

AN ACCOUNT of the Importations and Exportations of BULLION and SPECIE registered in the Week ended 21st April, 1897.

Countries from which Imported.	Imported into the United Kingdom.					
	GOLD.			SILVER.		
	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.	Coin.	Bullion.	Total.
	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany	442	...	442	12	9,345	9,357
Belgium	267	...	267	582	54,419	55,001
France	6,410	500	6,910	...	...	...
Portugal	3,521	464	3,985	34	...	34
Canary Islands	324	...	324	...	...	...
Egypt ... ..	...	...	...	27,240	...	27,240
Cape of Good Hope	31	1,943	1,794	...	...	...
Queensland ... ..	...	4,079	4,079	...	1,296	1,296
Mexico, West Indies, and S. America (except Brazil) ...	...	13,817	13,817	491,242	142,454	633,696
United States ... ..	...	...	...	49,299	2,824,970	2,874,269
Other Countries	103	388	491	3,612	...	3,612
Aggregate of the Importations registered in the Week ... }	11,098	21,191	32,289	572,021	3,032,484	3,604,505
Declared Value of the said Importations }	£ 43,283	£ 82,167	£ 125,400	£ 69,291	£ 362,714	£ 432,005

Countries to which Exported.	Exported from the United Kingdom.							
	GOLD.			SILVER.				
	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.	Coin.		Bullion.	Total.
	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.	British.	Foreign.	Ounces.	Ounces.
Germany ... ..	...	598	15,754	16,352	...	4,824	230,447	235,271
Holland ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	5,900	7,700	13,600
France ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	91,005	91,005
Portugal ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,798	7,798
Austrian Territories ... ..	...	...	64,620	64,620	...	...	...	...
West Coast of Africa	694	...	...	694	365	...	...	365
Bombay ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1043033	1043033	...
Dutch Possessions in India ...	1,670	...	...	1,670	...	...	...	...
Japan ... ..	...	...	245,010	245,010	...	...	...	...
Brazil	257	...	...	257	...	...	...	...
Other Countries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	6,782	6,782	...
Aggregate of the Exportations registered in the Week ... }	2,621	598	325,384	328,603	365	10,724	1386765	1397854
Declared Value of the said Exportations }	£ 10,200	£ 2,000	£ 1343463	£ 1355668	£ 100	£ 1,911	£ 177,695	£ 179,706

Statistical Department, Custom House, London,
April 22, 1897.

T. J. PITTAR.

In the Matter of the Companies Acts 1862 to 1890 and in the Matter of the Manchester Produce Brokers Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that a petition for the winding up of the above-named Company by the County Court of Lancashire holden at Manchester was on the 17th day of March 1897 presented to the said Court by Alfred Fletcher (trading as Alfred Fletcher and Co.) of 21 Mincing-lane in the city of London and that the said petition is directed to be heard before the Court sitting at Manchester on the 3rd day of May 1897 and any creditor or contributory of the said Company desirous to support or oppose the making of an Order on the said petition may appear at the time of hearing by himself or his Solicitor or his Counsel for that purpose and a

copy of the petition will be furnished to any creditor or contributory of the said Company requiring the same by the undersigned on payment of the regulated charge for the same.

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NOTE.—Any person who intends to appear on the hearing of the said petition must serve on or send by post to the above named, notice in writing of his intention so to do. The notice must state the name and address of the person or if a firm the name and address of the firm and must be signed by the person or firm or his or their Solicitor (if any) and must be served