

Dr. T. W. GRINDLEY, called.

WITNESS: Mr. Chairman, the first question given to me for consideration was the question number 3:—

How does the quantity of number 2 Northern compare with the quantity of other grades in our carry-over during each of the last four years?

The carry-over statements for Canadian wheat in Canada at July 31st of the past few years cover wheat in:

1. Farmers' hand.
2. Country, private and mill elevators.
3. Terminal elevators in the Western Inspection Division.
4. Eastern elevators.
5. Flour mills.
6. In transit.

Of these positions, information on grades covers all but the wheat in farmers' hands, eastern flour mills and in transit. For July 31, 1930, no data are available on the grades of wheat in country and private elevators.

The following summary table shows the total carry-over of Canadian wheat at July 31, 1930-1933, inclusive, and the amount and percentage of this on which the grading statistics are available:—

	1930	1931	1932	1933
	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels
(1) Total carry-over of Canadian Wheat in Canada...	111,094,912	134,078,963	131,844,806	211,740,188
(2) Total quantity of Wheat on which Grades are known.....	68,716,599	105,204,096	112,129,718	187,176,928
(3) Percentage of Total on which grades are known ($\frac{(2)}{(1)} \times 100$).....	61.8	78.5	85.0	88.4
(4) Amount of No. 2 Northern in (2).....	15,770,801	26,798,252	44,147,850	30,392,663
(5) Percentage of No. 2 Northern in (2).....	23.0	25.5	39.4	16.2

The figures given in line 5 are the percentages of number 2 Northern in the total quantity of wheat on which the grades are known; not of the total quantity of carry-over.

In more detail, by position, the total quantities of wheat on which the grades are known, the quantities of No. 2 Northern and the percentages of No. 2 Northern in the totals are as follows:—

July 31	Total Quantities, All Wheat	No. 2 Manitoba Northern	Percentage of No. 2 Northern in Totals
1930	bushels	bushels	bushels
Fort William-Port Arthur.....	36,746,147	7,933,149	21.6
Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria.....	7,652,353	2,387,535	31.2
Interior Public Terminals.....	2,808,006	769,832	27.4
Eastern Elevators.....	21,510,093	4,680,285	21.8
Totals.....	68,716,599	15,770,801	23.0