

The farmers' organizations of Western Canada have given so many evidences of substantial growth during the past dozen years that our grain growers look for something big periodically. Nothing that has happened, however, means more to the farmers' movement, more to the prairie provinces and more to the individual farmers in those provinces than does the amalgamation of The Grain Growers' Grain Co. Ltd., and The Alberta Farmers' Cooperative Elevator Company Ltd.

On September 1, 1917, these two strong young companies ceased to exist in name—they united their energies under a new name, UNITED GRAIN GROWERS LTD.

This amalgamation is the first forward step developing out of discussions and conferences held by farmer leaders of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta with a view to consolidating the efforts of the farmers' companies for the general benefit of farmers throughout the West. Shareholders of The Grain Growers' Grain Co. Ltd., and of The Alberta Farmers' Cooperative Elevator Company Ltd., endorsed with unanimity the plan for amalgamation that brought into being the new concern.

THE GRAIN GROWERS' GRAIN CO. LTD.

For just eleven years farmers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have followed