

The Grain Blockade

These tables give an idea of the seriousness of the situation in the West today. Farmers cannot get cars to ship their grain, and elevators are generally full. An enormous quantity of grain is still unthreshed. The facts and figures given below were supplied by readers of The Guide during the past two weeks.

SHIPPING POINT	Cars on order.	Time elevators have been full	Time cars rec main on track after loading	Per cent. of grain in district unthreshed	REMARKS	SHIPPING POINT	Cars on order.	Time elevators have been full	Time cars rec main on track after loading	Per cent. of grain in district unthreshed	REMARKS
Alberta						Saskatchewan---continued					
C.P.R.						C.N.R.					
Aldersyde		Not full	24 hours	30	Threshing stopped Dec. 20	Arran		4-10 days	50		
Acme				25	Two crop failures.	Aberdeen		2-14 days	10		Car book mutilated.
Botha	8	Dec. 22	No delay	35	Two crop failures.	Borden	36	2 weeks	14 days	25	Banks charge 10 per cent.
Castor		Usually		35	Bank reasonable.	Bladworth	Many	All fall		25	Farmers getting discour-
Cayley	50	Not full	1 to 3 days	40		Ceepee	75	All fall	6 days	None	Can't get bag of flour.
Claresholm	600	Some time	Little delay	15	68 cars in month.	Dundurn	80	All fall	5 days	Little	Shortage serious.
Dalroy	19	No elevators	48 hours	20	All wheat No. 6 or lower.	Disley	75	6 weeks	1-6 days	None	
Gwynne		No elevators	24 hours	None	Little wheat grown.	Dana	25	Nearly		None	No cars for 6 weeks.
Killam	20	Nearly	1 day	5	See letter.	Davidson	200	6 weeks	Not long	50	Can't sell wheat
Lacombe				12	Still threshing.	Kenaston	Many	All fall	1-14 days	None	
Langdon		Not full		25	Car shortage serious.	Kuroki	No book			5	Car shortage serious.
Lougheed	25	3 weeks	5 to 10 days	25		Laura	100	All fall	2 weeks	10	Wheat on ground.
Monarch	40	Recently	No delay	10	Farmers ship direct.	Lashburn		Not full		None	Seed and money scarce.
Noble	41	30 days	7 days	25	Elevators grasping.	Langbank	15	Not full		10	Want Southern market.
Nevis	Few	No elevators	2 weeks	None	See letter.	Lampman		All fall	Month	12	See letter.
Sweet Valley		3 weeks		10		Mair	30		1-15 days	2	
Strome		Not full	No delay	10		Maymont	100	Mostly		70	Settlers suffering.
						Montmartre	120	Not full	No delay	5	Situation serious
						Makaroff	20	2 weeks	No delay	None	Great inconvenience.
						Norquay	8	Month	7-10 days	None	
						Radisson	103	2 months		None	Considerable frost damage
						Swanson	53	6 weeks	3 weeks	None	Shortage serious
						Star City				10	Banks charge 10 per cent.
						St. Gregor	23	6 weeks	1-40 days	None	Banks charge 10 per cent.
						Valparaiso	No book	All fall	1 week	Little	Cannot get cars.
						Vandura	50	Nearly	1 day	None	Serious shortage.
						Vanscoy	50	Usually	1-14 days	800 acres	Shortage serious.
						Warman		Not full	6 days	None	
						Zealandia	200	8 weeks	1-2 days	None	Serious shortage.