applying to Us, the Local Government Board for Scotland, to authorise the District Committee to prepare a Town Planning Scheme in respect of land situated in the Parish of Cramond and wholly within the said Suburban District, the area of which land is shown by a boundary line coloured pink on a certain map marked "Midlothian County Council, Suburban District, Blackhall and Davidson's Mains Town Planning Scheme, Map No. 2," and is more particularly described in the Local Authority's advertisements of their intention to apply to Us for authority to prepare the said Scheme :

AND WHEREAS the resolution of the District Committee, together with the map above referred to, has been transmitted to Us, and We have enquired into the application and into the circumstances connected therewith :

Now THEREFORE WE, the Local Government Board for Scotland, do hereby, under the provisions of sub-sections (2) and (3) of Section 54 of the Housing, Town Planning, &c., Act, 1909, authorise the District Committee to prepare a Town Planning Scheme with reference to the Land (including land already built upon and land not likely to be used for building purposes) to which the aforesaid application relates.

AND WE do further authorise the District Committee in the preparation of the scheme scheme scheme aforesaid to provide therein for the demolition or alteration of any of the buildings on the land included in the area in respect of which a scheme may be prepared as aforesaid, so far as may be necessary for carrying the Scheme into effect.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Load Government Board for Scotland, this Twenty-third day of June One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirteen year.

> GEORGE M'CRAE, Vice-President.

DAVID BROWN, Assistant Secretary.

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quant of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure, * as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns, in the Wed ended 21st June 1913, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

BRITISH CORN.				QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE		
Wheat				Qrs. 25,164	Bus. 3	8. 32	d. 8	
Barley	•••	•••		153	0	23	10	
Oats	•••	•••		1,860	0	19	8	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1906 to 1912.

Corresponding	,QU	ANTITIES SOL	AVERAGE PRICE.				
Week in	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	
1906 1907 1908 1909 1910 1911 1912	Qrs. Bus. 14,858 4 23,007 3 46,908 4 17,291 7 31,645 2 24,900 4 26,886 3	Qrs. Bus. 78 5 759 4 1,087 3 398 4 880 0 224 1 327 6	Qrs. Bus. 2,200 1 6,118 0 9,100 5 5,886 4 2,551 2 2,375 3 2,799 5	 d. 30 3 31 2 31 5 42 8 29 4 31 11 37 5 	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	e. d. 20 1 20 8 18 7 21 7 17 9 19 10 24 0	

* 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 bushed or by weight or by a weighed measure, that Officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushed, 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-nise imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,

3 St. James's Square, London, S.W., 21st June 1913.