

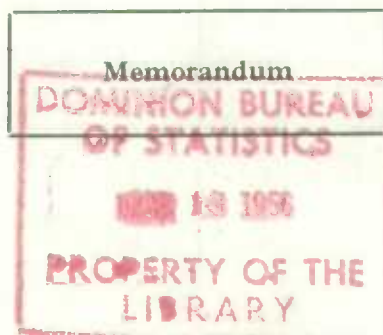
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Visible Supply of Canadian Wheat, February 29, 1956
Compared with Previous Week and Year

Position	Mar. 2,	Feb. 22,	Feb. 29,
	1955	1956	1956
	- thousand bushels -		
Country Elevators	202,991	202,214	200,177
Interior private and mill	7,256	7,218	7,022
Interior terminals	15,094	14,349	14,287
Vancouver-New Westminster	9,508	9,093	9,500
Victoria	424	491	605
Prince Rupert	53	38	38
Churchill	2,400	4,206	4,206
Fort William-Port Arthur	39,405	45,679	47,326
Storage Afloat	-	177	177
In transit rail (Western Division)	6,785	8,729	8,021
Bay, Lake & Upper St. Lawrence ports	20,082	26,189	23,625
Lower St. Lawrence & Maritime ports	18,330	17,472	17,044
Storage Afloat	16,811	12,225	12,225
In transit rail (Eastern Division)	4,260	5,218	5,027
In Store Canada	343,399	353,298	349,280
In Store U.S.A.	14	118	118
Totals	343,413	353,416	349,399

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

Grain	Week Ending			Aug. 1/54-	Aug. 1/55-
	Mar. 2/55	Feb. 22/56	Feb. 29/56	Mar. 2/55	Feb. 29/56
	- thousand bushels -				
Wheat (ex. Dur.)	1,510	2,417	2,130	139,751	115,070
Durum wheat	16	106	76	4,503	11,518
All Wheat	1,526	2,523	2,206	144,255	126,588
Oats	142	314	217	46,835	23,724
Barley	435	645	508	79,113	54,406
Rye	39	133	125	7,635	3,059
Flaxseed	40	58	41	7,811	13,716
Totals	2,183	3,673	3,097	285,649	221,493

Visible Supply of Canadian Grain, February 29, 1956

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
	- thousand bushels -					
<u>Western Division</u>						
Country Elevators						
Manitoba	21,721	3,247	3,836	455	249	29,508
Saskatchewan	107,457	10,172	6,576	1,599	605	126,409
Alberta	70,998	4,702	19,141	1,016	174	96,031
Totals	200,177	18,121	29,553	3,070	1,028	251,948
Int. Pte. & Mill	7,022	572	1,932	34	63	9,624
Int. Terminals	14,287	15	586	17	14	14,918
Vancouver-New West.	9,500	92	2,245	66	78	11,982
Victoria	605	-	1	-	-	606
Prince Rupert	38	-	522	-	-	561
Churchill	4,206	30	-	-	-	4,236
Ft.Wm.-Pt.Ar.	47,326	3,053	11,354	1,945	1,624	65,303
Storage Afloat	177	-	-	-	-	177
In Transit Rail	8,021	2,236	2,282	279	115	12,933
Totals, West. Div.	291,359	24,121	48,476	5,411	2,922	372,289
<u>Eastern Division</u>						
Bay, Lake and Upper St. Lawrence Ports						
Port McNicoll	3,004	-	-	-	-	3,004
Midland	1,356	1	-	-	-	1,356
Midland, Simcoe	1,821	102	88	13	-	2,024
Midland, Tiffin	1,883	-	-	294	-	2,177
Midland, Aberdeen	504	-	-	6	-	510
Collingwood	567	24	39	-	-	629
Owen Sound	659	75	50	34	-	819
Goderich, E.&T.	1,336	288	129	200	-	1,953
Goderich, Upper Lakes & St. Lawrence Tr. Co.	218	45	40	151	-	455
Sarnia	1,646	135	52	-	-	1,832
Walkerville	298	41	22	12	-	374
Pt. Colborne, N.H.B.	1,969	133	46	5	-	2,153
Pt. Colborne, M.L.	594	15	2	8	-	619
Humberstone	1,593	-	-	-	-	1,593
Toronto	1,155	152	107	-	239	1,653
Lakefield	1,361	-	-	-	-	1,361
Kingston Elev. Co.	1,594	81	77	-	-	1,753
Prescott	2,068	203	230	102	-	2,602
Totals	23,625	1,295	882	825	239	26,866

Visible Supply of Canadian Grain, February 29, 1956

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
	- thousand bushels					
<u>Lower St. Lawrence & Maritime Ports</u>						
Montreal, N.H.B.	4,906	121	646	490	187	6,350
Montreal, Dom. El. Ltd.	311	17	20	-	-	348
Sorel	1,909	16	87	-	-	2,013
Three Rivers	5,127	6	25	-	-	5,158
Quebec, N.H.B.	2,217	21	167	2	-	2,407
West Saint John	1,158	16	2	-	119	1,295
Saint John	34	-	-	-	-	34
Halifax	1,383	-	-	-	3	1,386
Totals	17,044	198	947	491	309	18,989
Storage Afloat	12,225	-	756	39	114	13,134
In transit rail	5,027	112	83	20	506	5,749
Totals, East. Div.	57,922	1,605	2,668	1,376	1,168	64,739
Totals, Canada	349,280	25,726	51,144	6,787	4,090	437,027
 <u>United States</u>						
<u>United States Ports</u>						
Buffalo	118	-	-	-	-	118
Buffalo Afloat	-	-	279	-	-	279
Milwaukee Afloat	-	-	394	-	-	394
Detroit Afloat	-	-	121	-	-	121
Totals, U.S.A.	118	-	795	-	-	913
Totals, Canada and U.S.A.	349,399^{2/}	25,726	51,938	6,787	4,090	437,940

^{1/} Less than 500 bushels.

^{2/} Includes 10,296,000 bushels of Durum wheat.

Canadian Eastern Grain in Store Eastern Elevators
February 29, 1956

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed	Corn	Buck- wheat	Soy- beans
	- thousand bushels -							
Collingwood	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
Goderich, E.&T.	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sarnia	95	-	-	-	-	241	-	105
Walkerville	8	-	-	-	-	409	-	132
Pt. Colborne <u>1/</u>	265	-	-	-	-	55	-	-
Toronto	89	-	-	-	1	43	-	435
Kingston	<u>2/</u>	-	-	-	-	185	-	-
Prescott	-	-	-	-	-	94	-	-
Montreal, N.H.B.	23	<u>2/</u>	4	-	-	192	1	119
Montreal, D.E.	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Quebec	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	-
West St. John	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	23
Totals	486	<u>2/</u>	4	-	1	1,257	1	814
March 2, 1955	1,055	15	33	8	1	1,419	5	332

1/ Includes Humberstone.

2/ Less than 500 bushels.

United States and Foreign Grain in Store Eastern Elevators
February 29, 1956

Position	Corn	Soy- beans	Rice	South African Corn
	- thousand bushels -			
Toronto	-	256	-	-
Prescott	248	-	-	-
Montreal, N.H.B.	116	-	57	-
Quebec	<u>1/</u>	-	-	-
Winter Storage Afloat	-	277	-	-
Totals	364	533	57	-
March 2, 1955	522	103	-	289

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

Stocks in Store and Afloat by Principal Grades, at Public and Semi-Public Terminals, February 29, 1956

Grain and Grade	Pacific Seaboard	Interior Terminals	Churchill	Ft.Wm.-Pt.Ar. Elevators	Total
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Wheat (ex. Dur.)</u>					
1 Northern	471	39	189	997	1,696
2 Northern	2,490	5,302	2,604	11,079	21,476
3 Northern	1,955	2,391	692	12,837	17,875
4 Northern	1,277	636	229	8,356	10,497
No. 5 Wheat	1,289	4,857	65	3,707	9,918
No. 6 Wheat	310	41	-	2,914	3,265
Feed Wheat	3	-	-	373	375
2 C.W. Garnet	28	-	-	2	30
3 C.W. Garnet	273	187	-	3	464
Tough Contract	42	8	7	338	394
Others	2,005	826	421	4,569	7,820
Totals	10,143	14,287	4,206	45,175	73,811
<u>Durum</u>					
1 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	27	27
2 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	365	365
3 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	78	78
Ex. 4 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	925	925
4 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	548	548
Tough	-	-	-	43	43
Others	-	-	-	342	342
Totals	-	-	-	2,329	2,329
Totals, Wheat	10,143	14,287	4,206	47,504	76,140
<u>Oats</u>					
2 C.W.	-	<u>1</u>	-	12	12
Ex. 3 C.W.	-	-	-	118	118
3 C.W.	-	2	-	883	885
Ex. 1 Feed	4	-	-	343	347
1 Feed	69	2	-	1,289	1,359
2 Feed	-	2	-	46	47
3 Feed	4	1	-	11	16
Mixed Feed	5	<u>1</u>	30	239	275
Tough	8	<u>1</u>	-	3	11
Others	3	8	-	70	81
Totals	92	15	30	3,013	3,151

Stocks in Store and Afloat by Principal Grades, at Public and Semi-Public Terminals, February 29, 1956 (concluded)

Grain and Grade	Pacific Seaboard	Interior Terminals	Churchill	Ft.Wm.-Pt.Ar. Elevators	Total
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Barley</u>					
2 C.W. Six-Row	9	-	-	486	495
3 C.W. Six-Row	1,422	-	-	2,647	4,070
4 C.W. Six-Row	44	-	-	498	542
2 C.W. Two-Row	-	-	-	67	67
3 C.W. Two-Row	190	-	-	460	650
1 Feed	736	<u>1/</u>	-	1,372	2,108
Ex. 2 Feed	174	-	-	1,302	1,476
2 Feed	32	4	-	1,829	1,865
3 Feed	2	1	-	78	81
Tough	92	-	-	61	154
Others	67	581	-	1,468	2,116
Totals	2,769	586	-	10,270	13,624
<u>Rye</u>					
2 C.W.	34	-	-	871	905
3 C.W.	19	-	-	794	813
Tough	3	-	-	93	96
Others	9	17	-	188	214
Totals	66	17	-	1,945	2,028
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
1 C.W.	71	10	-	1,463	1,544
2 C.W.	5	4	-	70	79
3 C.W.	-	-	-	44	44
Tough	1	-	-	5	6
Others	-	-	-	42	42
Totals	78	14	-	1,624	1,716
Totals, Stocks	13,148	14,918	4,236	64,356	96,658

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

Stocks in Store and Afloat by Principal Grades, at Eastern Elevators,
February 29, 1956

Grain and Grade	Bay & Upper Lakes	Lower Lake & Upper St. Lawrence	Lower St. Lawrence	Maritime Ports	Total
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Wheat (ex.Dur.)</u>					
1 Northern	156	48	10	55	270
2 Northern	5,648	2,098	6,541	135	14,421
3 Northern	5,678	6,622	2,717	270	15,286
4 Northern	1,628	1,798	2,923	361	6,710
No. 5 Wheat	3,300	1,442	951	185	5,878
No. 6 Wheat	1,449	280	206	48	1,983
Feed Wheat	5	-	108	-	113
2 C.W. Garnet	-	4	-	-	4
Tough Contract	-	5	<u>1</u>	-	5
Others	829	1,450	744	6	3,028
Eastern	109	355	23	-	486
Totals	18,802	14,101	14,223	1,059	48,184
<u>Durum</u>					
1 C.W. Amber	-	8	-	-	8
2 C.W. Amber	10	-	-	151	161
3 C.W. Amber	-	67	3	<u>1</u>	70
Ex.4 C.W. Amber	1,274	1,142	404	1,362	4,183
4 C.W. Amber	-	84	11	1	96
Others	51	138	3	-	192
Totals	1,335	1,440	421	1,515	4,710
Totals, Wheat	20,136	15,541	14,643	2,574	52,895
<u>Oats</u>					
2 C.W.	-	-	8	-	8
Ex. 3 C.W.	12	-	-	-	12
3 C.W.	43	49	29	-	121
Ex. 1 Feed	74	124	5	-	202
1 Feed	547	388	88	-	1,023
2 Feed	19	23	32	-	73
3 Feed	-	-	-	16	16
Mixed Feed	16	-	9	-	25
Tough	-	-	8	-	8
Others	-	-	5	-	5
Eastern	-	-	<u>1</u>	-	<u>1</u>
Totals	711	584	182	16	1,493

Stocks in Store and Afloat by Principal Grades, at Eastern Elevators,
February 29, 1956 (concluded)

Grain and Grade	Bay & Upper Lakes	Lower Lake & Upper St. Lawrence	Lower St. Lawrence	Maritime Ports	Total
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Barley</u>					
3 C.W. Six-Row	338	418	380	-	1,135
3 C.W. Two-Row	-	-	29	-	29
1 Feed	90	104	300	-	495
Ex. 2 Feed	-	12	35	-	48
2 Feed	330	290	99	2	721
3 Feed	-	-	1	-	1
Tough	<u>1/</u>	7	64	-	71
Others	-	49	32	-	81
Eastern	-	-	4	-	4
Totals	757	881	945	2	2,585
<u>Rye</u>					
2 C.W.	397	111	173	-	682
3 C.W.	311	4	262	-	577
Tough	12	-	2	-	14
Others	29	-	54	-	83
Totals	750	115	491	-	1,356
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
1 C.W.	-	352	187	122	661
2 C.W.	-	-	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
Eastern	-	1	-	-	1
Totals	-	353	187	122	662
Totals, Stocks	22,354	17,473	16,449	2,714	58,990

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

Farmers' Marketings in the Prairie Provinces
Week Ending February 29, 1956 and Crop Year to Date

Province & Period	Wheat (ex.Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Manitoba</u>						
This Week	192	3	46	70	15	18
To Date	14,301	96	5,295	11,028	393	3,594
<u>Saskatchewan</u>						
This Week	827	23	134	131	54	10
To Date	67,769	7,380	13,160	23,170	1,529	7,938
<u>Alberta</u>						
This Week	1,111	50	36	307	56	13
To Date	33,000	4,041	5,270	20,207	1,137	2,185
<u>Totals</u>						
This Week	2,130	76	217	508	125	41
To Date	115,070	11,518	23,724	54,406	3,059	13,716

Farmers' Marketings in the Prairie Provinces
Aug. 1, 1955-Feb. 29, 1956, with Comparisons 1/

Crop Year	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
- million bushels -						
1944-45	259.7	76.0	65.7	3.1	6.6	411.1
1945-46	188.3	72.5	55.6	2.7	4.5	323.6
1946-47	251.6	62.7	47.0	4.8	4.7	370.8
1947-48	203.5	56.9	55.6	9.4	9.3	334.6
1948-49	247.6	57.3	52.0	13.4	13.0	383.4
1949-50	254.4	63.3	45.3	6.8	1.4	371.3
1950-51	264.1	61.2	60.1	6.3	2.8	394.4
1951-52	270.8	61.0	71.5	7.0	5.2	415.4
1952-53	313.0	59.4	100.3	10.2	7.0	490.0
1953-54	256.4	60.6	63.8	6.7	6.5	394.0
10-Year Average (1944-45 - 1953-54)	250.9	63.1	61.7	7.0	6.1	388.9
1954-55	144.3	46.8	79.1	7.6	7.8	285.6
1955-56 2/	126.6	23.7	54.4	3.1	13.7	221.5

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.

Country Elevator Stocks, Receipts and Shipments,
Week Ending February 29, 1956

Province	Wheat (ex.Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Stocks in Store</u>						
Manitoba	21,681	41	3,247	3,836	455	249
Saskatchewan	105,845	1,612	10,172	6,576	1,599	605
Alberta	70,066	932	4,702	19,141	1,016	174
Totals	197,592	2,585	18,121	29,553	3,070	1,028
Totals - Week Ago	199,597	2,617	18,750	30,264	3,163	1,047
Year Ago	201,337	1,654	14,426	30,309	2,863	800
<u>Receipts</u>						
Manitoba	192	3	46	70	15	16
Saskatchewan	823	23	125	131	54	10
Alberta	1,109	50	36	307	56	11
Totals	2,124	76	207	508	125	37
Totals - Week Ago	2,397	106	312	641	133	49
Year Ago	1,504	16	141	435	39	38
<u>Shipments</u>						
Manitoba	593	16	305	310	60	7
Saskatchewan	2,206	72	346	242	103	25
Alberta	1,295	23	213	683	48	20
Totals	4,094	111	864	1,235	211	52
Totals - Week Ago	5,639	150	860	1,320	146	134
Year Ago	2,649	21	275	729	9	38

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

Item	Wheat (ex.Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Stocks in Store</u>						
February 29, 1956	45,175	2,329	3,053	11,354	1,945	1,624
Receipts during week	2,078	143	638	658	125	186
Shipments during week						
Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rail	428	141	687	246	1	10
Milled and Processed	-	-	11	27	4	-
Receipts Aug.1/55- Feb.29/56	59,906	9,739	16,344	42,157	3,423	11,848
Shipments Aug.1/55- Feb.29/56						
Lake	51,452	6,289	15,658	35,912	4,576	6,725
Rail	3,143	1,882	5,239	2,156	40	3,734
Milled and Processed	9	-	662	790	45	1/
1/ Less than 500 bushels						

Canadian Wheat Board Daily Fixed Cash Wheat Quotations,
Week Ending March 2, 1956

Class and Grade	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Feb. 29	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

Initial Payment to Producers (Basis in Store Fort William-Port Arthur or Vancouver)

1 Northern	140	140	140	140	140	140
2 Northern	136	136	136	136	136	136
3 Northern	134	134	134	134	134	134
4 Northern	126	126	126	126	126	126
No. 5 Wheat	110	110	110	110	110	110
No. 6 Wheat	104	104	104	104	104	104
Feed Wheat	98	98	98	98	98	98
1 C.W. Garnet	122	122	122	122	122	122
2 C.W. Garnet	117	117	117	117	117	117
1 Alberta Red Winter	124	124	124	124	124	124
2 Alberta Winter	119	119	119	119	119	119
1 C.W. Amber Durum	150	150	150	150	150	150
2 C.W. Amber Durum	147	147	147	147	147	147
3 C.W. Amber Durum	140	140	140	140	140	140

International Wheat Agreement and Domestic Sales (Basis in Store Ft. Wm.-Pt.Ar.)

1 Northern	174/6	174/6	174/6	174/6	174/6	174/6
2 Northern	170/6	170/6	170/6	170/6	170/6	170/6
3 Northern	164/6	164/6	164/6	164/6	164/6	164/6
4 Northern	153/6	153/6	153/6	153/6	153/6	153/6
No. 5 Wheat	125	126	126	127	127	126/2
No. 6 Wheat	121	122	122	123	123	122/2
Feed Wheat	117	118	118	119	119	118/2
1 C.W. Garnet	144/6	144/6	144/6	144/6	144/6	144/6
2 C.W. Garnet	140/6	140/6	140/6	140/6	140/6	140/6
3 C.W. Garnet	137/6	137/6	137/6	137/6	137/6	137/6
1 Alberta Red Winter	143/6	143/6	143/6	143/6	143/6	143/6
2 Alberta Winter	139/6	139/6	139/6	139/6	139/6	139/6
3 Alberta Winter	135/6	135/6	135/6	135/6	135/6	135/6
1 C.W. Amber Durum	204/6	204/6	204/6	204/6	204/6	204/6
2 C.W. Amber Durum	202/6	202/6	202/6	202/6	202/6	202/6
3 C.W. Amber Durum	201/6	201/6	201/6	201/6	201/6	201/6

(Basis in Store Vancouver)

1 Northern	172/6	172/6	172/6	172/6	172/6	172/6
2 Northern	168/6	168/6	168/6	168/6	168/6	168/6
3 Northern	162/6	162/6	162/6	162/6	162/6	162/6
4 Northern	153/6	153/6	153/6	153/6	153/6	153/6
No. 5 Wheat	123	124	124	125	125	124/2
No. 6 Wheat	119	120	120	121	121	120/2
Feed Wheat	115	116	116	117	117	116/2
1 C.W. Garnet	144/6	144/6	144/6	144/6	144/6	144/6
2 C.W. Garnet	140/6	140/6	140/6	140/6	140/6	140/6
3 C.W. Garnet	137/6	137/6	137/6	137/6	137/6	137/6
1 Alberta Red Winter	143/6	143/6	143/6	143/6	143/6	143/6
2 Alberta Winter	139/6	139/6	139/6	139/6	139/6	139/6
3 Alberta Winter	135/6	135/6	135/6	135/6	135/6	135/6

Canadian Wheat Board Daily Fixed Cash Oats and Barley Quotations
Week Ending March 2, 1956

Grain and Grade	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Feb. 29	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

OATS 1/

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 2/

2 C. W.	86	86	86/2	86/2	87/4	86/3
Ex. 3 C.W.	83	83	83/2	83/2	84/4	83/3
3 C.W.	78/4	78/4	78/6	79/2	80/4	79/1
Ex. 1 Feed	78/4	78/4	78/6	79/2	80/4	79/1
1 Feed	76/4	76/4	76/6	77/6	79	77/2
2 Feed	75	75	75/2	76/2	77/4	75/6
3 Feed	72	72	72/2	73/2	74/4	72/6

BARLEY 1/

Initial Payment to Producers

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

Domestic and Export 2/

1 C. W. Six-Row	116	116	116	116	116	116
2 C. W. Six-Row	116	116	116	116	116	116
3 C. W. Six-Row	112	112	112	112	112	112
4 C. W. Six-Row	106/2	105/4	105	105/6	106/2	105/6
1 C. W. Two-Row	115	115	115	115	115	115
2 C. W. Two-Row	115	115	115	115	115	115
3 C. W. Two-Row	107/2	106/4	106	106/6	107/2	106/6
1 Feed	106/2	105/4	105	105/6	106/2	105/6
2 Feed	105/6	105	104/4	105/2	105/6	105/2
3 Feed	102/6	102	101/4	102/2	102/6	102/2

1/Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur.

2/Local sales and spot sales subject to confirmation.

Winnipeg Grain Exchange Daily Fixed Cash Closing Coarse Grains Quotations 1/
 Week Ending March 2, 1956

Grain and Grade	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Feb. 29	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

OATS

Domestic and Export

2 C.W.	84/7	85	85/2	85/2	86/3	85/3
Ex. 3 C. W.	81/7	82	82/2	82/2	83/3	82/3
3 C.W.	78/1	78/2	78/4	79	80/1	78/6
Ex. 1 Feed	78/1	78/2	78/4	79	80/1	78/6
1 Feed	76/1	76/2	76/4	77/4	78/7	77
2 Feed	74/3	74/4	74/6	75/6	76/7	75/2
3 Feed	71/3	71/4	71/6	72/6	73/7	72/2

BARLEY

Domestic and Export

1 C.W. Six-Row	114/6	113/7	113/3	114/1	114/5	114/1
2 C.W. Six-Row	114/6	113/7	113/3	114/1	114/5	114/1
3 C.W. Six-Row	108/6	106/7	105/3	106/1	106/5	106/6
4 C.W. Six-Row	106	105/1	104/5	105/3	105/7	105/3
1 C.W. Two-Row	113/6	112/7	112/3	113/1	113/5	113/1
2 C.W. Two-Row	113/6	112/7	112/3	113/1	113/5	113/1
3 C.W. Two-Row	106/6	105/7	105/3	106/1	106/5	106/1
1 Feed	106	105/1	104/5	105/3	105/7	105/3
2 Feed	104/6	103/7	103/3	104/1	105/1	104/2
3 Feed	102/2	101/3	100/7	101/1	102/1	101/4

RYE

Producers', Domestic and Export Prices

2 C.W.	124/7	122/7	121/6	123/1	125/4	123/5
3 C.W.	117/5	115/5	114/4	115/7	117/6	116/2
4 C.W.	104/3	102/3	101/2	102/5	104/4	103
Ergoty	99/3	97/3	96/2	97/5	99/4	98

FLAXSEED

Producers', Domestic, and Export Prices

1 C.W.	452/6	431/4	425	423/4	428	428/1
2 C.W.	429/2	428	421	419	423/4	424/1
3 C.W.	372/2	371	364/4	363	367/4	367/5

1/ Basis in store Fort William-Fort Arthur.

Winnipeg Grain Futures, Closing Quotations
Week Ending March 2, 1956

Grain & Month	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Feb. 29	Mar. 1	Mar. 2
- cents and eighths per bushel -					
<u>Oats</u>					
May	78/3	78/4	78/6	79/6	80/7
July	74	74	74/2	74/5	75
October	71/7	71/5	71/7-72	72/3	72/2
<u>Barley</u>					
May	106/6	105/7	105/3	106/1	106/5
July	101/1	100/4	100/7-101	101/1	101/1
October	98	98/2	98/3	98/2	98/4
<u>Rye</u>					
May	124/3	122/3	121/2	122/5	124/4
July	118/2	116/2	114/7	116-116/1	117/4
October	116/1	114	112/4	113/4	114/4
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
May	432/2	431	424/4	423	427/4
July	416/4-417/2	414/4-415	409/2	407	409
October	349	341	335	338	340

Daily Quotations and Weekly Average Cash Prices of Ontario Grain
Week Ending March 2, 1956

Grain & Grade	Feb. 27	Feb. 28	Feb. 29	Mar. 1	Mar. 2	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -						
Wheat, Ontario Winter						
No. 2 and better	150	150	150	150	150	150
No. 3	147	147	147	147	147	147
Oats, No. 2 White	70	70	70	70	70	70
Barley, Ontario, good malting	110	110	110	110	110	110
Rye, No. 2 Ontario	110	110	110	110	110	110
Corn, Ont. Yellow No.2, 15.5% moisture (natural or kiln dried)	119	119	119	119	119	119
Buckwheat, Tough No.3, 18% moisture	150	150	150	150	150	150
Mixed Grain	68	68	68	68	68	68
Flaxseed, No. 1	384/2	395/2	400	415	424	403/6
Soybeans, No. 2 and better	224/6	224/3	224/7	226/4	229	225/7

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 Exports of Canadian Grain by Ports of Loading
Week Ending February 29, 1956

Ports	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Pacific Seaboard</u>					
Vancouver-New Westminster	1,665	-	412	38	40
Prince Rupert	-	-	411	-	-
<u>Maritime</u>					
Saint John	419	-	-	-	-
West Saint John	1,301	-	12	-	211
Halifax	1,044	-	-	-	41
Totals	4,428	-	834	38	291
March 2, 1955	4,873	198	1,979	-	404

Overseas Exports of Canadian Grain by Ports of Loading
August 1, 1955-February 29, 1956

Ports	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Pacific Seaboard</u>					
Vancouver-New Westminster	45,208	266	5,660	285	532
Victoria	1,072	-	-	-	-
Prince Rupert	355	-	1,745	-	-
<u>Churchill</u>	12,819	-	-	-	-
<u>St. Lawrence</u>					
Montreal	21,299	1,240	6,481	1,638	5,249
Sorel	3,090	-	341	-	156
Three Rivers	2,708	-	420	-	-
Quebec	3,617	-	-	-	-
<u>Maritime</u>					
Saint John	1,576	-	-	-	-
West Saint John	10,360	33	70	153	1,990
Halifax	9,081	-	-	92	938
<u>U.S.A. Atlantic Seaboard</u>	182	-	-	-	-
Totals	111,367	1,539	14,716	2,168	8,865
August 1, 1954-March 2, 1955	127,793	3,805	33,368	2,391	3,053

Shipments of Canadian Grain to the United States
Week Ending February 29, 1956

	Pacific Coast Terminals	Western Elevators	Ft. William- Pt. Arthur	Eastern Elevators	Total
	- thousand bushels -				
<u>Wheat</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	5	7	68	-	80
<u>Oats</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	16	5	6	-	26
<u>Barley</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	-	4	-	-	4

Total Shipments Since August 1, 1955

Wheat	23	39	2,592	261	2,916
Oats	259	217	93	24	593
Barley	-	18	15,566	22	15,606
Rye	-	-	1,519	-	1,519

Canadian Corn and Western Sunflower Seed

Receipts, Shipments and Stocks, Week Ending February 29, 1956 and Crop Year to Date

	Western Elevators	Eastern Elevators
	- thousand bushels -	
<u>Canadian Western Corn</u>		
Receipts during week	-	-
Receipts Aug. 1, 1955 to date	57	-
Shipments during week	1	-
Stocks in store	21	-
<u>Canadian Eastern Corn</u>		
Receipts during week	-	119
Receipts Aug. 1, 1955 to date	-	4,514
Shipments during week	-	112
Stocks in store	-	1,257
<u>Canadian Western Sunflower Seed</u>		
	- thousand pounds -	
Receipts during week	31	-
Receipts Aug. 1, 1955 to date	9,414	-
Shipments during week	-	-
Stocks in store	1,194	-

Eastern Grain Inspected in the Eastern Division

Grain and Grade	February 1956	August, 1955-February, 1956
	- bushels -	
<u>Red Spring wheat</u>		
Sample C.E.	-	3,000
<u>White Winter Wheat</u>		
No. 1 C.E.	55,990	747,265
No. 2 C.E.	58,250	1,016,831
No. 3 C.E.	1,500	15,300
No. 4 C.E.	-	4,200
No. 5 C.E.	-	1,500
No. 1 C.E. Weevilly	1,500	28,400
No. 2 C.E. Weevilly	1,500	24,400
No. 3 C.E. Weevilly	-	3,050
No. 1 C.E. Infested	-	1,500
No. 2 C.E. Infested	-	3,100
Tough No. 1 C.E.	-	8,450
Tough No. 2 C.E.	-	18,700
Tough No. 2 C.E. Weevilly	-	1,400
Smutty No. 1 C.E.	1,500	5,840
Smutty No. 2 C.E.	1,500	10,690
Smutty No. 3 C.E.	-	1,500
Tough Smutty No. 2 C.E.	-	3,460
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Totals, White Winter Wheat	121,740	1,895,586
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<u>Mixed Winter Wheat</u>		
No. 1 C.E.	17,050	251,662
No. 2 C.E.	3,000	70,745
No. 3 C.E.	-	3,100
No. 1 C.E. Weevilly	-	10,500
No. 2 C.E. Weevilly	-	6,300
No. 3 C.E. Weevilly	-	1,400
No. 1 C.E. Infested	-	3,000
Tough No. 1 C.E.	-	1,500
Tough No. 2 C.E.	-	3,200
Smutty No. 3 C.E.	-	1,500
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Totals, Mixed Winter Wheat	20,050	352,907
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Eastern Grain Inspected in the Eastern Division

Grain and Grade	February 1956	August, 1955- February, 1956
	- bushels -	
<u>Sample Winter Wheat</u>		
C.E.	-	58,600
C.E. Heated and Musty	-	1,500
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Total, Sample Winter Wheat	-	60,100
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Totals, Winter Wheat	141,790	2,308,593
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Condemned Wheat	3,000	20,000
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Totals, Wheat	144,790	2,331,593
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<u>Oats</u>		
No. 2 C.E. White	-	1,600
No. 3 C.E.	-	9,100
Mixed Feed	4,500	15,000
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Totals, Oats	4,500	25,700
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<u>Barley</u>		
No. 2 C.E. Six-Row	-	6,077
No. 3 C.E. Six-Row	-	277,285
No. 4 C.E.	15,200	52,195
No. 5 C.E.	1,600	15,983
Tough No. 4 C.E.	-	1,800
Sample C.E.	-	4,650
Sample C.E. and Broken Grain	6,000	28,500
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Totals, Barley	22,800	386,490
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<u>Rye</u>		
No. 1 C.E.	-	8,700
No. 2 C.E.	-	32,370
No. 3 C.E.	-	17,300
Tough No. 1 C.E.	-	2,100
Tough No. 2 C.E.	-	2,900
Tough No. 3 C.E.	-	6,000
Sample C.E.	-	1,500
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Total, Rye	-	70,870
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Eastern Grain Inspected in the Eastern Division

Grain and Grade	February 1956	August, 1955-February, 1956
	- bushels -	
<u>Flaxseed</u>		
No. 1 C.E.	-	22,500
<u>Mixed Grain</u>		
Sample C.E.	-	8,825
<u>Yellow Corn</u>		
No. 1 C.E.	152,040	2,959,052
No. 2 C.E.	148,350	1,577,461
No. 3 C.E.	13,650	72,550
No. 4 C.E.	1,500	10,500
No. 5 C.E.	1,500	6,000
Tough No. 1 C.E.	15,600	237,620
Tough No. 2 C.E.	4,300	40,550
Tough No. 3 C.E.	1,500	1,500
Damp No. 1 C.E.	214,965	921,813
Damp No. 2 C.E.	2,990	5,990
Moist No. 1 C.E.	12,400	730,510
Moist No. 2 C.E.	-	17,390
Wet No. 1 C.E.	-	45,990
Wet No. 2 C.E.	-	8,400
Ex. Dry No. 1 C.E.	11,400	1,834,465
Ex. Dry No. 2 C.E.	4,500	418,415
Ex. Dry No. 3 C.E.	1,500	47,250
Ex. Dry No. 4 C.E.	-	7,800
Ex. Dry No. 5 C.E.	-	3,000
Totals, Yellow Corn	586,195	8,946,256
<u>Sample Corn</u>		
C.E.	-	2,900
Ex. Dry C.E.	-	2,850
Total, Sample Corn	-	5,750
Condemned Corn	5,500	5,500
Totals, Corn	591,695	8,957,506
<u>Buckwheat</u>		
No. 3 C.E.	-	1,260
Tough No. 2 C.E.	-	1,829
Tough No. 4 C.E.	-	3,221
Damp No. 2 C.E.	-	7,439
Damp No. 3 C.E.	-	1,211
Damp No. 4 C.E.	-	2,508
Sample C.E.	1,600	2,850
Totals, Buckwheat	1,600	20,318

Eastern Grain Inspected in the Eastern Division

Grain and Grade	February 1956	August, 1955-February, 1956
	- bushels -	
<u>Yellow Soybeans</u>		
No. 1 C.	10,680	1,299,861
No. 2 C.	263,181	1,516,611
No. 3 C.	3,100	196,941
No. 4 C.	2,300	42,578
No. 5 C.	-	8,500
Tough No. 1 C.	6,100	851,890
Tough No. 2 C.	26,900	403,500
Tough No. 3 C.	5,000	41,000
Tough No. 4 C.	1,600	24,350
Tough No. 5 C.	-	12,100
Damp No. 1 C.	-	204,015
Damp No. 2 C.	6,700	136,390
Damp No. 3 C.	3,100	18,800
Damp No. 4 C.	-	3,000
Damp No. 5 C.	-	2,000
Moist No. 1 C.	-	22,300
Moist No. 2 C.	2,000	26,400
Wet No. 1 C.	-	1,590
Wet No. 2 C.	-	1,650
Sample C.	-	19,100
Totals, Soybeans	330,661	4,832,576
<u>Beans</u>		
No. 3 C.E. Yellow Eye	-	200
Tough No. 3 C.E. Yellow Eye	-	1,500
No. 1 C.E. Pea Beans	10,520	59,305
No. 2 C.E. Pea Beans	14,154	137,524
No. 3 C.E. Pea Beans	4,624	21,002
Tough No. 1 C.E. Pea Beans	1,600	3,200
Tough No. 2 C.E. Pea Beans	1,925	16,125
Tough No. 3 C.E. Pea Beans	-	10,066
Tough No. 4 C.E. Pea Beans	-	1,200
Damp No. 3 C.E. Pea Beans	300	300
Totals, Beans	33,123	250,422
<u>Recapitulation</u>		
Wheat	144,790	2,331,593
Oats	4,500	25,700
Barley	22,800	386,490
Rye	-	70,870
Flaxseed	-	22,500
Mixed Grain	-	8,825
Corn	591,695	8,957,506
Buckwheat	1,600	20,318
Soybeans	330,661	4,832,576
Beans	33,123	250,422

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Customs Exports of Wheat Flour by Countries of Consignment,
January, 1956 and August, 1955-January, 1956

Destination	January	August-January
	- cwt. -	
<u>Commonwealth Countries</u>		
United Kingdom	404,541	2,354,835
<u>Africa</u>		
British East Africa	-	3,069
Gambia	1,987	10,831
Gold Coast	9,461	177,774
Nigeria	508	63,985
Other British West Africa	2,799	5,721
Sierra Leone	10,864	72,506
<u>Asia</u>		
Ceylon	31,562	49,194
Hong Kong	25,125	131,755
Malaya and Singapore	11,096	75,278
<u>Europe</u>		
Gibraltar	-	19,255
<u>North America</u>		
Bahamas	5,380	48,906
Barbados	9,390	73,770
Bermuda	5,239	22,373
British Honduras	719	9,957
Jamaica	37,675	266,103
Leeward and Windward Islands	31,023	222,668
Trinidad and Tobago	57,369	510,301
<u>South America</u>		
British Guiana	2,524	8,516
Totals, Commonwealth Countries	647,262	4,126,797
<u>Foreign Countries</u>		
<u>Africa</u>		
Azores and Madeira	2,924	13,441
Belgian Congo	30,309	193,538
Liberia	621	3,308
Morocco	1,315	13,593
Portuguese East Africa	-	3,069
Portuguese West Africa	3,712	19,269
<u>Asia</u>		
Arabia	841	4,667
Japan	21,956	159,832
Korea	-	22,046
Lebanon	5,263	31,584
Philippine Islands	88,037	1,204,439
Portuguese Asia	1,660	22,534
Syria	174	470
Thailand	9,298	63,253
<u>Europe</u>		
Belgium	22,816	39,964
Denmark	-	490
Germany, Federal Republic	-	86,291
Greece	4,324	21,427
Iceland	-	4,320
Italy	11,007	63,468
Netherlands	210	210
Portugal	-	1,425
Yugoslavia	-	2,999

Customs Exports of Wheat Flour by Countries of Consignment,
January, 1956 and August, 1955-January, 1956

Destination	January	August-January
<u>Foreign Countries</u> - cwt. -		
<u>North America</u>		
American Virgin Islands	455	6,784
Costa Rica	27,618	131,669
Cuba	13,493	129,131
Dominican Republic	22,105	97,859
El Salvador	18,481	73,194
French West Indies	-	698
Guatemala	9,430	94,049
Haiti	15,288	147,419
Honduras	2,199	18,700
Netherlands Antilles	12,828	50,825
Nicaragua	9,139	80,169
Panama	11,376	63,626
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	3,632
United States	20,690	161,549
<u>Oceania</u>		
French Oceania	731	18,226
Guam	300	11,709
<u>South America</u>		
Bolivia	-	1,501
Chile	49	949
Colombia	7,107	56,781
Peru	49	8,693
Surinam	10,502	36,776
Venezuela	156,759	787,469
Totals, Foreign Countries	543,066	3,957,045
Totals, All Countries	1,190,328	8,083,842
Compared with: December, 1955	1,337,400 ^{1/}	
January, 1955	1,241,160 ^{1/}	
August, 1954-January, 1955		8,805,055 ^{1/}

^{1/} Revised to remove effect of time lag in the returns made by Customs.

Note:- In line with the practice being adopted by the trade generally and by the Canadian Wheat Board, statistics on Canadian flour exports will henceforth be published in units of cwt. (100 lb.) instead of barrels.

Customs Exports of Corn and Soybeans by Countries of Consignment,
January, 1956 and August, 1955 - January, 1956

Destination	Corn		Soybeans	
	Jan.	Aug.-Jan.	Jan.	Aug.-Jan.
	- bushels -		- bushels -	
<u>Commonwealth Countries</u>				
United Kingdom	120,063	541,457	18,853	635,919
<u>Foreign Countries</u>				
<u>Europe</u>				
Germany	-	-	22,400	22,400
Italy	-	12,000	-	-
<u>North America</u>				
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	89	-	-
United States	2,811	27,194	-	-
Totals, Foreign Countries	2,811	39,283	22,400	22,400
Totals, All Countries	122,874	580,740	41,253	658,319
Compared with: Dec. 1955	308,427		410,899	
Jan. 1955	6,411		55,777	
Aug., 1954 - Jan. 1955		13,291		651,059

Customs Exports of Buckwheat and Bran, Shorts and Middlings by Countries of
Consignment, January, 1956 and August, 1955-January, 1956

Destination	Buckwheat		Bran, Shorts & Middlings	
	Jan.	Aug.-Jan.	Jan.	Aug.-Jan.
	- bushels -		- cwt. -	
<u>Commonwealth Countries</u>				
United Kingdom	-	-	165,110	593,939
<u>North America</u>				
Bahamas	-	-	100	510
Barbados	-	-	238	7,558
Bermuda	-	-	235	2,413
British Honduras	-	-	-	175
Jamaica	-	-	600	2,240
Leeward and Windward Islands	-	-	-	500
Trinidad and Tobago	-	37	150	790
<u>South America</u>				
British Guiana	-	-	-	616
Totals, Commonwealth Countries	-	37	166,433	608,741
<u>Foreign Countries</u>				
<u>Asia</u>				
Japan	-	-	-	376,865
<u>Europe</u>				
Belgium	-	80,119	-	-
Netherlands	-	91,659	-	-
<u>North America</u>				
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	105	287
United States	24,561	143,529	15,768	275,403
<u>South America</u>				
Venezuela	-	-	-	2,125
Totals, Foreign Countries	24,561	315,307	15,873	654,680
Totals, All Countries	24,561	315,344	182,306	1,263,421
Compared with: Dec. 1955	132,932		159,858	
Jan. 1955	63,856		55,221	
Aug., 1954 - Jan. 1955		389,798		1,141,021

Customs Exports of Oatmeal and Rolled Oats by Countries of Consignment,
January, 1956 and August, 1955 - January, 1956

Destination	Oatmeal		Rolled Oats	
	Jan.	Aug.-Jan.	Jan.	Aug.-Jan.
	- cwt. -		- cwt. -	
<u>Commonwealth Countries</u>				
United Kingdom	-	-	-	896
<u>Asia</u>				
Ceylon	-	-	54	474
Hong Kong	-	-	-	577
India	-	-	-	20
Malaya and Singapore	-	-	-	34
<u>North America</u>				
Bahamas	-	-	108	140
Barbados	-	-	10	96
Bermuda	-	-	135	505
Jamaica	-	-	1,081	4,319
Leeward and Windward Islands	-	-	152	764
Trinidad and Tobago	-	-	73	211
<u>South America</u>				
British Guiana	-	-	-	65
Totals, Commonwealth Countries	-	-	1,613	8,101
<u>Foreign Countries</u>				
<u>Europe</u>				
Switzerland	-	-	-	3,960
<u>North America</u>				
Costa Rica	-	-	-	676
Guatemala	-	-	200	5,290
Nicaragua	-	-	-	68
Panama	-	-	-	350
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	118
United States	-	110	-	432
<u>South America</u>				
Bolivia	-	-	1,005	1,005
Colombia	-	-	225	1,809
Peru	-	-	100	21,307
Venezuela	-	-	6,789	26,896
Totals, Foreign Countries	-	110	8,319	61,911
Totals, All Countries	-	110	9,932	70,012
Compared with: Dec. 1955	80		4,183	
Jan. 1955	-		7,539	
Aug., 1954-Jan. 1955		20		46,971

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