AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 14th July, 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	1,183	•••	1,183	320	31,000	31,320			
Belgium	626	•••	626	871,853		871,853			
France	2,662	***	2,662	364		364			
Portugal and Madeira	1,352	•••	1,352	513		518			
The Gold Coast	199	191	390	120		120			
British South Africa	16,629	52,872	69,501	4,363		4,363			
Portuguese East Africa	•••		I	6,546		6,546			
Madagascar	***			16,240		16,240			
Bombay	***	18,841	18,841	•••					
New Zealand	12,841	15,883	28,724		8,679	8,679			
Mexico, Central and South America (except Brazil),		Í	ĺ			•			
and West Indies	452	2,938	3,390	15,887	635,619	651,506			
United States	***	880	880	44,212	2,024,971	2,069,183			
Other Countries	605	•••	605	4,390	•••	4,390			
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week	36,549	91,605	128,154	964,808	2,700,269	3,665,077			
Declared Value of the said Importations	£ 142,317	£ 340,309	£ 482,626	£ 166,047	£ 309,905	£ 475,952			

•	Exported from the United Kingdom.									
Countries to which	Gold.				SILVER.					
Exported.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin,		Bullion.	Total.		
·	British.	Foreign.	Bumon.	TOTAL.	British.	Foreign.		TOTEL,		
Russia	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces. 871,200	Ounces. 25,794	Ounces. 896,994		
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Germany	2,560	19	5,956	8,535	•••	***	86,232	86,232		
Holland	3,856	•••	10,479	14,335		•••	4,468	4,468		
Belgium	1,027	•••	•••	1,027	•••	•••	1650000	1650000		
France	•••		872	872	•••	3,000	49,454	52,454		
Spain	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	707,244	707,244		
Austrian Territories	•••	•••	37,483	37,483		•••	•••	•••		
West Coast of Africa	194		•••	194	3,488	33	•••	3,521		
Portuguese East Africa				١٠	7,273	•••		7,273		
British East Indies	640	49	5,400	6,089	 	176,000	1186767	1362767		
New South Wales			•	.,	10,909	•••	•••	10,909		
Other Countries	•••	•••	•••		•••	•••	10,935	10,985		
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week	8,277	68	72,190	80,535	21,670	1050233	3720894	4792797		
Declared Value of the said	£ 32,253	£ 247	£ 293,550	£ 326,050	£ 5,959	£ 170,655	£ 456,644	£ 633,258		

Statistical Department, Custom House, London, July 15, 1897. T. J. PITTAR.

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.

OTICE is hereby given that the Order of the High Court of Justice Chancery Division dated the 24th June 1897 confirming a Special Resolution for the reduction of the capital of the above named Company was on the 9th June 1897 No. 26873.

duly registered with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies together with a Minute approved by the Court showing that the capital of the Company is now £40,050 13s. 4d. divided into £20,333 6s. 8d. of stock and 2,264 shares of £7 13s. 4d. each and 236 of £10 each.—Dated the 13th day of July 1897.

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