

SCOTTISH OFFICE, WHITEHALL,  
July 27, 1898.

THE Queen has been pleased, by Warrant under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, dated the 25th instant, to appoint the Reverend Robert Herbert Story, D.D., to be Principal of the University of Glasgow, in the room of the Reverend John Caird, D.D., who reires on the 1st proximo.

ORDER OF THE BOARD OF  
AGRICULTURE.

(DATED 23RD JULY 1898.)

The Board of Agriculture, by virtue and in exercise of the powers in them vested under the Diseases of Animals Acts, 1894 and 1896, and of every other power enabling them in this behalf, do order, and it is hereby ordered, as follows:—

Withdrawal of Swine Fever (Movement) Order of 1898.

1. From and after the commencement of this Order the Districts of the Local Authorities men-

tioned in the Schedule hereto shall cease to be subject to the Swine Fever (Movement) Order of 1898.

Commencement.

2. This Order shall come into operation on the twenty-seventh day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

In witness whereof the Board of Agriculture have hereunto set their Official Seal this twenty-third day of July one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight.

L. S.

J. T. TENNANT,  
Assistant-Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Districts to which this Order applies.

County of Ayr.  
Burgh of Ayr.

Copies of the above Order can be obtained on application to the Secretary, Board of Agriculture, 4 Whitehall Place, London, S.W.

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 23rd July 1898. conformably with the Act of the 45th and 46th Victoria, cap. 37.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat ... ..	10,882	4	38	1
Barley ... ..	343	5	25	0
Oats ... ..	2,888	1	20	10

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1894 to 1897.

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.
1894 ... ..	16,134	5	130	4	1,637	2	24	8	22	5	20	5
1895 ... ..	28,205	2	384	2	4,136	2	24	1	19	10	15	11
1896 ... ..	21,298	5	437	0	2,968	5	24	0	19	8	15	0
1897 ... ..	33,355	7	703	5	1,731	5	28	1	18	10	18	11

\* 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.

P. G. CRAIGIE.

Board of Agriculture, 4 Whitehall Place, London, S.W.,  
July 23, 1898.