

Hamilton, Paisley, Port-Glasgow, and Rutherglen, and the City of Glasgow (1st October 1911).—See also under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Dumfriesshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumfries and Kirkcudbright and the Burgh of Dumfries (1st October 1911).

Elgin.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Fife.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Forfarshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Haddingtonshire.—An Area comprising the County of Haddington (1st October 1911).

Inverness-shire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kincardineshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kinross.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Kirkcudbrightshire.—See under Dumfriesshire, &c.

Lanarkshire.—See under Dumfriesshire, &c.

Linlithgow, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Linlithgow and Midlothian (except the Parish of Stow), the Burghs of Leith and Musselburgh, and the City of Edinburgh

(1st October 1911).—See also under Berwickshire, &c.

Midlothian.—See under Linlithgow, &c., and also under Berwickshire, &c.

Nairn.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Orkney.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Peebles.—See under Dumfriesshire, &c.

Perthshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Renfrew.—See under Dumfriesshire, &c.

Ross and Cromarty.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Roxburghshire.—See under Berwickshire, &c.

Selkirkshire.—See under Berwickshire, &c.

Stirlingshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Sutherland.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Wigtownshire.—An Area comprising the County of Wigtown (1st October 1911).

Zetland.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
24th September 1912.

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 21st September 1912, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	52,066	5	32	7
Barley	...	...	...	31,486	2	29	6
Oats	...	...	...	17,194	0	19	10

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1905 to 1911.

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.
1905 ...	104,984 5	123,125 2	42,067 1	26 9	24 3	16 1
1906 ...	83,907 0	129,209 2	41,942 1	25 9	24 8	16 2
1907 ...	84,438 6	53,699 3	55,435 4	31 8	25 3	17 8
1908 ...	108,187 4	58,259 3	36,375 4	31 5	26 8	17 2
1909 ...	64,574 1	30,006 5	21,284 5	32 9	26 8	17 7
1910 ...	78,924 1	44,792 2	21,148 3	30 2	24 2	16 3
1911 ...	95,825 7	181,018 3	23,675 7	32 4	29 11	18 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 and Fisheries,
3 St. James's Square, London, S.W.,
21st September 1912.

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