

Wheat Research section lost one of its senior chemists, Dr. D. K. Cunningham, who resigned in August to accept a position in the United States. The two summer student positions were filled this year by Mr. E. J. Zebrowski and Mr. M. A. J. Morello.

Fitting out of the additional space acquired last year is nearly completed. The new milling and baking laboratories are now in operation and the Basic Wheat Research section has been rehoused on the eighth floor. Only two operations remain, moving the malting laboratory to the main floor and refitting the space on the eighth floor for the Applied Wheat Research section. This work should be completed before the middle of the coming year.

OVERSEAS VISITS AND VISITORS

Dr. Anderson was a member of the Minister's mission to the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, Belgium and Western Germany, and subsequently visited France, Switzerland, Italy, Austria and Hungary.

Dr. Hlynka and Dr. A. G. McCalla, Dean of Graduate Studies and Agriculture, University of Alberta, undertook a mission to Japan and gave special attention to cereal research in government, university and commercial laboratories.

A group of distinguished cereal chemists from Western Germany spent several days in the laboratory during a tour of Canada. The mission comprised Professor P. F. Pelshenke, Dr. K. Ritter, and Dr. E. Fritsch, together with Dr. H. Schmitz of the Department of Food, Agriculture and Forestry.

APPENDIX I

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT ELEVATORS

A. E. JACOBSON, General Manager

In accordance with the provisions of Section 166 of the Canada Grain Act and Order-in-Council P.C. 1372 of August 19, 1925, the Board manages and operates five interior terminal elevators at Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton and Lethbridge, and one terminal elevator at Prince Rupert, and leases one terminal elevator at Port Arthur.

In the 1957-58 crop year, interior and Prince Rupert elevators were operated under Semi-Public Terminal Elevator licences. Port Arthur continued under lease to McCabe Grain Company Limited.

HANDLINGS

Receipts at 17.4 million bushels in the 1957-58 crop year were 2½ per cent higher than the previous year. Shipments at 18.1 million bushels were 3.5 per cent lower. Shipments were .7 million bushels higher than receipts reflecting a lower-in-store figure at the end of the crop year. Receipts of wheat and barley at 13.4 million bushels constituted 75 per cent of total receipts. Receipts of rapeseed were substantial, amounting to 3.7 million bushels. Shipments were 3.1 million. This grain was handled at the Saskatoon, Calgary and Edmonton elevators. Receipts at Prince Rupert were composed entirely of barley. Receipts and shipments by elevators were:

Elevator	Capacity	Stocks August 1, 1957	Net Receipts	Net Shipments	Stocks July 31, 1958
	million bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.	bu.
Moose Jaw.....	5.50	5,395,723	255,158	255,158	5,395,723
Saskatoon.....	5.50	3,272,128	2,394,505	2,475,325	3,171,128
Calgary.....	2.50	1,277,060	2,776,510	3,063,152	995,060
Edmonton.....	2.35	842,982	1,330,782	1,631,722	543,940
Lethbridge.....	1.25	692,714	354,816	146,673	908,585
Prince Rupert.....	1.25	349,697	10,357,022	10,562,860	134,890
Totals.....	18.35	11,830,304	17,468,793	18,134,890	11,149,326