AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 17th March, 1897.

	Imported into the United Kingdom.							
Countries from which Imported.		Gold.		SILVER.				
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.		
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.		
Germany	161		161	269	68,603	68,872		
Belgium	4,916		4,916	145	•••	145		
France	1,155		1,155	1,280		1,280		
Portugal and Madeira	491		491	312		312		
Spain and Canary Islands	379	17	396	•••	1	•••		
Gibraltar	157		157	3,889		3,889		
Egypt	•••	•••	•••	6,080	6,450	12,530		
The Gold Coast	212	152	364	2,712		2,712		
The Cape of Good Hope	•••	40,601	40,601	7,272		7,272		
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A 6 1 10	108,016	5,558	113,574	•••	72,100	72,100		
West Indies, Mexico, and S.	100,010	0,000	,0	•••		12,100		
America (except Brazil)	2,363	138	2,501		8,100	8,100		
Brazil	79	1,605	1,684	•••	213	213		
United States	• •	1,226	1,226	15,800	1,899,310	1,915,110		
United States	•••	1,220	1,220	10,000	1,000,010	1,010,110		
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week	122,881	65,364	188,245	37,759	2,054,776	2,092,535		
Declared Value of the said)	£	£	£	£	£	£		
Importations	479,214	254,537	733,751	6,611	255,339	261,950		
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	Exported from the United Kingdom.									
Countries to which	Gold.				Silver.					
Exported.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	(Tetal		
	British.	Foreign.	Bumon.	IQUAL.	British.	Foreign.	1	Total.		
Russia	Ounces 12,800 471 2,183	Ounces. 65	Ounces. 1,502 2,110 13,320 59,446	Ounces. 1,502 2,175 12,800 471 15,503 59,446	Ounces 4,620	2,988	Ounces. 48,357 15,997 59,191  743,378  6,387	Ounces. 48,357 15,997 83,191  4,620 791,378  9,375		
registered in the Week	15,454	65	76,378	91,897	4,620	74,988	873,310	952,918		
Declared Value of the said	£ 60,847	£ 250	£ 319,570	£ 380,167	£ 1,278	£ 9,087	£ 114,004	£ 124,369		

Statistical Department, Custom House, London, March 18, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division. Mr. Justice North. 1897. G. No. 039.

In the Matter of the Great Grimsby Ice Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the

Companies Acts 1867 and 1877.

TOTICE is hereby given that a petition for confirming the following Special Resolution of the Company duly passed and confirmed in accordance with s. 51 of the Companies Act 1862 at Extraordinary General Meetings of the Company held respectively on the 1st of December 1896 and the 17th of December 1896 it was resolved as follows namely:—"That the capital of the Company be reduced from £250,000 divided into 2,300 A shares of £10 each, 500 B shares

of £10 each and 22,200 C or ordinary shares of £10 each to £43,708 divided into 1,874 A shares of £2 each 491 B shares of £2 each and 21,989 C shares of £2 each and that such reduction be effected (a) by cancelling paid up capital which has been lost or is unrepresented by available assets to the extent of £8 per share on each of the 1,825 fully paid A shares 46 fully paid B shares and 10,403 fully paid C shares (making a total of 12,274 shares) which have been issued and are now outstanding and by reducing the nominal amount of each of the A shares B shares and C shares from £10 to £2 per share (b) by cancelling altogether 426 A shares of £10 each 9 B shares of £10 each and 211 C shares of £10 each all of which shares have been forfeited