

STATEMENT showing the QUANTITIES SOLD and AVERAGE PRICE of BRITISH CORN per Hundred-weight of 112 Imperial Pounds,* as received from the INSPECTORS of CORN RETURNS in the week ended 30th January, 1932, pursuant to the Corn Returns Act, 1882, and the Corn Sales Act, 1921.

British Corn.	Quantities Sold.		Average Price per Cwt.	
	Cwt.		s. d.	
WHEAT	118,020		5 9	
BARLEY	253,434		8 4	
OATS	81,902		7 2	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT for the Corresponding Week in each of the Years from 1928 to 1931.

Week ended	Quantities Sold.			Average Price per Cwt.		
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.
	Cwt.	Cwt.	Cwt.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
28th January, 1928 ...	330,499	388,340	96,439	9 11	11 3	9 11
2nd February, 1929 ...	327,012	348,650	118,507	9 10	10 4	9 7
1st February, 1930 ...	275,466	357,366	55,429	9 4	8 4	6 9
31st January, 1931 ...	114,376	244,844	48,421	5 5	8 6	5 9

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.
2nd January, 1932...	47,349	186,470	45,974	6 0	8 3	6 11
9th January, 1932...	53,298	179,826	42,631	6 0	8 5	6 11
16th January, 1932...	83,039	267,093	56,021	5 10	8 2	6 11
23rd January, 1932...	105,294	281,392	69,640	5 10	8 3	7 2

* 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 above prices are based on returns received from Inspectors during the week named. They represent on the whole the average prices ruling in the preceding week.

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