

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN per Hundredweight of 112 Imperial Pounds,* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS in the week ended 18th October, 1930, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.						Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.		
	· ·					Cwt.	s. d.		
WHEAT		•••				128,777	6 11		
BARLEY	•••	••				411,536	. 98		
OATS	•••		••	•••		56,509	62		

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1926 to 1929.

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Week ended		Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
		Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
16th October, 1926		416,071	584,315	111,378	11 3	12 4	8 0
15th October, 1927		241,041	498,740	84,595	10 6	14 3.	94
20th October, 1928		344,046	673,814	86,539	98	10 9	88
19th October, 1929		263,144	624,463	79,442	95	10 3	7 10

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for each of the Four previous Weeks.

Week on ded	Qu	antities Sol	.d	Average Price per Cwt.			
Week ended	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
20th September, 1930	176,086	267,255	45,992	72	92	5 11	
27th September, 1930	157,614	188,550	48,269	72	87	60	
4th October, 1930	132,144	293,072	47,121	70	93	60	
11th October, 1930	129,267	305,812	50,234	70	95	61	

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section (2) of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that, in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

NOTE.—The above prices are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week named. They represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the preceding week.

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