

## AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 2nd June, 1897. ....

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	945	90	1,035	315	...	315
Belgium ... ..	622	...	622	576	...	576
France ... ..	619	3,510	4,129	760,005	50,294	810,299
Portugal and Madeira ... ..	2,461	...	2,461	30	...	30
Canary Islands ... ..	674	...	674	172	...	172
The Gold Coast ... ..	103	666	769	1,776	...	1,776
British South Africa ... ..	60,354	115,171	175,525	...	...	...
British East Indies ... ..	69	10,174	10,243	...	...	...
China and Hong Kong ... ..	4,814	10,512	15,326	...	...	...
Australasia ... ..	94,102	4,870	98,972	...	21,689	21,689
Mexico, Central and South America (except Brazil), and West Indies ... ..	453	17,545	17,998	51,120	408,227	459,347
United States ... ..	109	...	109	72,744	1,074,567	1,147,311
Other Countries ... ..	214	176	390	3,399	...	3,399
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	165,539	162,714	328,253	890,137	1,554,777	2,444,914
Declared Value of the said Importations ... ..	£ 645,045	£ 583,124	£ 1,228,169	£ 146,419	£ 179,571	£ 325,990

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.				SILVER.			
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Russia ... ..	...	...	...	...	755,040	...	755,040	
Germany ... ..	...	...	36,126	36,126	...	338,613	338,613	
Belgium ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	230,000	230,000	
France ... ..	1,131	...	7,110	8,241	...	151,416	151,416	
Portugal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	11,287	11,287	
Spain ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	634,946	634,946	
Austrian Territories ... ..	...	...	9,273	9,273	...	...	...	
Roumania ... ..	...	...	11,600	11,600	...	...	...	
West Coast of Africa ... ..	60	...	...	60	22,841	...	22,841	
British East Indies ... ..	256	...	480	736	...	166,000	578,061	
Queensland ... ..	...	...	...	...	54,909	...	54,909	
Other Countries ... ..	333	...	...	333	182	...	2,076	
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	1,780	...	64,589	66,369	77,932	921,040	1,946,399	
Declared Value of the said Exportations ... ..	£ 6,935	£ ...	£ 260,700	£ 267,635	£ 21,425	£ 148,800	£ 245,590	

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,  
June 3, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the High Court of Justice.—Chancery Division.  
Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams.

In the Matter of the Shropshire Iron Company Limited and Reduced and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1867 and in the Matter of the Companies Act 1877.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition presented to the High Court of Justice Chancery Division on the 27th April 1897 for confirming a Special Resolution reducing the capital of the above named Company from £50,000 to £37,690 13s. 4d. is directed to be heard before his Lordship Mr. Justice Vaughan Williams on

the 16th day of June 1897. Any creditor or shareholder of the Company desiring to oppose the making of an Order for the reduction of the capital of the said Company under the above Acts should appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Counsel for that purpose and a copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or shareholder of the Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charges for the same.—Dated this 1st day of June 1897.

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