

# TIME EXTENDED TO SELL WHEAT

**Extension to June 1 Has Been Granted  
to Allow Farmers to Complete  
Spring Seeding.**

At the request of Federal Food Administrator Ladd the farmers of North Dakota have been granted an extension of 15 days to market their grain. This was done to allow the farmers to get their spring seeding done without having to stop and haul wheat to market.

The following official notice was issued:

The Food Administration at Washington has granted the request of the Federal Food Administrator for North Dakota to extend the time for bringing in the wheat on the part of farmers to June 1. Every farmer, therefore, is hereby warned that all wheat must be sold on or before June 1, thus permitting them a reasonable time in which to get their wheat to market.

The Food Administration at Washington deny the right of farmers to hold wheat for seed for the next year's crop. They state that the grain corporation will provide for seed.

The telegram as received reads as follows:

Washington, D. C.

April 19, 1918.

Ladd, Federal Food Administrator,  
Fargo, N. D.

Have refused permit in three states for farmers to hold seed wheat for next year's crop as we feared abuse of privilege. No real necessity because if this year's crop fails, grain corporation will see that all farmers are provided seed for next year's crop. Time for bringing in wheat may be extended to June 1 on your recommendation wire 18th.

(Signed) Hallowell.

I trust that every farmer or person holding wheat will comply with these requirements so that we may have the assurance that no drastic action will be necessary on the part of the government.

E. F. Ladd,

Federal Food Administrator.