COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1872 to 1875.

| Corresponding Week in |  |  | QUANTITIES SOLD. |  |  |  |  |  | AVERAGE PRICES. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | WHEAT. |  | BARLEY. |  | OATS. |  | WHEAT. |  | BARLEY. |  | OATS. |  |
|  |  |  | Qrs. | Bus. | Qrs. | Bus. | Qrs. | Bus. | s. | $d$. |  | d. | S. | $d$. |
| 1872 | ... | ... | 56,892 | 4 | 67,449 | 0 | 5,608 | 6 | 55 | 8 |  | 2 | 22 | 6 |
| 1873 | ... | ... | 51,186 | 5 | 57,836 | 2 | 5,191 | 1 | 55 | 9 | 40 | 5 | 22 | 8 |
| 1874 | ... | ... | 55,528 | 2 | , 70,406 | 3 | 5,141 | 1 | 62 | 6 | 46 | 2 | 27 | 2 |
| 1875 | ... | ... | 67,082 | 6 | 58,621 | 2 | 3,328 | 0 | 45 | 6 | 44 | 6 | 29 | 1 |

R. VALPY, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, January 17, 1876.

## PORTPATRICK RAILWAY COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that it is the intention of the Directors of the PORTPATRICK RAILWAY COMPANY, after the expiration of twenty-one days from the date of publication of this Notice, to declare the original Shares in the said Company, of Ten Pounds each, which stand in the Register of Shareholders in the names of the parties mentioned in the subjoined Schedule, and numbered as therein stated, Forfeited, in respect of the non-payment of Calls, with Interest due thereon; and thereafter to adopt the farther procedure with reference to the Forfeiture, Sale, or Disposal of said Shares, or the merging thereof in the Company, all as prescribed in the Companies Clauses Consolidation (Scotland) Act, 1845, and the Portpatrick Railway Act, 1857.

By Order of the Directors.
Jas. M‘KEnzie, Interim Secretary.

SCHEDULE ABOVE REFERRED TO.

| SHARES. | REGISTERED PROPRIETORS. | NUMBER OF SHARES. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Twenty. | George Hamilton Bell, F.R.C.S., 13 Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, | 873 to 892 | clusive. |
| One. | James Boyd, Farmer, Port-o'-Spittal, Portpatrick, by Stranraer, | 2,253 |  |
| Five. | D. R. Brannigan, 43 North Street, Belfast, | 2,256 to 2,260 | " |
| Five. | R. Cassidy, 6 Donegall Square, Belfast, | 4,142 to 4,146 | " |
| Twenty-Three. | Robert Cowan, Knock-and-Maize, . | 4,356 to 4,378 | \% |
| Twenty-Five. | John Crawford, Tongue House, Larg, Sutherland | 4,475 to 4,499 | " |
| Five. | John Fraser, Banker, Portwilliam, | 6,386 to 6,390 | " |
| Ten. | Simon Gartly, Baker, Queen Street, Stranraer, | 7,557 to 7,566 | " |
| Ten. | William Gibson, Farmer, Beoch, Stranraer, | 7,635 to 7,644 | " |
| Ten. | James Girdwood, Carpet Merchant, 44 High Street, Belfast, | 7,694 to 7,703 | " |
| One. | James Gordon, Lnnkeeper, Whithorn, | 7,762 |  |
| Twenty. | Robert Gunning, 2 Castle Buildings, Belfast, | 7,946 to 7,965 | ; ${ }^{\circ}$ |
| Ten. | Patrick Kinnear, Flax Merchant, Corporation Place, Belfast, | 16,470 to 16,479 | \% |
| Two. | James Laird, Wood Merchant, Minnigaff, Newton-Stewart, | 16,517 to 16,518 | " |
| One. | Matthew Martin, Shoemaker, Kirkcowan, | 21,650 |  |
| One. | Robert Milligan, Innkeeper, Kirkcowan, | 21,141 |  |
| Three. | Hamilton Murray, Barnharrow, Penninghame, | 21,731 to 22,733 | " |
| Three. | William Murray, Saddler, Newton-Stewart, | 22,734 to 22,736 | 0 |
| Twenty. | John Murdoch, Rhonepark, Parton, | 22,646 to 22,665 | ," |
| Ten. | Musgrove Brothers, 59 High Street, Belfast, | 22,743 to 22,752 | ", |
| Ten | J. \& J. Macadam \& Co., Oil Merchants, Beaver Hall, Belfast, | 22,753 to 22,762 | \% |
| Seven. | David M 'Clean, Killantringan, Portpatrick, | 22,955 to 22,961 | , |
| One. | David M ${ }^{\text {c Clellan, Smiddyholm, Glenluce, }}$ | 22,999 |  |
| One. | Peter M'Clure, Blacksmith, Glenluce, | 23,084 |  |
| Two. | David M'Conochie, Flesher, Newton-Stewart, | 23,100 to 23,101 |  |
| Two. | Alexander M'Dowall, Farmer, Pinminnoch, Portpatrick, | 24,194 to 24, 175 | \% |
| Four. | R. M•Kitterick, Farmer, Anchabrick, Drumore, by Stranraer, | 24,600 to 24,603 | \% |
| Five. | John R. Neill, Jeweller, 23 High Street, Belfast, | 25,542 to 25,546 | \% |
| Five. | James Osborne, Farmer, Cairnside, Kirkcolm, | 25,766 to 25,770 | \% |
| Five. | James Ross, Farmer, Portslogan, Portpatrick, | 26,063 to 26,067 | , |
| Two. | Edward Saunders, Farmer, Fineview, Glenluce, | 26,102 to 26,103 | " |
| Five. | Alexander Shaw, Farmer, Risk, Minnigaff, | 26,165 to 26,169 | " |
| Two. | John Todd, Baker, Newton-Stewart, | 30,895 to 30,896 | " |
| Ten. | David Wallace, Spirit Merchant, North Strand Street, Stranraer, | 31,007 to 31,016 | " |
| Three. | G. \& A. Wither, Farmers, Barmore, Lochans, | 31,155 to 31,157 | 0 |

