

YORKSHIRE - NORTH RIDING

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	Names of places	Wheat	Barley	Oats	Potatoes	Peas	Beans	Turnips or Rape	Rye	Others
Expressed in acres										
101	Acklam	185	13	56	1	48	77	(9)		
6/7	Aldbrough	896	465	332	24		657	(253)		
16	Alne	595	455	858	25	27	158	(680)	295	
17	Ampleforth	40		200	5		20	(15)		
18	Appleton-le-Street	687	413	586	28	75	12	(383)		Rye or Maslin 8½
19	Appleton Wiske	248	6	275	5	22	35	(13)		
6/6	Aysgarth	45	4	210	40			(54)		
30	Bagby	236	12	316	8		56	(72)	34	
39	Barton-le-Street	257½	159½	309	5½	14½	5½	(203½)		Rye or Maslin 1½
46	Bilsdale	165	1	132			37	1		
50	Birdforth	26	23	41	1		20	27		
69	Brafferton	270	368	325	19	4	47	(307)		
8/134	Bransdale	10	100	200	76	6		(10)		
77	Brompton (i.e. near Scarborough)	201½	200	571	64½	21	11	(362½)		Rye or Maslin 3½
82	Bulmer (i.e. near Malton)	50	20	160	4	3	6	(160)		Rye or Maslin 2

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Expressed in acres										
367	Burniston		See Scalby							
92	Carlton	188	12	116	6		43	(22)		
94	Carlton (chapelry in Coverham)	300	150	300	40	10	30	(40)	70	
95	Carlton Hustwaite	109	33	159	4½		16½	103	18	
96	Carlton Miniott	62	89	148	5	9	23	147	136	
474	Cayton	103½	22	305½	25		25	77		Rye or Maslin 4
6/27	Cleasby	93	47	89	4	7	11	(71)		
104	Cloughton and Stainton Dale	232½	54	333½	123½	4	4	(121½)		Rye or Maslin 4
110	Coxwold	392½	56	573½	31	12½	65½	(232½)	18½	
6/32	Coverham	?	31	153½	52	6		(58½)		
111	Crambe	191	19	318	10		56	145		Rye or Maslin 16
112	Crathorne	274½		178	½	4	74	13		
113	Croft	736	27	633	30	(150)		150		
6/34	Cundall	291½	257	179½	10½	19	20½	(293)		
117	Dalby	36	6	123	10		5	54	4	6
119	Danby	250	68	500	78	10	8	(72)		Rye or Maslin 8
6/36	Danby Wiske	600	60	430	30	(160)		(90)		
6/38	Easby		176	410	21	42	23	(228)		Wheat and Rye 462
128	Easington	200	20	200	16	10	30	(40)		

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Expressed in acres										
129	Easingwold	516	85½	627½	14½		124½	258½	78½	
28	East Ayton	141	158	162	16	33		(130)		
188	East Harlsey	349	16½	279½	4	(107)		28		
130	East Rounton	199½		150½	6	16	36	(11½)		
6/39	East Witton	141	73½	204	21	31½	11	(152)		
136	Egton	409½	128½	439	178	(5½)		(68)		Rye or Maslin 8½
6/43	Eryholme		28	214	8	14	39	(67)		Wheat and Rye 208
143	Eskdaleside	85	20	110	25	2	6	(50)		
132	Eston	383½	9	213		(150½)		27½	8	
145	Faceby	64	12	47			6	(4)		
147	Farlington	58	9	108	3		6	(58)		
149	Felixkirk	283	60	409	18	10	45	(147)	2	
156	Foston	72	26	115	2	10	21	(20)		Rye or Maslin 20
165	Fylingdales	344½	62½	535	145½	(39½)		121½		
6/47	Gilling (near Richmond)	288½	117½	325	16	53	7½	(158½)		
173	Gilling East	83	33	215	8	8		(110)		
176	Glaisdale	220	60	300	50	(20)		(30)		
177	Goathland	115	20	160	50	10	5	(12)	6	
251	Great Broughton		See Kirkby							
131	Great Edstone	176	37	454	6	4	16	(102)		Rye or Maslin 4
181	Guisborough	520	100	510	90	15	80	240		

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Expressed in acres										
184	Hackness	180	44	546	34	2		(80)		
190	Harome	151	35½	277½	8		10½	(318½)		Rye or Maslin 27½
193	Harwood Dale	166	12	278	52		3	(77)		
6/55	Hauxswell	81	26	200	6	14		102		
195	Hawby	98½	28	451½	60½	3		(94)	32½	
200	Helmsley	536½	174½	1413½	128	50	20	(742½)		Rye or Maslin 167½
466	High Worsall	217		167	5	40	10	(18)		
214	Holtby	43	32	127	52	5	9	33	59	
194	Hovingham	332½	164½	1065½	48½	55	4	(599)		Rye or Maslin 92½
229	Huntington	160	32	270	21	12	57	36		Rye or Maslin 73
231	Hutton Buscal	254½	182½	366	73½	11	6	240		Rye or Maslin 3
233	Hutton Rudby	557½	10	412	8	38	78½	48	15½	
230	Huttons Ambo	272	81	241	10		8	126		Rye or Maslin 6
236	Ingleby Arncliffe	172	8	143	2		(43)	14		
237	Ingleby Greenhow	312	18	350	20	10	12	(53)		Rye or Maslin 6
374	Irton		See Seamer							
241	Kildale	120	14	200	25	3		(30)		
245	Kilburn	127	22½	261	9		26½	98	14	
256	Kirby Knowle	87	9	126	9	3	8	(40)	2	

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Expressed in acres										
260	Kirby Misperton	792	63	1184	35	48	79	(290)		Rye or Maslin 27
6/59	Kirby Ravensworth	400	755	908	50	82	15	(755)		
6/60	Kirby Wiske	459	213	555	16	28	139	(292)		
258	Kirk Levington	658	16	503	12	87	90	(81)		
251	Kirkby with Great Broughton	344	23	248	5					
261	Kirkbymoorside	477½	200½	986	76½	16½	10½	(371½)		Rye or Maslin 28½
269	Lastingham	406	115	894½	90½	11	1½	(345½)		Rye or Maslin 21½
275	Levisham	29	39½	116½	27½	8		(51½)		Rye or Maslin 2
128	Liverton	100	10	150	10	6	20	(20)		
280	Lofthouse	150	45	202	13	10	34	(35)		
288	Lythe	920	198	1156	121	50	140	188		
293	Marske	584	148	429	9½	25	149	(111)		
302	Middlesbrough	208	14	59	1		160	(12)		
304	Middleton (i.e. near Pickering)	387	114	633	66	24	18	(239)		Rye or Maslin 17
313	Myton-on-Swale	74	92	46	4		27	(113)	10	
367	Newby		See Scalby							
317	Newton (i.e. near Pickering)	239	145	533	94			64	24	
320	Normanby	135½	14½	452½	7½	9	17	(94)		Rye or Maslin 13

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Expressed in acres										
325	Old Malton	565	300	800	80	120		(325)		Maslin 50
326	Ormesby (i.e. near Stockton)	426	13	354		(203)		42	4	
327	Osbaldwick	94½	34	146½	13		10	53½	16	7
329	Oswaldkirk	96	28	190	15	14	15	(187)		Rye or Maslin 33
332	Over Silton	186	11	62	7		4	(43)		
6/83	Patrick Brompton	250	111	243	13	30	26	152		
342	Raskelf	110	80	258	4		28½	137		51
6/95	Ronaldkirk	201	31	541½	59	19		98		
351	Rosedale	114½	35½	317½	47½	5½	2	(52½)		Rye or Maslin 24
356	Salton	269	63	763½	11½	18	38	(185½)	2	
359	Sand Hutton	45	64	119	3		18	(73)	82	
367	Scalby, Burniston, Newby and Throxenby	273½	51½	477½	158½	6½	6	(95)		Rye or Maslin 2½
365	Scarborough	34		40	2			(15)		
368	Scawton	44	5	132	10	2		(19)	9	
373	Seamer (i.e. near Stokesley)	366	24	295	4	35		(47)		
374	Seamer and Irton (i.e. near Scarborough)	325½	309	375	48	29	3	(268)		Rye or Maslin 43
362	Sessay	222	43	392	12	12	25	(147)	82	

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277	Sinnington	366	37½	581	19½	15½	50½	(161½)		Rye or Maslin 13
397	Slingsby	100	200	300	50	50	50	(200)		Rye or Maslin 50
398	Snainton (in Brompton, near Scarborough)	224	75	406	43	8	6	(194)		
399	Sneaton	176	23½	247½	31½	1½	16	(49)		
8/106	Sockburn	189	24	143	15	25	24	(32)		
247	South Kilvington	261	11	259	9	13	30	(38)	10	
330	South Otterington	93	68½	105½	13	11½	63	(63½)		
376	Sowerby (i.e. near Thirsk)	30	217	240	9	8	10	(187)	36	
6/100	Spennithorne	232	63	429	10	6½		216		
104	Stainton Dale		See Cloughton							
385	Stockton-on-the-Forest	111	22	202	7		18	58	34	
389	Sutton-on-the-Forest	470	108	1169	51		214	(180)		Rye or Maslin 273
429	Terrington	94	30	434	12	4	12	(180)		Rye or Maslin 40
409	Thirkleby	137½	18	131	1		45	(60)	4	Maslin 12
410	Thirsk	191	123	435	33	6	101	150	59	
413	Thormanby	44	26	81	6		12	(36)	20	

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156	Thornton (a township in Foston parish)	80	30	300	8	2	20	30		Rye or Maslin 30
6/106	Thornton Steward	103	43	128	4	22	20	103	60	
367	Throxenby		See Scalby							
430	Tunstall	186	4	202	2		85	(17)		
431	Ugglebarnby	134	30	168	34	2	13	(36)		
434	Upleatham	105	50	100	10	5	20	45		
331	Upper Helmsley	20	10	60	3	2		(40)		Rye or Maslin 30
443	Warthill	31	10	54	4		3	(14)		
82	Welburn (in Bulmer, near Malton)	68	10	95	6	2	5	58		Rye or Maslin 9
462	Welbury	390		308			(68)			Potatoes and Turnips 30
6/116	West Tanfield	462	105	326	6	48	91	(278)		
6/117	West Witton	72½	3	175	8½	3½		(88½)		
452	Whitby	160	50	260	60	10	15	(60)		
456	Whorlton	422	23	257	45		(186)	94		
469	Wykeham	75	67	105	42	7		(132)		
471	Yarm	94	14	45	12		27	(22)		

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101 Acklam

This is the most correct information I can obtain and the crops, I believe, very good in the year 1801.

16 Alne

Tollerton, Tholthorpe, Aldwark, Flamwith and Youlton being in the parish of Alne are included.

17 Ampleforth

In the parish of Ampleforth there are about 1,200 acres of inclosed land, and a common estimated about 1,600 acres, 1,200 of which is dry sound land and, if inclosed, would produce good crops of corn of every denomination, also turnips, rape etc., the other 400 acres of an inferior quality all which 1,600 acres are little if any benefit to the inhabitants except 6 or 8 of the principal farmers who stock the common with large quantities of sheep. The inhabitants are chiefly small copyholders or fee holders from 5-20 £ per annum and could this common be inclosed each front would get about 12 acres, several attempts for an inclosure have been made but they are afraid of the expences being more than they can bear therefore it appears likely to remain in this unprofitable state, unless some alleviation could be obtained by an act for a general inclosure.

18 Appleton-le-Street

The delivery of this paper being delayed six weeks, in consequence of having been addressed to me at my father's house, instead of Appleton, it has not been in my power to send an accurate statement earlier.

6/6 Aysgarth

The return is made from the tithe collector's books and would have been forwarded earlier, but that a tolerably accurate account has been obtained without the trouble of a personal application by the clergyman to all the occupiers of tillage land in a parish of 20 miles in length and 6 or 8 in breadth. The necessity of an act to compel the inhabitants under a certain penalty to make a return at a certain time and place to be fixed by the minister, is so very obvious in the present instance, that the subscriber hopes to see it passed before the next harvest. The crops were at the least one-fifth above an average.

39 Barton-le-Street

This rectory contains (exclusive of woodland) about 3,000 acres. The estimation here given is, I think, something under the real quantity; in part from inability, as well as inclination as such. I expect near one-third of the whole parish has been in crop. I am of opinion that two quarters of wheat per acre, 3 of barley and 4 of oats, is about, or something under, the average produce. Say of wheat 516 quarters, barley 477, oats 1,236.

46 Bilsdale

Bilsdale is situated in the moors, surrounded with mountains, and belongs all to one gentleman except 3 or 4 small freeholds. The farms are, in general small, the largest being about £95 per year. There are 94 farmers, who are a laborious set of people and indefatigable in the improvement of their little farms. Bilsdale is more improved within the last 20 years, than perhaps any one parish in the whole nation.

8/134 Bransdale

The crops of all sorts of grain are remarkably good this year. Indeed such a plentiful one has not been for many years by past.

92 Carlton

Carlton and Facaby are very small parishes; yet the produce for so small a number of acres, in each parish, has been very good.

94 Carlton (chapelry in Coverham)

An act of parliament was lately passed to inclose the common fields, and a large quantity of waste land; most probably in a few years the produce of grain etc. will be greater.

6/27 Cleasby

Wheat very productive but especially on lands of indifferent quality. Barley has been an excellent crop, oats a remarkable produce, potatoes in abundance, peas were never known a better crop, beans very plentiful, turnips, rape or tares a general great crop. I presume this year's produce may be as plentiful as can be remembered.

110 Coxwold

This statement of the number of acres under the several crops, within this parish, in the present year 1801, is as correct as can be obtained. No application was made to me for information respecting the last year's crops. I suppose they might be nearly the same as the present.

112 Crathorne

Barley and rape are seldom grown in this parish. Peas and beans are here often sown together. Rye or maslin are not grown here.

113 Croft

This year's crop is about one-third more than an average crop in this parish. A considerable quantity of the potatoes belong to the cottagers and are raised on small parcels of wasteland by the road side; for which they pay a small acknowledgement to the lord of the manor. If ground of this description could be guarded against the incroachments of the passengers of the adjacent grounds, and made over in trust to the clergymen and parish officers in each parish to be disposed of annually, at their discretion, to the most industrious and meritorious of the cottagers, it would in most parts of the country in a great measure do away the necessity of the poor-rate. Beside affording the greatest relief at the least expence, it would excite in the lower ranks of society a spirit of emulation in regularity, sobriety, industry, in domestic prudence and economy; which is much more than can be said of the relief afforded by the present poor laws.

6/34 Cundall

The crops in the parish of Cundall have been well got in and are productive beyond precedence.

(Editor's note: this entry is incorrectly endorsed as in Cumberland.)

117 Dalby

I am very confident that there are in the circuit of 5 miles round this place, considerably more than ten times the quantity of acres of land now converted into tillage that there were 40 years ago, when wheat was about 5, maslin 3, rye 2 shillings, oats 15 pence per bushel and every other grain in proportion. Every person who reflects upon the immense number of inclosures which have taken place since that period, cannot avoid being convinced, that the produce thereof everywhere, must be great and beneficial, in comparison of what it was previous thereto, or in their natural state. The great mischief is, that many of the largest farmers are become corn badgers, or chandlers, (which ought to be prohibited) and are so opulent and penurious, that they not only withhold their own product, but what they purchase from the market, till they can by that means procure an exorbitant price. The blessings of peace will I hope, happily remedy these, and other evils.

119 Danby

N.B. the annexed account is the best I could procure but as many of the farmers seemed unwilling to give in a true statement I was obliged to make part of it by estimation which I believe is something under the real quantity.

6/36 Danby Wiske

This account ought to be received merely as conjecture; as I did not take the tithes in kind; nor have obtained any

information from the occupiers, which might have been attended with unpleasant circumstances, and after all, would probably have deserved as little credit as the present.

6/38 Easby

Tithes not being paid to the impropiator or vicar, the jealousy of the farmers may make the return not sufficiently full. As far as circumstances admit, it may be tolerably accurate. The cottagers' potatoes could not be estimated. Many parishes have received no requests for returns of crops. It may therefore be presumed that not a certain estimate of the produce of the Kingdom can be obtained by the present method.

188 East Harlsey

An excellent crop and got well in.

136 Egton

I have traversed over every farm in this parish, and have seen the abundant hand of providence in the excellent crops of corn. The farmers themselves feels and avows it; but in consequence of peace the blessing of heaven, which must bring grain down, even to the price that must make the hearts of the labourer, the poor, and the indigent leap for joy, they are now determined to avoid the endless toils and expences of tillage, and to convert their arable land into pasture.

6/43 Eryholme

Although no official schedule was received by the minister of Eryholme, he has presumed to transmit an account of crops as nearly accurate as it could probably be made.

143 Eskdaleside

One-third more land appropriated to wheat and double produce of last year. Barley as last year. The same quantity of land employed in oats and one-third more produce than the preceding year. Potatoes double quantity of land and double produce. Turnips as last year.

132 Eston

The annexed sums are the amount of the crops of grain etc., in this chapelry in the year 1801 as given by the respective proprietors. The crops in general were plentiful, the oats uncommonly so.

149 Felixkirk

The unwillingness of the farmers to give an account of their respective crops prevented this return being made some weeks sooner. The township of Boltby being within the parish of Felixkirk, and only a chapelry, is included in this return.

165 Fylingdales

Fylingdales and its neighbourhood cannot be called a corn country. The grass lands far exceed the tillage land and it is computed that there are about 7,000 acres of moor or uninclosed lands in the parish all or most part however would yield moderate crops if inclosed and cultivated that would repay the expence of inclosure and be of public benefit. The harvest is all nearly in with us except a few beans. The crops have been in general good and there is not so much as a complaint from the farmer (of his crops) to be heard. I do not find anyone estimate his wheat crop at less than 30 bushels and many on the stronger and better wheat lands will (it has been asserted) yield 40 and upwards. A considerable part of the parish is light moorland and the farmers assert that an average crop of 30 bushels is what this dale will produce only in what they call good years.

6/47 Gilling (near Richmond)

I certify that I believe the wheat, and barley, and oats, and potatoes, and peas, and beans, and turnips or rape, which were grown in 1801, within the parish of Gilling near Richmond Yorkshire, amounted at an average to the quantities mentioned on the other side. Corn cited being from a very high price, butchers meat is still high but a fine season for harvest, and abundance of grain and cattle will probably soon make all marketable commodities much cheaper.

173 Gilling East

There are more acres than communibus annis but the crops exceed both in quantity and quality.

131 Great Edstone

N.B. the parish of Great Edstone consists of the townships of Edstone and North Holme.

181 Guisborough

This account is as correct as it is in my power to make it. The crops this year have been very great in this parish. They equal if not exceed the joint produce of the two preceding years; though it is necessary to observe that the quantity of wheat sown, and of potatoes planted, may rather exceed the average quantity of former years. Guisborough is a small market town and before the practice of selling by sample the market used to be abundantly supplied with corn, but now there is seldom more than one or two bushels pitched by way of setting the price for the week, and business being done privately between the millers and farmers to the great prejudice of the inhabitants. This is the state of all the markets in this part of the country. The crops of turnips, meadow, pasture and (?) or after crops have also been very abundant, but livestock, both fat and lean are very scarce and consequently, uncommonly dear. The prices of all sort of grain, since the joyful news of the peace, have been on the decline. Wheat is supposed to yield upon an average 20 bushels per acre, barley 30, oats 40.

- 184 Hackness
Abundant crops.
- 193 Harwood Dale
Abundant crops.
- 466 High Worsall
The parish of High Worsall is small, and about one-half of the lands in tillage. The crops of the respective grains in general good. Wheat, upon an average, upwards of 24 bushels per acre, oats about 40. Peas and beans equally productive. Turnips an abundant crop.
- 214 Holtby
N.B. no rape grown in this parish and the rest of the acres in meadow and pasture. The whole parish only consisting of 848 acres.
- 231 Hutton Buscel
This is the most accurate account I have been able to obtain as a magistrate and clergyman of the above produce within the townships of Hutton Buscel and West Ayton in the parish of Hutton Buscel, and I believe it to be pretty exact and the crops in general good.
- 236 Ingleby Arncliffe
An excellent crop and all well got in, but as the farmers were backward in giving in the number of acres, I am afraid the inclosed account may not be truly accurate, but may be more or less by a few acres.
- 260 Kirby Misperton
N.B. the parish of Kirby Misperton consists of 4 townships viz. Kirby Misperton, Barugh, Habton and Ryton.
- 6/59 Kirby Ravensworth
This is the most accurate return I am able to make. In so large a parish, it is impossible to procure a true account, except the tithe master will lend his assistance, who in this case refuses it. All these articles are uncommonly productive. This is allowed by all. We therefore hope that Government will no longer suffer the corn dealers to exercise their inhumanity over that part of His Majesties subjects whom their exorbitancy has reduced, in a manner, to complete beggary. The curate seems peculiarly unfortunate during the calamities, especially if he has a family, and is compelled to yield in regard to stipend, to an exciseman. We hope these evils may soon terminate, as no family can long subsist if one part be suffered to harass and oppress the other.

6/60 Kirby Wiske

In this return, under the article wheat is included wheat, rye and maslin. The crops of wheat, barley, oats and turnips are very good. Potatoes, peas and beans, are not expected to be so productive, on account of the long drought in summer.

258 Kirk Levington

This is an extensive parish, and about one-half of the lands in tillage; the crops, upon an average, as far as can be ascertained yield as under; wheat about 20 bushels per acre, barley and oats upwards of 50; potatoes not good, the soil being ill adapted; peas and beans a good crop; and turnips very abundant, particularly upon those lands, sown with the scotch drill, upon ridges.

261 Kirkbymoorside

The chapelry of (?) is part of the parish of Kirkbymoorside. The printed letter directing me to make this return, came to my hand very late.

269 Lastingham

Crops of different kinds of grain were mostly very good and well got in general. Potatoes of all sorts, except kidnies, (?), I'm told, very plentiful. Turnips are abundant.

275 Levisham

Peas are this year a bad crop. Crops of all other kinds are very good.

20/38 Levisham (Editor's note: the following letter was found in the Diocese of Rochester returns, HO/67/20/38. It is clearly a reference to the Levisham in Yorkshire, North Riding and is therefore misplaced in the Rochester returns.)

I have gone through the whole of my parish of Levisham, and, chapelry of Rosedale; and from my own observation, and the best information that can be obtained, the inclosed returns are made out, as accurately as can be done without a regular survey. Crops of every kind, (peas alone excepted) are very plentiful; seemingly equal to the produce of the two preceding years: yet still, my Lord, it is to be feared that the prices will not decrease in proportion to the returning plenty; unless some check can be given to the spirit of monopoly, which prevails so much in the nation.

288 Lythe

The crops have this year been in general good particularly oats.

293 Marske

The crops for this season were never so abundant in the parish of Marske particularly oats. Wheat yields well and is good in

quality. Barley is an abundant crop but thin bodied. Potatoes are very abundant and of good quality. Beans seem to be rather a failing crop being very thinly podded, turnips or rape are very heavy crops.

302 Middlesborough

This is the most correct information I can obtain and the crops in general were, I believe, very good in the year 1801.

313 Myton-on-Swale

The greater part of the land at Myton-on-Swale is pasturage. It was my intention to have filled up this return as soon as I received it, but I could not prevail upon the farmers to give me an account of the number of acres, which they had of each kind, till last week.

317 Newton

Newton is a very small parish, there are only eight farmers in the parish and two of them are very small ones.

325 Old Malton

The parishes of St Michael and St Leonard in New Malton, are surrounded by the parish of Old Malton, and no corn is grown in either of those parishes. The common of Old Malton which has lately been inclosed consists of about 1,000 acres 50 of which are supposed to be allotted for the high roads. In cultivation upon the common 950 acres, new inclosed field 200 acres. 2,000 acres, whereof are in corn 1,100 and in pasture 900. The wheat upon the common is not productive in proportion to their appearance; the land being fresh, the ears prove light. All the other crops are very good, except the potatoes which in some places are much curled. Corn supposed to be grown in 1801 upon the new inclosed common as follows.

	<u>Common</u>	<u>New Inclosure</u>	<u>Old Inclosure</u>
turnips	100	35	200
potatoes	15	15	50
oats	500	50	250
maslin	50		
peas and tares	20		100
wheat	265	50	250
barley		50	250

326 Ormasby

The annexed sums are the amount of the crops of grain etc. in this parish in the year 1801 as given by the respective proprietors. The crops in general are plentiful, the oats uncommonly so.

329 Oswaldkirk

The number of acres in tillage are nearly the same as communibus annis but the crops in general exceed both in quantity and quality.

- 332 Over Silton
I have sent you as correct an information as I can on this subject within my parish, and am very sorry I could not transmit the same sooner. (postmark Feb. 10th 1802)
- 6/83 Patrick Brompton
The crops abundant. A return very difficult to obtain, and that, it is feared, far from being accurate.
- 6/95 Romaldkirk
All very good crops.
- 351 Rosedale
Crops of all kinds are this year very good.
- 365 Scarborough
The crops in general are good and much more than equal to an average crop.
- 368 Scawton
The parish of Scawton is in the highest part of Black Hambleton where the corn crops seldom come to maturity and the return little more than three fold. The staple produce to the farmer is the breeding of cattle. The crop of the present year has been abundant though a good deal damaged from the excessive rain at the latter end of September. This parish carries little or no corn to market except oats.
- 373 Seamer (i.e. near Stokesley)
Excellent wheat land upon black soil and some strong clay ground. The hilly parts grow very good barley. Excellent oats. The farmers grow potatoes only for their own use. Very good peas. No beans grown. Excellent turnips grown upon light ground very little maslin grown in any part of Cleveland, though the soil of Seamer would produce it very well.
- 397 Slingsby
The crops of every description are very abundant.
- 399 Sneaton
The crops were never known to be so abundant and are well got in.
- 8/106 Sockburn
The crops, in general, are more than average crops, particularly the oats.
- 330 South Otterington
Crops of grain in general good and very well got.

- 6/100 Spennithorne
The crops good and in general well got in.
- 410 Thirsk
At the request of His Grace the Archbishop of York I have transmitted to your Lordship the most correct information I can procure of the number of acres of the different kinds of grain (the produce of the last harvest) within the townships of Thirsk, Sandhutton and Carlton Miniott in the North Riding of Yorkshire.
- 6/106 Thornton Steward
This account of the number of acres, in the parish of Thornton Steward A.D.1801, under the different kinds of grain etc. herein specified is the most accurate, that I could obtain by inquiry amongst the farmers; though perhaps it may be, upon the whole, rather less than just.
- 430 Tunstall
This return is accurate.
- 431 Ugglebarnby
One-third more land appropriated to wheat and double produce of last year. The same quantity of land employed in barley and one-third more produce than the preceding year. One-third more land appropriated to oats and one-third more produce. Potatoes as the preceding year. Beans nearly as last year. Turnips as last year.
- 434 Upleatham
Upleatham is a small parish adjoining to Guisborough, and the crops of every denomination have been equally as productive as in that parish. I believe the account of both these parishes may be depended upon, as, to my own judgement I have added the opinions of some others who from their station in life understand such matters better than I do, and I daresay they have not misled me; though the calculations are rather within than beyond the mark.
- 331 Upper Halmsley
Bad soil, little tillage and principally grazing land.
- 462 Walbury
The number of acres in tillage in this parish has increased of late with no diminution of the grass crops. The late high prices have stimulated the farmers to a better style of husbandry. Wheat, oats a mixture of peas and beans are the chief produce. The soil a stiff clay, no drill husbandry.
- 6/116 West Tanfield
Crops abundant. There are a considerable number of acres in

the parish that are tithed free for the accuracy therefore of which I cannot answer but it is the best account that could be obtained.

6/117 West Witton

The above return was obtained by a personal application to all the farmers within the parish. As the object is of general utility, the subscriber humbly suggests that an Act of Parliament to compel a general return by the inhabitants on a day fixed by the minister would greatly facilitate the execution of this highly important measure. The crops of grain are supposed to be one-fifth above an average in this small parish, and were stacked in good condition.

452 Whitby

I think it necessary to observe that the number of acres of wheat this year will exceed any former year almost one-third.

469 Wykeham

The very considerable increase in the quantity of acres usually in tillage in addition to the universally productive return of an almost unparalleled propitious harvest afforded the most flattering prospect not only of plenty but cheapness also. That there is a plenty of all sorts of grain throughout the kingdom beyond what has been experienced for many years past, I have not the smallest doubt but am sorry to observe that the price has not been reduced in any degree of adequate proportion, at least, in this neighbourhood, wheat being not less than from £3 - 4 - 0 to £4 - 4 - 0 per quarter, oats £1 - 3 - 0 to £1 - 6 - 0 or one shilling per stone and barley £1 - 16 - 0 to £2 - 2 - 0 owing I am persuaded to the opulence of those who occupy large farms, which enables them to withhold their corn in hopes of keeping up the price. I do not conceive that the small farmer has reaped any advantage from the exorbitant prices of the two last years' scarcity, but on the contrary has been equally partaken with mechanic and labourer in extreme difficulty and distress hitherto supported with surprising fortitude and resignation. Should they now be disappointed of their just reward by not being made partakers of those blessings which providence has so liberally and impartially bestowed, it is difficult to say what will be the consequence their further expectation being entirely cut off. Whether the grievance so long complained of can be totally redressed, I do not pretend to determine but in my humble opinion, it might be greatly alleviated by not suffering corn to be sold by sample but obliging every farmer to carry it to public market, and sell it without allowing him to (?) it, and by limiting millers in the quantity they are permitted to purchase.

471 Yarm

The lands within the parish of Yarm being chiefly in the occupation of the different trades people, and others in the

town, are, (about $\frac{1}{2}$ of it) laid down to grass. The crops in general good, yielding upon an average as under viz. wheat about 20 bushels per acre, barley and oats 50. Turnips an abundant crop. Potatoes upon some of the best lands, yield upwards of 250 bushels per acre; and are now sold at 15 shillings per bushel of 12 gallons.