

RETURN, stating what has been, during Seven Years, ending on the Thursday next before Christmas Day, 1869, the Average Price of an IMPERIAL BUSHEL of BRITISH WHEAT, BARLEY, and OATS, computed from the Weekly Averages of CORN RETURNS.

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WHEAT.		BARLEY.		OATS.	
s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
6	3½	4	6½	2	11½

Statistical and Corn Department, Board of Trade,
January 3, 1870.

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COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Years 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868, and 1869, of the Quantities Sold and Average Prices of BRITISH CORN in the Towns from which Returns are received under the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87.

YEAR.	QUANTITIES SOLD.			AVERAGE PRICE.		
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
	Qrs.	Qrs.	Qrs.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1865	3,579,623	1,768,277	277,315	41 10	29 9	21 10
1866	3,134,557	1,723,646	254,722	49 11	37 5	24 7
1867	2,724,673	1,575,733	284,776	64 5	40 0	26 0
1868	2,679,907	1,665,506	249,867	63 9	43 0	28 1
1869	2,816,105	1,388,195	161,706	48 2	39 5	26 0

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, Imperial Measure, as received from the Inspectors and Officers of Excise, conformably to the Act of the 27th and 28th Victoria, cap. 87, in the Week ended 1st January, 1870.

	QUANTITIES SOLD.		AVERAGE PRICE.	
	Qrs.	Bns.	s.	d.
	Wheat	40,136	4	43
Barley	55,397	4	35	9
Oats	2,019	6	20	10

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1866 to 1869.

Corresponding Week in	QUANTITIES SOLD.			AVERAGE PRICES.		
	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.	WHEAT.	BARLEY.	OATS.
	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	Qrs. Bus.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1866	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
1869	49,364 2	48,432 2	4,455 4	50 11	47 2	26 9

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