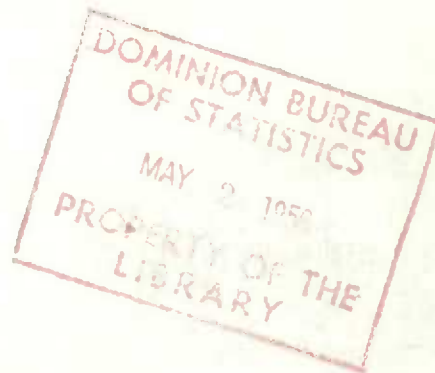


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Records for Western Division
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Board of Grain Commissioners for Canada

Visible Supply of Canadian Wheat, April 18, 1956
Compared with Previous Week and Year

Position	Apr. 20,	Apr. 11,	Apr. 18,
	1955	1956	1956
	- thousand bushels -		
Country Elevators	196,494	196,433	192,484
Interior private and mill	7,064	6,322	6,278
Interior terminals	15,294	13,807	13,910
Vancouver-New Westminster	9,411	10,808	11,254
Victoria	789	428	498
Prince Rupert	53	37	37
Churchill	2,400	4,206	4,206
Fort William-Port Arthur	41,845	42,683	37,366
Storage Afloat	-	177	177
In transit rail (Western Division)	14,331	10,290	9,595
Bay, Lake & Upper St. Lawrence ports	16,295	18,464	27,806
Lower St. Lawrence & Maritime ports	18,951	15,090	12,537
Storage Afloat	1,586	-	-
In transit lake	3,789	12,883	10,223
In transit rail (Eastern Division)	2,858	3,941	3,016
In Store Canada	331,161	335,569	329,387
In Store U.S.A.	-	71	470
Totals	331,161	335,640	329,857

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

Grain	Week Ending			Aug. 1/54-	Aug. 1/55-
	Apr. 20/55	Apr. 11/56	Apr. 18/56	Apr. 20/55	Apr. 18/56
	- thousand bushels -				
Wheat (ex. Dur.)	6,027	3,680	4,235	162,806	145,485
Durum wheat	44	94	149	4,679 ^{1/}	12,253
All Wheat	6,071	3,774	4,384	167,485 ^{1/}	157,738
Oats	407	591	466	48,597	28,854
Barley	964	882	596	83,863	61,123
Rye	69	250	266	7,897	4,827
Flaxseed	54	39	45	7,983 ^{1/}	14,344
Totals	7,564	5,536	5,757	315,825 ^{1/}	266,885

^{1/} Revised.

Visible Supply of Canadian Grain, April 18, 1956

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
	- thousand bushels -					
<u>Western Division</u>						
Country Elevators						
Manitoba	20,390	2,799	3,140	487	282	27,097
Saskatchewan	102,551	8,998	5,089	1,804	544	118,987
Alberta	69,543	4,481	17,193	1,200	153	92,570
Totals	192,484	16,279	25,422	3,491	979	238,654
Int. Pte. & Mill	6,278	804	1,850	38	68	9,037
Int. Terminals	13,910	8	503	27	<u>1</u>	14,449
Vancouver-New West.	11,254	92	1,935	2	55	13,337
Victoria	498	-	1	-	-	499
Prince Rupert	37	-	496	-	-	532
Churchill	4,206	30	-	-	-	4,236
Ft. Wm.-Pt. Ar.	37,366	2,600	10,176	2,605	1,721	54,467
Storage Afloat	177	-	-	-	-	177
In Transit Rail	9,595	1,833	2,603	415	114	14,561
Totals, West. Div.	275,805	21,647	42,985	6,577	2,937	349,951
<u>Eastern Division</u>						
Bay, Lake and Upper St. Lawrence Ports						
Port McNicoll	3,926	-	-	-	-	3,926
Midland	1,414	-	-	-	-	1,414
Midland, Simcoe	1,971	7	10	-	-	1,988
Midland, Tiffin	3,827	-	-	268	-	4,095
Midland, Aberdeen	546	-	-	5	-	550
Collingwood	628	95	53	-	-	776
Owen Sound	1,095	70	54	<u>1</u>	-	1,219
Goderich, E.&T.	1,129	25	14	32	-	1,200
Goderich, Upper Lakes & St. Lawrence Tr. Co.	280	43	5	<u>1</u>	-	328
Sarnia	1,910	74	27	-	-	2,011
Walkerville	274	32	17	8	-	331
Pt. Colborne, N.H.B.	2,109	37	180	<u>1</u>	133	2,459
Pt. Colborne, M.L.	917	74	49	38	-	1,077
Humberstone	1,757	-	-	-	-	1,757
Toronto	1,089	181	55	-	128	1,452
Lakefield	1,154	-	-	-	-	1,154
Kingston Elev. Co.	1,618	31	21	-	-	1,670
Prescott	2,165	236	355	99	-	2,855
Totals	27,806	906	839	450	261	30,262

Visible Supply of Canadian Grain, April 18, 1956

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed	Total
	- thousand bushels -					
<u>Lower St. Lawrence & Maritime Ports</u>						
Montreal, N.H.B.	3,991	48	200	555	75	4,870
Montreal, Dom. El. Ltd.	205	22	25	-	-	252
Sorel	1,323	2	24	-	-	1,349
Three Rivers	4,345	1	7	-	-	4,353
Quebec, N.H.B.	1,750	6	25	-	-	1,780
West Saint John	458	-	2	-	-	460
Saint John	397	-	-	-	-	397
Halifax	69	-	-	-	1/	69
Totals	12,537	79	284	555	75	13,530
In transit lake	10,223	1,048	2,548	435	70	14,324 ✓
In transit rail	3,016	67	37	146	74	3,340 ✓
Totals, East.Div.	53,583	2,099	3,708	1,587	480	61,457
Totals, Canada	329,387	23,746	46,693	8,165	3,416	411,407 ✓

United States

United States Port

Buffalo	49	-	-	-	-	49
Buffalo Afloat	420	-	-	-	-	420
Totals, U.S.A.	470	-	-	-	-	470
Totals, Canada and U.S.A.	329,857^{2/}	23,746	46,693	8,165	3,416	411,877

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

2/ Includes 6,839,000 bushels of Durum wheat.

Canadian Eastern Grain in Store Eastern Elevators
April 18, 1956

Position	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed	Corn	Buck- wheat	Soy- beans
	- thousand bushels -							
Collingwood	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
Goderich, E.&T.	<u>1/</u>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sarnia	86	-	-	-	-	73	-	135
Walkerville	8	-	-	1	-	394	-	134
Pt.Colborne <u>2/</u>	182	-	-	-	-	17	-	-
Toronto	18	-	-	-	1	3	-	179
Kingston	-	-	-	-	-	93	-	-
Frescott	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-
Montreal, N.H.B.	23	<u>1/</u>	1	-	-	126	1	199
Montreal, D.E.	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-
Quebec	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-
Totals	317	<u>1/</u>	1	1	1	721	1	647
April 20, 1955	750	12	25	3	7	898	6	273

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

2/ Includes Humberstone.

United States and Foreign Grain in Store Eastern Elevators,
April 18, 1956

Position	Corn	Soy- beans	Rice	South African Corn
	- thousand bushels -			
Toronto	-	40	-	-
Montreal, N.H.B.	94	-	<u>1/</u>	-
Totals	94	40	<u>1/</u>	-
April 20, 1955	202	31	-	108

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

Stocks in Store and Afloat by Principal Grades, at Public and Semi-Public Terminals, April 18, 1956

Grain and Grade	Pacific Seaboard	Interior Terminals	Churchill	Ft. Wm.-Ft. Ar. Elevators	Total
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Wheat (ex. Dur.)</u>					
1 Northern	388	44	189	249	870
2 Northern	1,971	5,927	2,604	4,239	14,741
3 Northern	3,013	2,421	692	13,861	19,987
4 Northern	1,835	638	229	6,020	8,721
No. 5 Wheat	1,790	3,880	65	3,697	9,432
No. 6 Wheat	128	39	-	1,606	1,773
Feed Wheat	1	-	-	483	484
2 C.W. Garnet	28	-	-	<u>1/</u>	29
3 C.W. Garnet	251	187	-	-	438
Tough Contract	53	12	7	369	440
Others	2,331	761	421	5,613	9,126
Totals	11,789	13,910	4,206	36,136	66,041
<u>Durum</u>					
1 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	20	20
2 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	45	45
3 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	35	35
Ex. 4 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	884	884
4 C.W. Amber	-	-	-	82	82
Tough	-	-	-	26	26
Others	-	-	-	316	316
Totals	-	-	-	1,408	1,408
Totals, Wheat	11,789	13,910	4,206	37,543	67,448
<u>Oats</u>					
2 C.W.	-	-	-	5	5
Ex. 3 C.W.	-	-	-	107	107
3 C.W.	3	-	-	798	801
Ex. 1 Feed	24	-	-	383	407
1 Feed	44	<u>1/</u>	-	1,022	1,066
2 Feed	<u>1/</u>	2	-	37	39
3 Feed	4	1	-	11	16
Mixed Feed	3	<u>1/</u>	30	115	149
Tough	10	<u>1/</u>	-	<u>1/</u>	11
Others	3	5	-	68	77
Totals	92	8	30	2,546	2,677

Stocks in Store and Afloat by Principal Grades, at Public and Semi-Public Terminals, April 18, 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	11	-	-	212	223
3 C.W. Six-Row	709	-	-	2,014	2,723
4 C.W. Six-Row	2	-	-	428	430
2 C.W. Two-Row	2	-	-	90	92
3 C.W. Two-Row	573	-	-	675	1,248
1 Feed	766	-	-	1,228	1,995
Ex. 2 Feed	197	<u>1/</u>	-	703	901
2 Feed	39	4	-	2,742	2,785
3 Feed	6	1	-	99	105
Tough	78	-	-	66	144
Others	47	499	-	1,083	1,629
Totals	2,431	503	-	9,341	12,275
<u>Rye</u>					
2 C.W.	-	-	-	1,007	1,007
3 C.W.	2	-	-	1,184	1,185
Tough	-	27	-	100	127
Others	-	-	-	314	314
Totals	2	27	-	2,605	2,633
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
1 C.W.	46	<u>1/</u>	-	1,579	1,625
2 C.W.	9	-	-	59	68
3 C.W.	-	-	-	39	39
Tough	-	-	-	1	1
Others	-	<u>1/</u>	-	42	42
Totals	55	<u>1/</u>	-	1,721	1,776
Totals, Stocks	14,368	14,449	4,236	53,756	86,809

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

Stocks in Store by Principal Grades, at Eastern Elevators,
April 18, 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	838	47	161	-	1,046
2 Northern	6,400	1,594	4,560	41	12,594
3 Northern	1,826	4,456	2,596	7	8,884
4 Northern	2,667	1,397	2,773	12	6,848
No. 5 Wheat	2,586	982	1,066	426	5,061
No. 6 Wheat	1,587	123	55	1/	1,766
Feed Wheat	2	-	28	-	30
2 C.W. Garnet	-	4	-	-	4
Tough Contract	-	-	1/	-	1/
Others	504	1,279	304	-	2,087
Eastern	95	199	23	-	317
Totals	16,504	10,082	11,565	485	38,636
<u>Durum</u>					
1 C.W. Amber	-	35	-	-	35
2 C.W. Amber	225	-	-	-	225
3 C.W. Amber	-	121	3	1/	125
Ex. 4 C.W. Amber	42	439	32	439	951
4 C.W. Amber	228	70	11	-	308
Others	-	61	3	-	64
Totals	494	726	48	439	1,707
Totals, Wheat	16,999	10,808	11,613	924	40,344
<u>Oats</u>					
2 C.W.	-	-	2	-	2
Ex. 3 C.W.	1	71	2	-	74
3 C.W.	2	45	15	-	62
Ex. 1 Feed	22	33	5	-	60
1 Feed	315	406	38	-	758
2 Feed	-	5	4	-	10
Mixed Feed	7	-	2	-	9
Tough	-	-	5	-	5
Others	-	-	5	-	5
Eastern	-	-	1/	-	1/
Totals	346	559	79	-	984

Stocks in Store by Principal Grades, at Eastern Elevators,
April 18, 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	-	-	91	-	91
3 C.W. Two-Row	-	-	28	-	28
1 Feed	10	70	72	-	152
Ex. 2 Feed	49	<u>1/</u>	16	-	65
2 Feed	120	555	46	2	722
3 Feed	-	-	1	-	1
Tough	-	2	14	-	16
Others	-	33	15	-	48
Eastern	-	-	1	-	1
Totals	180	659	282	2	1,123
<u>Rye</u>					
2 C.W.	129	135	210	-	473
3 C.W.	152	2	303	-	457
Tough	5	-	2	-	7
Others	26	-	41	-	67
Eastern	1	-	-	-	1
Totals	313	137	555	-	1,005
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
1 C.W.	-	260	75	-	335
2 C.W.	-	-	-	<u>1/</u>	<u>1/</u>
Eastern	-	1	-	-	1
Totals	-	261	75	<u>1/</u>	336
Totals, Stocks	17,838	12,425	12,604	926	43,792

1/ Less than 500 bushels

Farmers' Marketings in the Prairie Provinces
Week Ending April 18, 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	377	2	111	154	36	13
To Date	17,422	111	6,089	12,494	630	3,750
<u>Saskatchewan</u>						
This Week	2,619	90	274	281	171	15
To Date	84,285	7,820	15,685	25,824	2,542	8,317
<u>Alberta</u>						
This Week	1,239	57	81	161	58	17
To Date	43,777	4,322	7,080	22,804	1,655	2,277
<u>Totals</u>						
This Week	4,235	149	466	596	266	45
To Date	145,485	12,253	28,854	61,123	4,827	14,344

Farmers' Marketings in the Prairie Provinces
Aug. 1, 1955 - April 18, 1956, with Comparisons ^{1/}

Crop Year	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed	Total
- million bushels -						
1944-45	283.2	96.6	68.8	3.6	6.7	458.9
1945-46	200.3	82.2	58.0	2.7	4.6	347.8
1946-47	264.1	73.5	52.0	5.1	4.8	399.5
1947-48	209.7	59.9	56.9	9.4	9.4	345.4
1948-49	260.3	64.9	56.9	14.1	13.8	410.1
1949-50	264.9	66.7	46.9	7.2	1.4	387.1
1950-51	272.4	65.6	63.3	6.4	2.9	410.6
1951-52	298.7	72.1	81.6	7.6	5.5	465.4
1952-53	352.9	68.1	109.8	11.5	7.3	549.5
1953-54	275.1	67.5	71.1	7.2	6.8	427.7
10-Year Average (1944-45 - 1953-54)	268.2	71.7	66.5	7.5	6.3	420.2
1954-55 ^{2/}	167.5	48.6	83.9	7.9	8.0	315.8
1955-56 ^{3/}	157.7	28.9	61.1	4.8	14.3	266.9

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

^{2/} Revised.

^{3/} Subject to revision.

Country Elevator Stocks, Receipts and Shipments,
Week Ending April 18, 1956

Province	Wheat (ex.Dur.)	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flax- seed
- thousand bushels -						
<u>Stocks in Store</u>						
Manitoba	20,336	54	2,799	5,140	487	282
Saskatchewan	101,239	1,312	8,998	5,089	1,804	544
Alberta	68,705	837	4,481	17,193	1,200	153
Totals	190,280	2,204	16,279	25,422	3,491	979
Totals - Week Ago	194,031	2,401	16,959	27,183	3,536	1,025
Year Ago	194,882	1,612	13,520	27,940	2,650	707
<u>Receipts</u>						
Manitoba	374	2	111	154	36	13
Saskatchewan	2,609	90	274	280	171	14
Alberta	1,194	49	81	157	56	9
Totals	4,176	140	466	591	264	36
Totals - Week Ago	3,649	94	589	849	247	35
Year Ago	5,954	44	405	963	68	51
<u>Shipments</u>						
Manitoba	1,100	1	294	570	49	24
Saskatchewan	4,570	262	691	1,056	152	40
Alberta	2,253	77	215	726	107	19
Totals	7,923	340	1,200	2,351	308	84
Totals - Week Ago	6,641	135	1,267	2,057	180	92
Year Ago	4,235	42	680	1,315	107	52

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>						
April 18, 1956	36,136	1,408	2,600	10,176	2,605	1,721
Receipts during week	4,958	457	1,566	2,326	377	120
Shipments during week						
Lake	10,220	313	1,086	3,654	435	135
Rail	61	16	332	151	2	-
Milled and Processed	-	-	15	27	-	-
Receipts Aug.1/55-Apr.18/56	74,401	10,962	21,451	48,121	4,583	12,244
Shipments Aug.1/55-Apr.18/56						
Lake	74,176	7,354	17,426	41,454	5,028	6,925
Rail	3,943	2,991	9,069	3,641	68	3,829
Milled and Processed	9	-	746	975	55	1/

1/ Less than 500 bushels.

Canadian Wheat Board Daily Fixed Cash Wheat Quotations,
Week Ending April 20, 1956

Class and Grade	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Apr. 20	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -						
<u>Initial Payment to Producers (Basis in Store Fort William-Port Arthur or Vancouver)</u>						
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
<u>International Wheat Agreement and Domestic Sales (Basis in Store Ft.Wm.-Pt.Ar.)</u>						
1 Northern	175/4	175/4	175/4	175/4	175/3	175/4
2 Northern	171/4	171/4	171/4	171/4	171/3	171/4
3 Northern	164/4	164/4	164/4	164/4	163/3	164/2
4 Northern	157/4	157/4	157/4	157/4	158/3	157/5
No. 5 Wheat	134	134	134	134	136	134/3
No. 6 Wheat	130	130	130	130	132	130/3
Feed Wheat	126	126	126	126	128	126/3
1 C.W. Garnet	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 C.W. Garnet	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 C.W. Garnet	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7
1 Alberta Red Winter	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 Alberta Winter	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 Alberta Winter	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7
1 C.W. Amber Durum	204/4	204/4	204/4	204/4	204/3	204/4
2 C.W. Amber Durum	202/4	202/4	202/4	202/4	202/3	202/4
3 C.W. Amber Durum	201/4	201/4	201/4	201/4	201/3	201/4
<u>(Basis in Store Vancouver)</u>						
1 Northern	173/4	173/4	173/4	173/4	173/3	173/4
2 Northern	169/4	169/4	169/4	169/4	169/3	169/4
3 Northern	162/4	162/4	162/4	162/4	162/3	162/4
4 Northern	155/4	155/4	155/4	155/4	156/3	155/5
No. 5 Wheat	133	133	133	133	135	133/3
No. 6 Wheat	129	129	129	129	131	129/3
Feed Wheat	125	125	125	125	127	125/3
1 C.W. Garnet	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 C.W. Garnet	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 C.W. Garnet	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7
1 Alberta Red Winter	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 Alberta Winter	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 Alberta Winter	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7

Canadian Wheat Board Daily Fixed Cash Wheat Quotations
Week Ending April 20, 1956

Class and Grade	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Apr. 20	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel

Class 2 Exports

(Basis in Store Fort William-Port Arthur)

1 Northern	175/4	175/4	175/4	175/4	175/3	175/4
2 Northern	171/4	171/4	171/4	171/4	171/3	171/4
3 Northern	164/4	164/4	164/4	164/4	163/3	164/2
4 Northern	157/4	157/4	157/4	157/4	158/3	157/5
No. 5 Wheat	134	134	134	134	136	134/3
No. 6 Wheat	130	130	130	130	132	130/3
Feed Wheat	126	126	126	126	128	126/3
1 C.W. Garnet	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 C.W. Garnet	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 C.W. Garnet	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7
1 C.W. Amber Durum	254	254	254	254	254	254
2 C.W. Amber Durum	250	250	250	252	252	250/6
3 C.W. Amber Durum	244	244	244	251	251	246/6

(Basis in Store Vancouver)

1 Northern	173/4	173/4	173/4	173/4	173/3	173/4
2 Northern	169/4	169/4	169/4	169/4	169/3	169/4
3 Northern	162/4	162/4	162/4	162/4	162/3	162/4
4 Northern	155/4	155/4	155/4	155/4	156/3	155/5
No. 5 Wheat	133	133	133	133	135	133/3
No. 6 Wheat	129	129	129	129	131	129/3
Feed Wheat	125	125	125	125	127	125/3
1 C.W. Garnet	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 C.W. Garnet	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 C.W. Garnet	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7
1 Alberta Red Winter	146/4	146/4	146/4	146/4	148/3	146/7
2 Alberta Winter	142/4	142/4	142/4	142/4	144/3	142/7
3 Alberta Winter	139/4	139/4	139/4	139/4	141/3	139/7

Canadian Wheat Board Daily Fixed Cash Oats and Barley Quotations,
Week Ending April 20, 1956

Grain and Grade	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Apr. 20	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.	87/2	87	86/6	86/6	87/2	87
Ex. 3 C.W.	84/2	84	83/6	83/6	84/2	84
3 C.W.	80/6	80/4	80/2	80/2	80/6	80/4
Ex. 1 Feed	80/6	80/4	80/2	80/2	80/6	80/4
1 Feed	80/2	80	79/6	79/6	80/2	80
2 Feed	78/2	78	77/6	77/6	78/2	78
3 Feed	75/2	75	74/6	74/6	75/2	75

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	122/4	123/6	123/6	123/6	124/2	123/5
2 C.W. Six-Row	122/4	123/6	123/6	123/6	124/2	123/5
3 C.W. Six-Row	118/4	119/6	119/6	119/6	120/2	119/5
4 C.W. Six-Row	113/4	114/6	114/6	114/6	115/2	114/5
1 C.W. Two-Row	121/4	122/6	122/6	122/6	123/2	122/5
2 C.W. Two-Row	121/4	122/6	122/6	122/6	123/2	122/5
3 C.W. Two-Row	114	115/2	115/2	115/2	115/6	115/1
1 Feed	113/4	114/6	114/6	114/6	115/2	114/5
2 Feed	113/2	114/4	114/4	114/4	115	114/3
3 Feed	110	111/2	111/2	111/2	111/6	111/1

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 April 20, 1956

Grain and Grade	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Apr. 20	Weekly Average
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- cents and eighths per bushel -

OATS

Domestic and Export

2 C.W.	86/1	85/7	85/5	85/6	86/2	85/7
Ex. 3 C.W.	84/1	83/7	83/1	82/6	82/6	83/3
3 C.W.	80/5	80/3	79/5	79/2	79/2	79/7
Ex. 1 Feed	80/5	80/3	79/5	79/2	79/2	79/7
1 Feed	80/1	79/7	79/1	78/6	78/6	79/3
2 Feed	78/1	77/7	77/1	76/6	76/6	77/3
3 Feed	75/1	74/7	74/1	73/6	73/6	74/3

BARLEY

Domestic and Export

1 C.W. Six-Row	121/3	122/5	122/5	122/5	123/1	122/4
2 C.W. Six-Row	121/3	122/5	122/5	122/5	123/1	122/4
3 C.W. Six-Row	114/3	115/5	115/5	115/5	116/1	115/4
4 C.W. Six-Row	113/3	114/5	114/5	114/5	115/1	114/4
1 C.W. Two-Row	120/3	121/5	121/5	121/5	122/1	121/4
2 C.W. Two-Row	120/3	121/5	121/5	121/5	122/1	121/4
3 C.W. Two-Row	113/3	114/5	114/5	114/5	115/1	114/4
1 Feed	113/3	114/5	114/5	114/5	115/1	114/4
2 Feed	113/1	114/3	114/3	114/3	114/7	114/2
3 Feed	109/3	110/5	110/5	110/5	111/1	110/4

RYE

Producers', Domestic and Export Prices

2 C.W.	131/4	132/5	131/5	130/6	130	131/2
3 C.W.	125	126/1	125/5	125/2	125	125/3
4 C.W.	115	116/1	115/5	115/2	115	115/3
Ergoty	110	111/1	110/5	110/2	110	110/3

FLAXSEED

Producers', Domestic, and Export Prices

1 C.W.	424/2	425/5	423/5	418/2	419/3	422/2
2 C.W.	419/2	420/5	418/5	413/2	414/3	417/2
3 C.W.	364/4	366/4	364/4	359	359/6	362/7

^{1/} Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur.

Canadian Wheat Board Monthly Average Cash Grain Prices, 1/2/ March, 1956

- cents and eighths per bushel -

Wheat

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

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

1 Northern	175/5
2 Northern	171/5
3 Northern	165/5
4 Northern	155/3
No. 5 Wheat	130/1
No. 6 Wheat	126/1
Feed Wheat	122/1
1 C.W. Garnet	145/3
2 C.W. Garnet	141/3
3 C.W. Garnet	138/3
1 Alberta Red Winter	144/2
2 Alberta Winter	140/2
3 Alberta Winter	136/2
1 C.W. Amber Durum	204/6
2 C.W. Amber Durum	202/6
3 C.W. Amber Durum	201/6

(Basis in Store Vancouver)

1 Northern	172/6
2 Northern	168/6
3 Northern	162/6
4 Northern	154/3
No. 5 Wheat	128/5
No. 6 Wheat	124/5
Feed Wheat	120/5
1 C.W. Garnet	145/3
2 C.W. Garnet	141/3
3 C.W. Garnet	138/3
1 Alberta Red Winter	144/2
2 Alberta Winter	140/2
3 Alberta Winter	136/2

Class 2 Exports

<u>(Basis in Store Ft.Wm.-Pt.Ar.)</u>	
1 Northern	175/5
2 Northern	171/5
3 Northern	165/5
4 Northern	155/3
No. 5 Wheat	130/1
No. 6 Wheat	126/1
Feed Wheat	122/1
1 C.W. Garnet	145/3
2 C.W. Garnet	141/3
3 C.W. Garnet	138/3
1 C.W. Amber Durum	254
2 C.W. Amber Durum	250
3 C.W. Amber Durum	244

(Basis in Store Vancouver)

1 Northern	172/6
2 Northern	168/6
3 Northern	162/6
4 Northern	154/3
No. 5 Wheat	128/5
No. 6 Wheat	124/5
Feed Wheat	120/5
1 C.W. Garnet	145/3
2 C.W. Garnet	141/3
3 C.W. Garnet	138/3
1 Alberta Red Winter	144/2
2 Alberta Winter	140/2
3 Alberta Winter	136/2

Oats 4/

Initial Payment to Producers

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

Domestic and Export 5/

2 C.W.	87/6
Ex. 3 C.W.	84/5
3 C.W.	80/5
Ex. 1 Feed	80/7
1 Feed	79/7
2 Feed	78/1
3 Feed	75/1

Canadian Wheat Board Monthly Average Cash Grain Prices, 1/2, March, 1956

- cents and eighths per bushel -

Barley 4/

<u>Initial Payment to Producers</u>		<u>Domestic and Export 5/</u>	
1 C.W. Six-Row	98	1 C.W. Six-Row	119/5
2 C.W. Six-Row	98	2 C.W. Six-Row	119/5
3 C.W. Six-Row	96	3 C.W. Six-Row	115/5
4 C.W. Six-Row	90	4 C.W. Six-Row	110/2
1 C.W. Two-Row	91	1 C.W. Two-Row	118/5
2 C.W. Two-Row	91	2 C.W. Two-Row	118/5
3 C.W. Two-Row	88	3 C.W. Two-Row	111
1 Feed	87	1 Feed	110/2
2 Feed	82	2 Feed	109/7
3 Feed	75	3 Feed	106/6

Winnipeg Grain Exchange Monthly Average Cash Grain Prices, 1/6, March, 1956

- cents and eighths per bushel -

Oats 4/

<u>Domestic and Export</u>	
2 C.W.	86/6
Ex. 3 C.W.	84
3 C.W.	80/4
Ex. 1 Feed	80/6
1 Feed	79/7
2 Feed	77/7
3 Feed	74/6

Barley 4/

<u>Domestic and Export</u>	
1 C.W. Six-Row	118/4
2 C.W. Six-Row	118/4
3 C.W. Six-Row	111/2
4 C.W. Six-Row	110
1 C.W. Two-Row	117/4
2 C.W. Two-Row	117/4
3 C.W. Two-Row	110/4
1 Feed	110
2 Feed	109/4
3 Feed	106/3

Rye 4/

Producers', Domestic and Export Prices

2 C.W.	124/3
3 C.W.	117/2
4 C.W.	103/4
Ergoty	98/4

Flaxseed 4/

<u>Producers', Domestic and Export Prices</u>	
1 C.W.	417/3
2 C.W.	412/7
3 C.W.	356/7

- 1/ Includes 21 trading days.
- 2/ Averages of prices fixed daily by the Canadian Wheat Board.
- 3/ Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur or Vancouver.
- 4/ Basis in store Fort William-Port Arthur.
- 5/ Local sales and spot sales subject to confirmation.
- 6/ Averages of daily closing quotations for cash grain.

Winnipeg Grain Futures, Closing Quotations
Week Ending April 20, 1956

Grain & Month	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Apr. 20
- cents and eighths per bushel -					
<u>Oats</u>					
May	80/5	80/3	80/1	80/2	80/6
July	75/5	76/1	76/4	77/1	77/4
October	72/5	73/2	73/7	74/6	75/2
<u>Barley</u>					
May	113/3	114/5	114/5	114/5	115/1
July	108/6	109/5	109/2	109/7	110/4
October	103/7	104/4	104/3	104/6	105/1
<u>Rye</u>					
May	129	130/1	129/5	129/2	129
July	125/4	126/7	126/6	126/4	126/1-1/2
October	121/7	123/1	123/3	123/4	123
<u>Flaxseed</u>					
May	424/4	426/4	424/4	419	419/6
July	416/7	417/4	417	411/4	411/2-412
October	356/4	357	354	351/2	351/4

Daily Quotations and Weekly Average Cash Prices of Ontario Grain
Week Ending April 20, 1956

Grain & Grade	Apr. 16	Apr. 17	Apr. 18	Apr. 19	Apr. 20	Weekly Average
- cents and eighths per bushel -						
Wheat, Ontario Winter						
No. 2 and better	160	160	160	160	160	160
No. 3	157	157	157	157	157	157
Oats, No. 2 White	70	70	70	70	70	70
Barley, Ontario, good malting	120	120	120	120	120	120
Rye No. 2 Ontario	120	120	120	120	120	120
Corn, Ont. Yellow No. 2, 15.5% Moisture (natural or kiln dried)	140	140	140	140	140	140
Buckwheat, Tough No. 3, 18% Moisture	175	175	175	175	175	175
Mixed Grain	68	68	68	68	68	68
Flaxseed, No. 1	424	426	424	419	419	422/3
Soybeans, No. 2 and better	264/6	266/2	265/4	271/6	273/6	268/3

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 April 18, 1956

Ports	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed
	- thousand bushels -				
<u>Pacific Seaboard</u>					
Vancouver-New Westminster	1,890	-	-	-	-
<u>St. Lawrence</u>					
Montreal	1,117	-	-	40	-
Sorel	745	-	-	-	-
Three Rivers	755	-	-	-	-
Quebec	539	-	-	-	-
<u>Maritime</u>					
West Saint John	1,489	-	-	-	-
Halifax	1,509	-	-	-	-
Totals	8,044	-	-	40	-
April 20, 1955	2,959	53	70	359	411

Overseas Exports of Canadian Grain by Ports of Loading
August 1, 1955-April 18, 1956

Ports	Wheat	Oats	Barley	Rye	Flaxseed
	- thousand bushels -				
<u>Pacific Seaboard</u>					
Vancouver-New Westminster	58,120	272	8,065	354	651
Victoria	1,579	-	-	-	-
Prince Rupert	355	-	3,059	-	-
<u>Churchill</u>	12,819	-	-	-	-
<u>St. Lawrence</u>					
Montreal	22,705	1,248	6,481	1,678	5,249
Sorel	3,835	-	341	-	156
Three Rivers	3,463	-	420	-	-
Quebec	4,531	-	128	-	-
<u>Maritime</u>					
Saint John	2,334	-	-	-	-
West Saint John	20,717	49	82	233	2,466
Halifax	17,003	-	-	92	1,059
<u>U.S.A. Atlantic Seaboard</u>					
	182	-	-	-	-
Totals	147,643	1,569	18,576	2,357	9,581
Aug.1/54-Apr.20/55	150,124	4,378	36,991	2,809	4,352

Lake Shipments from Fort William-Port Arthur,
April 12-18, 1956

Grain	Georgian Bay & Upper Lake Ports	Lower Lake & Upper St. Lawr. Ports	Lower St. Lawrence Ports	Buffalo	Other U.S.A. Forts	Total
- thousand bushels -						
Wheat(ex.Dur.)	8,271	845	53	921	-	10,090
Durum Wheat	536	-	-	-	-	536
Oats	414	368	138	-	-	920
Barley	123	1,398	83	-	1,824	3,428
Rye	56	379	-	-	-	435
Flaxseed	-	203	-	-	-	203
Totals	9,400	3,193	274	921	1,824	15,612

Lake Shipments from Fort William-Port Arthur
Opening of Navigation April 5 to 18, 1956

Grain	Georgian Bay & Upper Lake Ports	Lower Lake & Upper St. Lawr. Ports	Lower St. Lawrence Ports	Buffalo	Other U.S.A. Forts	Total
- thousand bushels -						
Wheat (ex.Dur.)	19,959	1,879	53	921	180	22,992
Durum Wheat	1,061	-	-	-	-	1,061
Oats	695	976	138	-	-	1,809
Barley	242	2,142	83	-	3,075	5,542
Rye	56	395	-	-	-	452
Flaxseed	-	203	-	-	-	203
Totals	22,014	5,595	274	921	3,255	32,059
April 14(Opening)- April 20, 1955	1,067	4,654	-	-	797	6,518

Shipments of Canadian Grain to the United States
Week Ending April 18, 1956

	Pacific Coast Terminals	Western Elevators	Ft. William- Pt. Arthur	Eastern Elevators	Total
- thousand bushels -					
<u>Wheat</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	921	-	921
By Rail	-	1	30	11	42
<u>Oats</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	-	-	-
By Rail	33	15	4	-	52
<u>Barley</u>					
By Vessel	-	-	1,824	-	1,824
By Rail	-	2	-	-	2

Total Shipments Since August 1, 1955

Wheat	25	62	3,874	286	4,248
Oats	482	270	108	24	883
Barley	-	26	18,673	22	18,722
Rye	-	-	1,519	-	1,519

Canadian Corn and Western Sunflower Seed

Receipts, Shipments and Stocks, Week Ending April 18, 1956 and
Crop Year to Date

	Western Elevators	Eastern Elevators
- thousand bushels -		
<u>Canadian Western Corn</u>		
Receipts during week	2	-
Receipts Aug. 1, 1955 to date	50	-
Shipments during week	1	-
Stocks in store	12	-
<u>Canadian Eastern Corn</u>		
Receipts during week	-	204
Receipts Aug. 1, 1955 to date	-	4,901
Shipments during week	-	47
Stocks in store	-	721
- thousand pounds -		
<u>Canadian Western Sunflower Seed</u>		
Receipts during week	2	-
Receipts Aug. 1, 1955 to date	9,687	-
Shipments during week	100	-
Stocks in store	394	-

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