

23.—Quantities of Grain and Other Field Crops Inspected, Crop Years Ended July 31, 1956 and 1957

Crop	1955-56			1956-57		
	Western Division	Eastern Division	Total	Western Division	Eastern Division	Total
	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.
Wheat.....	341,137,953	3,185,962	344,323,915	367,348,789	6,966,845	374,315,634
Spring wheat.....	339,039,733	6,000	339,095,733	364,992,757	—	364,992,757
Winter wheat.....	2,043,220	3,179,962	5,223,182	2,356,032	6,966,845	9,322,877
Oats.....	55,038,770	43,458	55,082,228	57,599,764	39,086	57,638,850
Barley.....	112,480,614	416,640	112,897,254	117,597,585	332,450	117,930,035
Rye.....	12,380,049	70,870	12,450,919	6,160,403	46,850	6,207,253
Flaxseed.....	18,194,329	22,500	18,216,829	29,819,241	3,000	29,822,241
Corn.....	202,825	16,360,074	16,562,899	176,534	4,200,371	4,376,905
Buckwheat.....	274,486	20,702	295,188	231,653	40,736	272,389
Mixed grain.....	480,411 ¹	8,825	489,236	390,042 ¹	—	390,042
Soybeans.....	—	5,776,444	5,776,444	—	5,376,165	5,376,165
Beans.....	—	378,238	378,238	—	382,615	382,615
	cars			cars		
Peas.....	57	—	2	234	—	2
Sample grain.....	—	—	—	2	—	2
Screenings.....	322	—	2	471	—	2
				bu.		
Rapeseed.....	642	—	1,193,478 ¹	4,724,929 ¹	163,946	4,888,875
Mustard seed ¹	18	—	2	1,176,775	—	1,176,775
	bu.					
U.S.A. corn.....	249,795	—	249,795	213,500	—	213,500
U.S.A. flaxseed.....	—	68,000	68,000	—	43,628	43,628
U.S.A. beans.....	—	—	—	—	533	533
U.S.A. mustard seed.....	—	—	—	22,197	—	22,197
Western Grain Inspected in the Eastern Division						
Barley.....	...	773,295	773,295	...	536,300	536,300
Flaxseed.....	...	761,533	761,533	...	8,030,368	8,030,368
Buckwheat.....	...	23,438	23,438	...	—	—
Mixed grain.....	...	3,000	3,000	...	—	—
Peas.....	...	15,258	15,258	...	31,891	31,891

¹ In bushels of 50 lb.² Quantity in bushels not available.

Lake Shipments of Grain.—The 1957 navigation season opened officially on Apr. 23 and closed on Dec. 14. During that season, total vessel shipments of wheat, oats, barley, rye, flaxseed and buckwheat amounted to 278,608,875 bu., 24 p.c. below the 1956 total of 367,200,000 bu. The 1956 season of navigation opened on Apr. 11 and closed on Dec. 17.

24.—Lake Shipments of Canadian Grain from Fort William-Port Arthur, Season of Navigation 1956 and 1957

Grain	1956			1957		
	To Canadian Ports	To U.S. Ports	Total Shipments	To Canadian Ports	To U.S. Ports	Total Shipments
Wheat..... bu.	199,428,841	6,687,997	206,135,505 ¹	150,732,926	6,444,403	157,216,512 ²
Oats..... "	42,424,872	5,091,915	47,516,787	31,645,712	17,141,860	48,787,572
Barley..... "	62,065,011	29,878,371	91,940,410 ³	36,394,980	20,311,467	56,706,447
Rye..... "	7,693,781	3,376,703	11,070,484	880,880	3,392,744	4,273,624
Flaxseed..... "	10,263,835	28,231	10,292,066	11,532,513	—	11,532,513
Buckwheat..... "	121,313	41,404	162,717	91,730	—	91,730
Totals..... bu.	321,997,653	45,101,621	367,167,969	231,278,741	47,290,474	278,608,398
Mixed grain..... lb.	—	—	—	1,193,710	—	1,193,710
Sample grain..... "	9,036,051	952,150	9,988,201	16,328,310	—	16,328,310
Screenings..... tons	56,752	52,135	108,887	49,176	35,325	84,501

¹ Includes 18,667 bu. shipped direct to Europe.² Includes 39,193 bu. wrecked.³ Includes 47,028 bu.

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