

premises of the exporter shall be subject to such bond and to such special conditions as the said Commissioners of Customs and Excise may from time to time prescribe.

6. If any claim shall be made on the Postmaster-General for compensation in respect of the loss or damage to any such parcel, that claim shall, in the absence of proof to the contrary, be deemed to be conclusive evidence that such parcel has not been duly exported and that its contents have gone into use in Great Britain or Northern Ireland, and any drawback paid shall be repaid by the exporter.

7. The Foreign Parcels (Customs) Warrant, 1926, is hereby revoked.

8. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of May 1929.

9. This Warrant may be cited as the Foreign Parcels (Customs) Warrant, 1929.

Dated this second day of March 1929.

(Sd.) EUAN WALLACE,

(Sd.) GEORGE BOWYER,

Two of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury.

(Sd.) W. YOUNG,

(Sd.) C. B. GRILLS,

Two of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs and Excise.

(Sd.) W. MITCHELL-THOMSON,

His Majesty's Postmaster-General.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN per Hundredweight of 112 Imperial Pounds,* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS in the week ended 13th April 1929, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.	
		s.	d.
WHEAT	Cwt. 119,087	9	10
BARLEY	38,329	10	3
OATS	32,877	9	9

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1925 to 1928.

Week ended.	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.		
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
11th April 1925 ...	91,838	43,424	27,259	12 3	10 9	9 7
10th April 1926 ...	134,246	64,561	30,602	11 9	8 10	8 9
16th April 1927 ...	89,922	35,100	37,412	11 6	10 10	8 5
14th April 1928 ...	217,983	57,802	39,235	10 1	10 9	11 5

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for each of the four previous Weeks.

Week ended.	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.		
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
16th March 1929 ...	229,446	141,451	64,058	9 8	10 2	9 8
23rd March 1929 ...	203,739	108,456	58,074	9 9	10 2	9 8
30th March 1929 ...	105,458	61,881	30,310	9 9	10 3	9 9
6th April 1929 ...	135,452	81,470	41,297	9 9	10 1	9 8

* 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,
13th April 1929.

H. L. FRENCH,
Principal Assistant Secretary.