

12.—Carryover of Canadian Grain as at July 31, 1960-64, with Averages for 1950-54 and 1955-59—concluded

Grain and Year	Total in Canada and United States	Total in Canada	In Commercial Storage in Canada	On Farms in Canada	Prairie Provinces	
					On Farms	In Country Elevators
	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.
Rye—						
Av. 1950-54.....	11,656,052	11,000,586	6,136,186	4,864,400	4,786,000	2,031,544
Av. 1955-59.....	13,467,828	13,237,663	5,078,663	8,159,000	7,820,000	2,327,160
1960.....	6,753,391	6,581,640	2,781,640	3,800,000	3,600,000	1,864,827
1961.....	7,417,007	7,417,007	4,817,007	2,600,000	2,400,000	1,931,297
1962.....	3,788,786	3,717,786	2,527,786	1,190,000	1,150,000	733,490
1963.....	4,159,399	4,159,399	3,609,399	550,000	530,000	1,605,693
1964.....	7,051,748	6,624,181	4,974,181	1,650,000	1,600,000	2,415,499
Flaxseed—						
Av. 1950-54.....	3,273,720	3,273,720	2,285,920	987,800	965,000	417,047
Av. 1955-59.....	5,068,048	5,068,048	3,752,448	1,315,600	1,295,000	913,866
1960.....	4,824,392	4,824,392	4,064,392	760,000	750,000	1,191,891
1961.....	7,579,801	7,579,801	6,169,801	1,410,000	1,400,000	1,254,024
1962.....	5,268,927	5,268,927	3,948,927	1,320,000	1,300,000	1,266,994
1963.....	3,988,169	3,988,169	3,178,169	810,000	800,000	1,444,034
1964.....	6,550,719	6,550,719	5,250,719	1,300,000	1,300,000	1,873,753

Subsection 4.—Livestock and Poultry

Livestock.—The most outstanding livestock development in 1964 was the sharp increase in the number of cattle slaughtered, which was the more remarkable considering the high slaughtering in 1963. Also exceptional was the importation of some 30,000 slaughter cattle from the United States compared with virtually no imports of fat cattle in the previous three years. Despite this large supply, prices remained steady, there being a strong demand for beef; the latter was a reflection of increased incomes resulting from the improved performance of the economy in 1964. Noteworthy also were lower exports of feeder cattle, a reduction in the rate of decline in the number of milk cows and a continued but more moderate increase in beef cattle. Swine numbers rose again, particularly in the west, but sheep numbers continued to decline. The total number of cattle and calves on farms in Canada (exclusive of Newfoundland) at June 1, 1964 was estimated at 12,817,000, a rise of 512,000 over the June 1, 1963 total of 12,305,000. The number of milk cows went down from 2,914,500 to 2,906,000 and other cattle increased from 9,390,500 to 9,911,000.

The interesting aspect of the per capita disappearance of meats in 1964 was the almost 5-lb. increase in con-

