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Simple facts are sufficient to describe the Canadian harvest conditions of 1925-26. In brief, what Canadians desired most, a large crop to follow upon the excellent market of 1924-25, has been raised, is being reaped and threshed and promises to sell at an appreciable profit. Some broad details of the situation, learned at first hand, are given in this bulletin.

From planting to reaping time Canada has looked to its daily newspapers for the truth about the harvest. From now to midsummer 1926, national politics and policies will be engrossing topics, focussing through the Daily Press. These facts give national advertisers a potential contact of tremendous power, because a nation's people must have news at a vitally important time in a nation's destiny. In such matters as the growth and movement of the harvest and in national politics the newspaper becomes an institution, while the subsidiary forms of publicity assume their proper proportions—lifeless and newsless.

This Canadian market of more than 5,200,000 persons is more than ever a goal worth seeking in 1925-26, when from \$250,000,000 to a possible \$400,000,000 more than ever before will be released in the form of added buying power. It should be remembered also that this is only the beginning of things. Less than 25,000,000 acres of an available 167,000,000 have been broken in the prairies. Seven millions have been added in five years. Every added dollar of purchasing power in the Prairies means added prosperity for the Maritimes, Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia.

Nearly 7,000,000 of our people were born in Canada; more than 1,000,000 in Great Britain; more than 370,000 in the United States. They are readers of the daily newspapers which have a total circulation almost identical with the number of families. Both French and English have their daily press and in Toronto and Ontario a considerable Hebrew community is served in Yiddish. Daily newspaper space in Canada is cheaper than anywhere in the world with a milline rate of \$2.83.

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**Crop Large and Profitable.**  
Canada's golden harvest of grain for 1925-26 is assured; some of the wheat is already in the elevators; reaping is generally well advanced; later grains are in safe condition; adequate labor is available; the co-operative wheat pools have announced an initial guarantee of \$1 a bushel for wheat. Apart from the customary attempts of grain gamblers and professional speculators to bear the crop reports, every one in a position to know the facts is satisfied that this year's yield of field crops is so satisfactory and so encouraging that no person need go beyond the limits of strict verity in predicting a resultant effect upon general business conditions in Canada that will be stimulating and permanent.

Sound and conservative investigators, personally interviewed in the West by the writer within a week, felt safe in predicting a wheat crop of between 350,000,000 and 375,000,000 bushels. Two of these investigators are widely known and trusted by Western grain growers and handlers because they are reputed never to have entered into a buying or selling operation in any grain exchange. Added to their estimate is that of Sir Henry Thornton, President of the Canadian National Railways, who voiced his opinion in an interview accorded to a Toronto daily newspaper after he had completed a trip through Western Canada, that 400,000,000 bushels of wheat is a fairer estimate of the season's harvest.

**Valuation \$1,300,000,000.**  
Total crop valuation cannot be more than conjecture at this time but here again expert opinion—apart completely from speculative interest—ventures a total for the field crops of more than \$1,300,000,000, a figure which exceeds that of 1924-25 by \$400,000,000 and earmarks approximately \$545,000,000 to the wheat growers.

Purchasing power of the main crop, added to the high yield and the guarantee of price that is expected to range close to that of 1924-25, is a third quantity entering most encouragingly into the business equation of Canada for the next twelve months. Based on general wholesale prices and taking 100 as the average purchasing price index of wheat and oats, this purchasing power has been above par since August, 1924, when it rose to 101.52. In February, 1925, it rose to 132.59. In June—when the last tabulations were made—it stood at 120.54 with no indication of an appreciable drop.

On Aug. 13th of this year, November wheat was quoted in Winnipeg at \$1.42; at the same date in 1914 it stood at \$0.89; in 1922, at \$1.18; in 1923 at \$1.09. The average cost of production is 65c.

The effect of such highly encouraging crop returns from the Prairie Provinces upon every section of

Canada cannot be over-estimated, for the season on the average has been sound and good in all parts of the country and every province will share in the benefits which accrue not only from the actual sowing, reaping, distribution and financing of the crop, but in the exchange of the commodities which each province has and is producing and for the purchase of which ample money is now assured. The Maritime Provinces of Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, with their timber and pulp, coal, fish, fruit, food and fodder crops; Quebec with its pulp and paper, power and industries, and also blessed with a good harvest in its fields; Ontario in a similar position; and British Columbia with agriculture added to increased abundance in forest, mine, fishery and orchards—every zone in Canada must feel the trade impetus that comes with a large crop that is sure of a profitable market. Tourists also have left millions in every province this summer.

**Money For All Purposes.**  
In the West itself the crop means this: The settlement of all necessary obligations with not only a comfortable but a wide margin of money for those who raised the wheat. There will be enough for a further reduction of mortgages, for the purchase of lumber, steel, machinery and such staples of improvement, for the liquidation of debts, for the payment of labor, and sufficient funds for the indulgence of long repressed desires in personal comfort, luxury and pleasure. Retail shop keepers, wholesalers, manufacturers, mortgage and land companies, banks and railroads are integral parts of the national unit that benefits by the raising, distribution and financing of the harvest.

**Crop May Be First in Value.**  
Only once, if present figures are approximate, has the present wheat crop been exceeded—in 1923, when the harvest was 452,000,000 bushels. In 1915 it exceeded 360,000,000 bushels. Guarded opinions are that the prices this year will compare with the best year's. Hence a feeling of assurance—it cannot be classed as optimism—that if all that was necessary to bring back business activity was another harvest as good or better than that of 1924-1925, that condition has been fulfilled. The quantity seems assured and nothing has happened in the wheat fields of the world to indicate a disturbance of the balance of production and demand which finds Canada in so fortunate a position.

### CHINA NOT READY TO GOVERN HERSELF

Mrs. Omer Kilborn, for many years a missionary of the Methodist Church in China and now a missionary of the United Church, who is in Canada on furlough and who is visiting her sister-in-law, Mrs. R. K. Kilborn of this city, calls the attention of the Whig to some statements made in an article dealing with the Chinese question, which appeared in this paper on Friday last. The article was the report of certain remarks made by a former prime minister of China, now lecturing in the United States. This distinguished Chinaman in the course of his remarks says that China does possess a central government strong enough to provide security for the foreign lives and capital in China. He also charges many abuses of the Chinese against the foreigners in that country.

These statements, Mrs. Kilborn says, are unfounded. The government is really controlled by separate military factions in each province. Civil war is a common occurrence and no Chinese life is safe if he is thought to possess money. Citizens of foreign countries would be in the same deplorable state as native Chinese if the demand of China that the extraterritorial rights of foreign countries be repealed, was acceded to, says Mrs. Kilborn. These extra-territorial rights are the problems at the root of the Chinese agitation against foreigners and particularly against Britishers. Mrs. Kilborn explained that these rights provide that a foreigner can be arrested by Chinese police but he must be tried before the consul of his own country. Nearly all important countries, with the exception of Russia and Germany, enjoy these rights and Russia is particularly active in working up bad feeling and spreading propaganda against the British.

The desire of the great majority of the Chinese is for peace, Mrs. Kilborn tells the Whig, but there are outside influences always at work to keep them stirred up and agitated. The feeling is bitter against the British and they are boycotted in every way. This feeling is fomented by other nations seeking favors. Many of the Chinese live in the foreign sections because they are more sanitary, have better government, and are a refuge from the exactions of their own people, but at the same time they wish to chase the foreigners out of their country. Mrs. Kilborn feels that China has gained much more than she has lost through contact with the western world. Much sympathy, she says, is felt for the Chinese people but it is her opinion that the time is not yet ripe to remove the outside influence entirely from China.

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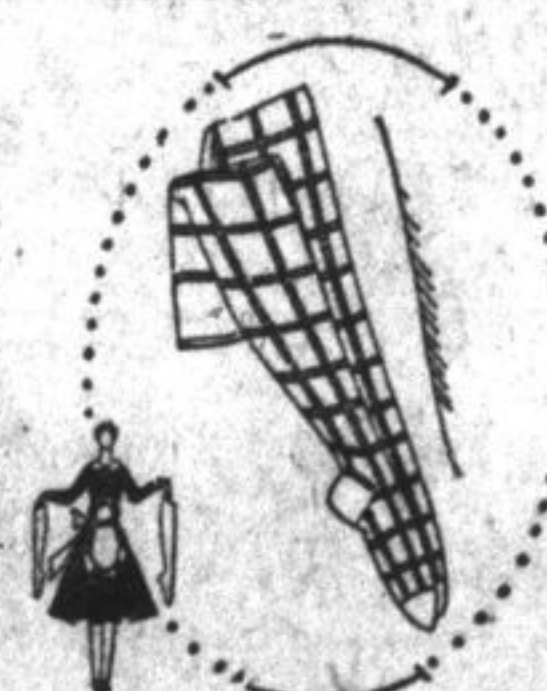
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