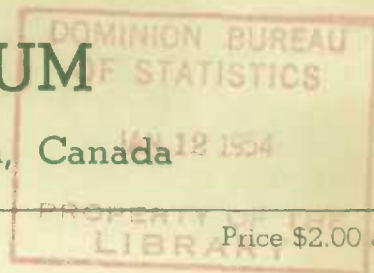


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Visible Supply of Canadian Wheat at Close of Business,  
December 30, 1953 Compared with Previous Week and Year

Position	Dec. 30,	Dec. 23,	Dec. 30,
	1953	1953	1952
	- thousand bushels -		
Country Elevators	206,073	200,909	138,720
Interior private and mill	6,429	6,171	5,764
Interior terminals	13,539	13,412	6,313
Vancouver-New Westminster	8,967	9,670	7,564
Victoria	107	418	-
Prince Rupert	357	313	-
Churchill	2,516	2,516	2,048
Fort William-Port Arthur	42,798	38,854	15,824
Storage Afloat	195	195	1,186
In transit rail (Western Division)	17,824	17,332	24,176
Bay, Lake and Upper St. Lawrence Ports	38,747	39,765	28,518
Lower St. Lawrence and Maritime Ports	17,819	18,397	8,545
Storage Afloat	18,218	18,491	11,312
In transit rail (Eastern Division)	4,266	3,459	1,241
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In store Canada	377,855	369,902	251,210
In store U.S.A.	1,042	1,161	3,639
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Totals	378,897	371,064	254,849

Farmers' Marketings of Wheat and Coarse Grains in the Prairie Provinces

Grain	Week Ending			Aug. 1-	Aug. 1-
	Dec. 30/53	Dec. 23/53	Dec. 30/52	Dec. 30/53	Dec. 30/52
	- thousand bushels -				
Wheat (ex. Dur.)	12,291	25,465	8,064	222,908	244,959
Durum wheat	40	57	109	5,640	5,588
All wheat	12,331	25,522	8,173	228,548	250,547
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Oats	2,400	2,527	2,332	44,162	46,619
Barley	2,679	4,581	3,655	54,374	81,667
Rye	237	458	230	5,974	8,921
Flaxseed	52	47	72	6,137	6,820
Totals	17,699	33,134	14,461	339,194	394,574

Visible Supply of Canadian Grain at Close of Business,  
December 30, 1953

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Western Division</u>						
Country Elevators						
Manitoba	20,769	2,290	5,853	425	247	29,585
Saskatchewan	117,483	6,031	10,608	1,489	245	135,857
Alberta	67,820	7,356	18,831	1,132	220	95,360
Totals	206,073	15,678	35,292	3,047	713	260,803
Int. Pte. & Mill	6,429	669	2,297	16	18	9,429
Int. Terminals	13,539	28	676	2	27	14,272
Vancouver-New West.	8,967	402	3,944	23	101	13,437
Victoria	107	-	1	-	-	109
Prince Rupert	357	1	8	-	-	367
Churchill	2,516	1	-	-	-	2,517
Ft. Wm.-Pt. Ar.	42,798	4,243	7,091	1,091	2,324	57,548
Storage Afloat	195	-	-	-	-	195
In Transit Rail	17,824	3,060	2,340	514	362	24,100
Totals, West. Div.	298,805	24,082	51,649	4,693	3,545	382,776
<u>Eastern Division</u>						
Bay, Lake & Upper St. Lawrence Ports						
Port McNicoll	5,628	9	1/	-	-	5,637
Midland	2,540	98	59	-	-	2,696
Midland, Simcoe	3,441	316	211	-	-	3,968
Midland, Tiffin	4,468	2	1	-	-	4,471
Midland, Aberdeen	601	161	134	-	-	896
Collingwood	1,277	529	90	-	-	1,896
Owen Sound	2,946	544	286	-	-	3,775
Goderich, E.&T.	1,282	1,185	797	86	-	3,349
Sarnia	4,543	272	262	-	-	5,077
Walkerville	292	556	118	66	-	1,032
Pt. Colborne, N.H.B.	2,711	225	182	14	-	3,131
Pt. Colborne, M.L.	955	233	59	34	-	1,280
Humberstone	1,838	-	-	-	-	1,838
Toronto	1,409	391	449	15	156	2,420
Kingston Elev. Co.	1,656	72	71	-	-	1,799
Prescott	3,162	470	458	-	-	4,090
Totals	38,747	5,063	3,176	215	156	47,357

Visible Supply of Canadian Grain at Close of Business,  
December 30, 1953

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
- thousand bushels -						
Lower St. Lawrence & Maritime Ports						
Montreal, N.H.B.	6,269	943	2,461	1,047	230	10,951
Montreal, Dom.El.Ltd.	297	3	107	-	-	406
Sorel	2,634	10	1/	-	-	2,644
Three Rivers	2,044	-	-	-	-	2,044
Quebec, N.H.B.	2,225	387	562	-	-	3,174
West Saint John	1,771	-	32	1/	289	2,092
Saint John	483	-	1	-	-	485
Halifax	2,096	-	-	-	-	2,096
Totals	17,819	1,343	3,164	1,047	519	23,892
Storage Afloat	18,218	1,069	1,929	57	369	21,641 ✓
In Transit Rail	4,266	17	432	-	290	5,004 ✓
Totals, East. Div.	79,050	7,492	8,700	1,319	1,333	97,894
Totals, Canada	377,855	31,574	60,349	6,012	4,879	480,670 ✓
<u>United States</u>						
United States Ports						
Buffalo	672	-	-	257	-	929
Buffalo Afloat	278	5,937	90	505	-	6,811
Detroit Afloat	-	-	222	-	-	222
Duluth	27	-	121	-	-	148
Erie Afloat	-	554	-	-	-	554
Huron Afloat	-	619	-	-	-	619
Manitowac Afloat	-	-	275	-	-	275
Milwaukee Afloat	-	433	2,756	-	-	3,190
Oswego Afloat	-	-	-	228	-	228
Toledo Afloat	-	1,516	-	-	-	1,516
Seaboard Unknown	65	-	-	301	-	366
Totals, U.S.A.	1,042	9,059	3,465	1,292	-	14,857
Totals, Canada & U.S.A.	378,897 2/	40,633	63,814	7,304	4,879	495,527

1/ Less than 500 bushels

2/ Includes 6,493,000 bushels of Durum wheat

Canadian Eastern Grain in Store Eastern Elevators, December 30, 1953

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed	Corn	Buck- wheat	Soy- beans
	- thousand bushels -							
Collingwood	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Goderich, E.&T.	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sarnia	242	-	-	-	-	76	-	1
Walkerville	108	-	-	11	-	158	-	-
Pt. Colborne <u>1/</u>	972	-	-	-	-	55	5	-
<b>Toronto</b>	336	-	-	15	1	158	-	<b>363</b>
Kingston	-	-	-	-	-	300	-	-
Prescott	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Montreal, N.H.B.	829	86	206	1	-	183	6	-
Montreal, D.E.	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
Quebec	193	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
West Saint John	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2,745</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>938</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>364</b>
December 30, 1952	2,149	5	342	163	52	1,451	160	867

1/ Includes Humberstone

United States and Foreign Grain in Store Eastern Elevators, December 30, 1953

Position	Oats	Corn	Soy- beans	Argentine Oats
	- thousand bushels -			
Goderich, E.&T.	-	21	-	-
Sarnia	-	-	180	-
Prescott	-	634	-	-
Montreal, N.H.B.	-	377	-	-
Quebec	92	92	-	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,124</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>-</b>
December 30, 1952	<u>1/</u>	1,428	770	1

1/ Less than 500 bushels

Stocks in Store by Principal Grades, at Public and Semi-Public Terminals  
and Eastern Elevators, December 30, 1953

Grain and Grade	Interior Terms.	Pacific Seaboard	Ft. William- Pt. Arthur Elevators	Eastern Elevators			
				Bay & Upper Lake	Lower Lake & Upper St. Lawr.	Lower St. Lawr.	Mari- time Ports
- thousand bushels -							
<u>Wheat (ex. Dur.)</u>							
1 Northern	88	1,353	3,799	2,726	143	322	58
2 Northern	4,628	3,266	21,154	20,525	11,457	9,173	2,901
3 Northern	2,148	2,219	6,644	8,075	3,066	1,516	1,285
4 Northern	809	805	680	949	945	458	50
No. 5 Wheat	5,169	622	1,137	1,380	451	1,138	37
No. 6 Wheat	22	101	421	724	26	50	10
Feed Wheat	-	6	166	23	-	1	-
1 C.W. Garnet	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
2 C.W. Garnet	33	122	36	-	137	-	-
3 C.W. Garnet	68	661	94	-	207	-	-
Tough Contract	475	83	3,175	131	100	-	-
Others	100	192	3,791	501	603	302	-
Eastern	-	-	-	409	1,308	1,023	6
<b>Totals</b>	<b>13,539</b>	<b>9,431</b>	<b>41,100</b>	<b>35,442</b>	<b>18,442</b>	<b>13,983</b>	<b>4,347</b>
<u>Durum</u>							
1 C.W. Amber	-	-	25	-	-	-	-
2 C.W. Amber	-	-	63	1/	11	1/	-
3 C.W. Amber	-	-	1,441	1,613	150	478	4
4 C.W. Amber	-	-	95	62	5	-	1/
Tough	-	-	25	-	-	-	-
Others	-	-	244	125	124	-	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,894</b>	<b>1,801</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>478</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Totals, Wheat</b>	<b>13,539</b>	<b>9,431</b>	<b>42,993</b>	<b>37,243</b>	<b>18,731</b>	<b>14,460</b>	<b>4,350</b>
<u>Oats</u>							
2 C.W.	-	1	29	-	-	2	-
Ex. 3 C.W.	-	-	229	746	-	-	-
3 C.W.	4	32	868	175	42	23	-
Ex. 1 Feed	-	177	1,010	1,481	25	7	-
1 Feed	2	117	1,737	2,197	1,240	906	-
2 Feed	1/	5	98	-	142	203	-
3 Feed	-	1/	17	-	-	-	-
Mixed Feed	6	17	140	81	3	65	-
Tough	1/	43	7	-	-	-	-
Others	15	10	50	-	-	52	-
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	86	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>403</b>	<b>4,184</b>	<b>4,681</b>	<b>1,452</b>	<b>1,343</b>	<b>-</b>

Stocks in Store by Principal Grades at Public and Semi-Public Terminals  
and Eastern Elevators, December 30, 1953 (concluded)

Grain and Grade	Interior Terms.	Pacific Seaboard	Ft. William- Pt. Arthur Elevators	Eastern Elevators			
				Bay & Upper Lake	Lower Lake & Upper St. Lawr.	Lower St. Lawr.	Mari- time Ports
- thousand bushels -							
<u>Barley</u>							
2 C.W. Six-Row	-	6	29	-	-	-	-
3 C.W. Six-Row	<u>1/</u>	2,152	2,422	-	90	450	-
4 C.W. Six-Row	1	80	221	-	-	-	-
2 C.W. Two-Row	-	8	60	-	-	-	-
3 C.W. Two-Row	-	306	632	-	-	5	-
1 Feed	2	892	1,209	1,401	257	1,481	-
2 Feed	2	278	635	2,040	900	249	32
3 Feed	3	19	191	94	16	400	1
Tough	1	144	317	-	19	218	-
Others	666	69	461	154	134	122	-
Eastern	-	-	-	-	-	206	-
Totals	676	3,954	6,178	3,689	1,416	3,130	34
<u>Rye</u>							
2 C.W.	-	19	261	176	34	192	<u>1/</u>
3 C.W.	-	-	549	22	14	781	-
Tough	-	1	94	-	-	-	-
Others	2	2	187	-	-	74	-
Eastern	-	-	-	11	15	1	-
Totals	2	23	1,091	209	63	1,047	<u>1/</u>
<u>Flaxseed</u>							
1 C.W.	27	95	2,167	-	383	230	289
2 C.W.	-	6	59	-	-	<u>1/</u>	-
3 C.W.	-	-	25	-	-	-	-
Tough	-	-	17	-	-	-	-
Others	<u>1/</u>	-	57	-	141	-	-
Eastern	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Totals	27	101	2,324	-	525	230	289
Totals, Stocks	14,272	13,912	56,771	45,821	22,186	20,211	4,673

1/ Less than 500 bushels



Country Elevator Stocks, Receipts and Shipments, Week Ending December 30, 1953

Province	Wheat (ex.Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Stocks in Store</u>						
Manitoba	20,624	145	2,290	5,853	425	247
Saskatchewan	116,743	740	6,031	10,608	1,489	245
Alberta	67,687	134	7,356	18,831	1,132	220
Totals	205,054	1,019	15,678	35,292	3,047	713
Totals - Week Ago	199,862	1,047	14,962	34,339	2,965	742
Year Ago	136,938	1,783	25,121	35,505	3,862	1,222
<u>Receipts</u>						
Manitoba	1,016	2	477	721	38	11
Saskatchewan	7,631	36	1,177	859	95	15
Alberta	3,486	2	730	1,091	104	26
Totals	12,133	40	2,383	2,671	237	51
Totals - Week Ago	25,310	54	2,520	4,576	456	43
Year Ago	7,949	108	2,318	3,596	229	70
<u>Shipments</u>						
Manitoba	554	3	375	471	26	17
Saskatchewan	5,030	59	839	593	80	17
Alberta	1,345	7	526	657	50	47
Totals	6,928	68	1,741	1,721	155	80
Totals - Week Ago	9,444	121	1,343	1,575	175	51
Year Ago	12,409	198	2,051	3,371	472	187

Farmers' Marketings, Including Interior Private and Mill and Platform Loadings in the Prairie Provinces, December 30, 1953

Province	Wheat (ex.Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
Manitoba	23,917	572	8,888	16,730	937	2,655
Saskatchewan	136,640	4,811	21,727	18,811	3,361	2,029
Alberta	62,351	257	13,548	18,832	1,676	1,452
Totals	222,908	5,640	44,162	54,374	5,974	6,137

Grain Deliveries from Farms in the Prairie Provinces  
August 1 to December 30 (approx.) 1/

Crop Year	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
- million bushels -						
1940-41	280.8	15.5	12.1	2.6	1.9	312.9
1941-42	150.0	20.4	20.5	4.3	3.9	199.1
1942-43	144.4	47.4	40.8	3.7	10.2	246.6
1943-44	117.6	61.8	49.2	1.6	13.4	243.7
1944-45	220.0	40.5	57.1	2.6	6.4	326.6
1945-46	168.8	50.4	52.2	2.5	4.4	278.3
1946-47	234.5	53.9	42.0	4.4	4.7	339.5
1947-48	191.2	51.0	51.1	9.2	9.1	312.0
1948-49	230.7	51.8	46.0	12.2	12.5	353.1
1949-50	239.3	59.2	43.2	6.3	1.3	349.4
1950-51	238.5	51.3	53.1	6.0	2.6	351.5
1951-52	221.9	45.1	57.3	6.0	4.8	335.1
1952-53 <u>2/</u>	250.5	46.6	81.7	8.9	6.8	394.6
1953-54 <u>2/</u>	228.5	44.2	54.4	6.0	6.1	339.2

1/ Since marketing data are compiled on a weekly basis the length of the period included varies slightly from year to year.

2/ Subject to revision.

Fort William-Port Arthur - Stocks, Receipts and Shipments  
(Licensed capacity of semi-public & private terminal elevators, 92,952,000 bushels)

Item	Wheat (ex. Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
Stocks in store Dec. 30/53	41,100	1,894	4,243	7,091	1,091	2,324
Receipts during week	3,901	106	879	838	136	39
Shipments during week						
Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail	60	2	131	207	-	37
Milled and Processed	-	-	24	23	-	-
Receipts Aug. 1-Dec. 30/53	83,066	6,344	60,199	52,297	6,361	5,988
Shipments Aug. 1-Dec. 30/53						
Lake	69,923	4,913	58,428	53,691	11,686	3,660
Rail	734	315	1,991	1,422	66	641
Milled and Processed	7	-	758	472	6	<u>1/</u>

1/ Less than 500 bushels

Canadian Wheat Board and Winnipeg Grain Exchange Daily Cash Quotations  
Week Ending January 1, 1954

Grain and Grade	Dec. 28	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 1	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

Canadian Wheat Board Quotations 1/

Wheat 2/

HOLIDAY

Initial Payment to Producers

1 Northern	140	140	140	140	140
2 Northern	137	137	137	137	137
3 Northern	134	134	134	134	134
4 Northern	126	126	126	126	126
No. 5 Wheat	112	112	112	112	112
No. 6 Wheat	106	106	106	106	106
Feed Wheat	100	100	100	100	100
1 C.W. Garnet	134	134	134	134	134
2 C.W. Garnet	131	131	131	131	131
1 Alberta Red Winter	137	137	137	137	137
2 Alberta Winter	134	134	134	134	134
1 C.W. Amber Durum	150	150	150	150	150
2 C.W. Amber Durum	147	147	147	147	147
3 C.W. Amber Durum	140	140	140	140	140

International Wheat Agreement and Domestic Sales

1 Northern	188/1	188/4	189	188/5	188/5
2 Northern	184/1	184/4	185	184/5	184/5
3 Northern	180/1	180/4	181	180/5	180/5
4 Northern	175/1	175/4	176	175/5	175/5
No. 5 Wheat	165	165	165	165	165
No. 6 Wheat	163	163	163	163	163
Feed Wheat	161	161	161	161	161
1 C.W. Garnet	183/1	183/4	184	183/5	183/5
2 C.W. Garnet	179/1	179/4	180	179/5	179/5
3 C.W. Garnet	174/1	174/4	175	174/5	174/5
1 Alberta Red Winter	188/1	188/4	189	188/5	188/5
2 Alberta Winter	184/1	184/4	185	184/5	184/5
3 Alberta Winter	180/1	180/4	181	180/5	180/5
1 C.W. Amber Durum 3/	199/1	199/4	200	199/5	199/5
2 C.W. Amber Durum 3/	197/1	197/4	198	197/5	197/5
3 C.W. Amber Durum 3/	196/1	196/4	197	196/5	196/5

Class 2 Exports

1 Northern	188/1	188/4	189	188/5	188/5
2 Northern	184/1	184/4	185	184/5	184/5
3 Northern	180/1	180/4	181	180/5	180/5
4 Northern	175/1	175/4	176	175/5	175/5
No. 5 Wheat	165	165	165	165	165
No. 6 Wheat	163	163	163	163	163
Feed Wheat	161	161	161	161	161
1 C.W. Amber Durum	295	295	295	295	295
2 C.W. Amber Durum	293	293	293	293	293
3 C.W. Amber Durum	292	292	292	292	292

Canadian Wheat Board and Winnipeg Grain Exchange Daily Quotations  
Week Ending **January 1, 1954**

Grain and Grade	Dec. 28	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 1	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

Canadian Wheat Board Quotations 1/

Oats 4/

HOLIDAY

Initial Payment to Producers

2 C.W.	65	65	65	65	65	65
Ex. 3 C.W.	62	62	62	62	62	62
3 C.W.	62	62	62	62	62	62
Ex. 1 Feed	62	62	62	62	62	62
1 Feed	60	60	60	60	60	60
2 Feed	55	55	55	55	55	55
3 Feed	48	48	48	48	48	48

Domestic and Export 5/

2 C.W.	71/6	72/6	73/2	73/6	72/7
Ex. 3 C.W.	69	70	70/4	71	70/1
3 C.W.	68/4	69/4	70	70/4	69/5
Ex. 1 Feed	68/4	69/4	70	70/4	69/5
1 Feed	67	67/4	68	68/4	67/6
2 Feed	66/2	66/4	67	67/4	66/7
3 Feed	63/4	63/4	64	64/4	63/7

Barley 4/

Initial Payment to Producers

1 C.W. Six-Row	98	98	98	98	98
2 C.W. Six-Row	98	98	98	98	98
3 C.W. Six-Row	96	96	96	96	96
4 C.W. Six-Row	90	90	90	90	90
1 C.W. Two-Row	91	91	91	91	91
2 C.W. Two-Row	91	91	91	91	91
3 C.W. Two-Row	88	88	88	88	88
1 Feed	87	87	87	87	87
2 Feed	82	82	82	82	82
3 Feed	75	75	75	75	75

Domestic and Export 5/

1 C.W. Six-Row	111/4	113	112/6	113/2	112/5
2 C.W. Six-Row	111/4	113	112/6	113/2	112/5
3 C.W. Six-Row	109/4	111	110/6	111/2	110/5
4 C.W. Six-Row	93/4	95	94/6	95/2	94/5
1 C.W. Two-Row	103/4	105	104/6	105/2	104/5
2 C.W. Two-Row	103/4	105	104/6	105/2	104/5
3 C.W. Two-Row	99/4	101	100/6	101/2	100/5
1 Feed	89/4	91	90/6	91/2	90/5
2 Feed	88	89/4	89/2	89/6	89/1
3 Feed	85	86/4	86/2	86/6	86/1

Canadian Wheat Board and Winnipeg Grain Exchange Daily Cash Quotations  
Week Ending January 11, 1954

Grain and Grade	Dec. 28	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 1	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

Winnipeg Grain Exchange Cash Quotations 4/ 6/

Oats

HOLIDAY

Domestic and Export

2 C.W.	71/2	71/6	72/6	73/1	72/2
Ex. 3 C.W.	68/2	68/6	69/6	70/3	69/2
3 C.W.	68/2	68/6	69/6	69/7	69/1
Ex. 1 Feed	68/2	68/6	69/6	69/7	69/1
1 Feed	66/2	66/7	67/6	67/7	67/2
2 Feed	65	65/6	66/2	66/7	66
3 Feed	63	63/2	63/2	63/7	63/3

Barley

Domestic and Export

1 C.W. Six-Row	105/3	105/6	106/4	108/2	106/4
2 C.W. Six-Row	105/3	105/6	106/4	108/2	106/4
3 C.W. Six-Row	102/3	102/6	103/4	105/2	103/4
4 C.W. Six-Row	92/3	92/6	93/4	94/2	93/2
1 C.W. Two-Row	100/3	100/6	101/4	104/2	101/6
2 C.W. Two-Row	100/3	100/6	101/4	104/2	101/6
3 C.W. Two-Row	97/3	97/6	98/4	99/2	98/2
1 Feed	89/3	89/6	90/4	90/6	90/1
2 Feed	87/3	87/6	88/4	89/4	88/2
3 Feed	84/3	84/6	85/4	86/2	85/2

Rye

Producers', Domestic and Export Prices

2 C.W.	102/7	102	100/5	100/5	101/4
3 C.W.	97/7	97	95/5	95/5	96/4
4 C.W.	88/7	88	86/5	86/5	87/4
Ergoty	86/7	86	84/5	84/5	85/4

Flaxseed

Producers', Domestic and Export Prices

1 C.W.	286/6	288/6	287	286/7	287/3
2 C.W.	281/6	283/6	282	282/3	282/4
3 C.W.	271/6	273/6	272	271/7	272/3

- 1/ The Canadian Wheat Board quotations are the prices fixed daily by the Wheat Board
- 2/ Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur or Vancouver
- 3/ Domestic Durums 10 cents higher
- 4/ Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur
- 5/ Local sales and spot sales subject to confirmation
- 6/ The Winnipeg Grain Exchange quotations are the closing quotations for spot grain

Winnipeg Grain Futures, Closing Quotations

Grain and Grade	Dec. 28	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 1
- cents and eighths per bushel -					
<u>Oats</u>					
December	71/2	71/6	72/6	72/7	<u>HOLIDAY</u>
May	71/1	71/3	71/3	71/7	
July	68/5	69/1	69	69/2	
<u>Barley</u>					
December	93/3	93/6	94/4	95/1	
May	94/5	94/7	94/6	95/2	
July	93/4	93/6	93/2	93/6	
<u>Rye</u>					
December	102/7	102	100/5	101/6	
May	106/5	105/4	105/1-1/2	105/1	
July	106/7	105/5	104/5	105/5	
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
December	286/6	288/6	287	287	
May	287/6	290	288	288/3	
July	283/6	285/5	282/6	283/3	

Daily Quotations and Weekly Average Prices of Ontario Grain

Grain and Grade	Dec. 21	Dec. 22	Dec. 23	Dec. 24	Dec. 25	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -						
Wheat, Ontario Winter						
No. 2 and better	165	165	165	165	<u>HOLIDAY</u>	165
No. 3	162	162	162	162		162
Oats, No. 2 White	68	68	68	68		68
Barley, Ontario, good malting	110	110	110	110		110
Rye, No. 2 Ontario	100	100	100	100		100
Corn, Ont. Yellow No. 2, 15.5% moisture (natural or kiln dried)	145	145	145	145		145
Buckwheat, Tough No. 3, 18% moisture	72	72	72	72		72
Mixed grain	65	65	65	65		65
Flaxseed, No. 1	282	283	282	284		282/6
Soybeans, No. 2 and better	271	269	269	272		270/2

BASIS OF QUOTATIONS: Buying prices, carlots; corn and soybeans - f.o.b. Chatham; flaxseed - delivered in Toronto; all others - f.o.b. Ontario shipping points.

Daily Quotations and Weekly Average Prices of Ontario Grain

Grain and Grade	Dec. 28	Dec. 29	Dec. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 1	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -						
Wheat, Ontario Winter						
No. 2 and better	165	165	165	165	<u>HOLIDAY</u>	165
No. 3	162	162	162	162		162
Oats, No. 2 White	68	68	68	68		68
Barley, Ontario, good malting	110	110	110	110		110
Rye, No. 2 Ontario	100	100	100	100		100
Corn, Ont. Yellow No. 2, 15.5% moisture (natural or kiln dried)	145	145	145	145		145
Buckwheat, Tough No. 3, 18% moisture	72	72	72	72		72
Mixed Grain	65	65	65	65		65
Flaxseed, No. 1	291	293	292	292		292
Soybeans, No. 2 and better	283	280	278	282		281/1

BASIS OF QUOTATIONS: Buying prices, carlots: corn and soybeans - f.o.b. Chatham; flaxseed - delivered in Toronto; all others - f.o.b. Ontario shipping points.

Overseas Clearances of Wheat by Ports, Week Ending December 30, 1953 with Comparable Figures for the Same Week Last Year

Ports	Week Ending Dec. 30/53	Week Ending Dec. 30/52
- thousand bushels -		
<u>Pacific Seaboard</u>		
Vancouver-New Westminster	2,147	1,623
Victoria	358	-
<u>Maritime Ports</u>		
West Saint John	426	747
Halifax	-	63
<b>Totals</b>	<b>2,931</b>	<b>2,434</b>

Cumulative Overseas Clearances of Wheat, by Ports, August 1-December 30, 1953 with Comparable Figures for the Same Period 1952 - 1953

Ports	1953-54	1952-53
- thousand bushels -		
<u>Pacific Seaboard</u>		
Vancouver-New Westminster	44,895	44,384
Victoria	1,310	-
Prince Rupert	4,858	-
<u>St. Lawrence</u>		
Montreal	26,984	40,250
Sorel	-	7,398
Three Rivers	1,308	11,938
Quebec	6,357	10,864
<u>Maritime Ports</u>		
Saint John	-	348
West Saint John	755	1,735
Halifax	63	807
<u>Lakehead Direct</u>	100	56
<u>Churchill</u>	10,482	8,318
<u>U.S.A. Atlantic</u>	116	-
<b>Totals</b>	<b>97,230</b>	<b>126,099</b>



Shipments of Canadian Grain to the United States,  
Week Ending December 30, 1953

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	Direct from Eastern Farms	Pacific Coast Terminals	Western Elevators	Ft. William- Pt. Arthur	Eastern Elevators	Total
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Wheat</u>						
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	-	-	6	2	31	38
<u>Oats</u>						
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	-	26	30	13	136	205
<u>Barley</u>						
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	-	-	76	4	46	125

Total Shipments Since August 1, 1953

Wheat	886	31	83	2,729	160	3,889
Oats	-	474	802	39,219	3,218	43,713
Barley	-	1/	142	22,458	126	22,726
Rye	169	-	-	11,225	-	11,393

1/ Less than 500 bushels

Canadian Corn and Western Sunflower Seed  
Receipts, Shipments and Stocks Week Ending December 30, 1953

	Western Elevators	Ft. William- Pt. Arthur	Eastern Elevators
- thousand bushels -			
<u>Canadian Western Corn</u>			
Receipts during week	-	-	-
Receipts Aug. 1, 1953 to date	50	1	-
Shipments during week	2	-	-
Stocks in store	61	-	-
<u>Canadian Eastern Corn</u>			
Receipts during week	-	-	48
Receipts Aug. 1, 1953 to date	-	-	2,521
Shipments during week	-	-	100
Stocks in store	-	-	938
- thousand pounds -			
<u>Canadian Western Sunflower Seed</u>			
Receipts during week	22	-	-
Receipts Aug. 1, 1953 to date	4,449	-	-
Shipments during week	-	-	-
Stocks in store	2,111	-	-