

cont'd.		QUANTITY	MILLIONS OF DOLLARS
<u>U.S.S.R.</u>			
Wheat	tons	83,529	3.861
Flour	tons	285,082	22.865
Rolled oats	tons	9,672	.813
Lard	tons	9,892	2.657
Alfalfa and brome grass	tons	545	.564
<u>New Zealand</u>			
Wheat	bu.	2,404,194	5.671
<u>Australia</u>			
Canned fish and fish oils (quantity not available)			.654
<u>France</u>			
Wheat	bu.	4,686,000	7.845
Flour	tons	5,498	.244
Farm products	tons	51	.606
<u>India</u>			
Wheat	bu.	4,389,023	5.671
<u>British West Indies</u>			
Flour	bags	1,895,802	5.575

* For period beginning March 31, 1944, to September 1, 1945, only.

Military Relief

During the invasion period, relief supplies of food to liberated countries were made available under military jurisdiction. The financing and procurement in Canada of such supplies were handled by the Mutual Aid Board. The Canadian share was roughly proportionate to Canada's participation in the invasion as measured by an estimate of the number of troops engaged.

UNRRA

Canada has supported UNRRA since its inauguration. It was among the earliest nations to implement its financial contribution.

Canada has also undertaken certain independent projects in international relief. Since August, 1942, nearly 20,000 tons of wheat a month have been going to Greece as a gift of the Canadian people, an amount sufficient to keep alive almost half the population of that country. To February 28, 1946, a total of \$12,633,331 had been appropriated by the Canadian government for these wheat shipments.

During 1944 Canada made a gift of 100,000 tons of wheat to India to help alleviate famine in Bengal province.

In line with an agreement made in 1942 among the big wheat producing nations, Canada is a contributor with the United Kingdom, the United States and the Argentine to an international wheat relief pool. A pool of 100,000,000 bushels of wheat was established for relief purposes, with the United States contributing 50,000,000 bushels, the United Kingdom and Canada 25,000,000 each. Argentina also offered to contribute some 200,000 tons of wheat to the pool.