

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 27th June 1903, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

| BRITISH CORN. | | | | QUANTITIES SOLD. | | AVERAGE PRICE. | |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|------------------|------|----------------|----|
| Wheat | ... | ... | ... | Qrs. | Bus. | s. | d. |
| Wheat | ... | ... | ... | 38,963 | 3 | 27 | 6 |
| Barley | ... | ... | ... | 2,490 | 2 | 22 | 0 |
| Oats | ... | ... | ... | 10,716 | 2 | 18 | 6 |

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1896 to 1902.

| 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. |
| 1896 | 14,099 | 7 | 893 | 2 | 4,075 | 6 | 24 | 9 | 16 | 2 | 15 | 0 |
| 1897 | 19,873 | 6 | 944 | 0 | 1,701 | 0 | 27 | 1 | 18 | 10 | 18 | 7 |
| 1898 | 9,506 | 3 | 414 | 6 | 2,598 | 4 | 38 | 3 | 23 | 4 | 20 | 8 |
| 1899 | 56,972 | 0 | 1,346 | 4 | 3,779 | 7 | 25 | 7 | 24 | 2 | 18 | 0 |
| 1900 | 44,920 | 3 | 495 | 7 | 4,706 | 4 | 26 | 11 | 23 | 4 | 19 | 3 |
| 1901 | 28,191 | 7 | 692 | 6 | 2,803 | 6 | 27 | 6 | 25 | 4 | 20 | 0 |
| 1902 | 19,278 | 1 | 325 | 3 | 3,341 | 4 | 30 | 5 | 24 | 3 | 22 | 9 |

* 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.

Board of Agriculture, 3 St. James' Square, London, S. W.,
June 27, 1903.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

BANKRUPTS. FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

William Charles Tytherleigh (carrying on business as Aldridge's Ironmongery Stores), 82 Brompton Road, and residing at 12 Elmstone Road, Fulham, both in the county of London, general and furnishing ironmonger.

Thomas Morris Williams, 69 Praed Street, Paddington, in the county of London, provision dealer.

John Thomas Daniel Evans, 3 Paradise Street, Rhyl, Flintshire, accountant.

William John Mitchell, 12 Brading Road, Elm Park, Brixton, Surrey, lately residing at Colney Park Stud Farm, St. Albans, Herts, esquire.

George Harvey, 91 Midland Road, Bedford, Bedfordshire, hardware, oil, and china dealer.

Philip Brown, 134 Pershore Road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, dealer in jewellery.

Oliver Curphey, residing and carrying on business at 133 Soho Road, Handsworth, in the county of Stafford, fish, poultry, and game dealer.

Frank Dipple, residing at 154 Dudley Road, Birmingham, in the county of Warwick, fruiterer's assistant.

Thomas Sterratt, 35 Mabel's Brow, Farnworth, Lancashire, manufacturing chemist.

Walter John Furse, 3 Victoria Terrace, Hove, Sussex, late of Hawkhurst, Kent, baker and confectioner.

Thomas Edward Sugden, 109A Western Road, Brighton, Sussex, dental surgeon.

William Greenfield, residing at 22 Blucher Street, and carrying on business at Waterside, and The Wood, Lenches, formerly at Market Street, all in Colne, Lancashire, tripe dresser.

Valentine Gambrill, Hemminge Farm, Brabourne, in the county of Kent, formerly of Horton Court Farm, Monkshorton, in the said county, and previously at Coolinge Farm, Folkestone, in the said county, farmer.

Charles Richard Pigott, The Mill House, Throwley, in the county of Kent, lately residing at 57 Middle Wall, Whitstable, in the said county, carrier.

William Archer Tull, The Forge, Monkton, in the Isle of Thanet, in the county of Kent, engineer and smith.

Eli Waddington, 2 Berthwin Street, Cardiff, in the county of Glamorgan, lately residing at 1 Berthwin Street, Cardiff, registration agent.

Frederick Adcock, Melbourne, Derbyshire, baker.

William Gibson, 6 Bonhay Road, Exeter, builder and contractor.

Walter Dance, 77 Sussex Street, Cleethorpes, late of 85 Hilda Street, Great Grimsby, no occupation, late grocer.

Isaiah Cheale, The Gables, Ore, Hastings, Sussex, miller, corn dealer, carman and contractor, and timber merchant.