8TATEMENT 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 31st October 1914, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

| BR | ITISH CO | RN. | į | QUANTITIES SOLI | AVERAGE PRICE |
|--------|----------|-------|---|-----------------|---------------|
| | | | | Qrs. Bus. | s. d. |
| Wheat | ••• | • • • | | 76,198 6 | 37 10 |
| Barley | ••• | ••• | | 192,687 0 | 28 3 |
| Oats | ••• | ••• | | 48,895 5 | 23 7 |

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1907 to 1913.

| Corresponding Week in | | | QUANTITIES SOL | AVERAGE PRICE. | | | |
|--------------------------|--|----------|--------------------|----------------|---------------|---------|--------|
| | | WHEAT. | BARLEY. | OATS. | WHEAT. | BARLEY. | OATS. |
| | | Qrs. Bu | s. Qrs. Bus. | Qrs. Bus. | s. d. | s. d. | s. d |
| 1907 | | 77,721 7 | | 39,849 1 | 3 5 10 | 27 8 | 18 .10 |
| 1908 | | 85,313 4 | 208,092 4 | 27,914 0 | 3 0 11 | 27 6 | 17 0 |
| 1909 | | 71,008 3 | 183,464 5 | 17,914 1 | 3 2 5 | 27 9 | 17 (|
| 1910 | | 60,244 5 | 218,331 5 | 17,410 0 | 30 4 | 25 6 | 16 2 |
| 1911 | | 60,626 4 | 156,658 5 | 17,391 1 | 33 4 | 31 10 | 20 8 |
| 1912 | | 62,815 0 | 18 3 ,569 2 | 18,774 1 | 3 3 4 | 31 10 | 20 1 |
| 1913 | | 63,529 5 | 206,923 6 | 17,798 4 | 3 0 1 | 28 2 | 17 9 |

^{*} 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 er 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's Square, London, S.W., 31st October 1914. R. H. REW.

DISEASES OF ANIMALS ACTS, 1894 to 1911.

The following Areas are now "Scheduled Areas" for the purposes of the Swine Fever (Regulation of Movement) Order of 1908:—

Aberdeenshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Aberdeen, Argyll, Banff, Bute, Caithness, Clackmannan, Elgin, Fife, Forfar, Inverness, Kincardine, Kinross, Nairn, Orkney, Perth, Ross and Cromarty, Stirling, Sutherland, and Zetland, and the detached part of the County of Dumbarton; the Cities of Aberdeen, Dundee, and Perth; and the Burghs of Peterhead, Campbeltown, Elgin, Dunfermline, Kirkcaldy, Arbroath, Brechin, Forfar, Montrose, Inverness, Falkirk, and Stirling (1st October 1911).—See also under Dumbartonshire, &c.

Argyllshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Ayrshire.—An Area comprising the County of
Ayr, and the Burghs of Ayr, Irvine, and
Kilmarnock (1st October 1911).

Banffshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Berwickshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Berwick, Roxburgh, and Selkirk, and the Burghs of Hawick and Galashiels, and also comprising the Parish of Stow, in the County of Midlothian (1st October 1911).

Buteshire - See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Caithness.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Clackmannan.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Dumbartonshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumbarton (except its detached part), Lanark, Peebles, and Renfrew, and the Burghs of Airdrie, Dumbarton, Greenock, Hamilton, Paisley, Port-Glasgow, and Rutherglen, and the City of Glasgow (1st October 1911).—See also under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Dumfriesshire, &c.—An Area comprising the Counties of Dumfries and Kirkcudbright, and the Burgh of Dumfries (1st October 1911).

Elgin.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Fife.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Forfarshire.—See under Aberdeenshire, &c.

Haddingtonshire.—An Area comprising the County of Haddington (1st October 1911).