

STATEMENT showing the Quantities Sold and Average Price of BRITISH CORN, per Quarter of 8 Bushels, Imperial Measure\*, as received from the Inspectors of Corn Returns in the Week ended 19th March, 1904, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.		Average Price.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.
WHEAT .. .. .	53,481	3	28	6
BARLEY .. .. .	36,082	3	22	9
OATS .. .. .	29,731	5	16	7

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1897 to 1903.

Corresponding Week in	Quantities Sold.						Average Price.					
	Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.		Wheat.		Barley.		Oats.	
	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	Qrs.	Bus.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1897 ... .. .	51,497	1	24,908	4	12,758	7	27	9	22	5	16	3
1898 ... .. .	50,131	3	22,983	1	11,610	2	35	4	28	6	17	8
1899 ... .. .	64,771	7	32,349	0	15,093	6	25	4	26	8	17	0
1900 ... .. .	69,944	2	38,147	0	17,042	7	25	11	25	0	17	1
1901 ... .. .	53,758	1	27,840	1	13,895	2	25	8	24	11	17	9
1902 ... .. .	56,394	1	15,482	3	12,192	4	27	1	26	4	20	6
1903 ... .. .	49,360	2	33,137	6	25,213	0	25	1	22	9	16	10

\* Section 8 of the Corn Returns Act, 1882, provides that where returns of purchases of British Corn are made to the local inspector of Corn Returns in any other measure than the imperial bushel or by weight or by a weighed measure that officer shall convert such returns into the imperial bushel, and in the case of weight or weighed measure the conversion is to be made at the rate of sixty imperial pounds for every bushel of wheat, fifty imperial pounds for every bushel of barley, and thirty-nine imperial pounds for every bushel of oats.

Board of Agriculture and Fisheries,  
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19th March, 1904.

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ACCOUNT, showing the whole Amount of the DEBTS and ASSETS of THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, at the Close of the Year 1903; and showing also the Amount of its NOTES payable on Demand, which had been in Circulation during every Month of that Year; together with the Amount of SPECIE and other ASSETS, distinguishing each Kind, immediately available in every such Month, for the Discharge of such Notes.

NOTE.—The latest Monthly Return received from Dawson City is that of the 30th November, 1903, and the figures of that Return are introduced into this Account.

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DEBTS.				ASSETS.			
Sterling.				Sterling.			
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Circulation .. .. .	588,227	17	2	Specie .. .. .	816,918	3	6
Other Liabilities .. .. .	6,262,923	8	4	Other Assets .. .. .	7,470,989	2	10
	£6,851,151	5	6		£8,287,907	6	4

1903.	Notes in Circulation.	Specie.	Notes of other Banks.
	Dollars.	Dollars.	Dollars.
January .. .. .	2,398,856	2,610,661	81,518
February .. .. .	2,307,715	2,005,368	78,552
March .. .. .	2,449,022	2,315,640	92,456
April .. .. .	2,296,817	2,490,951	110,271
May .. .. .	2,311,312	3,099,797	134,943
June .. .. .	2,716,522	2,727,810	133,215
July .. .. .	2,532,313	2,868,581	137,400
August .. .. .	2,663,538	3,153,412	153,407
September .. .. .	3,090,308	2,858,605	123,089
October .. .. .	3,476,711	2,853,633	181,668
November .. .. .	3,233,675	2,800,701	156,254
December .. .. .	2,790,301	3,040,586	146,028

London, 17th March, 1904.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

A. G. WALLIS, Secretary