

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—  
 Florence Chilton (Dudley, Worcestershire),  
 Florence Alice Cooke (Manchester), Elizabeth  
 Mould Lockhart (Ferry Hill).

Postmen—Charles Ernest Chandler (Cardiff),  
 Charles Albert Clark (Barking), Robert Climie  
 (Glasgow), Arthur Evans (Gloucester), George  
 Jack (Dundee), Richard Leadbetter (Preston),  
 John Weir Little (Glasgow), Arthur Loveday  
 (Newmarket), James M. Manus (Kells), Harry  
 James Reeve (Newmarket), Thomas Trueman  
 (Redditch).

August 28, 1897.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Inland Revenue: Assistant of Excise — John  
 Hamilton M'Cahon.  
 Post Office: Female Sorter, London—Minnie  
 Louise Hatton.

WITHOUT COMPETITION.

Admiralty: Sheerness Dockyard, Shipwright—  
 William James Llewellyn.

Post Office: Postmen, London—George Clark,  
 Hubert Howard Cockshutt.

Porter, London—Henry Hugh Bagge.

Postman, Edinburgh — William Charles  
 Hankin Paterson.

Sorting Clerks and Telegraph Learners—  
 Herbert William Jones (Enfield), John Yeats  
 (Keith).

Postmen—Reginald George Butler (Wim-  
 borne), Thomas Davison (Newcastle-on-Tyne).

FOR REGISTRATION AS TEMPORARY BOY  
 COPYIST (NEW CLASS).

Robert Henry Adams Johnson.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN  
 Imperial Measure,\* as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, in the Week  
 ended 28th August 1897, conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	51,587	4	31	8
Barley	674	3	22	5
Oats	6,807	6	17	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from  
 1893 to 1896.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICE.					
	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1893	52,282	3	7,970	6	10,864	4	25	5	26	9	18	7
1894	17,882	1	854	0	4,421	0	22	7	24	1	17	1
1895	17,840	5	1,903	2	6,576	5	23	10	23	5	14	5
1896	59,040	4	5,911	5	9,684	1	22	5	21	10	13	7

\* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the Local Inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel, or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

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