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no. Fairfield's Bushel, Ant

PREFACE.

This new Ready Reckoner has been compiled to meet the changes in "An Act respecting Weights and Measures" (assented to May 23, 1873—36 Vic., c. 47, s. 5), as follows :

"1. But until the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, in contracts for the sale or delivery of any of the articles in this section mentioned, the standard bushel shall be taken and intended to mean the weight of a bushel as hereinafter mentioned, and not a bushel in measure, or according to any greater or less weight, unless the contrary appears to have been agreed upon between the parties :

Wheat,	60 lbs.
Indian Corn,	56 "
Rye,	56 "
Peas,	60 "
Barley,	48 "
Oats,	34 "
Beans,	60 "
Clover Seed,	60 "
Timothy Seed,	48 "
Buckwheat,	48 "
Flax Seed,	50 "
Hemp Seed,	44 "
Blue Grass Seed,	14 "
Castor Beans Seed,	40 "
Potatoes, Turnips, Carrots, Parsnips, Beets,	
Onions,	60 "
Salt,	56 "
Dried Apples,	32 "
Dried Peaches,	33 "
Malt,	36 "

And from and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, all the above-mentioned articles, when bought or sold by weight, shall be specified by the cental, or part of a cental."

The publishers would say that every possible precaution has been taken to avoid errors in calculations in this little work, and hope that it will meet with the favour of the farmers and others for whom it is intended.

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