Grain Elevator Notes.

The Lake of the Woods Milling Co. has completed an elevator at Brookdale, Man.

The 2,000,000 bush, annex to the C.P.R. Elevator B, at Fort William, Ont., is expected to be completed by Feb. 1, 1903.

The Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. has completed the erection of an additional large elevator at Winnipeg, and is installing the machinery. The elevator is expected to be ready for use early in Dec.

The Canadian Northern Elevator Co. has erected elevators of 25,000 bush. capacity each at Oak Bluff, Sanford, Branheld, Sperling and Carman, Man., on the Carman branch of the Canadian Northern Ry.

The annex to C.P.R. Elevator D, at Fort William, with a capacity of 3,500,000 bush., was expected to be completed by Dec. 1. The workhouse at this elevator, which was destroyed by fire in the spring, has been reconstructed.

The C.P.R. cleaning elevator at Port Arthur, operated by J. G. King, has been undergoing a number of improvements which have recently been completed. Under the new arrangement it is possible to unload an 80,000 lb. car in seven minutes, less than half the time formerly occupied.

The total elevator accommodation in Manitoba and the N.W.T., and at Fort William and Port Arthur, Ont., available for storage when the new grain began to come in was:-

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" " C.N.R. " 3,000,000	**
C.P.R. elevators at Fort William 4,000,000	
C.N.R. elevator at Port Arthur 1,500,000	

24,500,000

In addition, the C.P.R. expects to have ready early in Dec. a 3,500,000 bush. annex to Elevator D, at Fort William; later on the C.N.R. 2,500,000 bush. addition to its Port Arthur elevator will be completed, and in Feb. a 2,000,000 bush. addition to C.P.R. Elevator B at Fort William is to be opened. will increase the total storage capacity to 32,500,000 bush.

Work on the Canadian Niagara power plant is progressing rapidly. The tunnel will have a length of 2,200 ft. from the wheel-pit to the base of the Horseshoe fall, where it will discharge into the lower Niagara river. From the shaft to the pit is about 900 ft., and of this there remains only 48 ft. to be blown out. From the shaft to the portal is about 1,300 ft., and of this about 200 ft. remain to be taken out. For the entire length the bottom bench remains to be taken out, but this can be removed quite rapidly. When this bench is removed the stone will be used for concrete work and backing.



Department of Railways and Canals, Canada.

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