

IMPORTS OF CERTAIN ARTICLES OF RAW MATERIAL, 1868-97—(HOME CONSUMPTION).

YEAR.	Cotton Wool and Waste.	Hemp, Undressed. †	Wool, Raw.	Gutta-percha, India Rubber, &c., Crude.	Rags, all Kinds.	Broom Corn. †	Hides, Horns, Palms, &c. †	Sugar, Raw.	Tobacco, Raw.
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	\$	\$	Tons.	Lbs.
1868	* 7,488	+ \$169,637	10,470	+ \$64,086	+ \$25,102	64,818	1,119,488	10,930	5,538,196
1869	* 12,452	+ \$298,052	20,616	+ \$90,536	+ \$80,600	76,359	891,488	10,828	6,634,584
1870	* 15,921	+ \$296,682	43,604	+ \$148,140	+ \$31,790	147,043	1,186,234	18,190	8,451,262
1871	* 27,629	+ \$322,940	47,923	+ \$176,376	+ \$10,065	153,562	1,753,783	14,544	8,720,591
1872	* 19,526	+ \$188,740	61,040	+ 2,887	+ 28,425	80,585	1,115,228	8,200	8,441,693
1873	* 27,523	+ 40 3/6	63,283	+ \$234,904	+ \$99,588	67,788	1,410,621	8,776	6,869,626
1874	* 45,528	+ 45 5/11	37,566	+ \$283,951	+ \$50,252	78,356	1,458,325	15,540	10,396,741
1875	* 47,822	+ \$367,898	79,479	+ 6,166	+ 35,433	123,911	1,827,530	18,267	10,301,733
1876	* 61,763	+ 38,976	36,213	+ \$-2,020	+ 34,651	113,582	1,029,368	18,275	8,465,879
1877	* 65,013	+ 107,030	46,968	+ 4,327	+ 33,885	89,996	1,151,007	5,951	9,941,165
1878	* 80,118	+ 46,057	62,301	+ 4,588	+ 34,406	89,054	1,207,300	9,938	8,960,975
1879	* 97,207	+ 38,058	49,768	+ 2,821	+ \$76,901	78,717	1,202,890	11,493	9,094,248
1880	* 132,372	+ \$323,263	78,701	+ 2,648	+ \$203,890	90,081	1,761,084	53,354	9,528,905
1881	* 160,187	+ 90,434	80,403	+ 5,972	+ \$163,276	117,140	2,212,653	62,602	10,017,272
1882	* 193,421	+ 57,785	96,467	+ 7,511	+ 50,192	146,012	2,216,763	67,804	11,567,800
1883	* 287,771	+ 74,604	98,034	+ 4,313	+ 96,017	135,198	1,986,294	80,392	9,801,049
1884	* 307,698	+ 72,221	61,824	+ 5,634	+ 68,870	125,771	1,431,846	83,818	13,920,560
1885	* 237,275	+ 89,180	77,696	+ 8,471	+ 87,579	112,000	1,738,914	97,650	11,194,744
1886	* 315,060	+ 101,097	119,587	+ 7,392	+ 115,904	123,487	1,751,446	98,103	13,771,180
1887	* 332,273	+ 89,973	126,387	+ 7,850	+ 130,491	133,392	1,975,453	95,496	11,489,771
1888	* 335,503	+ 148,045	83,089	+ 12,265	+ 1,103,197	125,609	1,635,083	93,197	12,809,172
1889	* 302,236	+ 160,188	106,642	+ 16,690	+ 95,660	94,560	1,597,632	104,113	9,444,477
1890	* 366,352	+ 97,004	89,053	+ 12,908	+ 1,072,068	97,527	1,712,012	81,235	11,376,263
1891	* 305,037	+ 128,748	78,488	+ 16,026	+ 88,019	109,042	2,022,310	101,944	12,220,837
1892	* 463,225	+ 172,027	102,241	+ 21,004	+ 262,030	115,479	1,897,102	171,561	13,980,804
1893	* 412,538	+ 198,800	105,036	+ 21,523	+ 125,676	144,987	2,046,175	124,222	13,072,691
1894	* 361,695	+ 102,247	71,663	+ 20,777	+ 101,858	121,297	1,895,232	151,900	14,253,749
1895	* 569,243	+ 173,439	77,500	+ 14,020	+ 247,231	118,744	1,966,620	154,651	12,199,400
1896	* 394,270	+ 197,324	89,922	+ 21,596	+ 370,224	109,969	1,964,251	117,815	9,850,441
1897	* 428,141	+ 342,364	57,042	+ 20,149	+ 105,741	81,673	2,427,030	167,941	15,946,637

* Including flux waste. † Value only; Trade and Navigation Returns do not give quantities. ‡ Flax and tow, included from 1868 to 1879, inclusive.