	47,152	27,496	246	143
	Fibre and Oakum, ..	cwts.	10,011	3,989	13,014	5,186
	Coir Yarn, ..	"	14,393	11,255	10,075	7,879
	Mattresses, ..	"	1,052	1,129	5,891	6,322
	Mats and Matting, ..	"	5,249	4,544	24,495	21,243
	Textile Goods—Unclassified.					
	Hosiery, ..	"	11,287	13,838	126,414	161,559
	Drapery, ..	"	277,441	314,381	3,884,174	4,489,099
	Apparel—unclassified,	"	46,101	48,818	645,414	698,080

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TABLE III.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Imported into IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
78	TOBACCO.					
	Manufactured, ..	lbs.	3,631,326	3,449,980	726,265	689,996
	Unmanufactured, ..	"	13,355,847	10,468,276	333,896	281,335
79	Tobacco Pipes, ..	cwts.	3,131	2,285	100,000	73,120
80	Toys, ..	"	11,501	12,896	13,226	14,830
81	Umbrellas, ..	"	529	372	23,805	16,740
82	Waste, unclassified, ..	"	7,784	2,001	3,892	1,001
83	Wax, Bees, ..	"	161	270	902	1,215
	Wax, Paraffin, ..	"	26,076	26,489	32,595	32,449
84	WOOD, TIMBER, AND MANUFACTURES THERE-OF.					
	Timber, ..	loads	99,183	83,897	446,324	377,536
	Boxwood, ..	"	876	951	13,140	15,216
	Mahogany, ..	"	2,316	1,546	23,160	11,595
	Corks and Corkwood, ..	"	1,228	1,315	98,240	110,460
	Timber, Sawn, ..	"	2,967	4,405	14,835	22,025
	Boards and Deals, ..	"	192,322	176,167	576,966	528,501
	Sleepers, Railway, ..	"	42,045	15,688	115,624	43,142
	Staves, ..	tons	8,966	5,406	67,245	40,545
	Hoops, ..	cwts.	9,736	7,071	4,138	3,005
	Baskets, ..	"	5,556	3,921	22,224	15,684
	Basket Rods, ..	"	5,655	6,844	5,655	6,844
	Rushes, ..	"	527	129	501	123
	Clog Soles, ..	"	512	421	794	653
	Handles, ..	"	5,470	9,703	3,555	6,307
	Cane, ..	"	1,509	1,448	1,132	1,086
	Picture Frames, ..	"	1,292	1,999	1,194	1,849
	Rollers, Wood, ..	"	1,158	1,414	637	778
	Walking Sticks, &c., ..	"	437	444	11,799	11,988
	Washboards, ..	"	3,015	1,675	2,111	1,173
	Furniture, ..	"	103,460	114,915	362,110	402,203
	Wooden Manufactures —Unclassified.	"	26,253	13,894	17,064	9,031
85	Xylonite, ..	"	25	23	665	612
86	Yeast, ..	"	10,657	9,602	22,380	20,044

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
87	Aerated and Mineral Waters.	cwts.	244,095	267,977	195,276	214,381
88	ALES, SPIRITS, WINES, AND OTHER BEVERAGES.					
	Ale and Beer, ..	barrels	1,426	1,936	4,753	6,389
	Porter, ..	hhds.	514,713	539,379	1,647,082	1,737,230
	Home Made Spirits (Whiskey, &c.)	proof galls.	8,637,031	8,047,042	2,343,496	2,179,407
	Foreign and Colonial Spirits (Brandy, Gin, Rum, &c.)	"	39,186	38,127	8,000	8,102
	Wine, ..	galls.	82,330	342,812	25,385	109,986
	Hop Bitters, ..	"	1,431	315	54	12
	Cordials, ..	"	6,084	7,011	456	526
	Lime Juice, ..	"	1,233	1,026	93	77
89	ANIMALS—					
	Cattle, Fat, ..	No.	232,286	225,030	3,844,333	3,577,977
	" Store, ..	"	471,047	456,361	5,120,281	5,019,971
	" Other, ..	"	6,896	6,205	20,688	18,615
	Calves, ..	"	62,968	62,338	327,434	311,690
	Goats, ..	"	2,020	2,292	606	688
	Sheep, ..	"	373,157	351,389	731,388	767,199
	Lambs, ..	"	368,436	352,453	589,498	489,028
	Swine, Fat, ..	"	478,922	362,791	1,676,227	1,269,769
	" Store, ..	"	26,325	1,032	65,812	2,323
	Horses—Stallions, ..	"	235	203	58,750	50,750
	Mares, ..	"	12,944	14,217	582,480	639,765
	Geldings, ..	"	14,443	16,388	649,935	737,460
	Mules and Jennets, ..	"	13	10	156	100
	Asses, ..	"	1,221	1,723	3,053	4,308
90	ARMS AND AMMUNITION.					
	Guns and Rifles, ..	cwts.	159	446	9,540	26,760
	Gunpowder, ..	"	345	17	772	38
	Blasting Gelatine, ..	"	13,000	10,160	65,520	51,308
	Gelignite, Dynamite, &c.	"	10,440	13,690	37,425	48,942
	Gun Cotton, ..	"	140	—	1,176	—
	Collodion Cotton, ..	"	133	—	1,117	—
91	ASBESTOS AND NON-CONDUCTING MATERIALS.					
	Composition, ..	"	8,182	14,228	3,273	5,691
	Cotton Silicate, ..	"	25	24	8	7

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TABLE IV.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Exported from IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
92	Asphalt and Bitumen, ..	tons	1,791	1,864	4,478	4,474
93	Beds and Bedsteads, ..	cwts.	651	919	846	1,310
	Bedding, &c., ..	"	295	281	516	492
94	Biscuits, ..	"	228,708	245,367	285,885	306,709
95	Brushes and Brooms, ..	"	2,024	1,254	4,756	2,947
96	Butter, ..	"	687,100	685,238	3,195,015	3,357,666
	Margarine, ..	"	26,278	26,222	68,323	66,210
97	Candles, ..	"	5,442	5,286	7,619	7,400
98	CARRIAGES, CARS, CYCLES, &c.					
	Carriages, Cars, &c.,	No.	730	1,342	36,300	66,765
	Carts, Vans, &c., ..	"	152	231	2,732	4,158
	Mailcarts and Perambulators.	cwts.	159	211	398	527
	Axles, ..	tons	4	6	34	51
	Shafts, ..	No.	2,220	10,125	80	365
	Spokes and Felloes, ..	"	17,861	35,467	447	887
	Wheels, ..	cwts.	10,060	11,202	15,090	16,803
99	Cement, ..	tons	282	256	370	403
100	Cheese, ..	cwts.	1,137	916	2,838	2,382
101	CHEMICALS, DRUGS, &c.					
	Acid—unclassified, ..	"	2,914	4,100	3,643	5,125
	" Nitric, ..	"	762	—	686	—
	" Sulphuric, ..	"	1,799	162	405	28
	Alum, ..	"	1,430	1,049	429	315
	Carbide of Calcium, ..	"	1,457	4,739	1,038	3,377
	Copper Sulphate, ..	tons	11	28	242	581
	Glycerine, ..	cwts.	4,530	1,267	9,966	2,011
	Nitrate of Lead, ..	"	219	—	312	—
	Nitre Cake, ..	"	38,785	40,180	2,262	1,507
	Sulphate of Lead, ..	"	954	134	608	85
	Magnesia, ..	"	1,595	1,545	1,994	2,124
	Powder (Washing and Bleaching).	"	418	288	146	74
	Soap Lye, ..	"	622	6,365	233	2,387
	Sheep Wash, ..	"	2,869	817	14,345	4,085
	Soda, ..	"	4,714	4,236	766	688
	Soda Ash, ..	"	855	900	214	214
	Sulphur, ..	"	185	135	65	47
	Chemicals and Drugs (unclassified).	"	4,031	7,437	1,646	2,665
	Manures, Artificial (unclassified).	tons	22,223	21,575	130,420	132,686

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TABLE IV.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES OF GOODS and LIVE STOCK Exported from IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
102	CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND CLAY GOODS.				£	£
	Bricks, ..	cwts.	2,372	8,579	119	429
	Bricks, Fireclay, ..	"	758	860	38	43
	Tiles, ..	"	430	236	59	32
	Fireclay Goods, ..	"	140	94	70	47
	Earthenware — unclassified.	"	3,266	2,880	980	864
	Chinaware and Porcelain.	"	342	394	2,565	2,955
103	Chocolate, ..	lbs.	2,240	3,864	225	349
104	Clocks, ..	cwts.	211	430	633	1,290
105	Cocoa, ..	lbs.	18,704	39,536	1,878	3,575
106	Coffee, ..	"	10,528	7,196	294	178
107	DYES AND TANNING SUBSTANCES.					
	Annatto, ..	cwts.	1,160	4	11,909	41
	Copperas, ..	"	83	161	33	64
	Iron Liquor, ..	"	100	80	45	36
	Logwood, ..	tons	44	—	221	—
	Gambier, ..	"	10	1	250	20
	Divi-Divi, ..	cwts.	240	40	120	20
	Bark, ..	"	1,192	567	238	113
	Dyes and Tanning Substances — unclassified.	"	991	503	3,295	170
108	Eggs, ..	gt. hdrds	5,513,814	6,098,451	2,205,526	2,515,611
109	FATS.					
	Lard, ..	cwts.	124,780	122,605	302,591	306,513
	Tallow, ..	"	21,397	23,906	29,396	32,871
	Grease, ..	"	33,940	32,023	39,031	38,427
110	Feathers, ..	"	12,296	17,996	36,888	53,988
111	FISH.					
	Herrings, Fresh, ..	"	48,516	28,508	20,215	14,254
	" Cured, ..	"	36,277	100,204	27,208	100,204
	Mackerel, Fresh, ..	"	42,791	57,361	10,698	25,812
	" Cured, ..	"	66,157	33,117	57,887	24,838
	" unclassified, ..	"	150,311	62,774	82,671	37,664
	Salmon and Trout, ..	"	16,593	17,821	69,691	99,798
	Eels, Fresh Water, ..	"	2,431	2,874	4,862	10,059
	Fresh Fish, unclassified	}	71,392	42,913	68,114	37,281
	Fish, Dried or Preserved.					
	Shell Fish.					
	Mussels, ..	"	27,112	30,635	2,626	3,446
	Oysters, ..	"	3,242	15,377	4,863	23,066
	Lobsters, ..	"	1,949	3,558	7,796	14,232
	Winkles, ..	"	6,658	5,780	1,355	1,300
	Shell Fish, unclassified,	"	41,853	50,588	7,368	11,382

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TABLE IV.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Exported from IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
					£	£
112	Fishing Nets, ..	cwts.	1,183	868	4,732	3,472
113	FRUIT AND VEGETABLES.					
	Apples, ..	"	30,278	14,093	10,597	8,456
	Blackberries, ..	"	4,627	5,529	2,545	2,212
	Damsons, ..	"	1,880	1,880	1,128	1,880
	Gooseberries, ..	"	3,309	3,728	1,324	1,305
	Lemons, ..	"	87	214	39	160
	Oranges, ..	"	262	300	105	150
	Currants, ..	"	268	51	228	51
	Raisins, ..	"	266	384	399	614
	Fruit, Pulped, ..	"	2,644	2,170	1,454	868
	Fruit, unclassified, ..	"	33,893	15,007	26,550	8,316
	Jams and Preserves, ..	"	30,510	50,808	41,189	68,591
	Potatoes, ..	tons	75,020	72,158	262,570	205,650
	" Preserved, ..	"	535	480	16,050	14,400
	Turnips, ..	"	458	2,418	572	3,023
	Vegetables, unclassified.	"	2,833	2,914	2,160	2,222
	Plants and Bulbs, ..	cwts.	5,886	5,786	22,073	21,697
114	Glass and Glassware, unclassified.	"	5,390	6,812	4,447	5,620
	Cullet, ..	"	2,545	2,299	80	72
	Bottles, ..	"	4,363	8,006	1,527	2,802
115	Glue, ..	"	4,618	3,660	5,542	4,392
116	Gum, ..	"	37	4	123	12
117	GRAIN, FLOUR, AND FEED- ING STUFFS.					
	Wheat, ..	"	3,765	19,208	1,506	7,443
	Oats, ..	"	893,892	1,184,673	268,168	370,210
	Barley, ..	"	55,018	59,420	16,505	17,826
	Malt, ..	"	90,838	81,656	57,475	50,014
	Rye, ..	"	590	70	162	21
	Maize, ..	"	735,557	411,673	174,694	108,064
	Peas, ..	"	342	519	128	223
	Beans, ..	"	11,771	13,858	5,297	5,370
	Tares, ..	"	817	118	255	41
	Hops, ..	"	823	624	4,815	3,120
	Wheat Flour, ..	"	227,817	123,665	112,007	61,833
	Oatmeal, ..	"	176,123	195,459	90,263	97,730
	Indian Meal, ..	"	6,484	4,459	2,053	1,914
	Bran and Pollard, ..	"	57,084	103,274	11,417	23,237
	Rice, Sago, Tapioca, Corn Flour, and Farina.	"	2,113	4,661	1,143	2,530
	Grain Offal, ..	"	216,053	232,689	37,809	43,629
	Grains, ..	"	116,294	102,741	29,073	25,685

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TABLE IV.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Exported from IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
	GRAIN, FLOUR AND FEED- ING STUFFS— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Cattle Meals, ..	cwts.	30,025	48,000	7,506	12,000
	Cotton Meal, ..	"	9,420	9,260	2,826	3,241
	Oil Cake, ..	tons	1,788	1,376	9,684	8,462
118	Hay and Straw, ..	"	3,752	5,127	10,506	14,099
119	HIDES, SKINS, LEATHER, AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF.					
	Hides,	cwts.	103,959	77,140	206,185	161,994
	Skins,	"	98,898	121,187	279,914	345,383
	Leather,	"	9,017	11,338	67,327	90,704
	Boots and Shoes, ..	"	2,804	3,544	36,022	45,629
	Saddlery and Harness, Clogs,	"	349	364	4,900	5,096
120	Honey,	"	4,938	4,643	20,739	19,733
121	Horns and Hoofs, ..	"	153	296	405	1,021
122	India-Rubber Goods, ..	"	980	144	1,658	288
	Gutta-Percha, ..	"	1,574	2,291	33,915	49,256
123	Ink,	"	147	8	1,550	64
124	INSTRUMENTS, MUSICAL.		834	850	350	358
	Organs,	"	277	71	1,662	426
	Pianos,	No.	327	359	11,445	12,565
	Musical Instruments, unclassified.	cwts.	605	558	4,538	4,185
125	Instruments, Nautical and Scientific.	"	52	61	11,648	13,664
126	Lime,	"	1,338	1,065	56	44
127	Machinery,	tons	9,196	11,171	459,800	558,550
128	Matches,	cwts.	397	209	893	470
129	MEAT, POULTRY, AND GAME.					
	Beef,	"	6,047	6,784	16,326	18,062
	Pork,	"	41,414	39,890	97,323	93,742
	Bacon,	"	684,980	617,559	1,712,450	1,790,921
	Hams,	"	119,587	105,540	478,348	464,376
	Tripe,	"	5,179	7,542	3,884	5,657
	Meat, Preserved, and Canned.	"	4,390	6,176	10,975	15,440
	Meat, Coarse, ..	"	105,699	92,341	26,425	23,085
	Poultry,	"	230,485	248,901	645,358	696,923
	Rabbits,	"	51,293	50,623	64,116	64,544
	Game,	"	1,581	1,552	6,324	6,208
	Provisions and Gro- ceries.	"	193,209	176,364	483,023	511,456
130	METALS AND MANUFAC- TURES THEREOF.					
	Brass and Bronze, ..	tons	272	359	17,680	26,925
	Copper Bars, Blocks, &c. (unwrought).	"	234	376	15,912	27,824

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TABLE IV.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Exported from IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
130	METALS AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Yellow Metal, ..	tons	14	15	700	862
	Iron and Manufactures thereof.	..	2,876	4,470	57,520	92,194
	Iron, Scrap, ..	..	30,796	39,877	53,893	69,785
	Steel, ..	..	181	2,421	2,806	37,526
	Forks, Rakes, Spades, and Scythes.	cwts.	1,094	2,726	1,504	3,748
	Anchors and Chains,	tons	31	63	620	1,071
	Anvils and Vices, ..	cwts.	113	179	141	224
	Bolts, Rivets, and Nuts.	tons	51	48	587	552
	Meters, ..	..	69	76	12,420	14,440
	Nails and Screws, ..	..	60	55	570	523
	Pots, Pans, &c., ..	cwts.	15,380	5,873	9,613	3,672
	Pumps, ..	..	109	159	382	557
	Railway Plant, ..	tons	157	247	1,178	1,853
	Ranges, Stoves, and Ovens.	cwts.	9,381	7,395	10,554	8,874
	Safes, ..	tons	12	13	360	390
	Wire and Wire Netting	..	84	71	714	604
	Lead, ..	..	787	1,294	10,428	19,087
	Piping, &c., ..	cwts.	4,646	5,525	1,394	1,568
	Type, ..	tons	5	7	625	910
	Silver, ..	Troy ozs	26,134	17,964	3,593	2,470
	Electro-plated Ware,	cwts.	583	579	9,794	9,698
	Tin, ..	tons	91	177	1,820	4,124
	Trunks, ..	cwts.	1,860	1,380	2,790	2,070
	Zinc, ..	tons	82	134	2,132	3,618
	Hardware — Miscellaneous.	cwts.	27,359	29,689	54,718	63,089
	Electric Cables, ..	..	—	1,922	—	25,947
	Metal Ashes—unclassified.	tons	282	384	2,397	3,295
	Boilers and Cylinders,	cwts.	2,015	2,090	4,030	4,180
	<i>Ores.</i>					
	Iron Ore, ..	tons	55,965	96,878	19,588	33,907
	Bog Ore, ..	..	2,210	2,412	553	724
	Burnt Ore, ..	..	19,718	21,208	19,718	21,208
	White Ore, ..	cwts.	5,864	3,200	220	120
	Sulphur Ore, ..	tons	4,414	6,170	3,536	4,936
	Ores—unclassified, ..	..	128	978	952	6,650
131	Milk, Condensed, ..	cwts.	251,306	289,919	301,567	347,903
	„ not Condensed, ..	..	17,500	17,500	5,651	15,458
132	Moss, ..	..	8,582	6,421	4,291	3,211
133	OILS.					
	Petroleum and Paraffin Oil.	galls.	2,719,914	1,908,619	70,831	47,715
	Oils—unclassified, ..	cwts.	28,388	21,701	17,033	13,111

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Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
134	PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIALS.				£	£
	Paints unclassified,	cwts.	1,920	6,060	960	3,030
	Varnish,	"	453	434	1,586	1,519
	Lampblack,	"	780	625	273	219
	Barytes,	"	29,370	38,970	3,671	4,871
	Ochre,	"	4,262	10,818	746	1,893
	Putty,	"	26	56	7	17
	Sizing,	"	139	167	375	334
135	PAPER AND PRINTED MATTER.					
	Paper,	"	162,138	178,665	137,817	145,910
	Wood Pulp,	tons	763	1,236	3,815	5,871
	Foreign Grass, ..	cwts.	2,015	—	378	—
	Millboards,	"	16,894	2,426	8,447	1,213
	Stationery,	"	18,783	17,779	46,957	44,448
	Books,	"	3,609	3,656	8,662	8,774
	Showcards,	"	11,856	12,687	82,992	88,809
	Other Printed Matter, ..	"	2,922	7,152	3,068	7,510
	Newspapers, &c.					
136	Paraffin Shale, ..	"	—	820	—	1,066
137	Peat,	"	4,868	10,825	365	677
138	Pickles, Sauces, &c., ..	"	177	114	376	257
	Vinegar,	galls.	48,260	45,240	1,206	1,131
139	Pictures, Engravings, &c.,	cwts.	1,087	1,160	8,152	8,700
140	POLISHES AND ABRASIVES.					
	Blacking,	"	307	403	153	202
	Polishes—unclassified,	"	210	219	473	545
141	Rags,	tons	4,988	5,905	12,470	14,763
142	Resin,	cwts	3,594	4,125	1,348	1,753
143	Salt (Manufactured), ..	tons	4,089	2,912	2,861	2,427
	Salt, Rock,	"	19,008	24,304	5,544	8,658
144	Sand,	"	6,218	6,057	259	252
	Sand, Moulding,	"	10,705	10,846	803	811
145	Seaweed,	cwts.	2,048	1,293	102	65
	Kelp,	value	—	—	50,000	50,000
146	SEEDS—					
	Clover and Grass Seed,	cwts	376,090	395,123	169,241	191,388
	Seeds—unclassified,	"	17,394	19,486	11,836	12,585
147	SHIPS AND STEAM VESSELS—					
	Steam Vessels, {	No.	18	21	1,500,000	2,500,000
		gr. ton.	76,114	143,477		
148	Soap,	cwts.	38,623	39,042	42,485	40,994
149	Spices,	lbs.	15,232	17,668	408	392

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TABLE IV.—*continued*.—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT showing the TOTAL QUANTITIES and ESTIMATED VALUES of GOODS and LIVE STOCK Exported from IRELAND in the years 1904 and 1905.

Index No.	Commodities.	Weight or other Measure.	Quantity.		Value.	
			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
150	Sponges,	lbs.	13,552	12,432	£ 2,372	£ 2,486
151	Starch,	cwts.	13,237	12,901	11,913	11,611
152	STONES—					
	Stones (Marble, Granite, &c.)	tons	1,164	1,214	1,455	1,518
	Limestone, ..	"	3,223	1,993	806	498
	Figures,	cwts.	93	88	837	792
	Setts, Blocks, and Curbs.	tons	15,547	11,546	15,547	11,546
	Flags,	"	183	186	69	70
	Macadam and Gravel,	"	6,435	4,064	965	610
	Slates,	"	28	15	196	105
	Bauxite,	cwts.	200,220	181,120	6,007	5,434
	Chalk and Whiting,	"	984	696	25	17
153	SUGAR AND MANUFACTURES THEREOF—					
	Sugar,	"	3,911	4,345	2,347	2,879
	Confectionery, ..	"	40,122	40,659	80,244	105,713
	Syrup and Treacle, ..	"	1,765	12,913	1,324	9,685
154	Tar and Pitch, ..	"	139,326	115,042	42,122	32,116
155	Tea,	lbs.	281,456	308,099	10,043	9,294
156	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS—					
	Cotton, Raw, ..	cwts.	412,040	467,993	1,297,926	1,240,181
	" Yarn,	lbs.	741,144	422,688	33,969	20,606
	" Goods,	cwts.	188,686	181,155	1,320,802	1,268,085
	Flax,	tons	2,641	2,128	132,050	106,400
	Linen Yarn, ..	lbs.	20,163,700	18,699,808	1,232,356	1,188,216
	" Goods,	cwts.	972,924	1,018,706	7,296,930	7,640,295
	Jute,	tons	10	13	140	221
	" Yarn,	lbs.	1,224,272	212,688	20,405	3,545
	Hemp,	tons	102	78	3,381	2,477
	Tow and Codilla, ..	"	650	220	9,755	4,400
	Rope, Cordage, and Twine	cwts.	188,876	204,925	239,243	245,910
	Oil Cloth,	"	508	471	889	824
	Bags and Bagging, ..	"	132,049	156,615	61,623	73,218
	Canvas Goods, ..	"	2,947	1,824	11,002	6,840
	Silk, Poplin, and Velvet.	"	39	33	5,460	4,620
	Wool,	lbs.	11,381,104	10,682,438	426,791	550,814
	" Yarn,	"	76,944	132,720	7,694	12,719
	Blankets,	cwts.	120	95	840	665
	Carpets,	"	2,482	2,958	39,712	50,286
	Felting,	"	306,508	311,571	91,952	93,471
	Woollen Goods—unclassified.	"	21,533	21,203	361,754	355,150

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			1904.	1905.	1904.	1905.
156	TEXTILES AND TEXTILE MATERIALS— <i>con.</i>				£	£
	Thread,	lbs.	2,924,432	2,955,232	365,554	369,404
	Lace,	value	—	—	85,000	90,000
	Yarns—unclassified,	lbs.	2,906,064	4,236,260	169,690	233,877
	<i>Hair, Fibre, Flock, &c.—</i>					
	Hair,	cwts.	1,477	1,951	8,271	10,926
	" Curled,	"	1,023	540	3,325	1,755
	" Plasterers',	"	502	685	301	411
	Cotton Waste,	lbs.	144,704	344,736	1,689	3,477
	Waste (Flax, Tow and Hemp).	cwts.	152,799	146,794	76,400	73,397
	Wool Flock and Waste,	lbs.	73,584	69,122	383	360
	Coir Yarn,	cwts.	875	145	613	102
	Mattresses,	"	317	348	1,775	1,949
	Mats and Matting,	"	326	547	1,521	2,557
	Fibre and Oakum,	"	2,187	2,936	2,843	3,826
	<i>Textile Goods—unclassified—</i>					
	Hosiery,	"	2,522	2,747	35,308	38,458
	Drapery,	"	7,576	7,407	106,064	103,698
	Haberdashery,	"	20,106	19,908	309,632	306,086
	Apparel—unclassified,	"	2,634	3,735	36,876	52,290
157	Tobacco, Manufactured,	lbs.	4,992,492	6,972,248	998,498	1,394,450
	" Unmanufactured,	"	589,532	1,386,312	14,739	37,257
	Snuff,	"	62,608	70,588	9,391	10,588
158	Tobacco Pipes,	cwts.	234	229	30,000	33,000
159	Toys,	"	90	122	104	141
160	Umbrellas,	"	68	21	1,428	441
161	Waste Salt,	tons	250	367	313	459
	" unclassified,	cwts.	12,756	15,485	6,378	7,743
162	Wax, Paraffin,	"	870	694	1,000	850
163	WOOD, TIMBER, AND MANUFACTURES THERE-OF—					
	Timber, Rough—unclassified.	loads	96,886	106,420	174,395	191,556
	Timber, Sawn—unclassified.	"	21,727	12,082	65,181	36,246
	Baskets,	cwts.	400	523	1,600	2,000
	Willows,	"	5,122	6,566	5,122	6,566
	Clog Blocks,	"	4,222	4,458	1,583	1,672
	Walking Sticks,	"	929	299	16,722	5,382
	Washboards,	"	341	88	239	62
	Furniture,	"	28,660	34,440	100,310	120,540
	Wooden Manufactures—unclassified.	"	2,260	1,060	1,469	686
164	Yeast,	"	108,386	95,035	227,610	198,386

APPENDIX I.

EXTRACTS RELATING TO IRISH TRADE WITH
FOREIGN COUNTRIES, TAKEN FROM THE
CONSULAR REPORTS FOR 1905.

**Extracts relating to Irish Trade with Foreign Countries,
taken from the Consular Reports of the undermen-
tioned Countries for the year 1905.**

EUROPE.

BELGIUM.

The falling-off in the exports to the United Kingdom is largely accounted for by the smaller quantity of raw flax, a great amount of which is annually sent to Ireland. Flax represents one of the most valuable exports of Belgium to the United Kingdom, and although there was a falling-off in 1905 of 1,323 tons and 425,240*l.* the volume and value of the total exports of that product amounted to 17,008 tons and 1,221,560*l.*

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I have made every endeavour in the compilation of this report to obtain particulars respecting the various trades and the import and export statistics having special reference to Ireland, but without success. All the official statistics compiled in Belgium include the whole of the United Kingdom (to quote from the official volume furnished to me by the Ministry of Finance, they include under the heading of the United Kingdom, "Angleterre," besides Great Britain, Ireland, the Hebrides, Orkney and Shetland Islands, the Isles of Man, Anglesey, Scilly and Wight, as well as the Channel Islands), and it is therefore impossible for me to furnish any particulars specially referring to trade between Ireland and Belgium, all details being included under the general heading of the United Kingdom. The principal article of commercial interest to Irish industries in connection with Belgium is flax, which is cultivated in great quantities in the province of East Flanders, from which district a considerable trade is carried on between Belfast and the North of Ireland.

BULGARIA.

A request has been made to the Bulgarian Government for the separate classification, in their customs statistics, of the imports from Ireland. The best trade openings for the latter country would be neat-patterned stuffs for ladies' dresses and gentlemen's suitings, also cheap table-cloths, napkins, sheetings, towels, handkerchiefs and linings.

DENMARK.

No mention is made under any separate heading as to what amount went to Ireland, and it is presumed that all export goes to Great Britain in the first instance.

FRANCE, AND FRENCH COLONIES AND POSSESSIONS.

- Bordeaux.** It is impossible to procure statistics showing the amount of trade between Bordeaux and Ireland. There is no longer any regular steamship service between the two countries, and such traffic as exists is *via* Liverpool, with the exception of an occasional small cargo of onions which may be shipped direct to Belfast. Inquiry shows that the chief consignments for Ireland consist of comparatively small quantities of wine, vegetables and tartar.
- Havre.** Of the British vessels entered with cargoes 650, measuring 495,838 tons (not including the Southampton mail service), came from Great Britain (*none came from Ireland*).
The British vessels which cleared from Havre with cargoes were 311, with 345,769 tons, to Great Britain, not including the Southampton mail boats (*none went to Ireland*).
- Martinique.** No returns of the volume and amount of the trade with Ireland are issued by the customs.
- St. Pierre and Miquelon.** There is no trade in Irish goods carried on at St. Pierre.
- Society Islands.** So far as can be ascertained locally, no Irish manufactures are imported into this colony.
- Algeria.** No separate statistics are issued showing the trade with Ireland.
- Algeria (Philipville).** It was not possible to obtain any information as to the goods coming from or going to Ireland, as no distinction is made at the custom-house here in the goods coming from the United Kingdom.

GERMANY.

- Pomerania.** In reply to a request made to the customs authorities at Stettin for details respecting the trade in 1905 existing between Ireland and Stettin, it was stated that no separate records were kept.
In 1905 there were no trade relations between Ireland and the port of Swinemünde.

GREECE.

- Piræus.** In the official returns, no distinction is made between goods coming from England, Scotland, Ireland or Wales. They are merely put down under the heading "Great Britain." It is not possible, therefore, for me to furnish any statistics of goods imported to this country from Ireland.
- Cephalonia and Zante.** As far as I have been able to ascertain, no direct imports or exports between Zante and Ireland have taken place.
It is, however, possible that such articles as biscuits, butter, home-spuns, linen, whisky and woollens, find their way here from other ports indirectly in very small quantities, but unfortunately there is no means of proving the accuracy of such a supposition.

ITALY.

- Genoa.** With regard to the request that in Consular reports information may be given as to the existence or non-existence of trade relations between Ireland and the country or district in which the Consular officer resides, there is, so far as concerns this Consular district, no direct trade with Ireland that I have been able to discover. Doubtless Irish goods are imported, but they are included in exports from the United Kingdom.

Agricultural machinery, bacon and hams, biscuits, carpets, condensed milk, cured fish, hides, linen, lace, manures, mineral waters, whisky, wool and woollens are imported, but there is no trace of their origin being Irish.

The Vice-Consul at Turin informs me that in Piedmont are to be found the following goods from Ireland:—Paper, stationery, handkerchiefs and a large quantity of linens.

I regret that reliable information with regard to the trade in Irish goods is not forthcoming here, as the customs statistics only show the port of shipment, and, as yet, the ports of Ireland are not in direct communication with the Mediterranean. Leghorn.

The need which has apparently been felt of accurately gauging the volume and distribution of Irish manufactures in foreign countries is associated with the interesting question whether perhaps the time has not come when a line of small steamers running between the eastern ports of Ireland, the western ports of France and Spain, and the principal ports of the Mediterranean, desirable as unquestionably such a line would be, might not also prove a profitable venture. At present all goods which come to the Mediterranean from Ireland pass through Liverpool or Glasgow; and similarly all goods destined for Ireland must be transhipped at the same ports. Of course such a line could at first take only the most modest proportions; there need be no question of buying or building ships, it would be quite sufficient to charter two small steamers of from, say, 700 to 800 tons net register. Doubtless exports from Ireland would not at first yield the most encouraging results, but the imports into Ireland alone should save the venture from the possibility of absolute failure. The mere existence of direct communication with the Continent might do much to encourage Irish industries. Irish lace, linens, poplin, serges, tweeds, homespuns, hides and sheep-skins, if better known, might look for a respectable market in the Latin countries; while it is matter for wonder that the famous Irish ginger ale should not be a popular beverage abroad instead of, as at present, comparatively unknown. Further, such a line, when it had increased the number and size of its ships, might hope to tap two other profitable sources of freight—foreign export to the United States with transshipment at Queenstown and foreign export to Glasgow with transshipment at Belfast.

With regard to the importation of Irish goods, the following replies have been obtained from British firms in the linen drapery business:— South Italy.

"We import from Ireland the following articles: White linens in light, medium and heavy makes, which are used for underwear, cuffs and collars, sheets and pillow-cases; white dress linens; brown holland; white linen handkerchiefs; white cambric handkerchiefs; white Batiste hemstitched handkerchiefs; white Batiste hemstitched handkerchiefs, with printed coloured borders.

"We find a falling-off in the sale of linens, due to the increasing use of cotton for sheets and also to some extent for collars even. The same applies to handkerchiefs, of which now large quantities are sold in cotton. In none of the articles which we import is there, so far, any competition from Italian makes. Italian makers are unable to finish piece-goods or handkerchiefs with the perfection that Irish manufacturers do, and hence confine themselves to making the unfinished partially bleached linens used in the country and the commoner grades of table linen."

Another firm writes:—

"We have imported for many years Belfast white linens, and principally for men's shirts, collars, fronts and cuffs; also white linen pocket handkerchiefs; and occasionally we buy brown holland and fancy and dyed linen dress goods."

A British firm of provision merchants gives the information that they import about 6 hogsheads of stout annually from Ireland and a few casks of Irish whisky, the latter not commanding as good a sale

as the Scotch variety. There are possibly some other importers in these lines, but none are likely to equal those referred to above in the quantity of Irish goods imported; and as the custom-house does not differentiate between imports from Ireland, but mentions only imports from the United Kingdom, absolutely correct statistics are not available.

Sicily

From the statistics obtained there appear to be no articles of import from any Irish port.

NETHERLANDS AND DUTCH COLONIAL POSSESSIONS.

Curacao.

As already stated in previous reports, a lack of detailed statistics prevents comparison of all foreign goods imported at this island, but I am aware that lace, crochet, &c., needlepoint linens (including yarn and thread), mineral waters, whisky, woollens (including tweeds, serge, &c.) are some of the Irish goods which are imported here, and I should think that bacon and hams, biscuits, butter, carpets, condensed milk and other Irish articles could also find a market in this district if parties interested would correspond with dealers here or send travellers to visit these districts. I shall always be pleased to correspond with Irish traders, to receive and distribute their catalogues, &c., and give them every possible assistance for the promotion of their trade. Cargoes of phosphate of lime are shipped yearly to Ireland.

Java.

The following articles of Irish production find a market in Java in limited quantities:—Hams, bacon, linen, lace (a very small quantity), thread, whisky and stout. These articles are, however, all purchased through the medium of London or Liverpool houses, and it is therefore impossible to obtain separate statistics regarding imports of Irish goods. Trade relations between this country and Ireland are very small and not likely to increase.

NORWAY.

Inquiries have been made with a view to ascertaining how far Irish bacon and hams, as well as other Irish goods, find a market in Norway. It is, however, impossible in most cases to make any definite statement on the subject, as Great Britain and Ireland are included together in the official statistics, which moreover give, not the countries of origin, but only the countries of shipment. It is quite possible that Irish bacon and hams are consumed in Norway unknown to the importers. Such information as I have been able to collect by applying to leading firms in Christiania is given in cases where obtainable under the various headings concerned. But the absence of any direct line of steamers from Ireland to Norway makes the task of ascertaining the extent of Irish imports doubly difficult.

The Vice-Consuls at Bergen and Christiansand have reason to believe that a very small quantity of Irish whisky is landed at their ports during each year. Irish whisky does not appear to suit the Norwegian taste, though three brands of it are to be had in Christiania; and such small quantities as find their way into the country are probably imported for the use of hotels in the tourist season.

Owing partly to the high duty but little whisky is imported in bottle.

A fair amount of Irish porter and stout is said to come to Norway ready bottled, chiefly from London bottlers, who offer it as cheap as Irish exporters. The porter sent over in bulk is mostly British.

The United Kingdom held the lead in carpets and blankets in 1901 and 1902, since when German goods of this class have taken first place. Irish woollen goods appear to be little known in Norway. One firm here says: "The carpets we used to buy from Ireland are now manufactured here. We import some homespuns and woollens, but not worth mentioning."

I have endeavoured to ascertain how far Irish agricultural machinery finds a market here, but am told that such goods are not known here.

Amongst the articles of food imported Irish butter is unknown, and no eggs are imported from Ireland as far as is known.

Inquiries at the Consulate relating to the grain and flour trade are so few that it is thought that further particulars beyond those already given above would not prove of much interest. It may, however, be stated that in "cakes and baked goods containing sugar," which include sweet biscuits, the United Kingdom holds the lead with 94 (90) tons out of 104 (101) tons. With regard to Irish biscuits, one leading firm says: "English firms have worked for many years to get their goods introduced on our market; they have sent their travellers twice every year to our large towns, whilst other firms have done nothing to get their goods introduced here. As we, however, now have a considerable duty (50 öre per kilo., including packing), the Norwegian biscuit manufacturers are trying to take up the competition which will now pay them."

As the result of a communication to the Board of Trade, a large number of applications from Irish exporters of hides, skins, etc., are being received at the time of writing, and these are being placed in communication with importers of these goods.

Linen, hemp, and jute goods: In damask goods Germany takes the lead with 18 (18) tons out of 23 (25) tons. I have endeavoured to ascertain whether Irish linen has any market here, with the result that it seems to be known but to be little in demand, handkerchiefs and linen thread being most in request. Two wholesale importers state that in their experience the public they cater for prefer cotton goods more and more; another gives it as his opinion that Irish linen might well find a larger market than at present if only the goods were more energetically pushed by active agents. "The Germans," he says, "have worked more to get their goods in." Another firm says: "We formerly bought some Irish table damasks, but these we now mostly buy from other countries." Another firm, however, is of opinion that the Belfast goods have increased in favour of late years, and have partly expelled German manufactures. Import duties would, however, probably impede any extensive business being done.

Wool, shoddy and wool refuse, 1,165 (1,172) tons, of which about half came from the United Kingdom, was imported. I cannot ascertain whether any of this was Irish wool.

OTTOMAN EMPIRE (EUROPEAN AND ASIATIC TURKEY).

The quantity of Irish exports into Constantinople is small. Generally speaking, it is hard to determine exactly, as Irish produce is not consigned directly from Ireland, but comes through the Liverpool market.

The following are notes on particular articles of Irish produce:—
No machinery for the last four years.

Small quantity of tarred felt for shipbuilding purposes.

A certain sale for drills and ducks; table linen and napkins; sheeting, huckabacks and towelling; handkerchiefs; dress linens; linings. The demand for Irish linens has been on the decline of recent years owing, in a great measure, to the increasing demand for foreign cottons. The sheetings which have the greatest sale are Scotch and especially Belgian.

The most saleable drills and ducks are Scotch and Barnsley makes.
No woollens.

In groceries and provisions, etc., there is a small and constant demand for hams, bacon, butter, whisky, mineral waters and stout from Ireland. Irish biscuits, condensed milk, cured fish and eggs seem to find no market here.

Irish carpets, hides, sheep-skins, lace and manures are not imported.

- Aleppo. It is impossible to form an idea of the extent of trade with Ireland, as there is no direct communication with any Irish port. The only British ports which send ships to Alexandretta are London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow.
- Baghdad. I have not been able to discover that there is any direct trade with Ireland or that there is any trade in articles which come particularly from Ireland.
- Beirut. Ireland supplies this port with a few cases of Irish whisky annually and a small quantity of ropes from Belfast.
- Damascus. It is difficult to trace the origin of imports, inasmuch as local houses—with the exception of those engaged in cottons, which have agents in Manchester—make their purchases on the Beirut market.
- Thus it is impossible to determine, for instance, whether any trade relations with Ireland exist.
- Erzeroum. I have made particular inquiry as regards manufactures of Irish origin and find that so far none appear to be imported to Erzeroum. The demand for linen is practically non-existent, while the cloth-stuffs come from Bradford.
- Smyrna. Ropes to the value of £250 represent the only article received from Ireland.

PORTUGAL AND PORTUGUESE POSSESSIONS.

- Oporto. With regard to the instructions to report upon the trade carried on with Ireland, it is impossible to put forward any substantial information, because not only are no separate records kept at the Portuguese custom-house of the various ports of origin of the goods coming into the country, but the importation of such goods as come from Ireland being indirect (via Liverpool), no such information is obtainable from an examination of the steamers' manifests, as the origin simply comes under the designation of "British."
- The following are the remarks, based upon information gathered from importers and personal observation, which I am able to make upon the articles about which special information has been called for:—
- No importation of agricultural machinery.
 - Bacon and hams in very small quantities.
 - Very small quantity of biscuits, if any.
 - Formerly butter found a very good market which mostly took firsts, while Lisbon took seconds; owing, however, to improved manufacture of butter in the country, the importation has all but ceased.
 - No carpets.
 - No condensed milk.
 - Very small quantity indeed of cured fish, if any.
 - No eggs, Portugal is an exporter.
 - If any hides and sheep-skins are ever imported here their Irish origin is unknown to the importers.
 - No homespuns.
 - Small quantity of lace, if any.
 - A certain small quantity of the superior class of linen goods made in Belfast is bought by first-class drapers, apparently through Manchester and London. This trade may continue, but the consumption is bound to be limited to the higher classes.
 - No manures.
 - No mineral waters; duties prohibitive and various kinds (natural) are obtainable in the country.
 - Some poplin is imported, but I cannot say whether it is Irish.
 - Porter is imported to a certain extent.
 - Very little whisky, if any; there seems to be a growing demand for whisky among the Portuguese, and a trade might be done in this article, though I do not think it would ever attain large proportions.
 - No wool, Portugal is an exporter.
 - Very little indeed of woollens, tweeds, etc., if any.

I am informed by the Acting Collector of Customs at Ponta Delgada Azores, that there is no trade, direct or indirect, between St. Michael's and Ireland.

ROUMANIA.

There is no direct trade of any kind between Roumania and Ireland, Galatz, any Irish goods which may come to this country are included in the imports from the United Kingdom, and there is no means of discriminating between English, Scotch or Irish merchandise.

There has been no direct trade between Braila and Irish ports, or Braila, *vice versa*, during the year 1905.

RUSSIA.

I have not been able to trace the sale of any Irish goods in the Batoum markets here; in fact, I am told that articles of Irish make never find their way to the Caucasus. Some seven or eight years ago a Belfast firm erected several corrugated iron buildings on the tea estates belonging to the Imperial Domains and Messrs. Popoff Brothers, situated near Batoum, which have been used as tea factories, tea drying depôts, etc., ever since, but these were ordered for a given purpose, and there does not appear to be any demand for further buildings of the kind. I am told that the duties on constructions of corrugated iron and the woodwork inside are now so heavy that they bring the cost up to more than double the manufacturers' f.o.b. prices.

I have inquired of various authorities regarding trade between Ireland and Finland.

To my inquiries I had but one answer—that, considering the very small amount of business done and that all goods come through British ports, the authorities could see no possibility of giving separate figures for that country in the near future unless a great development should unexpectedly arise in the Irish trade.

With regard to Irish exports, the following figures of linen goods, lace, etc., may be of some interest, though, till Ireland figures as a separate heading in the customs returns, it will be impossible to give the actual figures of Irish goods imported:—

TABLE showing VALUE of CERTAIN GOODS IMPORTED into RUSSIA:—

	Linen Goods—Handkerchiefs, &c.			Laces.		
	1902.	1903.	1904.	1902.	1903.	1904.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Total Import, ..	181,583	173,833	150,500	288,333	415,167	324,000
Imported from the United Kingdom.	26,033	23,917	—	12,607	18,832	—

Russia being such a well-known maker of hand-made lace the import is naturally small. I have seen a small amount of Irish lace in local shops.

The trade with Ireland is of a very fitful nature and depends mainly on the harvest in this part of the British Empire. Hitherto the exports have consisted of some few hundred tons of linseed cake to Belfast and Dublin, with a few hundred quarters of tares. In the year 1904 there were exported to Dublin 19,367 cubic feet of boards and deals and 540 tons of oats. In 1905 there were exported to Belfast 150 tons of linseed cake and 530 tons of oats, to Dublin 3,550 tons of oats and to Limerick 2,675 tons of wheat. There have been no direct imports from Ireland,

Poland.

In 1903, owing to the over-production of linen yarn in Russia, some of the spinning mills, in order to keep down stock, exported yarn to Belfast. As, however, they accepted lower prices than those ruling at Moscow, the additional cost of freight rendered a continuance of this export impossible.

As in former years, the finer class of linen and cambric pocket-handkerchiefs and fronting linen, as well as the finer numbers of linen yarns, which cannot be spun in this Consular district or in Russia, were imported from Ireland.

There is no other trade between Ireland and this Consular district.

Riga.

Extract from the Return prepared by H.M. Consul at Riga showing the Imports and Exports at the ports of that Consular District during the years 1903-'05:—

IMPORTS.

Articles.	Port.	Weight.	Quantity.			General Remarks.
			1903.	1904.	1905.	
Cork-wood, ..	Libau,	Tons,	3,180	3,228	2,421	Principally via Belfast.
Cotton, ..	Riga,	„	21,724	25,991	19,676	do.

EXPORTS.

Articles.	Ports.	Weight or No.	Quantity.			General Remarks.
			1903.	1904.	1905.	
Oats, ..	Riga, Libau, Windau, and Pernau.	Tons,	342,253	376,128	719,137	To Great Britain, Ireland, and Germany. Nearly half goes to Great Britain and Ireland, the remainder to Belgium and France. Goes to Great Britain and Ireland.
Flax and Tow,		„	169,879	82,340	143,600	
Hemp and Tow,		„	20,438	19,040	22,698	
Oil Cake, ..		„	113,759	140,162	127,436	
Crushing Linseed,		„	23,772	20,543	24,807	
Flax (sowing linseed).		„	10,109	7,721	10,459	To Great Britain, Ireland, Germany, and Belgium. Do., do.
Boards and Deals.		a quantity.				
Lathwood,		fms,	8,277	7,184	5,271	
Logs, ..		pieces,	6,369	15,738	38,608	
Sleepers, ..		„	2,289,074	2,355,058	1,940,931	
Timber(round and square).		a quantity.				To Great Britain and Ireland. Do., do.
Wood Wire,		Tons,	4,950	5,522	6,690	

SPAIN.

The butter used still comes from Denmark. The principal importer Almeira was asked if he would try Irish butter, but his reply was that he did not care to make any change as the Danish brands he introduced were so well known and acceptable to his customers.

As to Irish linen the chief of the largest drapery establishment was questioned, when he gave as his reason for not now introducing linen and other dry goods from the United Kingdom the high protective duties which still prevail for the protection of the Catalan manufacturers.

As regards importation from Irish ports, I find on inquiry at the Barcelona custom-house and other authorities here that it is impossible to give any figures, as goods coming from Ireland are simply classified as coming from the United Kingdom, and no cargoes arrive here from Ireland direct, being sent via England, but there is no question but that in the course of every year considerable quantities of linen yarns from Belfast are landed at this port.

In view of the fact that inquiries are often made from England Bilbao and Ireland as to the possibilities of the trade in other preserved fish, smoked or salt herrings, etc., it has to be pointed out that very little use is made in this district of such productions, although small parcels are occasionally imported.

It is not possible to discover from the local statistics the place of origin of general imports from the United Kingdom, excepting in such cases as coal, coke, metal castings, machinery, codfish, etc., which come from England, Wales and Scotland respectively.

As far as can be gathered, however, Ireland does not appear to contribute any of the above-mentioned goods or even textiles, linens, laces, fresh or preserved provisions, drinkables, etc.

This must not be attributed to the prices of the goods which Ireland has to offer, but rather to the competition which these have to face from native productions of a similar kind, or to the lack of appreciation and usage, as the following paragraphs will show.

But little use, for example, is made here of tinned butter, and what is imported comes from Denmark, whilst native fresh butter is slowly ousting the French importation.

There is no general demand for bacon, and the small quantity of hams imported are put down as coming from Liverpool, through a general agent, and from America.

A few carpets of good quality are said to be imported from Belfast, but at present even the cheaper qualities brought in hitherto from Germany are being replaced by the native manufactured article.

The best qualities are said to come from the United Kingdom, but the real place of origin is not mentioned, whilst in embroideries Swiss productions are most in vogue, and needle-point is made in the country.

Small quantities of stout are imported from Ireland and sold at 2s. 6d. the bottle.

Irish whisky used to be favoured here in the past, but the Scotch spirit is now preferred.

The drawn linen industry continues to grow and now finds employment for some 10,000 to 12,000 women. The average wage is about 75 c. to 1 peseta per day. The business lies chiefly in the hands of two British and two German firms, the former obtaining by far the larger share. They have a few other competitors in the islands, but none of any importance. Two-thirds of the total quantity is produced in Tenerife, the remaining third in the other islands. The raw material, i.e., the linen cloth, comes chiefly from the United Kingdom (mostly of Irish manufacture) and Germany, but France, Belgium and Spain also send small quantities.

- Burianna and
Castellan. There is no direct trade between this district and Ireland, nor is there any market worth mentioning here for Irish goods. Chemical manures are sometimes imported direct, but hitherto no shipments have been received from an Irish port.
- Cadiz. While tariff duties remain high there is not any apparent special opening for the importation of produce from Ireland. Personal experience enables me to relate that after paying duty on linen imported from Ireland the price was increased by almost one-third of its original cost. Some British residents in Jerez receive butter sent regularly by post from Ireland. It is possible that this fact may suggest further development.
- Marbella. As far as I have been able to ascertain no trade has been carried on between Ireland and this district.
- Mazarron. As far as I can ascertain no trade is carried on between this district and Ireland.

SWEDEN.

- Stockholm. Endeavours have been made to discover whether any, and, if so, what trade is carried on between Ireland and Sweden, but the Swedish authorities inform me that they keep no separate records of such trade. English, Scottish and Irish trade are all classed together under the heading Great Britain and Ireland.
- At the same time it is admitted in business circles here that certain articles imported into this country—from the want of statistics it is impossible to state to what extent—more particularly machinery, lace, linens (including yarn and thread), porter and whisky are of Irish origin.
- Gothenburg. There are no special statistics available of the exports and imports between this country and Ireland, the trade with that country appearing under the heading of Great Britain and Ireland.
- The exports to Ireland chiefly consist of matches, timber, iron and paper, and the imports of felt and bran as well as Irish linen goods, which latter article seems to improve.
- There is a regular line of Glasgow steamers trading to Ireland and returning to this port via Glasgow.

SWITZERLAND.

One of the Swiss agents who travels almost exclusively for British firms informed me recently that such articles of British manufacture as Irish linen handkerchiefs, table cloths, table linen, all kinds of haberdashery, Sheffield cutlery, and plated goods of all kinds, and boys' ready-made clothes ("in which the United Kingdom excels") would find a ready sale in this market.

AFRICA.

MOROCCO.

- Mogador. It may be said with certainty that no trade is carried on direct between Mogador and Ireland. Nothing is imported from Ireland. There are probably buyers in Dublin of Mogador produce such as almonds, sandarac, wax, etc., but they undoubtedly buy their requirements on the London market, and as they are not known here they cannot be communicated with.
- Rabat. I am unaware of the existence of any trade between this port and Ireland, with the possible exception of a few cases of biscuits of the poorer qualities. Irish-made linen would be beyond the purchasing power of the native population,

AMERICA.

UNITED STATES.

IMPORTS AT BOSTON FROM IRELAND.

Boston.

Articles.		1904.		1905.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
FREE OF DUTY.			£		£
Spirits, produce of United States,	—	—	13	—	14
Books and printed matter, ..	—	—	55	—	96
Hides and skins, ..	Tons,	356	15,220	432	18,282
Oils, mineral, ..	Gallons,	160	3	—	—
Paper stock rags, ..	Tons,	153	4,045	115	3,276
All other rags, ..	—	—	111	—	256
Sundries, ..	—	—	—	—	1,943
Seeds, ..	—	—	193	—	219
Total, ..	—	—	20,240	—	24,086
ARTICLES DUTIABLE.					
Animals, sheep, ..	Head,	8	51	—	—
Bone and horn, ..	—	—	20,201	—	—
Books, music, maps, engravings, etchings, photographs.	—	—	56	—	22
Oatmeal, ..	Tons,	6	191	7	198
Cotton, bleached, dyed, or printed,	Sq. yards.	58,286	1,582	78,030	1,912
Clothing—					
Ready-made, ..	—	—	36	—	116
All other, ..	—	—	515	—	755
Fibres and textile grasses—					
Flax, ..	Tons,	283	24,632	208	20,865
Cables, cordage, threads, and twine.	Lbs.	255	32	—	—
Burlaps or plain woven fabrics,	—	—	232	—	—
Linens, ..	Sq. yards,	939,911	25,517	1,100,203	30,504
Handkerchiefs, ..	—	—	—	—	16,909
Oilcloths, ..	Sq. yards,	2,609	168	—	—
Yarns, ..	Lbs	56,252	3,557	9,131	1,160
All other fabrics, ..	—	—	4,182	—	2,702
Fish—					
Herring, pickled or salted, ..	Tons,	7	90	75	1,867
Mackerel, ..	—	43	1,779	30	778
Furs and manufactures of, ..	—	—	1	—	—
Ginger ale or ginger beer, ..	Doz. botts.	29,410	4,553	18,750	2,871
Glass and glassware, ..	—	—	23	—	63
Hides of cattle, ..	Tons,	234	949	532	27,882
Iron machinery, ..	—	—	532	—	339
Leather, manufactures of, ..	—	—	2	—	—
Metals and compositions and manufactures of,	—	—	3	—	51
Pipes and smokers' articles, ..	—	—	86	—	27
Provisions, meat and meat extracts.	—	—	20	—	51
Spirits, malt liquors in bottles or jugs.	Gallons,	40,994	7,949	45,027	7,515
All other, ..	—	7,224	1,910	5,807	1,532
Champagne and other sparkling wines.	Doz. botts.	6	15	—	—
Still wines, ..	—	12	32	—	—
Potatoes, ..	Bushels,	30,236	4,457	—	—
Wool cloths, ..	Tons,	40	15	—	—
All other dutiable articles, ..	—	—	490	—	2,544
Total, ..	—	—	103,904	—	120,683

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In embroideries the American (Shifty) machine-made variety sells at such a low price, that foreign hand-made lace is only sold to the rich. The comparative prices are:—Shifty machine American make, 6*d.* to 10*d.* per yard; hand-made Irish, German or French, 4*s.* to £5 3*s.* 1*d.* per yard. French embroideries sell better than Irish or German make.

As compared with the earlier year, over £56,000 worth more of hides were imported from England, £509 worth from Scotland and nearly £19,000 more in 1905 than in 1904 from Ireland. This raw material is used in the manufacture of boots and shoes, one of the staple industries of New England.

The prices for imported laces will be found in the following table:—

From				Price per Yard.		
				From	To	
				<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	£	<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>
Calais—						
Plattevals.	..	..		2 0½	0	4 1
Valenciennes	..	..		1 0½	0	1 1
Paris	..	..		4 1	2	1 3
Germany—						
Plauen	..	..		0 6	1	0 7½
St. Gaul	..	..		1 0½	2	9 6
Torchin	..	..		0 2½	0	1 1
Nottingham	..	..		0 2½	0	6 3
Irish	..	..		11 5	5	3 1

Plattevals, Valenciennes, Plauen, St. Gaul and Torchin are the favourites and find the largest sale. An imitation Irish lace, machine-made in Germany, is on the market at £1 4*s.* 9*d.* per yard, the real Irish hand-made costing £2 9*s.* 6*d.* per yard.

There is a good market in Boston for Irish linens, and the trade in this class of article is reported very good. The importations are made for the greater part through New York as there is no line of steamers to Boston from any Irish port, the White Star and Cunard Lines calling at Queenstown for passengers only. The following are the retail prices for Irish linens and cambrics:—

				Price.	
				From	To
				<i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>	£ <i>s.</i> <i>d.</i>
Irish Linens	..	..	Per yard	1 0½	0 8 2
Irish linen napkins	..	..	Per dozen	6 2	3 1 8½
Irish linen handkerchiefs	..	..	Each	0 7½	0 6 2
Cambric	..	..	Per yard	1 0½	0 4 1

Scotch whisky is more generally used than Irish and is more largely advertised. There are cheap whiskies now on the market that do not come up to the standard of quality of the leading brands, and the question has been put to me—Where can I get a really good Scotch or Irish?

EXPORTS to Ireland from Boston.

Articles.	—	1904.		1905.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Agricultural implements ..	—	—	£ 3,885	—	£ 1,009
Bread-stuffs, wheat, flour ..	Barrels	5,338	4,492	240	253
Carriages	—	—	175	—	—
Brooms	—	—	—	—	1,321
Chemicals, medicines ..	—	—	295	—	57
Copper, manufactures of ..	—	—	—	—	1,516
Cotton—					
Wearing apparel	—	—	716	—	274
Other	—	—	124	—	75
Indiarubber—					
Boots	Pairs	1,031	503	—	—
Other manufactures of ..	—	—	—	—	576
Gum	Lbs.	23,926	516	35,250	723
Leather boots and shoes ..	Pairs	82,549	27,446	82,836	29,259
Machinery—					
Electrical	—	—	218	—	—
Other	—	—	628	—	—
Paper, printing	Tons	—	—	1,018	11,642
Wood, furniture and manu- factures of	—	—	421	—	492
Sundries	—	—	109	—	693
Total	—	—	39,528	—	47,870

The direct imports from Ireland were valued at £70,980, over half of which was manufactures of fibres. Over £8,000 worth of mackerel were brought in, and this trade has now got a strong hold of the market.

Irish lace is in demand, and there should be a good sale for china, ornaments, etc., if they could be brought before the public, but the American people must be persuaded to buy by bringing the article and its merits prominently before them.

DIRECT IMPORTS to Chicago from Ireland during the Year 1905.

Articles.	Value.	Articles.	Value.
American goods returned, ..	£ 1	Glass, bottles,	£ 470
Household and personal effects, ..	5	Jewellery,	5
Books, music, &c., ..	12	Metals, manufactures of, ..	10
Cotton—		Paper,	24
Cloth, bleached or dyed, ..	2,323	Pipes and smokers' articles, ..	430
Clothing,	13	Meat products,	1
Knit goods, hose, &c., ..	25	Silk—	
Laces, curtains, &c., ..	324	Clothing,	28
All other,	1,795	Dress and piece-goods, ..	27
Feathers and down—		Malt liquors in bottles, ..	4,607
Crude,	1,006	Spirits,	4,256
Dressed,	1	Tobacco,	38
Fibres—		Wood,	3
Thread, cables, &c., ..	81	Wool—	
Fabrics, linens,	28,614	Clothing,	48
Handkerchiefs,	14,831	Cloths,	1
All other manufactures, ..	404	Dress goods,	1
Fish, mackerel,	8,197	All other,	248
Fruits,	32	Total,	70,980
Ginger ale,	3,119		

New Orleans. The only direct import from Ireland to Mobile was a small quantity of whisky valued at £42.

There is very little trade between Omaha and Ireland. So far as I can learn there is no business whatever in agricultural machinery, bacon and hams, biscuits, butter, carpets, condensed milk, eggs, hides and sheep-skins, manures, mineral waters, poplin or wool, but Irish cured fish (mackerel), homespun, lace, linens, whisky and woollens are dealt in to a limited extent, the purchases, however, being made principally through New York and other eastern importers.

New York. An endeavour has been made to show the imports from and exports to England, Scotland, and Ireland separately, and tables have been drawn up from such figures as are available. These, however, merely class the goods according to the ports at which and to which they have been shipped without reference to the place of their origin on the one hand or to their ultimate destination on the other hand. The tables are annexed, but it is evident that under such conditions they can convey no real idea of the situation.

IMPORTS into New York from the United Kingdom during the Year 1905.

(Only those articles are shown in which a trade with Ireland was specified).

Articles.	Value.		
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.
FREE.	£	£	£
Animals—			
Horses,	42,600	—	200
Other, including fowls,	26,100	—	200
Articles of United States manufacture returned,	262,703	6,700	700
Books, N. E. S.,	255,106	500	300
Fur skins, undressed,	521,800	3,800	500
Hides—			
Other skins, N. E. S.,	555,500	—	1,700
Household effects,	67,200	4,300	6,200
Paper, stock—			
Other paper stock,	52,100	10,700	3,900
Sausage casings,	12,900	1,500	1,400
Seeds, N. E. S.,	27,700	1,900	300
Wood—			
Cabinet wood, other,	26,700	—	300
Other free articles,	110,300	10,700	1,400
DUTIABLE.			
Animals—			
Cattle,	500	—	100
Horses,	8,700	—	100
Books, maps, &c., N. E. S.,	211,700	12,100	1,500
Bread-stuffs, &c.—			
Oatmeal,	300	100	2,000
Buttons, &c.,	3,200	800	400
Chemicals, unclassified,	158,400	28,700	400
Cottons—			
Bleached,	1,017,700	205,600	63,800
Knit goods,	10,400	—	100
Laces,	784,600	5,400	4,600
Yarns, warps, &c.,	206,400	2,000	200
Other manufactures,	304,600	24,500	23,300

IMPORTS into New York from the United Kingdom—*continued*.

(Only those articles are shown in which a trade with Ireland was specified).

Articles.	Value.		
	England and Wales	Scotland.	Ireland.
	£	£	£
China—			
Decorated,	130,000	300	500
Flax and textile grasses—			
Flax,	—	17,300	19,200
Cables, cordage, &c.,	3,700	31,100	5,500
Liuens,	68,700	535,100	1,470,600
Handkerchiefs,	8,100	1,100	350,100
Yarns or threads,	2,300	16,900	16,900
Other manufactures,	33,300	90,900	92,200
Fish—			
Herring—			
Pickled,	14,400	190,900	10,500
Mackerel,	48,200	1,400	9,200
Fruits—			
Preserved,	10,200	10,600	1,300
All other,	36,400	1,800	300
Ginger ale,	400	300	23,100
Glass—			
Bottles,	13,900	1,600	100
Glue,	21,900	—	400
Hides,	60,800	—	2,100
Iron and steel—			
Machinery,	47,500	9,700	8,200
Jewellery, &c.,	22,000	100	100
Metals, other, N. E. S.,	205,000	13,300	2,000
Oil—			
Essential,	11,000	5,300	3,900
Paper—			
Lithographic labels,	23,100	4,200	1,000
Paper and manufactures of,	67,600	15,900	1,700
Pipes,	10,100	1,000	1,600
Plants, &c.,	10,400	400	1,200
Provisions—			
Meats and preparations of,	3,700	—	300
Silk—			
Clothing,	48,700	100	200
Ribbons,	900	—	500
Other manufactures,	28,700	1,700	500
Spirits, wines, and beers—			
Malt liquors—			
Bottles,	9,300	2,800	68,600
Other,	48,600	—	4,700
Other spirits,	66,100	134,200	9,100
Still wine—			
Bottles,	3,600	400	400
Tobacco—			
Other manufactures,	1,500	—	100
Vegetables—			
Potatoes,	5,800	4,300	22,200
Crude,	—	—	1,800
Wool—			
Other manufactures,	21,400	500	200
Wool and manufactures of—			
Clothing,	44,700	3,000	200
Cloths,	388,600	10,200	3,900
Other manufactures,	15,200	8,000	100
Other dutiable articles,	129,200	7,100	5,400

EXPORTS from New York to the United Kingdom during the Year 1905.

(Only those articles are shown in which a trade with Ireland was specified).

Articles.	Value		
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.
Agricultural Implements—	£	£	£
Mowers and Reapers,	25,200	3,200	1,600
Implements, N. E. S.,	31,800	2,100	1,300
Blacking,	10,000	1,300	400
Books, maps, &c.,	218,500	3,500	300
Bread-stuffs—			
Wheat Flour,	199,500	106,000	300
Carriages, &c.—			
Carriages, other,	49,500	2,100	300
Chemicals—			
Baking Powder,	5,100	6,300	5,500
Medicines,	183,500	2,400	200
Washing Powder,	9,400	32,500	1,000
Copper—			
Manufactures of,	183,900	7,700	9,300
Cotton—			
Wearing apparel,	78,100	3,600	800
Glucose,	293,500	32,600	6,100
Glue,	1,800	13,300	400
Grease, &c.,	131,100	2,700	500
Instruments and appliances—			
Electrical,	307,200	13,900	900
Scientific,	221,000	11,200	400
Iron and Steel—			
Wire,	27,200	4,000	100
Hardware, &c.,	141,700	9,700	600
Tools, N. E. S.,	203,200	13,500	360
Machinery—			
Laundry,	24,400	1,500	200
Metal working,	161,700	7,000	100
Pumps, &c.,	122,400	8,900	300
Sewing machines,	104,600	137,200	1,600
Boilers,	14,700	2,200	200
Machinery, N. E. S.,	279,500	63,200	700
Nails,	17,800	8,600	400
Scales and balances,	8,700	200	100
Manufactures of,	129,000	22,000	700
Leather—			
Boots and shoes,	52,800	4,700	1,400
Manufactures of, N. E. S.,	9,100	7,800	300
Oil cake, flax seed,	57,500	6,900	1,200
Oilcloth,	1,700	800	200
Oils—			
Lard,	8,800	1,400	100
Illuminating,	663,100	—	60,900
Lubricating,	436,400	74,300	500
Corn,	3,300	900	100
Cotton-seed,	60,200	30,200	500
Paints, N. E. S.,	23,700	5,700	2,600
Paper and manufactures of—			
Printing paper,	27,900	—	900
Provisions—			
Lard,	1,251,800	134,300	1,800
Lard compounds,	53,300	87,000	1,100
Starch,	75,900	16,400	200
Sugar—			
Candy, &c.,	34,900	7,500	600
Varnish,	33,000	9,900	600
Wood—			
Boards, &c.,	11,300	3,700	100
Headings,	6,100	—	400
Furniture, N. E. S.,	64,200	1,800	400
Woodenware,	21,000	3,000	200
Wood, manufactures of,	101,900	29,500	600
All other articles,	279,400	9,600	900

The imports from the United Kingdom may be subdivided as follows:—From England and Wales, £16,213; from Scotland, £16,552; and from Ireland, £60, principally for spirits. I am informed also that certain webbing, used in sugar mills, comes originally from Ireland, but the fact is not apparent in the customs returns and the figures of the import are not available.

Owing to competition with the manufacturers in the Eastern States the trade in cotton prints, calicoes and cheap fancy printed muslins is a disappearing one, and the demand for Irish dimities of all colours has greatly diminished.

I find very little direct trade with Ireland amongst the imports, the total being only £2,159, consisting of linens, £1,477; thread, £212; cotton goods, £120; handkerchiefs, £159; and small quantities of lace, woollens and whisky. There is more trade than this, but it is done through agents in New York and does not appear in the returns.

A linen importer, who obtains much of his goods from Belfast, tells me that the imports of high class linen goods have not been greatly affected by the United States Tariff. The manufacture of the rough and lower class articles has been stimulated by the tariff in this country, and the competition in these lines is therefore more keenly felt, but the finer classes of linens are not yet generally manufactured in the United States.

TABLE showing Imports to Philadelphia from Ireland during the Year Philadelphia 1905.

Articles.	—	Quantity.	Value.	
			Currency.	Sterling.
FREE OF DUTY.			Dollars.	£
American products returned, .. ..	..	—	3	03
Church regalia, .. ..	..	—	376	75
Felt, .. ..	..	—	1,568	314
Moss, dyed, .. ..	..	—	158	32
Models, .. ..	..	—	437	97
Total, .. ..	..	—	2,592	518
SUBJECT TO DUTY.				
Art Works, .. ..	..	—	437	97
Books, .. ..	..	—	24	5
Buttons, .. ..	..	—	5	1
Oatmeal,	Lbs.	8,700	467	97
Bread-stuffs, other, .. ..	..	—	163	37
Chemicals, .. ..	..	—	5	1
Clocks, .. ..	..	—	50	10
Cottons—				
Bleached and coloured,	Sq. yards,	75,512	11,200	2,240
Laces, .. ..	..	—	3,895	779
Manufactures, other, .. ..	..	—	2,652	530
China, decorated, .. ..	..	—	961	180
Mackerel,	Lbs.	19,200	930	186
Linens,	Sq. yards,	904,001	142,099	28,420
Linen—				
Handkerchiefs, .. ..	..	—	47,583	9,517
Thread,	Lbs.	700	419	84
Flax manufactures, other, .. ..	..	—	17,756	3,551
Ginger ale,	Dozen,	37,285	27,771	5,554
Bottles, .. ..	..	—	24	5
Malt liquors, in bottles,	Gallons,	0,787	6,485	1,297
Metal manufactures, .. ..	..	—	88	18
Plants, .. ..	..	—	138	28
Meats, other, .. ..	..	—	665	133
Spirits, other,	Gallons,	3,006	4,310	882
Potatoes,	Bushels,	31,453	12,758	2,552
Wood manufactures, .. ..	..	—	221	44
Wool—				
Class 2,	Lbs.	143,540	37,727	7,545
Class 3, .. ..	..	60,664	13,123	2,621
Dress goods,	Sq. yards,	2,213	637	127
Clothing, .. ..	..	—	1,051	206
Cloth,	Lbs.	453	688	138
Total, .. ..	..	—	334,323	66,865

Savannah.

There is comparatively little direct trade with Ireland from the ports of this district, but the actual consumption of Irish goods is considerable and probably growing, particularly is this the case in linens, ginger ale, soda water, stout (in bottles), etc., but most of these classes of goods, together with other British importations of fancy cloths, soaps, jellies, biscuits, etc., come via New York, and on arrival here are reported simply as so much merchandise in the coastwise receipts. The only commodity of importance coming direct from Ireland was beverages, ginger ale, soda water, etc., of which 1,250 dozen and 2,000 dozen were imported in the years 1903 and 1904 respectively, from Ireland and Germany. Statistics, therefore, relative to these goods are not available.

COSTA RICA.

The Statistical Department in Costa Rica do not classify Irish products separately, but together with merchandise imported from the United Kingdom.

The only goods of Irish origin which are imported into Costa Rica are:—

Ginger ale from Belfast in small quantities. Duties of 11½ c. currency per kilo (1¼d. per lb.) on gross weight of package result in the effective protection of the local product.

Linen, as sheeting, towelling, serviettes and handkerchiefs, is imported, but in small quantities. The market is more suitable for cheap cotton goods of these classes.

A small proportion of the lace imported into Costa Rica comes from Ireland.

Glacier window paper from Belfast is imported into Costa Rica and has considerable vogue for household use. Costa Rica has no Consular officer in Ireland and there is no direct trade; but the merchants in buying through commission houses in London and Manchester order small quantities of Irish goods.

No provisions or whiskey are imported from Ireland.

No commercial travellers from Irish houses have to my knowledge visited Costa Rica during the past five years.

HONDURAS.

No direct trade is carried on between Puerto Cortes and Ireland. The only article imported that I know of is mineral water from Belfast, but condensed milk, homespun, linen, tweed and serge light goods could no doubt find a market.

CUBA.

It has not been possible to separate the imports from Ireland.

HAYTI.

The only trade carried on at present with Ireland is a small importation of the finer classes of linens. These goods have diminished considerably of late years, chiefly due to the very impoverished state of the country, the high premium on gold and the low purchasing power of the public. Linen is used for the make-up of head-dress wear.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Biscuits still continue to be imported from England and Ireland, Niolo. American biscuits having no sale here.

Inquiries have been made in Ireland for butter, but for some reason it appears inconvenient for the shipper to export except at certain times of the year. Porter and mineral waters are imported from Ireland, also white drills.

Ireland has very little trade with this port, and absolutely none Cebu. direct. Linens, porter and provisions are imported to a small extent via Manila. Exports to that country are almost nil, comprising a small amount of hemp, shipped chiefly via Liverpool.

ARGENTINE REPUBLIC.

I am informed that linen and cotton goods are received here from Ireland, but as they are purchased through agents in England and shipped from English ports there are no statistics obtainable regarding quantity or value. Rosario.

BOLIVIA.

No line of goods, either staple commodities or otherwise, coming into this district can be traced, except by inference, to Irish origin. Sucre

All importers in this district have their agents in London, Manchester or Liverpool for the buying and shipping of British goods; these buy in the most suitable markets mostly and only in the exceptional cases of certain known lines from stipulated firms.

I find no special demand for any line of Irish manufacture, and can trace none of the imports in the following articles to Irish origin:—Agricultural machinery, bacon and hams, biscuits, butter, condensed milk, cured fish, hides and sheep-skins, homespun, manures, poplins, whisky, wool and woollens.

Though a fair quantity of whiskey is consumed here it is of Scotch origin, apparently sometimes bottled in London.

Of goods said to be Irish we have in small quantities mineral waters, carpets, lace, linens (handkerchiefs and table linen) and stout, but the aggregate value of the whole is not above £200 a year.

I ought, however, to mention here a case of Irish commercial enterprise, which I consider very commendable and worthy of imitation for the purpose of extending British trade in a country such as this, where advertising is thrown away. I have before me an assumed invoice from a manufacturer of mineral waters in Belfast for a specified quantity of their goods, placed f.o.b. in Antofagasta (the nearest port), with the equivalent cost of the whole in Bolivian currency at an approximate rate of exchange. This goes a long way ahead of mere advertising, as it facilitates the reckoning of cost to an intending buyer and does away with many items of uncertain quantity, such as agents' commission, freight to Liverpool, transhipment, etc.

BRAZIL.

Rio Grande.

There is a considerable demand for Irish linens, cotton drills, handkerchiefs, etc., which are readily disposed of, notwithstanding the high prices due to the Customs duties. Unfortunately, owing to the absence of published returns, it is difficult to find out the particulars of the amounts and varieties of the Irish goods imported, but their excellent qualities render them more attractive than the native manufactures.

Santa
Catharina.

I am unable to state the quantities or exact qualities of Irish goods imported into this State, owing to the fact that they are treated by the custom-houses as goods imported from the United Kingdom. From private inquiries I find that some linen goods are imported from Belfast.

PERU.

There is no direct trade between Peru and Ireland. Irish merchants and manufacturers should appoint agents in this country or send competent commercial travellers.

Cerro de Pasco

There is no direct trade with Ireland.

URUGUAY.

No separate statistics showing the quantity or value of articles imported from Ireland are available, but in Monte Video are received from that country handkerchiefs, linen for shirt-fronts, woollen cloths, linen napkins and linen threads. In response to inquiries made of the Vice-Consuls at Paysandu and Fray Bentos, the former, Mr. Chaplain, writes:—"In this district the only Irish exports that find a market, and to a very small extent, are linens and whiskey," whilst Mr. Meyer, British Vice-Consul at Fray Bentos, states:—"It may be said that there is no trade with Ireland in this Consular district, the only direct importers from the United Kingdom into the port of Fray Bentos being the Liebeg Company, and only a very small proportion of what they receive emanates from Ireland. As regards indirect retail trade, local dealers get their supplies from Monte Video, and amongst the articles enumerated, probably only the following, of possible Irish origin, find a very restricted market here, viz., agricultural machinery, carpets, homespun, linens, mineral waters, whiskey and woollens."

ASIA.

CHINA.

There is no direct trade, either export or import, with Ireland. Hangchow.

There is no demand for agricultural machinery; the local farmer is not rich enough and is too conservative to make use of any agricultural implements other than the primitive kinds which his ancestors employed before him.

Bacon and hams, biscuits, butter, carpets, condensed milk, cured fish, mineral waters, porter, lace, homespuns, linen and whiskey would only find a market among the very small European community here.

Eggs it would seem impossible to import.

There is no market for manures, hides and sheep-skins.

Yarn and thread are produced on the spot at very much cheaper rates than those at which they could be imported from Ireland.

The import of woollen goods is extremely small, and there is little prospect of creating any large demand for them.

No separate returns are kept by the Customs in respect of Irish as distinguished from other British goods.

A question having been asked in the House of Commons last year Foochow. regarding the existence or non-existence of trade relations between Ireland and the country or district on which Consular Trade Reports were submitted, instructions were received by His Majesty's Consuls to state, if possible, in their reports for 1905 what trade was carried on between their districts and Ireland, and, in particular, whether the following Irish exports find a market, namely, agricultural machinery, bacon and hams, biscuits, butter, carpets, homespuns, lace, linen, mineral waters, spirits, etc. The only reply I can give to this is that no direct trade with Ireland exists, but that undoubtedly some of the articles enumerated, namely, mineral waters, porter (Guinness), whiskey, are in demand to a certain limited extent, but entirely for European consumption. Irish linen may be found in almost every foreign establishment, but, as a rule, it is imported by private individuals, and none of the articles mentioned are taken note of in the Customs tables.

It is impossible to ascertain from what part of the United Kingdom Chefoo. of Great Britain and Ireland goods are imported.

With reference to instructions received to state in this report whether, Newchwang so far as can be ascertained, any trade is carried on between this Consular district and Ireland, particularly in certain articles mentioned, it is impossible, from the Customs statistics as compiled, to give any figures relating to such a trade. No doubt some of the articles mentioned, such as homespuns, linens, porter, whiskey and woollens, do come to this port in small quantities, but most of them would only be used by the foreign residents, who are few in number, about 100 all told, men, women and children, and a few missionaries in the interior. It is difficult to trace the origin of articles which come in small quantities from any country owing to the indirect nature of the trade, nearly all foreign goods coming through the

Shanghai or Hong-Kong markets. No distinction whatever is made in the returns of goods coming from the different parts of the United Kingdom, and only in the case of such important items as are detailed in this report is it possible to give approximate figures of imports from the British Empire.

Wuchow.

As far as I can ascertain there were no Irish goods amongst the imports.

JAPAN.

The Customs returns make no distinction between goods coming from Great Britain and those coming from Ireland. They all appear under the heading United Kingdom.

Shimonoseki.

So far as can be ascertained, there is no trade carried on between this district and Ireland, nor would there seem to be any prospect of a large demand for Irish exports in the near future. The demand for imported bacon and hams, biscuits, butter, carpets, condensed milk, cured fish, homespun, lace, linens, poplin, porter, whiskey, wool and woollens is infinitesimal, while hides and skins as well as manures are imported from China and Corea, and it would be impossible for the home markets to successfully compete. The same remark applies to eggs, the import of which has already been referred to. Reference has also been made to the import of machinery, of which spinning and mining requisites take the largest share. Agricultural machinery does not appear to have been imported to any large extent. The mineral waters consumed in this district come chiefly from Kobe and district, the best waters being those manufactured by the two British companies there, the Hirano and Tansan Companies.

Tainan (South
Formosa).

Imports entering from the United Kingdom are never recorded in the Japanese Customs returns as being of English, Scotch, Irish or Welsh origin, but are classified under the general term of British goods without any distinction being made. This, of course, renders it impossible to ascertain, as has been officially instructed, whether there are any goods of Irish origin amongst the British imports entering this Consular district. There is no direct trade with Ireland and no goods of Irish origin are, as far as can be ascertained, imported into this Consular district. The demand for all kinds of foreign goods is declining annually owing to high tariffs and competition with Japanese goods, which enter duty free.

APPENDIX II.

TABLE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCE IMPORTED
INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM, 1905.

TABLES SHOWING THE TOTAL QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF AGRICULTURE

A.—CEREAL

Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.								
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Malt.	Rye.	Wheat Flour.	Oatmeal.	Peas.	Beans.
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.
America (U.S.), ..	6,634,700	2,501,300	2,555,500	—	62,110	5,685,418	373,988	43,016	4,560
Argentina, ..	23,236,400	284,800	14,300	—	—	616,800	—	—	—
Austria-Hungary, ..	—	—	47,100	—	—	622,885	—	—	650
Belgium, ..	200	—	10,300	—	2,470	765,800	—	5,330	18,250
Chile, ..	162,800	126,100	662,400	—	560	1,200	—	5,860	240
Denmark, ..	—	—	80,100	—	850	1,002	—	100	—
Egypt, ..	9,600	400	66,900	—	—	1,700	—	10	483,700
France, ..	400	—	94,900	—	100	1,034,503	—	2,210	17,430
Germany, ..	300,000	1,365,500	373,000	4,870	112,560	479,300	2,240	151,070	72,040
Holland, ..	—	69,400	69,500	—	2,320	165,500	6,550	194,130	29,970
Italy, ..	400	—	—	—	—	52,100	—	670	6,420
Norway, ..	—	—	—	—	—	900	10	10	350
Portugal, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Russia, ..	24,703,200	11,199,700	9,850,100	—	729,520	111,865	10	550,060	33,030
Spain, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	130	130
Sweden, ..	—	32,500	—	—	—	600	—	—	—
Turkey (European and Asiatic), ..	244,800	433,400	3,454,600	—	—	1,000	—	5,880	276,270
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.									
Australia, ..	10,064,700	14,000	1,600	—	—	1,019,500	—	20,660	—
Canada, ..	6,522,030	764,263	1,057,600	—	51,860	1,330,100	250,401	122,530	130
India, ..	22,807,422	—	20,600	—	—	42,400	—	839,030	177,360
New Zealand, ..	339,900	195,200	3,700	—	—	4,900	—	73,980	15,710
South Africa, ..	—	9,100	—	—	—	—	—	30	2,430
Other Foreign Countries, ..	2,596,200	101,800	3,058,700	60	56,940	17,290	—	1,050	86,250
Total, ..	97,622,752	17,095,463	21,426,900	4,930	1,019,290	11,954,763	633,199	2,015,876	1,225,050
Exports from Ireland, 1905, ..	19,208	1,184,673	59,420	81,656	70	123,665	195,459	519	13,850

Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.							
	Maize.	Maize Meal.	Buck Wheat.	Grain Offal.	Hay.	Straw.	Flax.	Moss Litter.
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.
America (U.S.), ..	18,310,200	383,128	7,560	128,085	28,088	—	—	—
Argentina, ..	18,954,600	—	4,580	45,031	596	757	—	—
Austria-Hungary, ..	5,400	—	—	1,130	—	—	—	—
Belgium, ..	100	66,950	—	—	102	1,202	16,936	80
Chile, ..	—	—	—	20,010	925	—	—	—
Denmark, ..	100	—	—	—	169	6	—	—
Egypt, ..	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
France, ..	—	—	67,720	30,966	26,828	97,250	367	—
Germany, ..	—	—	10	38	38	24	557	5,212
Holland, ..	—	—	100	5,440	14,986	2,620	3,154	83,832
Italy, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway, ..	—	—	—	—	870	—	—	—
Portugal, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Russia, ..	354,500	—	53,630	—	—	—	53,027	—
Spain, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweden, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey (European and Asiatic), ..	2,100	—	—	—	—	—	167	—
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.								
Australia, ..	—	—	—	2,248,680	—	—	1	—
Canada, ..	3,310,800	8,970	7,220	—	27	—	—	—
India, ..	917,700	—	—	—	43,483	—	—	—
New Zealand, ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
South Africa, ..	22,900	—	—	—	—	—	571	—
Other Foreign Countries, ..	222,710	140	40	650,468	800	395	14	11
Total, ..	42,101,210	459,188	140,860	3,129,810	116,913	102,254	74,794	89,751
Exports from Ireland, 1905, ..	411,673	4,459	—	232,689	5,127	—	2,128	10,850

PRODUCE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM DURING 1905.

FLAX, &c.

VALUE.									Countries from which Exported.
Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Malt.	Rye.	Wheat Flour.	Oatmeal.	Peas.	Beans.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
2,453,527	689,975	754,090	—	18,080	2,896,317	280,570	22,825	2,256	America (U.S.)
8,282,388	73,033	3,650	—	—	286,579	—	—	—	Argentina.
—	—	16,962	—	—	389,381	—	—	429	Austria-Hungary.
59	—	3,523	—	816	374,907	—	2,510	9,059	Belgium.
57,672	32,982	227,899	—	183	480	—	3,524	114	Chile.
—	—	28,886	—	283	457	—	47	—	Denmark.
2,122	82	19,481	—	—	853	—	5	151,873	Egypt.
144	—	35,230	—	34	472,386	—	1,049	8,662	France.
111,745	405,277	133,564	3,360	35,267	262,610	1,180	66,340	31,670	Germany.
—	21,432	21,472	—	766	88,060	3,460	107,747	13,218	Holland.
144	—	—	—	—	16,293	—	322	2,946	Italy.
—	—	—	—	—	456	—	5	169	Norway.
9,142,146	3,063,205	2,576,771	—	216,840	60,749	5	172,609	12,229	Portugal.
—	9,895	—	—	—	—	—	65	64	Russia.
80,217	112,350	1,054,835	—	—	308	—	—	—	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	506	—	2,870	99,482	Sweden.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Turkey (European and Asiatic).
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
3,800,270	3,120	604	—	—	508,607	—	8,164	—	Australia.
2,412,137	211,481	271,186	—	16,024	653,804	178,073	43,897	90	Canada.
7,882,978	—	6,500	—	—	19,283	—	251,243	46,429	India.
119,160	61,395	1,117	—	—	4,236	—	41,239	5,829	New Zealand.
—	2,297	—	—	—	—	—	15	1,348	South Africa.
935,222	26,741	861,580	35	17,000	8,573	—	628	28,360	Other Foreign Countries.
35,279,931	4,713,265	6,017,350	3,395	305,293	6,044,845	463,293	725,104	414,227	Total.
7,443	370,210	17,826	50,014	21	61,833	97,730	223	5,370	Exports from Ireland, 1905.

VALUE								Countries from which Exported
Maize.	Maize Meal.	Buck Wheat.	Grain Offal.	Hay.	Straw.	Flax.	Moss Litter.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
4,636,676	119,726	2,490	31,293	100,085	—	—	—	America (U.S.)
5,090,862	—	1,144	11,056	2,038	1,893	—	—	Argentina.
1,418	—	—	266	—	—	—	—	Austria-Hungary.
26	22,020	—	—	384	2,962	1,138,226	924	Belgium.
25	—	—	4,921	3,284	—	—	—	Chile.
27	—	—	—	582	15	—	—	Denmark.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Egypt.
—	—	21,887	6,442	81,098	216,385	14,280	—	France.
—	—	3	1,306	166	78	19,593	6,323	Germany.
—	—	44	—	46,418	6,712	165,373	102,166	Holland.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Italy.
113,263	—	—	—	2,955	—	—	—	Norway.
—	—	16,908	—	—	—	1,871,481	—	Portugal.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Russia.
582	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	—	4,522	—	Sweden.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Turkey (European and Asiatic).
—	—	—	451,006	—	—	18	—	BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
877,509	3,018	2,478	—	105	—	—	—	Australia.
249,230	—	—	—	143,296	—	—	—	Canada.
6,011	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	India.
59,119	65	23	132,625	2,153	883	16,382	—	New Zealand.
—	—	—	—	—	—	267	18	South Africa.
11,034,748	144,829	44,977	638,915	382,567	228,928	3,230,142	109,431	Other Foreign Countries.
108,064	1,914	—	43,629	14,099	—	106,400	677	Total.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Exports from Ireland, 1905.

TABLES SHOWING THE TOTAL QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF AGRICULTURAL

B.—ANIMALS AND

Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.						
	Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Beef.	Mutton.	Pork.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.
America (U.S.),	1,135	414,906	150,095	—	2,689,391	10,677	207,781
Argentina,	221	—	—	—	2,675,916	1,463,757	13
Austria-Hungary,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Belgium,	288	—	—	—	72,269	9,373	39,346
Chile,	—	—	—	—	—	4	—
Denmark,	1,183	—	4,749	—	7,781	8,163	126,881
Egypt,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
France,	1,233	—	—	—	237	4,762	1,174
Germany,	2,756	—	—	—	2,833	61	5,435
Holland,	1,445	—	—	—	7,109	235,172	306,415
Italy,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norway,	2	—	—	—	323	—	35
Portugal,	5	—	—	—	170	—	—
Russia,	2,535	—	—	—	149	180	2,033
Spain,	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweden,	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Turkey (European and Asiatic),	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.							
Australia,	6	—	—	—	70,351	520,190	5,404
Canada,	296	148,718	28,240	150	48,752	2,612	16,019
India,	6	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Zealand,	3	—	—	—	154,723	1,531,776	1,075
South Africa,	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other Countries,	2,584	1,515	—	—	48,353	54,453	61
Total,	13,711	565,139	183,084	150	5,778,357	3,841,180	711,595
Exports from Ireland, 1905,	30,808	749,334	703,842	363,823	6,784	—	30,000

Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.							
	Bacon.	Hams.	Rabbits.	Poultry.	Game.	Sheep or Lambs' Wool.		
	cwts.	cwts.	cwts.			lbs.		
America (U.S.)	2,755,233	1,022,855	—	Poultry (alive or dead) is entered by value only.	Game (alive or dead) is entered by value only.	1,878,812		
Argentina,	—	—	—			26,675,467		
Austria-Hungary,	—	—	—			110,008		
Belgium,	447	372	69,624			7,109,979		
Chile,	—	—	—			15,056,521		
Denmark,	1,471,687	1,042	—			470,601		
Egypt,	—	—	—			3,008,637		
France,	30	336	7,545			21,388,470		
Germany,	3,049	732	—			2,676,352		
Holland,	17,290	435	15,923			743,604		
Italy,	—	11	—			1,714,545		
Norway,	5	2	—			—		
Portugal,	—	—	—			2,158,893		
Russia,	36,174	189	—			5,344,257		
Spain,	—	152	—			553,890		
Sweden,	22,285	—	—			—		
Turkey (European and Asiatic),	—	—	—			13,899,547		
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.								
Australia,	1,368	3	482,697			253,374,776		
Canada,	1,191,390	292,173	—			72,722		
India,	—	—	—			39,898,114		
New Zealand,	—	—	80,289			139,268,948		
South Africa,	—	—	—			67,702,136		
Other Countries,	2	—	—			12,514,551		
Total,	5,498,960	1,318,302	656,078	—	—	615,708,827		
Exports from Ireland, 1905,	617,559	105,540	50,623	—	—	10,682,438		

PRODUCE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM DURING 1905.

ANIMAL PRODUCTS.

VALUE.							Countries from which Exported
Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Beef.	Mutton.	Pork.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
45,266	7,149,139	226,628	—	5,778,772	22,540	403,472	America (U.S.).
5,119	—	—	—	4,041,402	2,461,404	28	Argentina
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Austria-Hungary.
19,623	—	—	—	465,978	21,595	97,444	Belgium
32,678	—	16,545	—	18,214	24,482	147,018	Chile.
93,167	—	—	—	512	18,640	2,580	Denmark.
37,255	—	—	—	12,371	140	5,093	Egypt.
57,107	—	—	—	16,422	539,672	713,622	France.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Germany.
82	—	—	—	555	—	91	Holland.
199	—	—	—	384	—	—	Italy.
27,599	—	—	—	350	496	4,441	Norway
70	—	—	—	—	—	—	Portugal.
171	—	—	—	—	—	—	Russia.
77	—	—	—	—	—	—	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Sweden.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Turkey (European and Asiatic.)
1,460	—	—	—	174,551	1,029,223	10,837	BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
15,055	2,491,150	45,580	300	105,157	5,491	27,623	Australia.
235	—	—	—	—	—	—	Canada.
1,091	—	—	—	232,198	3,181,304	2,590	India.
199	—	—	—	—	—	—	New Zealand.
14,547	25,517	—	—	76,435	108,604	137	South Africa.
354,030	9,665,806	278,753	300	10,923,299	7,413,602	1,414,976	Other Countries.
1,427,975	8,928,253	1,256,227	1,272,091	18,062	—	93,742	Total.
							Exports from Ireland, 1905.

VALUE.						Countries from which Exported.
Bacon.	Hams.	Rabbits.	Poultry.	Game.	Sheep or Lambs' Wool.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	
5,828,392	2,409,993	—	152,033	456	34,674	America, U.S.
—	—	—	—	—	962,328	Argentina.
899	1,127	199,777	193,816	5,299	4,614	Austria-Hungary.
3,978,317	2,755	—	118	—	284,834	Belgium
—	—	—	—	—	464,705	Chile.
60	1,018	21,542	227,103	13,272	18,198	Denmark.
8,328	2,301	—	9,247	898	87,099	Egypt.
44,235	1,319	46,179	12,897	2,014	887,606	France.
10	33	—	—	32,249	116,693	Germany.
—	6	—	—	1,680	29,793	Holland.
93,697	573	—	275,043	351	58,299	Italy.
65,748	776	—	—	—	62,528	Norway.
—	—	—	—	—	203,083	Portugal.
—	—	—	—	—	15,877	Russia.
—	—	—	—	—	434,051	Spain.
—	—	—	—	—	—	Sweden.
—	—	—	—	—	—	Turkey (European and Asiatic.)
—	—	—	13,031	19,746	—	BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
3,431	8	485,935	—	—	10,768,050	Australia.
2,751,714	698,463	—	31,537	—	2,671	Canada.
—	—	82,496	—	—	1,127,116	India.
—	—	—	—	—	5,624,484	New Zealand.
4	—	—	966	850	2,166,102	South Africa.
12,774,855	3,118,372	835,929	905,791	93,689	431,020	Other Countries.
1,790,921	464,376	64,544	696,923	6,208	550,814	Total.
						Exports from Ireland, 1905.

† From all British Possessions except Canada.

TABLES SHOWING THE TOTAL QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF AGRICULTURE

C.—DAIRY PRODUCTS

Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.							
	Butter.	Cheese.	Milk and Cream.	Margarine.	Eggs.	Potatoes.	Tomatoes.	Onions.
America (U.S.),	cwts. 84,874	cwts. 175,256	cwts. —	cwts. —	Gt. Hdrds. 14,286	cwts. 576	cwts. 27	bushels. 34,000
Argentina,	77,013	—	1	13	—	—	—	—
Austria-Hungary,	—	—	57	—	—	—	31	—
Belgium,	53,252	64,389	409	2,343	2,152,953	76,615	38	141,300
Chile,	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—
Denmark,	1,630,363	1,154	87	13	3,858,135	3,688	1,690	20
Egypt,	—	—	—	—	384,103	360	—	2,060,571
France,	348,442	48,884	4,390	27,324	1,565,572	1,937,262	116,726	385,335
Germany,	5,372	677	42	184	2,175,721	25,686	1,541	130,144
Holland,	209,897	214,033	1,001	1,051,630	114,751	188,720	1,421	1,491,143
Italy,	—	727	8	—	—	3,842	3,533	1,301
Norway,	31,773	75	2,541	6,731	16	875	—	—
Portugal,	—	—	—	—	32,068	74,058	44,002	207,830
Russia,	461,140	29	—	—	7,622,393	10	—	16
Spain,	—	—	—	—	44,187	34,963	248,011	3,195,521
Sweden,	188,209	1	1	21	116,677	—	—	9,316
Turkey (European and Asiatic), ..	—	32	—	—	14,583	—	11	—
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.								
Channel Islands,	6	—	—	—	1,962	1,122,950	200,835	—
Australia,	459,333	—	5	—	19	—	—	—
Canada,	292,117	1,585,767	—	—	260,140	—	—	—
India,	1,425	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
New Zealand,	300,418	78,626	—	—	—	—	—	—
South Africa,	910	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
Other Countries,	3,322	32	—	—	456,727	194,637	519,326	19,571
Total,	4,147,866	2,442,682	8,542	1,088,259	18,814,293	3,664,290	1,137,193	7,587,025
Exports from Ireland, 1905, ..	685,238	916	17,500	26,222	6,098,451	72,158	—	—

D.—

Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.							
	Apples.	Pears.	Plums.	Cherries.	Gooseberries.	Strawberries.	Currants.	Nuts.
America (U.S.),	cwts. 1,631,819	cwts. 106,426	cwts. 9,012	cwts. —	cwts. —	cwts. —	cwts. —	cwts. 3,531
Argentina,	—	6	10	—	—	—	—	450
Austria-Hungary,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	651
Belgium,	46,775	65,049	19,315	13,093	2,308	—	6,134	13,240
Chile,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
Denmark,	96	29	—	—	—	—	151	14
Egypt,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
France,	107,745	180,361	390,259	138,557	1,369	27,012	42,175	353,331
Germany,	5,198	14,828	114,032	17,614	80	—	4,412	216
Holland,	49,317	32,981	32,648	17,431	13,382	2,386	26,999	604
Italy,	—	537	—	—	—	—	—	39,140
Norway,	64	—	30	—	4	—	407	—
Portugal,	100,708	504	—	—	—	—	—	18,311
Russia,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	220,500
Spain,	63,614	124	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweden,	36	—	—	—	—	—	8	—
Turkey (European and Asiatic), ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,370
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.								
Australia,	220,706	5,077	—	—	—	—	—	—
Canada,	1,247,766	7,510	5,759	187	—	—	—	415
India,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	160,717
New Zealand,	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
South Africa,	19	548	546	—	—	—	—	119
Other Countries,	20,779	3,939	—	—	16	1	—	124,551
Total,	3,494,660	477,019	480,211	186,682	17,159	29,399	82,286	62,915
Exports from Ireland, 1905, ..	14,033	—	—	—	3,728	—	51	—

PRODUCE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM DURING 1905.

AND VEGETABLES.

VALUE.								Countries from which Exported.
Butter.	Cheese.	Milk and Cream.	Margarine.	Eggs.	Potatoes.	Tomatoes.	Onions.	
£ 401,916 387,711	£ 443,003 —	£ — 2 106	£ — 30 —	£ 4,935 —	£ 158 —	£ — 30 —	£ 7,216 —	America (U.S.) Argentina. Austria-Hungary
275,701	223,568	773	6,018	830,508	12,819	43	16,932	Belgium. Chile. Denmark.
8,919,766	2,505	389	30	1,634,288	668	1,697	5	Egypt. France.
1,860,545	158,224	12,508	95,259	111,336	99	317,450	54,825	Germany. Holland.
27,169	1,470	116	454	660,369	621,949	97,419	18,432	Italy. Norway.
1,047,690	498,994	2,135	2,617,743	764,966	4,988	1,727	167,655	Portugal. Russia.
—	2,164	15	—	40,068	48,768	1,593	478,762	Spain. Sweden.
166,079	162	7,763	16,153	—	1,057	2,102	341	Turkey (European and Asiatic).
—	—	—	—	5	159	—	—	BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
2,246,503	63	—	—	13,462	25,519	21,406	29,307	Channel Islands. Australia.
1,021,603	2	2	49	2,426,029	11	100,695	8	Canada. India.
—	70	—	—	17,305	10,663	—	—	New Zealand. South Africa.
—	—	—	—	43,500	—	12	1,656	Other Countries.
—	—	—	—	4,192	—	—	—	Total.
28	—	—	—	851	563,121	319,147	—	Exports from Ireland, 1905.
2,307,835	—	10	—	8	—	—	—	
1,428,494	4,804,172	—	—	114,557	—	—	—	
5,137	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1,467,628	203,344	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4,095	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
18,722	70	—	—	145,967	114,623	424,672	2,213	
21,586,622	6,339,811	23,819	2,735,736	6,812,436	1,404,607	970,579	1,094,802	
3,357,666	2,382	15,458	66,210	2,515,611	205,650	—	—	

FRUIT.

VALUE.								Countries from which Exported.
Apples.	Pears.	Plums.	Cherries.	Goose-berries.	Straw-berries.	Currants.	Nuts.	
£ 936,868	£ 94,298	£ 15,346	£ —	£ —	£ —	£ —	£ 2,668	America (U.S.)
—	5	12	—	—	—	—	373	Argentina.
24,360	44,291	17,504	10,879	1,541	—	5,159	1,807	Austria-Hungary.
78	24	—	—	—	—	131	12,197	Belgium.
55,288	203,841	377,930	205,897	1,645	37,825	55,902	191	Chile.
3,857	11,816	78,977	18,106	54	—	5,061	206	Denmark.
28,221	27,795	25,947	17,749	8,669	2,275	27,796	358,734	Egypt.
—	449	38	—	—	—	—	4,543	France.
52	—	—	—	3	—	352	7,397	Germany.
44,033	421	—	—	—	—	—	124,005	Holland.
24,552	103	—	—	—	—	—	—	Italy.
28	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	Norway.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50,759	Portugal.
231,507	8,912	—	—	—	—	—	412,904	Russia.
703,950	10,393	8,179	411	—	—	—	17,303	Spain.
24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Sweden.
26	1,281	740	—	—	—	—	—	Turkey (European and Asiatic).
12,349	4,188	—	—	29	20	—	224,900	BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
2,005,193	407,817	524,673	253,042	11,941	40,120	94,408	1,279,370	Australia.
8 456	—	—	—	1,305	—	51	—	Canada.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	India.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	New Zealand.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	South Africa.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Other Countries.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Total.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Exports from Ireland, 1905.

TABLES SHOWING THE TOTAL QUANTITIES AND VALUES OF AGRICULTURAL

E.—WOOD

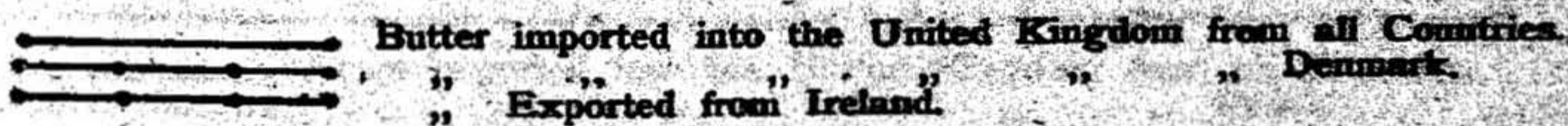
Countries from which Exported.	QUANTITY.							
	Timber, Hewn.				Timber, Sawn or Split.		Staves.	Furniture Woods and Hard-woods.
	Fir, other than Pit Wood or Pit Props.	Pit Wood or Pit Props.	Oak.	Unenumerated.	Fir.	Unenumerated.		
	loads.	loads.	loads.	loads.	loads.	loads.	loads.	tons.
America (U.S.),	37,913	—	95,593	14,314	423,900	66,532	21,784	99,326
Argentina,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	277
Austria-Hungary,	—	—	8,503	3,506	—	—	463	—
Belgium,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chile,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Denmark,	—	—	—	407	215	—	—	—
Egypt,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
France,	—	717,123	—	1,431	1,396	13,055	482	2,746
Germany,	113,129	27,204	19,161	2,678	87,101	1,427	9,775	5,161
Holland,	—	—	—	2,482	674	8,085	465	445
Italy,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	86
Norway,	51,014	203,627	287	2,118	498,696	431	24,643	—
Portugal,	—	184,873	—	—	—	—	—	—
Russia,	221,742	483,360	12,732	10,413	2,088,052	32,468	41,787	1,944
Spain,	—	70,432	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sweden,	18,449	431,654	—	1,300	1,519,751	2,648	16,459	—
Turkey,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	470
BRITISH POSSESSIONS.								
Australia,	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	80,151
Canada,	32,896	—	8,569	18,385	1,098,549	61,820	2,159	9,383
India,	—	—	—	39,045	—	—	—	880
New Zealand,	111	—	—	—	9,029	—	—	—
South Africa,	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	887
Other Foreign Countries, ..	491	2,040	818	18,731	70,548	1,238	1,165	100,391
Total,	475,745	2,120,333	145,663	114,810	5,797,922	188,604	119,182	293,699
Exports from Ireland, 1905, ..	106,420				12,082		—	—

PRODUCE IMPORTED INTO THE UNITED KINGDOM DURING 1905.

AND TIMBER.

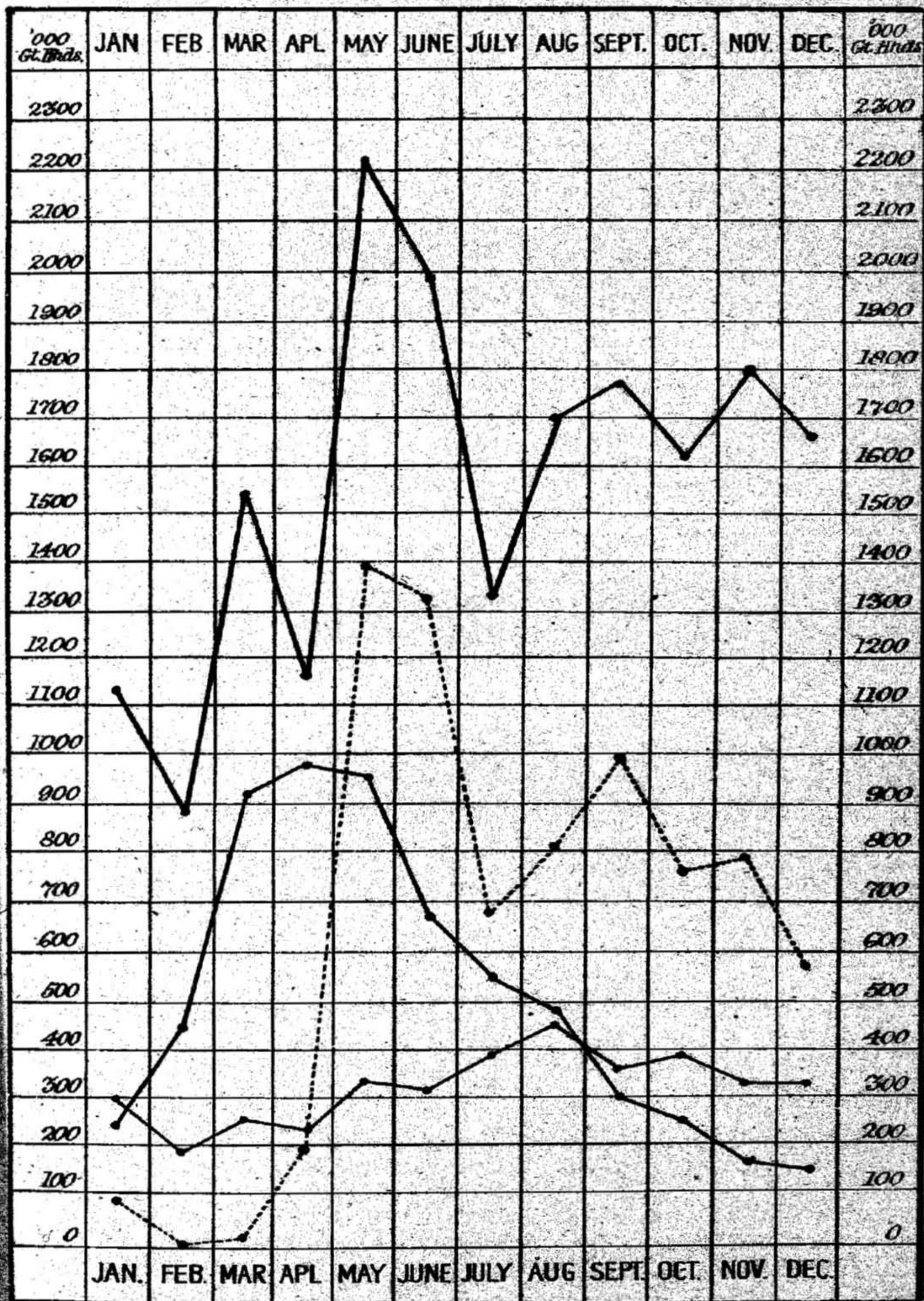
VALUE.								Countries from which Exported.
Timber Hewn.				Timber, Sawn or Split.		Staves.	Furniture, Woods and Hardwoods	
Fir, other than Pit Wood or Pit Props.	Pit Wood or Pit Props.	Oak.	Unenumerated.	Fir.	Unenumerated.			
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
124,276	—	533,978	73,119	1,337,661	355,885	143,167	643,337	America (U.S.)
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,818	Argentina.
—	—	103,738	14,332	—	—	5,016	—	Austria-Hungary.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Belgium.
—	—	—	6,968	780	—	—	—	Chile.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Denmark.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Egypt.
—	564,037	—	3,630	2,073	39,033	1,740	34,447	France.
314,740	37,842	91,148	9,243	261,131	7,087	101,231	49,129	Germany.
—	—	—	27,165	2,515	38,636	4,194	3,290	Holland.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,518	Italy.
92,711	256,903	1,065	4,553	1,301,081	2,080	70,046	—	Norway.
—	143,497	—	—	—	—	—	—	Portugal.
475,222	608,768	83,161	16,031	4,838,815	123,777	178,229	27,664	Russia.
—	57,024	—	—	—	—	—	—	Spain.
32,280	566,797	—	2,310	3,435,973	6,254	37,289	—	Sweden.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,808	Turkey.
								BRITISH POSSESSIONS.
—	—	—	—	84	—	—	324,083	Australia.
217,670	—	59,974	106,434	3,059,259	208,252	9,431	59,894	Canada.
—	—	—	580,644	—	—	—	8,756	India.
655	—	—	—	64,738	—	—	—	New Zealand.
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7,851	South Africa.
955	2,146	2,811	257,978	165,464	4,752	2,729	826,198	Other Foreign Countries.
1,258,509	2,237,014	875,875	1,102,407	14,469,574	785,756	553,092	1,991,793	Total.
191,556				36,246		—	—	Exports from Ireland ¹ 1905.

Diagram shewing the monthly fluctuations in the quantities of BUTTER imported into the United Kingdom (1) from all countries, (2) from Denmark, and in the quantities exported from Ireland during the year 1905.



II.

Diagram shewing the monthly fluctuations in the quantities of EGGS imported into the United Kingdom (1) from all countries, (2) from Russia, (3) from Denmark, and in the quantities exported from Ireland during the year 1905.



— Eggs imported into the United Kingdom from all Countries.
 " " " " " " " " Russia.
 — " " " " " " " " Denmark.
 — " " " " " " " " Exported from Ireland.

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* * The numbers refer to the marginal numbers printed in the Tables and not to the pages.

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	Index Number.			Index Number.	
	Im-ports.	Ex-ports.		Im-ports.	Ex-ports.
Acid, Nitric ...	—	101	Beds ...	8	93
„ Sulphuric ...	17	101	Bedsteads ...	8	93
„ unclassified ...	17	101	Beef ...	48	129
Aerated Waters ...	1	87	Beer ...	2	88
Alabaster ...	73	—	Bees' Wax ...	83	—
Ale ...	2	88	Belting ...	36	—
Alkali ...	17	—	Belts ...	36	—
Almonds ...	30	—	Bends ...	49	—
Alum ...	17	101	Biscuits ...	7	94
Ammonia ...	17	—	„ Dog ...	34	—
„ Sulphate of ...	17	—	Bitumen ...	6	92
Ammunition ...	4	—	Blackberries ...	—	113
Anchors ...	49	130	Blacking ...	60	140
Aniline ...	24	—	Blacklead ...	60	—
Annatto ...	—	107	Blankets ...	77	156
Antimony ...	49	—	Bleaching Powder ...	17	101
Anvils ...	49	130	Blocks ...	73	152
Apparel ...	77	156	„ Clog ...	—	163
Apples ...	30	113	Blue ...	17	—
Arms ...	4	—	Boards ...	84	—
Asbestos ...	5	—	„ Straw ...	54	—
Ash, Soda ...	17	101	Boats ...	67	—
Ashes, Metal ...	49	130	Bog Ore ...	—	130
„ Pearl ...	17	—	Boilers ...	49	130
„ Pot ...	17	—	Bolts ...	49	130
Asphalt ...	6	92	Bone Manure ...	17	—
Asses ...	3	89	Books ...	54	135
Axles ...	13	98	Boots ...	36	119
Bacon ...	48	129	Borax ...	17	—
Bagging ...	77	156	Bottles ...	31	114
Bags ...	77	156	Boxwood ...	84	—
Bark ...	24	107	Bran ...	34	117
Barley ...	34	117	Brandy ...	2	88
Barytes ...	53	134	Brass ...	49	130
Basic Slag ...	17	—	Bricks ...	18	102
Basins ...	49	—	„ Fireclay ...	18	102
Basket Rods ...	84	—	Bristles ...	9	—
Baskets ...	84	163	Bronze ...	49	130
Bathbrick ...	60	—	Brooms ...	9	95
Bauxite ...	73	152	Brushes ...	9	95
Beams ...	49	—	Buckets ...	49	—
Beans ...	34	117	Buffers ...	49	—
Bedding ...	—	93	Bulbs ...	30	113
			Burnt Ore ...	—	130
			Butter ...	10	96

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	Index Number.			Index Number.	
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„ Linseed ...	34	—	Copper ...	49	—
„ Nitre ...	17	101	Copper (Bars, Blocks, } „ &c.), wrought }	—	130
„ Oil unclassified ...	—	117	Copperas ...	24	107
„ Salt (Sulphate of } Soda) }	17	—	Copper Sulphate ...	17	101
Calcium, Carbide of ...	17	101	Cordage ...	77	156
Calves ...	3	89	Cordials ...	2	88
Candles ...	12	97	Corks ...	84	—
Cane ...	84	—	Corkwood ...	84	—
Canvas Goods ...	77	156	Corn Flour ...	—	117
Carbide of Calcium ...	17	101	Cotton Goods ...	77	156
Cardboard ...	54	—	„ Meal ...	34	117
Carpets ...	77	156	„ Oil ...	52	—
Carriages ...	13	98	„ Raw ...	77	156
Cars ...	13	98	„ Silicate ...	—	91
„ Motor ...	13	—	„ Seed Cake ...	34	—
Cartridges ...	4	—	„ Waste ...	77	156
Carts ...	13	98	„ Wool ...	77	—
Cattle ...	3	89	„ Yarn ...	77	156
„ Food ...	34	—	Cream of Tartar ...	17	—
Cement ...	14	99	Cullet ...	31	114
Chains ...	49	130	Curbs ...	—	152
Chairs, Iron ...	49	—	Currants ...	30	113
Chalk ...	73	152	Cutch ...	24	—
Charcoal ...	15	—	Cycles ...	13	—
Cheese ...	16	100	„ Motor ...	13	—
Chemicals ...	17	101	Cylinders ...	49	130
Chicory ...	23	—			
Chimney Pieces, Marble ...	73	—			
„ „ Slate ...	73	—			
China Clay ...	18	—	Damsons ...	—	113
Chinaware ...	18	102	Dates ...	30	—
Chocolate ...	19	103	Deals ...	84	—
Cider ...	2	—	Divi-Divi ...	—	107
Cisterns ...	49	—	Drapery ...	77	156
Clay ...	18	—	Drugs ...	17	101
„ China ...	18	—	Dyes ...	24	107
„ Fire ...	18	—	Dynamite ...	—	90
„ Pipe ...	18	—			
Clocks ...	21	104			
Clogs ...	36	119			
Clog Blocks ...	—	163	Earth, Fuller's ...	17	—
„ Soles ...	84	—	Earthenware ...	18	102
Cloth, Emery ...	60	—	Eels ...	—	111
„ Oil ...	77	156	Eggs ...	25	108
Clover Seed ...	66	146	Egg Yolks ...	25	—
Coal ...	22	—	Electric Cables ...	49	130
Cocoa ...	20	105	Electro-plated Ware ...	49	130
Cocoa Nuts ...	30	—	Emery ...	60	—
Codilla ...	77	156	„ Cloth ...	60	—
Coffee ...	23	106	Envelopes, Straw ...	35	—
Coir Yarn ...	77	156	Engravings ...	59	139
Coke ...	22	—	Epsom Salts ...	17	—
Collodion Cotton ...	—	90	Extract ...	24	—

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Farina	34	117	Grease	26	109
Feathers	27	110	Grindstones	60	—
Felloes	13	98	Groceries	48	129
Felting ...	...	77	156	Guano ...	...	17	—
Fibre ...	...	77	156	Gum ...	...	33	116
Figs ...	...	30	—	Gun Cotton ...	...	—	90
Figures ...	...	73	152	Gunpowder ...	...	4	90
Finings ...	...	17	—	Guns ...	...	4	90
Fireclay ...	...	18	—	Gutta Percha ...	...	40	122
„ Bricks ...	...	18	102	Gutters ...	...	49	—
„ Goods ...	...	18	102	Gypsum ...	...	73	—
Fish ...	...	28	111				
Fishing Nets ...	...	29	112	Haberdashery ...	...	—	156
Fish Plates ...	...	49	—	Hair ...	...	—	156
Flags ...	...	73	152	„ Curled ...	...	77	156
Flax ...	...	77	156	„ Plasterer's ...	...	77	156
Flax waste ...	...	77	156	Hams ...	...	48	129
„ seed ...	...	66	—	Handcarts ...	...	13	—
Flock, Wool ...	...	77	156	Handles ...	...	84	—
Flour, Wheat ...	...	34	117	Hardware ...	...	49	130
Flowerpots, Clay ...	...	18	—	Harness ...	...	36	119
Food, Cattle ...	...	34	—	Hay ...	...	35	118
Foreign Grass ...	...	54	135	Heads, Pigs ...	...	48	—
Forks ...	...	49	130	Hemp ...	...	77	156
Frames, Picture ...	...	84	—	„ Seed ...	...	66	—
Freestone ...	...	73	—	„ Waste ...	...	77	156
Fruit ...	...	30	113	Herrings ...	...	28	111
„ Pulp ...	...	—	113	Hides ...	...	36	119
Fuller's Earth ...	...	17	—	Honey ...	...	37	120
Furniture ...	...	84	163	Hoofs ...	...	38	121
				Hooks ...	...	49	—
Gambier ...	...	24	107	Hoops ...	...	49	—
Game ...	...	48	129	Hoops, Wood ...	...	84	—
Gannister ...	...	73	—	Hop Bitters ...	...	2	88
Gas ...	...	17	—	Hops ...	...	34	117
Gelatine ...	...	17	90	Horns ...	...	38	121
Geldings ...	...	3	89	Horses, Geldings ...	...	3	89
Gelignite ...	...	—	90	„ Mares ...	...	3	89
Gin ...	...	2	88	„ Stallions ...	...	3	89
Ginger ...	...	70	—	Hosiery ...	...	77	156
Girders ...	...	49	—				
Glass ...	...	31	114	Ice ...	...	39	—
Glassware ...	...	31	114	Indian Meal ...	...	34	117
Glucose ...	...	74	—	India Rubber Goods ...	...	40	122
Glue ...	...	32	115	Ink ...	...	41	123
Glycerine ...	...	17	101	Instruments, Musical ...	...	42	124
Goats ...	...	3	89	„ Nautical ...	...	43	125
Gooseberries ...	...	—	113	„ Scientific ...	...	43	125
Grain Offal ...	...	34	117	Iron, Bar & Wrought ...	...	49	—
Grains ...	...	34	117	„ Chairs ...	...	49	—
Granite ...	...	73	152	„ Liquor ...	...	24	107
Grapes	30	—	„ Manufactures	49	130
Grass Seed	66	146	„ Ore	49	130
„ Foreign	54	135	„ Oxide	53	—
Gravel	—	152				

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Iron, Pig	49	—		Manganese	49	—	
" Scrap	49	130		Manures	17	101	
Isinglass	17	—		Marble	73	152	
Ivory	...	...	44	—		Mares	...	...	3	89	
						Margarine	...	...	11	96	
Jams	...	...	30	113		Matches	...	...	47	128	
Jennets	...	...	3	89		Mats	...	...	77	156	
Joists	...	...	49	—		Matting	...	...	77	156	
Juice, Lemon, Lime	}	...	2	88		Mattresses	...	...	77	156	
and Orange		...				Meal, Cattle	...	...	34	117	
Jute	...	...	77	156		" Cotton	...	...	34	117	
" Goods	...	...	77	—		" Indian	...	...	34	117	
" Yarn	...	...	77	156		" Linseed	...	...	34	—	
						" Oat	...	...	34	117	
						" Unclassified	...	...	34	117	
Kainit	...	...	17	—		Meat, Coarse	...	...	48	129	
Kelp	...	...	—	145		" Preserved and	}	48	129		
						Canned					
						Melons	...	...	30	—	
Lace	...	...	—	156		Metals	...	...	49	130	
Lambs	...	...	3	89		Metal Ashes	...	...	49	130	
Lampblack	...	...	53	134		" Yellow	...	...	49	130	
Lard	...	...	26	109		Meters	...	...	49	130	
Lead	...	...	49	130		Milk, Condensed	...	...	50	131	
" Nitrate of	...	...	—	101		" not condensed	...	...	—	131	
" Ore	...	...	49	—		Millboards	...	...	54	135	
" Paint	...	...	53	—		Mineral Waters	...	...	1	87	
" Sulphate	...	...	—	101		" Black	...	...	53	—	
Leather	...	...	36	119		" White	...	...	53	—	
Lemons	...	...	30	113		Molasses	...	...	74	—	
Lentils	...	...	34	—		Moss	...	...	51	132	
Lime	...	...	45	126		Motor Cars	...	...	13	—	
Limestone	...	...	73	152		" Cycles	...	...	13	—	
Linen Goods	...	...	77	156		Mules	...	...	3	89	
" Yarn	...	...	77	156		Musical Instruments	...	...	42	124	
Linseed Cake	...	...	34	—		Mussels	...	...	—	111	
" Meal	...	...	34	—		Mustard	...	...	70	—	
" Oil	...	...	52	—		Mutton	...	...	48	—	
Liquor, Iron	...	...	24	107		Myrabolans	...	...	24	—	
Lithographic Stones	...	...	73	—							
Lobsters	...	...	—	111		Nails	...	...	49	130	
Logwood	...	...	24	107		Naphtha	...	...	52	—	
Lorries	...	...	13	—		Nets, Fishing	...	...	20	112	
						Netting, Wire	...	...	49	130	
Macadam	...	...	—	152		Newspapers	...	...	54	135	
Machinery, Agricultural	...	...	46	—		Nitre Cake	...	...	—	101	
" Textile	...	...	46	—		Nuts, Cocoa	...	...	30	—	
" Unclassified	...	...	46	127		" Fruit (unclassified)	...	...	30	—	
Mackerel	...	...	—	111		" Iron	...	...	49	130	
Magnesia	...	...	—	101							
Mahogany	84	—		Oakum	77	156	
Mail Carts	13	98		Oars	67	—	
Maize	34	117		Oatmeal	34	117	
Malt	34	117		Oats	34	117	

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Ochre	—	134	Plate	49	—
Offal, Grain	34	117	Plates, Fish	49	—
Offsets	49	—	" Iron	49	—
Oil cloth	77	156	Polishes, Unclassified	60	140
" Cotton ...	...	52	—	Pollard ...	...	34	117
" Linseed ...	...	52	—	Poplin ...	...	—	156
" Paraffin ...	...	52	133	Porcelain ...	...	—	102
" Petroleum ...	...	52	133	Pork ...	...	48	129
" Unclassified ...	...	52	133	Porter ...	...	2	88
Oleine ...	...	52	—	Potatoes ...	...	30	113
Oleo ...	...	52	—	" Preserved ...	...	—	113
Onions ...	...	30	—	Pot Ashes ...	...	17	—
Oranges ...	...	30	113	Pots ...	...	49	130
Ore, Bog ...	...	—	130	Poultry ...	...	48	129
" Burnt ...	...	—	130	Powder, Bleaching ...	...	17	101
" Iron ...	...	49	130	" Soap ...	...	17	—
" Lead ...	...	49	—	" Washing ...	...	17	101
" Sulphur ...	...	49	130	Preserves ...	...	30	113
" White ...	...	—	130	Printed Matter ...	...	54	135
" Unclassified ...	...	49	130	Provisions ...	...	48	129
Organs ...	...	42	124	Pulp, Paper, ...	...	54	—
Ovens ...	...	49	130	" Wood ...	...	54	135
Oysters ...	...	28	111	Pumice Stone ...	...	60	—
				Pumps ...	...	49	130
				Putty ...	...	53	134
Paint, Lead ...	...	53	—				
Paints unclassified ...	...	53	134				
Pans ...	...	49	130	Quicksilver ...	...	49	—
Paper ...	...	54	135				
" Pulp ...	...	54	—				
Paraffin Oil ...	...	52	133	Rabbits ...	...	48	129
" Shale ...	...	55	136	Rags ...	...	61	141
" Wax ...	...	83	162	Railway Plant ...	...	49	130
Pearl Ashes ...	...	17	—	Raisins ...	...	30	113
Pears ...	...	30	—	Rakes ...	...	49	130
Peas ...	...	34	117	Ranges ...	...	49	130
Peat ...	...	56	137	Resin ...	...	62	142
Pepper ...	...	70	—	Retorts ...	...	63	—
Perambulators ...	...	13	98	Rice ...	...	34	117
Perfumery ...	...	57	—	Rifles ...	...	4	90
Petroleum Oil ...	...	52	133	Rivets ...	...	49	130
Phosphate Mineral, Raw ...	...	17	—	Rock Salt ...	...	—	143
Pianos ...	...	42	124	Rods, Basket ...	...	84	—
Pickles ...	...	58	138	Rollers, Wood ...	...	84	—
Pictures ...	...	59	139	Rope ...	...	77	156
Pig's Heads ...	...	48	—	Rum ...	...	2	88
Pipe Clay ...	...	18	—	Runs ...	...	49	—
Piping ...	...	—	130	Rushes ...	...	84	—
Pipes, Iron ...	...	49	—	Rye ...	...	34	117
" Drain ...	...	18	—				
" Sewer ...	...	18	—				
" Tobacco ...	...	79	158	Saddlery ...	...	36	119
Pitch ...	...	75	154	Safes ...	...	49	130
Plant, Railway	49	130	Sago	34	117
Plants	30	113	Salmon	—	111
Plaster of Paris	73	—	Salt	64	—

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Salt, Cake ...	17	—	Soles, Clog ...	84	—
" Manufactured ...	—	143	Soot ...	69	—
" Rock ...	—	143	Spades ...	49	130
" Waste ...	—	161	Spars ...	67	—
Sulphetre ...	17	—	Spices, Unclassified ...	70	149
Salts, Epsom ...	17	—	Spirits, Foreign & Colonial ...	2	88
Sand ...	—	144	" Home Made ...	2	88
" Building ...	65	—	Spokes ...	13	98
" Moulding ...	—	144	Sponges ...	71	150
" Silver ...	65	—	Stallions ...	3	89
Sauces ...	58	138	Starch ...	72	151
Scrap Iron ...	49	130	Stationery ...	54	135
Screws ...	49	130	Staves ...	84	—
Scythes ...	49	130	Stearine ...	26	—
Scythe Stones ...	60	—	Steel ...	49	130
Seaweed ...	—	145	Sticks, Walking, &c., ...	84	163
Seed, Clover ...	66	146	Stone, Pumice ...	60	—
" Flax ...	66	—	Stones ...	73	152
" Grass ...	66	146	" Lithographic ...	73	—
" Hemp ...	66	—	" Scythe ...	60	—
" Unclassified ...	66	146	Stoves ...	49	130
Setts ...	73	152	Straw ...	35	118
Shafts ...	13	98	" Boards ...	54	—
Shale, Paraffin ...	55	—	" Envelopes ...	35	—
Sheep ...	3	89	Strips, Iron ...	49	—
Sheepwash ...	17	101	Sugar ...	74	153
Sheets, Iron ...	49	—	Sulphate of Copper ...	17	101
Shellac ...	53	—	Sulphur ...	17	101
Shoes ...	36	119	" Ore ...	49	130
Shot ...	4	—	Sumach ...	24	—
Shovels ...	49	—	Superphosphate ...	17	—
Showcards ...	54	135	Swine ...	3	89
Silicate of Cotton ...	—	91	Syrup ...	74	153
Silk ...	77	156			
Silver ...	49	130	Tallow ...	26	109
" Sand ...	65	—	Tanks ...	49	—
Sizing ...	53	134	Tanning Substances ...	24	107
Skins ...	36	119	Tapioca ...	34	117
Slag, Basic ...	17	—	Tar ...	75	154
Slag Wool ...	5	—	Tares ...	34	117
Slates ...	73	152	Tartar, Cream of ...	17	—
Slate Slabs ...	73	—	Tea ...	76	155
Slates, Writing ...	73	—	Terra Cotta ...	18	—
Sleepers, Railway ...	84	—	Thread ...	77	156
Snuff ...	—	157	Tiles ...	18	102
Soap ...	68	148	Timber ...	84	163
" Lye ...	—	101	" Sawn ...	84	163
" Powder ...	17	—	Tin ...	49	130
Soda ...	17	101	Tobacco ...	78	157
" Ash ...	17	101	" Pipes ...	79	158
" Bicarbonate of ...	17	—	Tomatoes ...	30	—
" Caustic ...	17	—	Tow ...	77	156
" Nitrate of ...	17	—	" Waste ...	77	156
" Sulphate of } ...	17	—	Toys ...	80	159
(Cake, Salt) }			Tramcars ...	13	—
Solder ...	49	—	Treacle ...	74	153

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Tripe	—	129		Wax, Bees'	83	—	
Trout	—	111		„ Paraffin	83	162	
Trucks	13	—		Wheat	34	117	
Trunks	49	130		„ Flour	34	117	
Turnips	—	113		Wheelbarrows	13	—	
Turpentine	52	—		Wheels	13	98	
Twine	77	156		Whiskey	2	88	
Type	49	130		White Ore	—	130	
				Whiting	73	152	
				Willows	—	163	
Umbrellas	81	160		Wine	2	88	
				Winkles	—	111	
				Wire	49	130	
Valonia	24	—		„ Netting,	49	130	
Vans	13	98		Wooden Manufactures	84	163	
Varnish	53	134		Wood Pulp	54	135	
Vegetables	30	113		Wool	77	156	
Velvet	77	156		„ Cotton	77	—	
Vessels, Steam	—	147		„ Flock	77	156	
Vetches	54	—		„ Yarn	77	156	
Vices	49	130		Woollen Goods	77	156	
Vinegar	58	138					
Vitriol	17	—		Xylonite	85	—	
Waggons	13	—		Yarn, Coir	77	156	
Walking Sticks, &c.,	84	163		„ Cotton	77	156	
Washboards	84	163		„ Jute	77	156	
Washing Powder	17	101		„ Linen	77	156	
Waste Cotton	77	156		„ Wool	77	156	
„ Flax	77	156		„ Unclassified	77	156	
„ Hemp	77	156		Yeast	86	164	
„ Salt	—	161		Yellow Metal	49	130	
„ Tow	77	156					
„ Unclassified	82	161		Zinc	49	130	
„ Wool	77	—					
Waters, Aerated, and Mineral }	1	87					