

Quantities Sold and Average Price of British Corn—*continued*.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1935 to 1938.

Week ended.	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.		
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
19th January 1935 ...	337,094	270,941	39,311	4 9	8 3	6 10
18th January 1936 ...	321,891	288,125	57,721	6 4	8 1	6 1
23rd January 1937 ...	343,038	382,587	69,672	9 11	10 3	8 5
22nd January 1938 ...	243,820	156,049	46,183	8 4	13 3	8 6

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for each of the Four previous Weeks.

Week ended.	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.		
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
24th December 1938 ...	372,186	366,865	50,960	4 4	7 8	6 1
31st December 1938 ...	180,347	152,053	22,560	4 4	7 10	6 0
7th January 1939 ...	229,599	175,231	32,241	4 5	7 11	6 2
14th January 1939 ...	330,545	272,992	59,521	4 5	7 10	6 5

* 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 prices in the first statement above are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week ending 21st January 1939, and represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the week ending 14th January 1939. The weeks cited in the comparative statements are similarly to be regarded as weeks of Inspectors' returns.

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21st January 1939.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, AND
HOLIDAYS WITH PAY ACT, 1938.

FUR TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

The Fur Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to issue a direction to provide for holidays with pay.

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

The Trade Board will consider any objections

to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within two months from 27th January 1939. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Fur Trade Board, Metropole Buildings, Northumberland Avenue, London, W.C.2. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

R. J. HUMPHREYS, Secretary

26th January 1939.