FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

The directors present their report and the audited financial statements for the year ended 26th September 1986.

Activities & Business Review

The principal activity of the company continues to be that of food Wholesaling and Distribution. No significant change in this activity is envisaged in the foreseeable future.

The Company had a successful trading year having returned to profitable operation as forecast in last years review and having consolidated its trading position. The Directors are confident that the success of the Company will be maintained during the coming year as additional business is acquired.

Results for the Year

The profit after taxation for the year was £45,116 (1985 loss £6,892).

The directors do not propose the payment of a dividend and the profit for the year is to be added to reserves.

Directors & Their Interests

(a) The directors of the Company who served throughout the year and their interests in the shares were:-

	Ordinary Shares of £1	Each
	<u>1986</u> <u>1985</u>	
	<u>£</u> £	
C.W. Holroyd A.D. Meek	10,000 1 10,000 1	

(b) A.D. Meek retires from the Board by rotation, and, being eligible, offers himself for re-election.

Fixed Assets

All movements in fixed assets are disclosed in the notes to the accounts.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS (CONTINUED)

Taxation Status

The Company is a Close Company within the provisions of the Income and Corporation Taxes $\mbox{Act 1970}$.

Auditors

A resolution proposing the re-appointment of Mitchell Charlesworth as Auditors will be put to the Annual General Meeting in accordance with Section 384 (1) of the Companies Act 1985.

By Order of the Board

C.W. HOLROYD Secretary

16th December 1986

Mitchell Charlesworth

Chartered Accountants

101 Albert Road Widnes WA8 6LD

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS

OF HOLROYD & MEEK LIMITED

We have audited the financial statements on pages 5 to 15 in accordance with approved auditing standards.

Subject to the foregoing, in our opinion, the financial statements, which have been prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revalaution of land and buildings, give a true and fair view of the state of the Company's affairs at 26th September 1986 and of the profit and source and application of funds for the year ended on that date, and comply with the Companies Act 1985.

MITCHELL CHARLESWORTH

16th December 1986

PROFIT & LOSS ACCOUNT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

		198	<u>6</u>	<u>19</u>	85
	Note	£	£	<u>£</u>	£
Turnover	2		4,610,939		2,787,872
Cost of Sales			3,928,440		2,389,190
Gross Profit			682,499		398,682
Distribution Costs		345,850		194,810	
Administrative Expenses		248,099		194,049	
			(593,949)	(388,859)
Operating Profit	3		88,550		9,823
Interest Payable	5		(19,734))	(19,615)
Profit/(Loss) on Ordinary Activities Before Taxation			68,816		(9,792)
Taxation on Profit on Ordinar Activities	у 6		(23,700))	2,900
Profit/(Loss) for the Financial Year			£45,116		<u>£(6,892</u>)

The Notes on pages 8 to 15 form part of these accounts.

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

		1	1986	1	985
	<u>Note</u>	£	£	<u>£</u>	<u>£</u>
Fixed Assecs					
Tangible Assets	8		210,595		143,059
Current Assets					
Stocks Debtors Cash at Bank & In Hand	9 10	165,821 506,701 137,052		136,339 586,054 1,694	
Creditors		809,574		724,087	
Amounts Falling Due Within One Year	11	852,368		781,956	
Net Current Liabilities			<u>(42,794</u>)		<u>(57,869</u>)
Total Assets Less Current Liabilities		•	167,801		85,190
Creditors					
Amounts Falling Due After More Than One Year	12	`	(84,477)		(56,182)
Provision for Liabilities & Charges					
Deferred Taxation	13		(20,000)		(10,800)
			£63,324		£18,208
Capital & Reserves					
Called Up Share Capital Revaluation Reserve Profit & Loss Account	14 15 15		20,000 17,655 25,669		2 17,655 551
			£63,324		£18,208

The accounts were approved by the Board of Directors on 16th December 1986.

C.W. Holrove

) Directors

A.D. Meek

The Notes on pages 8 to 15 form part of these accounts.

STATEMENT OF SOURCE & APPLICATION OF FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

FOR THE TEAK ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBE	R 1986			
		1986		7005
	<u>£</u> .			1985
Source of Funds	=	£	£	£
Profit/(Loss) Before Taxation				
Adjustment for Items Not		68,816		(9,792)
Involving the Margaret as a con-				
Involving the Movement of Funds: Depreciation				
	27,842		26,380	
Loss on Disposals	<u> 556</u>		2,209	
		28,398		28,589
				20,303
Total Generated from Operations		97,214		18,797
		27,3224		10,797
Funds from Other Sources				
Sale of Tangible Fixed Assets	5,251		7 400	
Increase in Creditors due in	5,251		7,498	
More Than One Year	28,295		F 001	
	20,293	22 546	<u>5,984</u>	
		33,546		<u>13,482</u>
Application of Funds		130,760		32,279
Purchase of Tangible Fixed				
Assets	101,185		67,340	
T		(101, 185)		(67,340)
Increase/(Decrease) in Working				
<u>Capital</u>		£29,575		£(35,061)
_				(100,000)
Components of Increase/(Decrease)				
in Working Capital				
Increase in Stocks		29,482		57,998
(Decrease)/Increase in Debtors		(79,353)		
(Increase) in Creditors due		(15,555)		325,049
Within One Year		(117,930)		(000 000)
		(117,930)		(392,899)
Movement in Net Liquid Funds				
Bank	198,990		(04 (04)	
Cash in Hand			(26,403)	
	(1,614)	10	1,194	
		<u>197,376</u>		<u>(25,209</u>)
				
		£29,575		£(35,061)

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

1. Accounting Policies

The following accounting policies have been used consistently in dealing with items which are considered material to the Company's accounts.

Accounting Convention

The accounts are prepared under the historical cost convention as modified by the revaluation of land and buildings.

Depreciation

Depreciation is provided on all Tangible Fixed Assets other than Freehold Land, at rates calculated to write off the cost of each asset over its expected seful life. Freehold Buildings and assets held under firence leases are written off on a straight line basis, all other assets being written off on a reducing balance basis. The rates of depreciation applied vary as noted below:-

Freehold Buildings 2%
Motor Vehicles 20 - 25%
Plant, Fixtures & Equipment 10 - 25%

Leased Assets

Assets held under leasing agreements that transfer substantially all the risks and rewards of ownership are capitalised, and are depreclated over their expected useful lives. Leasing liabilities are included within creditors as obligations under finance leases. Finance charges are written off over the primary period of the lease so as to give a constant periodic rate of charge on the remaining obligation. Where the value of finance charges is not material they are written off in equal instalments over the period of the lease.

Operating lease rentals are charged to the profit and loss account as they are incurred.

This represents a change in accounting policy from previous years and has been made to enable the Company to comply with the provisions of Statement of Standard Accounting Practice number 21.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

1. Accounting Policies (Continued)

Goodwill

Purchased Goodwill is now written off on acquistion. The previous policy was to amortize such Goodwill over ten years.

Stocks

Stocks are stated at the lower of cost or net realisable value.

Deferred Taxation

Deferred taxation is provided only in respect of timing differences between profits as computed for taxation purposes and profits as stated in the accounts to the extent that there is a reasonable probability that such deferred taxation will be payable within the foreseeable future. Timing differences are due primarily to the excess of accelerated taxation allowances on capital expenditure over the corresponding depreciation charged in the accounts.

Comparative Figures

The comparative figures in these accounts have been restated as necessary to reflect the change in accounting policies relating to leased assets and goodwill.

2. Turnover

Turnover represents the invoiced amount of goods sold, stated net of value added tax.

The Company's turnover arises throughout Britain.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

3.	Operating Profit	1986	<u>1985</u>
		£	£
	This is stated after charging:-	_	
	Directors' Remuneration	41,577	29,303
	Auditors' Remuneration	3,500	4,500
	Depreciation of Owned Assets	7,253	9,338
	Depreciation of Assets Held Under Finance	00 500	17,042
	Leases & Hire Purchase Contracts	20,589 10,350	21,866
	Bad Debts	54,260	4,182
	Operating Lease & Contract Hire Charges	34,200	<u> </u>
4.	Staff Costs	1006	1005
		<u> 1986</u>	<u>1985</u>
		£	£
	Wages & Salaries	198,920	127,831
	Social Security Costs	25,808	13,112
	Other Pension Costs	4,008	4,008
		£228,736	£144,951
			<u></u>
	The average weekly number of employees during	the year was	made up
	as follows:-		
		<u>1986</u>	1985
		No.	No.
	Office & Management	12	11
	Warehousing	8	7
	Distribution	10	8
		30	26
		=======================================	
5.	Interest Payable	1986	1985
٠,	111031050 1071010	£	£
		£	£
	Bank Overdraft	8,752	5,882
	Mortgage	2,336	2,698
	Hire Purchase	3,685	4,803
	Finance Leases	3,858	3,376
	Bank Loan	1,080 216	1,456
	Other Loans	 	
		£19,927	£18,215

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

5. <u>Interest Payable (Continued)</u>

The bank overdraft, other loans, hire purchase and finance lease creditors are wholly repayable within five years. Details of the repayment provisions of the bank loan and mortgage are shown in note 12.

6. Taxation on Profit on Ordinary Activities

The taxation charge/(credit) for the year is as follows:-

		1986	1985
		£	£
	Corporation Tax at Current Rates Deferred Taxation	14,500 <u>9,200</u>	_ <u>(2,900</u>)
		£23,700	£ <u>(2,900</u>)
7.	Intangible Fixed Assets		
		1986	<u>1985</u>
		£	£
	Balance at 1st October 1985:		
	As Previously Stated Prior Year Adjustment (see notes 15 & 16)	4,000 <u>(4,000</u>)	4,500 <u>(4,500</u>)
	Balance at 26th September 1986		****

The Company's accounting policy in relation to purchased goodwill has changed during the year, giving rise to the prior year adjustment. The change in policy is detailed in note 1.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

8. Tangible Fixed Assets

	Freehold Land/Bldgs	Motor Vehicles	Plant Fixtures & Equipment	<u>Total</u>
Cost or Valuation	£	£	£	£
At 1st October 1985 Additions Disposals	48,500 - -	87,740 49,810 (12,553)	41,384 51,375 (475)	177,624 101,185 (13,028)
At 26th September 19	86 48,500	124,997	92,284	265,781
Depreciation				
At 1st October 1985 Charge for the Year Released on Disposal	990 600 s _ =	26,084 15,299 (6,998)	7,491 11,943 (223)	34,565 27,842 (7,221)
At 26th September 19	86 1,590	34,385	19,211	55,186
Net Book Values				
At 26th September 19	86 <u>46,910</u>	90,612	73,073	210,595
At 30th September 19	85 <u>47,510</u>	61,656	33,893	143,059

Included within tangible fixed assets are the following capitalised values and related accumulated depreciation at 26th September 1986 of assets held under finance leases and hire purchase contracts:-

		Motor	Plant Fixtures & Equipment	Tota <u>l</u>	
		<u>Vehicles</u>	<u>£</u>	£	
Capil Depre	calised Value	122,297 (32,352)	55,884 (<u>10,885</u>)	178,181 (43,237)	
		£89,945	£ <u>44,999</u>	£ <u>134,944</u>	
9. Stocl	<u>cs</u>			<u> 1986</u>	1985
				£	£
Good	s for Resale			165,821	136,339

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

10. Debtors

	<u> 1986</u>	<u> 1985</u>
	£	£
Trade Debtors Other Debtors Prepayments	472,475 24,032 10,194	
•	£ <u>506,701</u>	£ <u>586,054</u>
11. Creditors: Amounts Falling Due Within One Year		
·	1986	1985
	£	£
Trade Creditors Directors' Loan Accounts Mortgage Bank Loan (see Note 12) Other Loans Bank Overdraft Social Security	749,182 1,686 545 3,600 4,142 - 9,596	658,691 540 3,600 - 62,018 10,043
Current Taxation	14,500	- 15,079
Hire Purchase Obligations Finance Lease Obligations Accruals	33,479 17,331 18,307	12,389 19,596

The bank overdraft facility is secured by a debenture on the Company's assets and a second charge on the freehold offices and cold store situated at Gordon Street, Chadderton.

£852,368 £781,956

12. Creditors: Amounts Falling Due After More Than One Year

	<u>1986</u>	1985
	£	£
Mortgage Bank Loan Other Loans Hire Purchase Obligations Finance Lease Obligations	14,591 5,383 2,619 41,491 20,393	15,141 7,195 - 9,853 23,993
	£ <u>84,477</u>	£ <u>56,182</u>

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

12. Creditors: Amounts Falling Due After More Than One Year - (Continued)

(i) Mortgage - Norwich General Trust Limited.

The original loan of £16,500 is repayable over fifteen years commencing on 10th January 1984. The loan is secured by a first mortgage on the freehold offices and cold store situated at Gordon Street, Chadderton.

(ii) Bank Loan - The Royal Bank Of Scotland plc.

The original loan of £13,500 is repayable over seven years commencing on 5th March 1984. The loan is secured by a Debenture on the Company's assets (dated 1st November 1983) and a second charge on the freehold offices and cold store situated at Gordon Street, Chadderton.

13. Deferred Taxation

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Deferred Taxation represents a full provision at the small companies rate of taxation of 29% of the potential liability arising on the following timing differences:-

	<u> 1986</u>	<u> 1985</u>
	£	£
Capital Allowances in Advance of Book Depreciation Other Timing Differences Trading Losses	18,400 1,600	12,500 (1,700)
	£20,000	£ <u>10,800</u>

No provision has been made for the potential liability to taxation of £5,300 on the Revaluation Surplus arising on the freehold property as it is not the Company's intention to dispose of the property in the foreseeable future.

NOTES TO THE ACCOUNTS (CONTINUED)

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 26TH SEPTEMBER 1986

14. Share Capital

	Authori	sed No.	Allotted, Called Up & Fully Paid	
	1986	1985	1986	1985
Ordinary Shares of £1 each	20,000	100	20,000	2

The authorised share capital of the Company was increased to 20,000 Ordinary £1 Shares by an ordinary resolution on 17th September 1986. A bonus issue of 9,999 shares for every 1 held was also made on the same date.

15. Reserves

	Revaluation Reserve	Profit & Loss Account
Balances at 1.10.85:	£	£
As Previously Reported Prior Year Adjustment	17,655	4,209 (3,658)
As Restated Retained Profit for the Year Capitalised by Way of Bonus Share Issue (see note 14)		551 45,116
	9772070	(<u>19,998</u>)
	£17,655	£25,669

16. Prior Year Adjustment

The prior year adjustment arises as a result of the changes in accounting policies relating to assets held under finance leases and goodwill. The changes in policy are detailed in note 1 and the prior year adjustment is analysed below:-

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Purchased Goodwill Written Off	4,000
Excess of capitalised value less depreciation	
and charges over payments relating to assets held under finance leases.	(342)
	£3,658

17. Capital Commitments

Since the year end the Company has acquired new tangible fixed assets having a total cost or capitalised value of approximately £69,000. These assets are largely held under hire purchase contracts and in the main represent replacements for owned and contract hired vehicles held at 26th September 1986.