

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS—*continued.*

## SHEEP SCAB MOVEMENT AREAS.

The following Areas in Scotland are now "Movement Areas" for the purposes of Part I. of the Sheep (Double Dipping) Order of 1920:—

*Inverness.*—(1) An Area comprising the Islands known as the Outer Hebrides (*except the islands of St. Kilda, Dune, Soay, and Boreray*), in the county of Inverness.

(2) An Area in the county of Inverness comprising the islands known as Skye or Inner Hebrides.

*Ross and Cromarty.*—An Area comprising the Island of Lewis, including the smaller islands adjacent thereto, in the county of Ross and Cromarty.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
7th December 1926.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN, per Hundred-weight of 112 Imperial Pounds,\* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS in the week ending 4th December 1926, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.	
		s.	d.
Wheat ... ..	Cwts. 322,402	12	1
Barley ... ..	531,211	11	1
Oats ... ..	66,189	8	4

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1916 to 1925.

Corresponding Week in	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.					
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1916 ... ..	334,650	503,714	99,720	17	1	18	7	16	5
1917 ... ..	403,131	382,157	62,857	16	7	16	2	15	7
1918 ... ..	310,496	338,850	35,710	16	10	17	6	18	5
1919 ... ..	337,401	411,186	37,902	16	11	29	5	20	4
1920 ... ..	227,893	430,039	35,716	20	7	21	1	15	7
1921 ... ..	492,304	406,321	66,793	10	10	13	2	10	2
1922 ... ..	608,610	467,671	70,434	9	10	9	10	9	7
1923 ... ..	379,938	688,675	82,566	9	10	10	7	9	2
1924 ... ..	246,306	497,569	87,493	12	5	14	11	9	9
1925 ... ..	549,795	457,465	77,065	11	10	10	9	9	3

\* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section (2) of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that, in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

NOTE.—The above prices are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week named. They represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the preceding week.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
Whitehall Place, London, S.W.1,  
4th December 1926.

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