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VISIBLE SUPPLY OF WHEAT

Stocks of Canadian wheat in store or in transit in North America at midnight January 31, 1946 totalled 163,684,415 bushels. This represented a decrease of 7,977,539 bushels compared with the total a week earlier.

	<u>Jan. 31, 1946</u> bu.	<u>Week Previous</u> bu.	<u>Feb. 1, 1945</u> bu.
In Canadian positions	141,796,003	145,958,502	335,056,720
In United States positions	21,888,412	25,703,452	34,754,977
T O T A L	163,684,415	171,661,954	369,811,697

FARMERS' MARKETINGS

The following quantities of wheat and coarse grain were delivered from farms in western Canada:

	<u>Week ended</u> <u>Jan. 31/46</u> bu.	<u>Week</u> <u>Previous</u> bu.	<u>Since Aug. 1</u> <u>1945</u> bu.	<u>Same period</u> <u>year ago 1/</u> bu.
Wheat (except Durum)	1,413,827	2,398,100	180,530,629	241,472,395
Durum wheat	13,241	19,982	3,117,898	5,771,595
Oats	1,659,067	2,582,094	67,227,555	63,010,825
Barley	274,747	394,633	54,696,363	63,259,070
Rye	11,303	16,425	2,612,542	2,817,930
Flaxseed	5,388	13,883	4,543,092	6,583,915

1/ Revised.

GRAIN INSPECTED

FIGURES FOR JANUARY 14, 21, AND 28 NOT RECEIVED

<u>WHEAT</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>OATS</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>BARLEY</u>	<u>Cars</u>
No. 1 Northern		No. 2 C.W.		No. 1 & 2 C.W. 6-row	
No. 2 Northern		No. 3 C.W.		No. 3 C.W. 6-row	
No. 3 Northern		No. 1 Feed		No. 1 & 2 C.W. 2-row	
No. 4 Northern		No. 2 Feed		No. 1 Feed	
No. 5 Wheat		No. 3 Feed		No. 2 Feed	
No. 6 Wheat		Mixed Feed		No. 3 Feed	
Feed Wheat		Toughs		Toughs	
All others					
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	
<u>RYE</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>FLAXSEED</u>	<u>Cars</u>	<u>CORN</u>	<u>Cars</u>
No. 1 & 2 C.W.		No. 1 C.W.		No. 2 C.W. Yellow	
No. 3 C.W.		No. 2 C.W.		No. 3 C.W. Yellow	
No. 4 C.W.		No. 3 C.W.		No. 4 C.W. Yellow	
Toughs		Toughs		Toughs	
All others		All others		All others	
TOTAL		TOTAL		TOTAL	

CANADIAN GRAIN IN STORE - JANUARY 31, 1946

	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
- bushels -						
COUNTRY ELEVATORS						
Manitoba	3,765,000	1,385,000	1,650,000	46,000	231,000	7,077,000
Saskatchewan	24,255,000	6,980,000	3,010,000	232,000	704,000	35,181,000
Alberta	26,635,000	3,385,000	1,325,000	153,000	251,000	31,749,000
TOTAL	54,655,000	11,750,000	5,985,000	431,000	1,186,000	74,007,000
INT. PTE. & MILL	4,922,000	873,000	3,110,000	43,000	170,000	9,118,000
INT. TERMINALS	4,031,700	1,062,832	1,718,346	-	5,729	6,818,607
VANCOUVER-N.WEST.	9,615,798	411,399	252,719	-	-	10,279,916
PRINCE RUPERT	1,373	-	-	-	-	1,373
CHURCHILL	1,877,737	57	-	-	-	1,877,794
PORT WM.-PORT AR.	18,649,337	14,077,083	11,725,440	472,747	1,131,948	46,056,555
TOTAL WEST. DIV.	93,752,945	28,174,371	22,791,505	946,747	2,493,677	148,159,245
EASTERN L. PORTS						
Collingwood	534,603	813,657	450,912	-	-	1,799,172
Midland	3,153,507	52,785	232,958	-	-	3,439,250
Midland, Simcoe	1,756,314	952,261	306,573	-	-	3,015,148
Midland, Tiffin	599,692	253,769	956,896	-	-	1,810,357
Midland, Aberdeen	111,399	378,782	181,620	-	-	671,801
Owen Sound	1,800,410	464,073	1,316,471	-	-	3,580,954
Port McNicoll	2,002,468	1,184,004	1,312,909	237	-	4,499,618
Goderich E. & T.	849,124	392,947	410,919	27,481	127,458	1,807,929
Goderich P.F.M.	328,454	90,500	87,783	-	-	506,737
Sarnia	2,775,343	568,530	893,886	-	-	4,237,759
Pt. Colborne, N.H.B.	1,124,098	187,718	69,330	28,972	-	1,410,118
Pt. Colborne, M.I.	1,369,580	49,246	50,755	9,730	-	1,479,311
Humberstone	1,637,788	-	-	-	-	1,637,788
Toronto	1,526,092	631,912	489,476	-	253,104	2,900,584
Walkerville	331,758	189,734	173,088	16,078	-	710,658
Kingston Elev. Co.	1,450,830	109,557	189,371	-	-	1,749,758
Prescott	633,607	159,109	300,236	-	-	1,092,952
TOTAL	21,985,067	6,478,584	7,423,183	82,498	380,562	36,349,894
EASTERN SBD. PORTS						
Montreal, N.H.B.	4,868,270	1,545,546	529,758	71,603	251,386	7,266,563
Montreal, D.E.	19,188	321,263	246,799	-	-	587,250
Sorel	1,601,012	-	-	-	-	1,601,012
Three Rivers	1,994,061	-	3,504	-	-	1,997,565
Quebec, N.H.B.	1,142,598	18,968	7,266	-	-	1,168,832
West Saint John	1,794,022	-	-	-	-	1,794,022
Saint John, C.N.R.	382,395	20,602	3,666	-	-	406,663
Halifax	960,585	-	-	-	-	960,585
TOTAL	12,762,131	1,906,379	790,993	71,603	251,386	15,782,492
UNITED STATES						
Duluth	-	-	340,990	-	-	340,990
Buffalo	2,606,000	1,571,000	120,000	62,000	-	4,359,000
Buffalo Afloat	3,994,000	-	-	-	-	3,994,000
Erie	234,000	-	-	-	-	234,000
Portland	820,744	-	-	133,920	-	954,664
New York	1,607,000	130,000	-	-	-	1,737,000
Philadelphia	849,420	-	-	-	-	849,420
Baltimore	2,256,274	-	-	46,020	-	2,302,294
Milwaukee	-	-	190,000	-	-	190,000
Afloat other ports	2,283,746	-	-	-	-	2,283,746
TOTAL	14,651,184	1,701,000	650,990	241,940	-	17,245,114
STORAGE AFLOAT	5,090,132	206,080	141,240	-	114,415	5,551,867
IN TRANSIT RAIL	8,205,728	4,180,467	1,115,773	115,498	146,879	13,764,345
IN TRANSIT U.S.A.	7,237,228	-	-	-	-	7,237,228
IN STORE CANADA	141,796,003	40,945,881	32,262,694	1,216,346	3,386,919	219,607,843
IN STORE U.S.A.	21,888,412	1,701,000	650,990	241,940	-	24,482,342
IN STORE CANADA) AND U.S.A.) 1/	163,684,415	42,646,881	32,913,684	1,458,286	3,386,919	244,090,185

1/ Includes 3,234,349 bushels of Durum wheat.

STOCKS IN STORE BY PRINCIPAL GRADES AT PUBLIC, SEMI-PUBLIC AND PRIVATE
TERMINAL AND EASTERN ELEVATORS JANUARY 31, 1946

	Fort William- Port Arthur Elevators	Interior Terminals	Vancouver- New Westmr. & Victoria	Lake & Upper St. Lawrence	Lower St. Lawrence & Maritimes	Total
- bushels -						
WHEAT						
1 Hard	29,462	7,091	-	-	-	36,553
1 Northern	3,437,167	1,911,873	2,794,884	5,112,300	5,660,917	18,917,141
2 Northern	6,820,055	1,893,351	3,161,798	13,476,072	6,487,409	31,838,685
3 Northern	2,456,759	145,402	1,488,792	2,913,337	59,390	7,063,680
4 Northern	539,903	39,320	436,001	2,874,826	418,848	4,308,898
Number 5	172,072	27,675	109,944	591	-	310,282
Number 6	19,486	-	1,130	-	-	20,616
Feed	44,167	656	-	-	-	44,823
1 C.W. Garnet	13,771	-	57,504	-	-	71,275
2 C.W. Garnet	33,104	-	523,915	-	-	557,019
3 C.W. Garnet	43,675	8	290,861	-	-	334,544
Tf. Con. Gds.	2,941,325	174	473,189	-	-	3,414,688
Others	1,017,557	6,150	277,780	520,096	33,243	1,854,826
Eastern	-	-	-	1,567,786	-	1,567,786
1 C.W. Am. Dur.	103,487	-	-	-	-	103,487
2 C.W. Am. Dur.	301,086	-	-	289,351	40,041	630,478
3 C.W. Am. Dur.	258,628	-	-	316,167	62,283	637,078
4 C.W. Am. Dur.	1,390	-	-	4,673	-	6,063
Tough Durum	301,623	-	-	-	-	301,623
Others Durum	114,620	-	-	-	-	114,620
TOTAL	18,649,337	4,031,700	9,615,798	27,075,199	12,762,131	72,134,165
OATS						
2 C.W.	335,060	255,358	293,794	141,797	31,893	1,057,902
Ex. 3 C.W.	1,515,030	17,705	-	585,242	183,098	2,301,075
3 C.W.	3,703,959	127,516	24,461	1,792,202	599,205	6,247,343
Ex. 1 Feed	763,449	64,529	2,407	163,722	292,889	1,286,996
1 Feed	6,326,253	276,404	67,539	3,766,095	772,864	11,209,155
2 Feed	819,213	9,738	12,765	34,624	18,545	894,885
3 Feed	88,687	211	3,383	-	2,027	94,308
Tough	283,789	4,238	4,892	-	5,631	298,550
Others	241,643	307,133	2,158	198,916	227	750,077
Eastern	-	-	-	2,066	-	2,066
TOTAL	14,077,083	1,062,832	411,399	6,684,664	1,906,379	24,142,357
BARLEY						
2 C.W. Six-Row	209,324	-	1,453	-	64	210,841
3 C.W. Six-Row	1,025,637	6,138	1,778	-	2,797	1,036,350
2 C.W. Two-Row	78,668	1,754	-	-	-	80,422
1 Feed	3,031,981	149,807	31,731	1,279,175	141,559	4,634,253
2 Feed	2,662,172	765,416	98,971	122,533	23,795	3,672,887
3 Feed	281,846	406,760	59,588	38,088	-	786,282
Tough	1,652,310	275,052	53,496	1,656	29,425	2,011,939
Others	2,783,502	113,419	5,702	6,122,971	593,353	9,618,947
TOTAL	11,725,440	1,718,346	252,719	7,564,423	790,993	22,051,921
RYE						
2 C.W.	169,164	-	-	29,209	103	198,476
3 C.W.	171,093	-	-	37,040	71,500	279,633
Tough	83,879	-	-	-	-	83,879
Others	48,611	-	-	-	-	48,611
Eastern	-	-	-	16,249	-	16,249
TOTAL	472,747	-	-	82,498	71,603	626,848
FLAXSEED						
1 C.W.	1,046,981	4,821	-	494,166	251,386	1,797,354
2 C.W.	28,478	662	-	571	-	29,711
3 C.W.	18,323	-	-	-	-	18,323
Tough	6,245	28	-	-	-	6,273
Others	31,921	218	-	-	-	32,139
Eastern	-	-	-	240	-	240
TOTAL	1,131,948	5,729	-	494,977	251,386	1,884,040
GRAND TOTAL	46,056,555	6,818,607	10,279,916	41,901,761	15,782,492	120,839,331

COUNTRY ELEVATOR STOCKS, RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS DURING WEEK ENDED JANUARY 31, 1946

COUNTRY ELEVATORS	Wheat (except Durum)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- bushels -						
<u>STOCKS IN STORE</u>						
Manitoba	3,400,000	365,000	1,385,000	1,650,000	46,000	231,000
Saskatchewan	23,235,000	1,020,000	6,980,000	3,010,000	232,000	704,000
Alberta	26,615,000	20,000	3,385,000	1,325,000	153,000	251,000
TOTAL	53,250,000	1,405,000	11,750,000	5,985,000	431,000	1,186,000
Total - A Week Ago	55,470,000	1,440,000	11,960,000	6,190,000	444,000	1,218,000
A Year Ago	178,555,000	2,075,000	13,880,000	9,300,000	916,000	1,329,000

<u>RECEIPTS DURING WEEK</u>						
Manitoba	127,409	2,113	193,421	93,095	283	3,501
Saskatchewan	620,213	11,128	1,039,928	103,318	5,814	1,524
Alberta	635,536	-	411,426	75,956	5,206	150
TOTAL	1,383,158	13,241	1,644,775	272,369	11,303	5,175
Total - A Week Ago 1/	2,383,127	19,884	2,570,916	390,342	16,425	13,689
A Year Ago	5,253,075	107,646	5,880,490	1,187,654	58,843	17,085

<u>SHIPMENTS DURING WEEK</u>						
Manitoba	237,737	13,689	247,827	192,911	2,540	11,091
Saskatchewan	1,361,892	40,130	1,206,834	195,291	9,992	14,663
Alberta	2,016,781	-	440,723	117,878	13,692	14,142
TOTAL	3,616,410	53,819	1,895,384	506,080	26,224	39,896
Total - A Week Ago 1/	4,328,225	32,274	2,798,687	696,981	22,185	58,349
A Year Ago	2,937,233	55,088	4,959,806	1,886,731	59,855	56,062

1/ Revised.

TOTAL FARMERS' MARKETINGS, INCLUDING LOADINGS OVER PLATFORMS, IN WESTERN CANADA
AUGUST 1, 1945 TO JANUARY 31, 1946

	Wheat (except Durum)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- bushels -						
Manitoba	23,192,523	997,504	10,739,466	20,215,068	188,238	1,586,556
Saskatchewan	105,781,989	2,095,617	41,434,058	26,307,071	1,537,920	2,455,877
Alberta	51,556,117	24,777	15,054,031	8,174,224	886,384	500,659
TOTAL	180,530,629	3,117,898	67,227,555	54,696,363	2,612,542	4,543,092

FORT WILLIAM AND PORT ARTHUR

(Licensed capacity of Terminal elevators and temporary annexes 145,530,210 bushels)

	In Store Jan. 31/46	Week's Receipts	Week's Shipments Lake	Rail	Shipments since Aug. 1 Lake	Rail
- bushels -						
Common wheat	17,568,503	1,524,826	-	682,852	178,152,166	7,131,820
Durum wheat	1,080,834	38,773	-	1,500	3,133,029	56,022
Oats	14,077,083	2,237,258	-	370,914	33,721,038	4,850,392
Barley	11,725,440	284,535	-	249,714	24,277,225	2,874,718
Rye	472,747	12,185	-	4,500	2,042,715	253,859
Flaxseed	1,131,948	50,966	-	67,035	2,437,903	791,746
TOTAL	46,056,555	4,148,543	-	1,376,515	243,764,076	15,958,557

	Common Wheat	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- bushels -						
Receipts since August 1/45	152,389,052	2,944,091	39,584,577	35,865,953	2,148,013	3,420,061

DAILY CLOSING PRICES AND WEEKLY AVERAGES OF CASH GRAIN QUOTATIONS BY GRADES ON
ON THE WINNIPEG GRAIN EXCHANGE WEEK ENDED JANUARY 31, 1946

(Basis in Store Fort William-Port Arthur)

	Jan. 25	Jan. 26	Jan. 28	Jan. 29	Jan. 30	Jan. 31	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -							
<u>WHEAT (Other than Durum)</u>							
No. 1 Man. Hard							125
No. 1 Man. Northern							125
No. 2 Man. Northern							122
No. 3 Man. Northern							120
No. 4 Man. Northern							115
Number 5							112
Number 6							108
Feed							106
Tough No. 1 Hard							122
Tough No. 1 Northern							122
Tough No. 2 Northern							119
Tough No. 3 Northern							117
Rejected No. 1 Northern							114
Rejected No. 2 Northern							111
Rejected No. 3 Northern							109
Smutty No. 1 Northern							115
Smutty No. 2 Northern							112
Smutty No. 3 Northern							110
No. 1 C.W. Garnet							120
No. 2 C.W. Garnet							118
No. 3 C.W. Garnet							116
No. 1 Alberta Red Winter							135
No. 2 Alberta Winter							134
No. 3 Alberta Winter							131
<u>DURUM WHEAT</u>							
No. 1 C.W. Amber							125
No. 2 C.W. Amber							122
No. 3 C.W. Amber							120
<u>OATS</u>							
No. 2 C.W.	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
No. Ex. 3 C.W.	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
No. 3 C.W.	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
No. 1 Feed	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4	51/4
No. 2 Feed	50/4	50/4	50/4	50/4	50/4	50/4	50/4
No. 3 Feed	49	49	49	49	49	49	49
<u>BARLEY</u>							
No. 1 C.W. Six-Row							64/6
No. 2 C.W. Six-Row							64/6
No. 3 C.W. Six-Row							64/6
No. 1 C.W. Two-Row							64/6
No. 2 C.W. Two-Row							64/6
No. 1 Feed							64/6
No. 2 Feed							64/6
No. 3 Feed							64/6
<u>RYE</u>							
No. 2 C.W.	215/3	218/4	223/4	225	221	225/4	221/3
No. 3 C.W.	210/3	213/4	218/4	220	216	220/4	216/3
No. 4 C.W.	200/3	203/4	203/4	205	202/4	207	203/4
Ergoty	190/3	193/4	193/4	195	191	195/4	193/1
Rejected No. 2 C.W.	190/3	193/4	193/4	195	191	195/4	193/1
<u>FLAXSEED</u>							
No. 1 C.W.							275
No. 2 C.W.							271
No. 3 C.W.							262
No. 4 C.W.							258

FIXED PRICES

PRICES UNCHANGED ALL WEEK

FIXED PRICES FOR SEASON 1945-46

ONTARIO GRAIN STOCKS

IN STORE AT	Wheat	Oats	Rye	Flaxseed	Corn	Buckwheat	Soybean
				- bushels -			
Goderich	78,265	"	"	"	"	"	82,370
Sarnia	204,598	"	"	"	"	"	"
Port Colborne ^{1/}	473,116	2,052	171	"	49,540	5,453	"
Toronto	784,028	"	"	240	48,114	"	194,099
Walkerville	27,776	14	16,078	"	221,980	"	366
Prescott	"	"	"	"	35,832	"	"
Montreal	"	"	"	"	3,392	9,623	"
T O T A L	1,567,783	2,066	16,249	240	358,857	15,076	276,835

^{1/} Includes Humberstone.

DAILY QUOTATIONS AND WEEKLY AVERAGES OF ONTARIO WHEAT AND COARSE GRAIN DELIVERED IN
CARLOTS AT MONTREAL AND TORONTO WEEK ENDED JANUARY 31, 1946

	Jan. 25	Jan. 26	Jan. 28	Jan. 29	Jan. 30	Jan. 31	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -							

MONTREAL

No. 1 White Wheat	126	126	126	126	126	126	126
No. 2 White Wheat	125	125	125	125	125	125	125
No. 3 White Wheat	123	123	123	123	123	123	123

TORONTO

Oats, good, sound, heavy	51	51	51	51	51	51	51
Barley, good malting	78	78	78	78	78	78	78
Rye No. 2	174	175	175	180	180	182	177/5
Corn, Natural 27% Moisture	107	107	107	107	107	107	107
Corn, Yellow 15% Moisture	127	127	127	127	127	127	127
Buckwheat	75	75	75	75	75	75	75
Mixed Grain	50	50	50	50	50	50	50

STOCKS OF UNITED STATES GRAIN IN CANADA, JANUARY 31, 1946

	Corn	Soybean
	- bushels -	
Port McNicoll	128	"
Toronto	99,956	"
Montreal	892	"
T O T A L	100,976	
Same period last year	179,385	74,131

SHIPMENTS OF CANADIAN GRAIN TO UNITED STATES

Week ended January 31, 1946

	Pacific Coast Terminals	Western Elevators	Fort William- Port Arthur	Eastern Elevators	Total
	- bushels -				
<u>OATS</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	2,352	23,803	18,468	65,882	110,505
<u>BARLEY</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	-	1,595	-	-	1,595
<u>FLAXSEED</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	-	2,170	-	-	2,170

TOTAL SHIPMENTS SINCE AUGUST 1, 1945

Wheat	15,000	83,356	54,765,420	4,771,729	59,635,505
Oats	383,222	557,920	12,836,911	1,039,846	14,817,899
Barley	-	215,730	3,958,304	1,666	4,175,700
Rye	-	-	1,469,268	-	1,469,268
Flaxseed	-	2,170	365,250	-	367,420

CANADIAN CORN AND WESTERN SUNFLOWER SEED

Receipts, Shipments and Stocks week ended January 31, 1946

	Western Elevators	Fort William- Port Arthur	Eastern Elevators	Total
<u>CANADIAN WESTERN CORN (bushels)</u>				
Receipts during week	1,025	-	-	
Receipts Aug. 1 to date	41,984	-	-	
Shipments during week	4,532	-	-	
Stocks in Store	49,477	795	-	50,272
<u>CANADIAN EASTERN CORN</u>				
Receipts during week	-	-	145,494	
Receipts Aug. 1 to date	-	-	814,694	
Shipments during week	-	-	84,934	
Stocks in Store	-	6,945	358,858	365,803
<u>CANADIAN WESTERN SUNFLOWER SEED (pounds)</u>				
Receipts during week	-	-	-	
Receipts Aug. 1 to date	393,912	-	-	
Shipments during week	-	-	-	
Stocks in Store	5,426,051	31,710	-	5,457,761

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