

**TENDERS FOR LOANS ON TREASURY BILLS.**

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Monday the 22nd instant, at one o'clock, for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Acts 40 Vict., cap. 2, 52 Vict., cap. 6, to the amount of £2,500,000 in replacement of Bills falling due on the 28th instant.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £1000, £5000, or £10,000. They will be dated the 27th June 1908, and will be payable at six months after date, viz., on the 27th December 1908.

3. *The Tenders must specify the net amount per*

*cent. which will be given for the amounts applied for, and the Tenders of private individuals must be made through a London Banker.*

4. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

5. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same on Tuesday the 23rd instant, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England not later than twelve o'clock on Saturday the 27th instant.

6. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 16th June 1908.

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 13th June 1908, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
				Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
Wheat	...	...	...	40,160	4	32	7
Barley	...	...	...	824	1	24	5
Oats	...	...	...	9,015	1	18	4

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 ...	29,695 0	336 3	3,552 1	27 6	23 2	20 3
1902 ...	25,926 2	371 1	4,295 4	30 6	23 5	23 0
1903 ...	42,300 6	1,523 4	9,431 2	27 6	20 7	18 3
1904 ...	32,178 5	942 4	9,553 4	26 5	18 2	16 8
1905 ...	12,819 1	1,171 4	3,992 6	31 7	26 0	19 1
1906 ...	18,447 3	282 5	2,979 6	30 4	23 6	20 2
1907 ...	38,008 7	1,152 5	7,668 3	31 10	24 7	20 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.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
3 St. James' Square, London, S. W.,  
13th June 1908.

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