

**AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 15th November, 1893.**

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Belgium ... ..	965	...	965	880	39,314	40,194
France ... ..	1,186	...	1,186	1,653	12,825	14,478
Portugal and Madeira ... ..	4,690	...	4,690	151	...	151
Gibraltar ... ..	819	...	819	32	...	32
Cape of Good Hope ... ..	39	23,048	23,087	...	...	...
British East Indies ... ..	...	9,428	9,428	41,818	...	41,818
China (including Hong Kong)	1,844	7,071	8,915	...	...	...
Japan ... ..	3,838	...	3,838	...	...	...
Australasia ... ..	51,816	4,622	56,438	...	81,964	81,964
Brazil ... ..	11,839	1,053	12,892	...	...	...
United States, Atlantic ... ..	335	...	335	422,963	577,964	1,000,927
Other Countries ... ..	188	766	954	3,798	...	3,798
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Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	77,559	45,988	123,547	471,295	712,067	1,183,362
Declared Value of the said Importations ... .. }	£ 302,165	£ 179,745	£ 481,910	£ 63,745	£ 96,944	£ 160,689

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.			British.	Foreign.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	6,171	8,000	32,187	46,358	...	...	60,982	60,982
Holland ... ..	51,601	...	3,354	51,955	437	39,140	...	39,577
France ... ..	...	8	905	913	...	15,852	750	16,602
West Coast of Africa ... ..	127	...	...	127	2,241	...	...	2,244
British East Indies ... ..	1,510	...	...	1,510	...	166,437	328,766	695,203
China (including Hong Kong)	...	...	...	...	...	...	115,952	145,952
Japan ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	170,643	170,643
United States, Atlantic ... ..	...	...	10,974	10,974	...	...	...	...
Mexico, West Indies, and S. America (except Brazil) ... ..	4,038	27	...	4,125	...	...	...	...
Other Countries ... ..	26	73	46	145	546	...	12,208	12,754
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	63,563	8,108	47,465	119,137	3,227	421,429	203,287	245,753
Declared Value of the said Exportations ... .. }	£ 247,589	£ 30,510	£ 185,929	£ 464,028	£ 885	£ 58,397	£ 298,750	£ 358,032

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,  
November 16, 1893.

T. J. PITTAR.

Royal Exchange Assurance Office.

Royal Exchange, London,  
November 15, 1893.

THE Court of Directors of the Corporation of the Royal Exchange Assurance do hereby give notice, that their Transfer Books will be shut from Thursday, the 30th November, to Thursday, the 21st of December next; that the Annual General Court appointed by their Charter will be holden at their office on the Royal Exchange, on Wednesday, the 20th of December, at twelve o'clock at noon; and that a Dividend will be considered of at the said Court.

E. R. HANDCOCK, Secretary.

West Flanders Railways.

10, Moorgate-Street, London,  
November 13, 1893.

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Dividend at the rate of 3s. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ d., or 4 francs 50 centimes per share, for the half-year ending 30th June last (Coupon No. 89), and on the preference shares at the rate of 5s. 6d., or 6 francs 87 $\frac{1}{2}$  centimes per share (Coupon No. 82), will be payable on and after the 15th November instant, at the offices of the Company, in London, Messrs. Balse and Co., Bankers, in Brussels, and at the Banque de la Flandre Occidentale, Bruges.

By order,

C. A. VEZEY, Secretary.