

Corporation discontinued. At the end of the year refunds were collectible by the Export Permit Branch only on feeds containing wheat in excess of 25%; exported Western grains which had received freight assistance to Eastern Canada; and equalization fees on Ships' Stores. The Canadian Wheat Board continued to collect refunds on flour and wheat products.

8. The Export Permit Branch continued to exercise export control over Ships' Stores, the list of commodities being reduced to wheat flour, macaroni, shortening and soap.

9. Statistical Summary re Export Control

Applications for Export Permits received during the year 1948.....	118,338
Permits issued during the year (including applications received 1947 and processing completed 1948).....	113,094
Applications refused or withdrawn as not required	4,348

During the same period the Export Permit Branch collected the following refunds of subsidy or other pecuniary benefit for the following bodies:

Commodity Prices Stabilization Corporation.....	\$ 43,915.01
Department of Agriculture.....	\$ 1,008.68
Canadian Wheat Board.....	\$736,217.23

IMPORT CONTROL

10. Section 4 of the Act provides:

"4. A list of goods to which section six of this Act shall apply may be established by order of the Governor in Council which order shall be published in the Canada Gazette within fifteen days after the passing of such order, and such list may be amended by the Governor in Council by order so published: Provided that no article shall be included in such list unless the Governor in Council is satisfied that by reason of the scarcity in world markets or governmental controls in the countries of origin or allocation by