

(6.) *Silver Fourpence, Threepence, Twopence, and Penny.*—Every silver fourpence, threepence, twopence, and penny shall have for the obverse impression Our aforesaid effigy, with the inscription “Edwardus VII D.G. Britt: Omn: Rex F.D. Ind: Imp:” and for the reverse the respective figures “4,” “3,” “2,” “1” (according to the denomination or value of the piece) in the centre, with the date of the year placed across the figure, and encircled with an oak wreath surmounted by the Royal Crown, with a plain edge.

Given at Our Court at Saint James’, this thirteenth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two, and in the first year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

PRIVY COUNCIL OFFICE, DUBLIN CASTLE,

January 13, 1902.

At a Meeting of the Privy Council held this day in the Council Chamber, Dublin Castle, the Right Honourable Lord Justice FitzGibbon, the

Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, and the Right Honourable Lord Justice Holmes were sworn Lords Justices for the Government of Ireland during the absence of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant.

J. B. DOUGHERTY.

DUBLIN CASTLE, January 9, 1902.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to appoint Sir Thomas D. Pile, Bart., and Edward Kevans, Esquire, J.P., to be Members of the Loan Fund Board for Ireland.

CUMBERLAND LODGE, January 1, 1902.

The Prince and the Princess Christian of Schleswig-Holstein have been pleased to appoint Major Evan Martin to be Comptroller and Treasurer of the Household of Their Royal Highnesses, in the room of Colonel the Honourable Charles Eliot, C.V.O., deceased.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure,\* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Week ended 11th January 1902, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	48,997	7	27	8
Barley	...	...	...	69,120	2	26	7
Oats	...	...	...	14,995	0	20	0

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1895 to 1901.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1895 ...	58,957	6	136,707	7	19,623	5	20	8	21	8	14	0
1896 ...	31,809	2	124,130	2	23,601	2	25	10	23	6	13	11
1897 ...	51,332	5	107,846	3	17,406	7	31	8	24	10	16	5
1898 ...	47,863	4	100,674	5	17,917	1	35	0	27	8	17	4
1899 ...	68,711	6	100,017	1	23,650	0	27	2	28	2	17	1
1900 ...	57,021	3	83,421	6	19,706	0	25	11	25	5	16	3
1901 ...	41,709	3	92,886	2	14,795	7	26	7	25	6	17	3

\* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel, or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

Board of Agriculture, 3 St. James' Square, London, S.W.,  
January 11, 1902.