

Barley will also be supported at 90 cents per bushel for Number One Feed Barley, in store Fort-William/Port Arthur, with other grades at appropriate differentials to be fixed from time to time by the Wheat Board.

The purpose in making this announcement at this time is to enable producers of oats and barley to plan their operation for the coming crop year with the assurance that market prices will not decline below the support levels. As in the present crop year, the Canadian Wheat Board will be directed to implement this policy.

DEATH OF SENATOR ROBICHEAU: Senator J.L.P. Robicheau of Maxwellton N.S., who represented

Digby-Clare in the Senate died in Quebec City, March 1.

A Conservative, Senator Robicheau was the first Acadian to second the speech from the throne in the Nova Scotia legislature in 1926.

He was first elected to the Nova Scotia legislature for Digby in 1925 and the following year was appointed farming commissioner for the province. He was defeated in the provincial elections of 1928, and called to the Senate in 1935.

Party Standing in the Senate now is: Liberal 65; Progressive Conservative 21; vacant 10.

Senator Robicheau's death creates the third Nova Scotia vacancy. Other vacancies: Ontario 3 Alberta 2, British Columbia 1, New Brunswick 1.