

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within sixteen days from 13th December 1940. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Ostrich and Fancy Feather and Artificial Flower Trade Board (Great Britain),

Gordon Hotel, Leicester Street, Southport, Lancs. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

G. H. TREGEAR, Secretary.

12th December 1940.

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 ended 7th December 1940, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.
	Cwt.	s. d.
WHEAT ... ..	233,618	14 7
BARLEY ... ..	681,491	21 2
OATS ... ..	72,833	14 6

\* 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 prices in the statement above are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week ending 7th December 1940, and represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the week ending 30th November 1940.

H. MEADOWS,  
Assistant Secretary.

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,

Hotel Majestic, St Annes, Lytham St. Annes, Lancs.

#### COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF PERTH.

##### SPECIAL DISTRICTS.

NOTIFICATION is hereby given, in terms of Section 14 (2) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1908, that the County Council of the County of Perth, being the Local Authority therein under the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1894, and the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, at a Meeting held at the County Buildings, Perth, on the ninth day of December 1940, called to meet after twenty-one days' notice, in terms of the Statute, to consider the propriety of forming a Special Water Supply District to include the Village of Thornhill, in the Parish of Kincardine, duly considered the propriety of forming such District, and unanimously resolved, in terms of Section 131 of the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, to form a Special Water Supply District to include the Village of Thornhill, in the Parish of Kincardine.

And notice is further given that the full terms of the Resolution and an Ordnance Survey Map showing the boundaries of the said Special Water Supply District may be inspected during business hours at the Office of the Subscriber.

T. B. MARSHALL, County Clerk.

County Offices,  
York Place, Perth,  
11th December 1940.

#### COUNTY COUNCIL OF DUMFRIES. PROPOSALS TO FORM, ENLARGE, AND COMBINE SPECIAL DISTRICTS.

NOTIFICATION is hereby given that the County Council of the County of Dumfries will meet in the County Buildings, Dumfries, on Wednesday the eighth day of January 1941 years, at 11 o'clock forenoon, for the purpose of considering, in terms of the Local Government (Scotland) Acts, the Public Health (Scotland) Act, 1897, and amending and relative Acts, the propriety of—

(1) Enlarging, in terms of foresaid Acts, each of the after-mentioned Special Scavenging Districts by including therein parts of the Council's District adjoining the existing Special Scavenging Districts:—

(a) the Edinburgh Road and Nunholm Special Scavenging District;

(b) the Closeburn Special Scavenging District;

(c) the Penpont Special Scavenging District;

(d) the Carronbridge Special Scavenging District;

(e) the Moniaive Special Scavenging District;

(f) the Thornhill Special Scavenging District;

(g) the Greta Special Scavenging District;

(h) the Eaglesfield Special Scavenging District;

and

(j) the Watchhill Special Scavenging District.

(2) Combining, in terms of foresaid Acts, the Watchhill Special Scavenging District with the Dornock Special Scavenging District.