

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure,* as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Week ended 30th May 1908, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	61,802	7	33	5
Barley	...	...	...	2,886	0	24	6
Oats	...	...	...	13,586	6	18	8

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1901 to 1907.

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.
1901 ...	42,202	0	221	4	4,023	1	27	6	22	9	20	1
1902 ...	32,707	3	457	3	6,476	3	31	3	24	3	22	11
1903 ...	45,420	1	2,949	6	9,712	4	27	6	23	10	18	4
1904 ...	37,654	7	1,441	6	10,826	5	26	10	18	8	16	8
1905 ...	20,984	0	724	0	5,942	3	31	3	23	6	19	1
1906 ...	36,104	7	1,345	0	5,658	4	30	4	22	10	20	5
1907 ...	28,070	5	1,998	7	10,547	4	31	4	24	0	20	8

* 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.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,
3 St. James' Square, London, S.W.,
30th May 1908.

A. W. ANSTRUTHER.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
June 2, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that, upon a special recommendation from the Army Council, and with the assent of the Treasury, Mr. Frank Heywood Bedford, having served as a Clerk of the Second Division for upwards of eight years, has been promoted to a Second Class Assistant Accountantship in the Army Accounts Department, with a special certificate granted exceptionally by the Civil Service Commissioners.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,
June 2, 1908.

In pursuance of the provisions of Her late Majesty's Order in Council of the 29th November 1898, the Civil Service Commissioners hereby announce the under-mentioned Appointments, Promotions, &c. (including Assignments and Transfers of Second Division Clerks, and

Transfers of Assistant Clerks of the Abstractor Class), for the month of May 1908:—

I.—CERTIFICATES ISSUED.

May 1, 1908.

AFTER OPEN COMPETITION.

Customs: Assistant Clerk (Abstractor)—Joe Earl Wilson.

Post Office: Women Clerks—Kathleen Anderson, Mary Brown, Nora Courtenay Close, Mary Collis, Emily Cullis, Frances Mary Fogarty, Dorothy Milroy Johnston, Catherine Dalgleish Little, Margaret Lugg, Mary Christina Redmond, Una Mary Reynolds, Grace Ellen Ringer, Florence Mary Steed.

Girl Clerk—Elsie Charlotte Hickox.

Female Learners, London—Daisy Capewell, Annie Adelaide Gardiner Golding.

Male Sorting Clerk and Telegraphist (Postal), Glasgow—John Littlejohn.

Female Learner, Reading—Kathleen Jessie Rogers.