COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1870 to 1873.

Corresponding			QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
Week in		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		
			Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	š.	\overline{d} .
1870 1871 1872 1873	•••		54,014 78,059 52,043 50,376	3	52,139 67,307 70,796 53,950	6 5	5,140 5,766 4,428 6,110	1 4	42 52 56 56	8 10 0 8	35 35 38 40	$7\\4\\2\\3$	20 23 22 22	4 11 6 0

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, February 2, 1874.

R. VALPY, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

BANKRUPTS

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

Desmond Fitzgerald Fraser Richardson, of 53 Queen's

Gardens, Bayswater, Middlesex.
H. W. Howse, late of 29 Exmouth Street, Clerkenwell, Middlesex, but now of 3 Staple Inn, Holborn, London, chemist.

chemist.

Philip Phillips, of Risca, Monmouth, grocer, tea dealer, and general shopkeeper.

Edward Plasket Dowling, of Bedford House, Hitchin, Hertford, farmer and sheep salesman.

BANKRUPTCIES AWARDED.

George Holmes, of 7 Gloucester Road, Camberwell,

Surrey, builder.

William George Offord, of 24 Chisenhale Road, Old Ford,
Middlesex, French paper manufacturer.

Julius Roberts, of 24 Cheyne Walk, Chelsea, Middlesex,

engineer. William Frost, of 7 Caroline Street, Bedford Square, Middlesex.

Thomas Jeffs Skeet, of 502 Edgeware Road, Maida Hill, Middlesex.

Benjamin Franklin, of Wilshamstead, Bedford, cattle

dealer. Richard Banner Oakeley, of 10 Wrotham Road, Gravesend, Kent.

EUROPEAN SOCIETY ARBITRATION.

Saturday the 24th day of January 1874.

In the Matter of the European Assurance Society Arbitration Acts 1872 and 1873

In the Matter of the Wellington Reversionary Annuity and Life Assurance Society.

the Right Honourable John Baron Romilly the Arbitrator appointed under the above-mentioned Acts do declare and order as follows:

1. A claim by the holder of a policy originally issued by the Wellington Reversionary Annuity and Life Assurance Society (in this Order called the Wellington Society) shall be received subject to the further directions of this Order against the Wellington Society or against the British Nation Life Assurance Association (in this Order called the British Nation Association) or against the European Assurance Society (in this Order called the European Society) if the claim is delivered to the Joint Official Liquidator acting in this Arbitration before or on Official Liquidator acting in this Arbitration before or on 28 February 1874 but not later.

2. Each claim so received shall subject and according to my directions be allowed against the Wellington Society or against the British Nation Association or against the European Society or be otherwise dealt with in this Arbitration.

3. Each policy on which a claim is allowed against the Wellington Society shall be valued as on 8 April 1873 being the day of the date of the Order to wind up that

Society.

4. Each policy on which a claim is allowed against the British Nation Association shall be valued as on 18 January 1872 being deemed to be the day of the date of the Order to wind up that Association.

5. Each policy on which a claim is allowed against the European Society shall be valued as on 12 January 1872 being the day of the date of the Order to wind up that

6. A claim shall not be received against the Wellington Society unless the claimant first pays every premium which fell due and became payable in respect thereof before 8 April 1873.

7. A claim shall not be received against the British Nation Association unless the claimant first pays every premium which fell due and became payable in respect thereof before 18 January 1872.

8. A claim shall not be received against the European Society unless the claimant first pays every premium which fell due and became payable in respect thereof before 12 January 1872.

9. Where any such premium as aforesaid was payable by half-yearly quarterly or other instalments and the year of payment began to run before 8 April 1873 or 18 January 1872 or 12 January 1872 (as the case may be) the aggregate amount of the instalments for that year or so much thereof as remains unpaid shall be deducted from any dividend that may become payable on the policy.

10. Where under this Order premiums are paid up to 10. Where under this Order premiums are paid up to 8 April 1873 but the claim is not allowed against the Wellington Society and is allowed against the British Nation Association or against the European Society any premium paid under this Order which fell due on or after 12 January 1872 or on or after 18 January 1872 as the case may be and before 8 April 1873 shall be returned without deduction to the person by whom the same was without deduction to the person by whom the same was paid.

paid.

11. Where any person pays a premium under this Order any premium previously paid by him under the Orders of the Court of Chancery and not afterwards repaid to him shall be allowed for but any premium previously paid by him under those Orders and afterwards repaid to him shall be regarded as not having been paid by him.

by him.

12. If any person holding a policy originally issued by the Wellington Society desires that any premium paid by him under the Orders of the Court of Chancery and not afterwards returned to him should now be returned to him the same shall be returned to him but in that case he shall be deemed to have abandoned the right to prove on the policy against either the Wellington Society or the British Nation Association or the European Society or otherwise in this Arbitration.

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THOMAS PRESTON, Secretary.