A COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1865 to 1868.

Corresponding Week in			QUANTITIES SOLD.						AVERAGE PRICES.					
			WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.		WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
1865		•••	Qrs. 63,806	Bus.	Qrs. 64,062	Bus. 5	Qrs. 7,941	Bus.	<i>s</i> . 38	d. 2	s. 27	d. 10	s. 19	d. 3
866	-		49,310	7	66,065	6	6,803	1	46	3	32	9	23	6
1867	•••		46,674	1	45,899	3	6,595	7	60	2	43	6	24	2
1868		•••	44,694	7	68,053	7	8,461	4	67	10	41	4	25	10

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Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade, January 4, 1869.

RETURN, stating what has been, during Seven Years, ending on the Thursday next before Christmas Day 1868, the Average Price of an IMPERIAL BUSHEL of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY, and OATS, computed from the Weekly Averages of CORN RETURNS.

Published pursuant to an Act passed in the 6th and 7th Years of the Reign of King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for the Commutation of Tithes in England and Wales."

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TROTTER, Esquire, of Mortonhall, Heir of Entail in possession of the Entailed Lands and Estates of Mortonhall and Others, in the County of Edinburgh, and of Charterhall and Others, in the County of Edinburgh, and of Charterhall and Others, in the County of Berwick, has presented a Petition to the Lords of Council and Session (Second Division—Junior Lord Ordinary—Mr Shield, Clerk), in terms of the Acts 11th and 12th Victoria, chapter 36, and 16th and 17th Victoria, chapter 94, and 31st and 32d Victoria, chapter 84, and relative Acts of Sederunt, for authority to grant a Feu of parts and portions of the Lands of Greenbank, measuring three Imperial Acres or thereby, lying in the Parish of Saint Cuthbert's, and Sheriffdom of Edinburgh, and forming part of the Lands and Estate of Mortonhall. Date of Interlocutor ordering Intimation, 5th day of January 1869.

PATERSON & ROMANES, W.S., Agents of the Petitioner.

Nelson Street, Edinburgh,
 6th January 1869.

## INDIA OFFICE, December 29, 1868.

THE Secretary of State for India in Council hereby gives notice that the Advertisement from this Office, dated the 23d December 1867, stating "that the rate of Interest of Four per cent. on East India Bonds will cease and determine on the 1st January 1869, and that from and after that date such bonds will carry Interest at the rate of Three Pounds per cent. per annum," is cancelled, and the rate of Interest on East India Bonds will therefore continue, as at present, at Four per cent. per annum.

M. E. GRANT DUFF.

## HAWICK EXCHANGE COMPANY (Limited).

NOTICE is Hereby Given that at an adjourned Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Hawick Exchange Company (Limited), held within the Small Hall, on Thursday the 3d day of December 1868, at 12 o'clock noon, the following Resolution was passed:—

'That, in respect the Company appeared unable to 'pay its debts, the meeting resolve and require 'that the Company be wound up voluntarily, in 'terms of the Act of Parliament,'—under clause 3 of the 129th Section of the 'Companies' Act, '1862.'

'The following Gentlemen were appointed Liquidators,

' Mr Nixon. Mr Grieve.
' Mr Laing. Mr Aitchison.
' Mr Fraser. Dr Elliot.
' Mr Geo, Wilson. Mr E. H. Maxwell.
' Mr Laidlaw. Mr Pringle, and
' Mr Thomson. Mr Haddon.

'or such of them as should accept:'-

And that 'At an Extraordinary General Meeting 'of the Shareholders of the said Company, held 'in the Exchange Hall, Hawick, on Thursday the '31st December 1868, at one o'clock P.M.,' the same was ratified and confirmed.

JAMES CARMICHAEL, Solicitor, Hawick, Secretary.

Hawick, January 6, 1869.