

Air Ministry,
2nd September 1924.

ROYAL AIR FORCE.

His Majesty the KING has granted unrestricted permission for the wearing of the undermentioned decorations conferred by His Majesty the King of the Hedjaz on the following officers for valuable services rendered in connection with the War:—

The Order of El Nahda, 4th Class.

Lieut. (acting Captain) David Norris Thomson,
M.C.

Lieut. (now Flying Officer) William George Stafford, M.C., D.C.M.

India Office,
15th August 1924.

The KING has been pleased to appoint Mr. Justice Horace Owen Compton Beasley, a Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Rangoon, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, in succession to Mr. Justice Victor Murray Coutts Trotter, who has been appointed Chief Justice of that Court.

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN, per Hundredweight of 112 Imperial Pounds,* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS for the week ended 30th August 1924, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Acts, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.	Average Price per Cwt.	
		s.	d.
WHEAT	Cwts. 53,769	12	2
BARLEY	103,947	14	8
OATS	48,505	9	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1914 to 1923.

Corresponding Week in	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.					
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1914	454,093	196,254	147,623	8	10	8	4	8	7
1915	190,046	73,079	50,497	10	0	10	7	9	7
1916	120,356	26,625	18,558	13	9	14	5	11	1
1917	62,387	9,300	10,733	16	8	16	7	16	8
1918	66,943	19,196	25,311	16	10	16	10	20	4
1919	98,310	38,286	39,769	17	1	25	0	21	11
1920	138,527	52,586	44,518	21	2	22	0	19	6
1921	440,049	137,121	65,489	14	7	16	10	11	6
1922	163,230	15,989	45,193	10	1	10	4	9	2
1923	269,899	34,036	54,182	9	1	9	6	8	8

* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, as amended by Section (2) of the Corn Sales Act, 1921, provides that in the weekly summary of quantities and prices, each sort of British corn shall be computed with reference to the hundredweight of one hundred and twelve imperial standard pounds.

NOTE.—The above prices are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week named. They represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the preceding week.

E. B. SHINE,
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Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries,
Whitehall Place, London, S. W. 1,
30th August 1924.