COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1877 to 1880.

Corresponding Week in			QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
			WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
			Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	8.	d.	s.	d.
1877			21,134	5	394	5	1,273	7	64	6	39	0	27	10
1878			26,432	3	34	0	313	2	44	7	37	4	28	5
1879			19,089	1	467	7	438	1	47	7	29	1	24	4
1880			17,701	6	333	2	1,155	2	43	6	27	ī	26	3

R. GIFFEN, Comptroller of Corn Returns.

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, July 23, 1881.

FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Register No. 469, Lanarkshire, held at Braidwood, in the County of Lanark, is Dissolved by Instrument, registered at this Office the 28th day of July 1881, unless within three months from the date of the Gazette in which this advertisement appears proceedings be commenced by a member or other person interested in or having any claim on the funds of the Society to set aside such dissolution, and the same be set aside accordingly.

J. BALFOUR PAUL,

Assistant-Registrar of Friendly Societies for Scotland.

43 New Register House, Edinburgh, the 28th day of July 1881.

OTICE is hereby made that a Petition has been presented to the Sheriff of Mid-Lothian and Haddington, in terms of 16 Victoria, cap. 28, sections 2 and 3, by Frederick Harold Rule, Draper, Tranent, and others, being twelve in number, praying the Sheriff to constitute the Parishes of Tranent, Prestonpans, Ormiston, and Pencaitland, in the County of Haddington, into a Polling District of Tranent, with the Polling Place of Tranent; and that in case any of the Inhabitants, not less than ten in number, being registered voters for such County, are desirous of opposing the prayer of the said Petition, it is lawful for them, at any time not later than one week from the publication of the last Advertisement, to lodge with the Sheriff Clerk of the County a written notice signed by such Inhabitants as aforesaid, being not less than ten in number, stating their objections to such increase or alteration, or any suggestions they may wish to offer for the purpose of obtaining a different arrangement of Polling Places or Districts from that proposed.

G. H. STEVENSON, Solicitor, Haddington, Agent for the Petitioners.

Haddington, 21st July 1881.

INTIMATION is hereby made that a Petition has been presented to the Lords of Council and Session, Commissioners for the Plantation of Kirks and Valuation of Teinds (Mr. Elliot, Clerk), by the REVEREND GEORGE WASHINGTON SPROTT, D.D., Minister of the Parish of North Berwick, in the Presbytery and County of Haddington, under and in virtue of 'The Glebe Lands (Scotland) Act, 1866,' 29 and 30 Victoria, cap. 71, for authority to Feu the Glebe of said Parish of North Berwick; on which Petition the said Lords pronounced the following Interlocutor:—'Edinburgh, 18th July 1881.'—Act. Pearson.—The Lords having considered the 'Petition for the Minister of the Parish of North 'Berwick, and the preliminary intimations and certificates thereof, in terms of the Statute 29 and 30 Victoria, cap. 71, appoint further intimation to be made in terms of the prayer of said Petition, the local intimation being inserted in the Haddington Advertiser; 'grant Warrant for service as far as necessary; and 'ordain any parties Respondents to lodge Answers 'thereto, if so advised, within ten days after date of 'service. (Signed) 'John Inglis, I.P.D.' Of all which Intimation is hereby made, in terms of the said Interlocutor.

J. & F. Anderson, W.S., Agents.

48 Castle Street, Edinburgh, 26th July 1881.

To the Creditors and other Persons interested in the Succession of the Deceased WILLIAM SCOTT, Solicitor, Dundee.

THE Judicial Factor requests the Creditors and other persons interested in the succession of the said deceased William Scott to meet within the Chambers of the Judicial Factor, 11 Reform Street, Dundee, on Friday, 5th August 1881, at one o'clock afternoon.

DAVID MYLES, Judicial Factor.

Dundee, 27th July 1881.

PETITION has been presented to the Sheriff of Fifeshire, at the instance of John Johnston, Draper, Dunfermline, against ELIZABETH ALEXANDER or TAIT, wife of William Tait, Plasterer, Hillend, Inverkeithing, and residing there, and the said William Tait, as her Administrator-in-Law, for his interest, praying that the said Elizabeth Alexander or Tait be ordained to execute a Disposition omnium bonorum for behoof of her