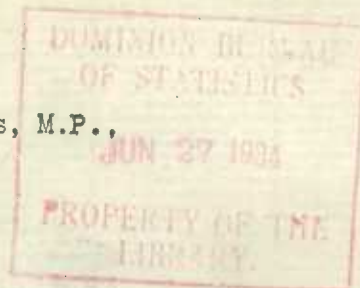


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TELEGRAPHIC CROP REPORT

Ottawa, June 26, 1934, 4 p.m.- The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues to-day the second of a series of 6 telegraphic crop reports covering crop conditions throughout Canada. Included in this report is the third of a series of 15 weekly telegraphic reports on crop conditions in the Prairie Provinces. Seventy-nine agriculturists distributed over the farming areas provide the basic information for these reports. In many cases, the Provincial Statisticians report for their entire province.

SUMMARY

Crop prospects throughout Canada are showing the effects of variable weather conditions but a net improvement is evident during the past two weeks. Rainfall has been fairly adequate and in the areas where crops are most promising warmer weather would now be advantageous to growth. The effects of early drought in other areas have not been overcome, the provinces most affected being Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan. Some southern prairie areas of considerable extent received a further set-back in the past week due to the lack of effective rain, while frost caused some damage in central Alberta. Grasshoppers are generally under good control, but have reached the winged stage when poisoning cannot be so effective.

In Prince Edward Island, a strong early growth of spring-sown crops is evident and hay and pasture lands have responded to the improved weather conditions. Nova Scotia crop conditions are more variable and the season is perhaps a week later than usual. Recent rains have improved soil conditions. The main apple crop promises to be decidedly smaller than in 1933 and the strawberry crop is also considerably reduced. Most districts of New Brunswick have received ample or excessive rains and there is every prospect of good crops. The potato crop in the Maritimes had a favourable start, but warmer weather would promote growth. The drought in Quebec has been generally relieved and in low-lying valleys, soil moisture is now excessive. Haying is under way and a great variation in yields is reported. The Ontario crop situation has improved with recent rains but not before serious crop damage was caused. The hay crop is very light in most districts. Southern districts of the prairie provinces have not received sufficient rain in the past week to maintain prospects and the wheat crop is spotty and heading out short. In the northern areas, further generous rains were received and improvement has continued despite some damaging frosts. In British Columbia, the weather continues favourable, but rain would be helpful to the spring grains.

The Maritime Provinces.-

In Prince Edward Island, June rains have supplied ample moisture for good germination and strong early growth so that prospects are very favourable. Hay and pastures have improved and there is a fair bloom of fruit despite winter injury to some tender varieties of apples, plums and cherries. In Nova Scotia, the season may still be described as late but promising. Hay and pasture growth is not heavy but fields may pick up in the two weeks before haying begins. Spring planted crops are in good condition to respond to warmer weather. June rainfall was generally heavy in western New Brunswick and lighter, but ample in eastern counties. Except where flooding has occurred, the crops look thick and promising. Potatoes are not as advanced in growth as in other sections of the Maritimes. The set of apples appears quite variable.

Quebec.-

Heavy rains have fallen in Quebec during the last fortnight so that dry soil conditions have been completely corrected. In fact, there is now some damage from excess moisture in the Richelieu and Ottawa valleys. Most of the tobacco crop is planted, but uneven stands are reported. Haying is under way in some districts and the crop is better than expected. Spring-sown crops are late but now making good growth. The apple crop will be considerably reduced. Potatoes are through the ground and are quite promising.

Ontario.-

Ontario crop prospects have also been improved by rain, but there is still a dry area in the south-west. Haying is fairly general, but except in the north and extreme east, the harvest will be very light. Spring grains are growing well in most sections but need rain in south-western counties. Roots and potatoes will benefit most from the rains because of later seeding.

The Prairie Provinces.-

Precipitation in the Prairie Provinces during the past week was heaviest in the northern districts although effective showers fell in some southern areas. Swan River, Lloydminster, Humboldt, Edmonton and Fairview received over an inch of rain. Some corrections of the records for the previous week raise the amounts of rain which fell at eight western stations. During the past twenty-four hours light to moderate showers have occurred in the Edmonton district, in southern Alberta, south-western Saskatchewan and a few sections of southern Manitoba.

Crops have developed satisfactorily during the past two weeks as a result of improved moisture conditions during the month of June. The results of adverse conditions experienced during the month of May are still apparent in south-central and south-western Manitoba, southern Saskatchewan and south-eastern Alberta. While crops in these areas have undoubtedly improved during the past few weeks, the average yield will be affected by early season conditions. Crops in central and west-central Saskatchewan are inclined to be patchy as a result of early damage and late germination. Reports are generally favourable from northern Manitoba, eastern and northern Saskatchewan and northern Alberta. Some frost damage is reported from central Alberta but it is difficult to ascertain the extent of the injury to crops.

Only light scattered showers were received in Manitoba during the past week but weather has been favourable for crop development. Generally speaking, crops north of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway are developing satisfactorily but there are many evidences of early season damage throughout southern Manitoba in the area extending westward from the Red River Valley to the Saskatchewan boundary. Rains are needed at many points in southern Manitoba and especially in the south-western section. Grasshoppers are still numerous but have not damaged crops to an appreciable extent during the past week. June rainfall has had a beneficial effect upon pastures and the feed situation has improved.

In Saskatchewan the weather has been cool with local showers during the past two weeks. Precipitation was light during the past week. Crops generally have made progress as a result of June precipitation but growth has been slow in many areas owing to cool weather. Effects of adverse conditions experienced during the month of May are apparent in south-eastern, south-central and south-western Saskatchewan where only light yields are indicated. Moisture conditions are variable in west-central and central Saskatchewan and some points will require rain shortly. In areas that were affected by the May drought, crops are patchy and uneven owing to late germination. In east-central and northern Saskatchewan the outlook continues favourable with adequate moisture and a good stand reported. Grasshoppers have not been active during the past fortnight. Damage from this source is noticeable in stubble crops in south-central and west-central portions of the province. Rain is urgently needed in south-eastern Saskatchewan and in the southern part of the province moisture reserves are limited.

Only light scattered showers were received in southern Alberta during the past week but all crops are developing satisfactorily with sufficient moisture for the time being. Early crops are heading, are inclined to be short and show the effects of late germination in many instances. Conditions are variable in central Alberta, some points reporting lack of moisture, some reporting frost damage during the third week in June and others reporting generally satisfactory conditions. Grasshoppers are being controlled at the present time and winged grasshoppers are now appearing. Crop conditions in northern Alberta are excellent. Good rains were reported during the past week at Edmonton and in the Peace River district. At Edmonton wheat is reported in shot blade and about 18 to 20 inches high. In general, warm weather would be helpful in the northern areas in order to stimulate growth.

Reports of Dominion Entomological Laboratories, Prairie Provinces.

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Brandon, Manitoba.

Hot weather, high wind and dust storms on the twenty-second and twenty-third have caused considerable loss and largely undone good of last week's rain. In western Manitoba, south of main line of Canadian Pacific Railway, crops are in poor condition and badly in need of rain. North and east, crops are much better but rain needed in all sections west of the Red River Valley. Grasshoppers pretty well controlled in all except south-west where twenty-five per cent now have wings and there is much vacant land that has not been poisoned.

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

During the past week, damage by grasshoppers was generally small although some losses of crops, chiefly those on stubble, occurred on warmer days. Winged grasshoppers now just beginning to appear in all districts will increase difficulties of control but this is being offset by the impetus given to control efforts by the rapid growth of crops and the continuation of recovery from previous injury.

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Lethbridge, Alberta.

Grasshoppers becoming winged but campaign keeping losses at a minimum. Wireworms causing serious losses throughout the province. Garden insects unusually abundant on both dry and irrigated land resulting in serious losses to winter food supply.

Hail Damage.

Saskatchewan.-

Some hail reported in district surrounding Colonsay on June 21. Some damage at other points. So far damage is not considered serious.

Alberta.-

Growing conditions favourable. No hail last week.

Meteorological Report

The following report from the Dominion Meteorological Service, Toronto, gives the rainfall (in inches) in the week ending June 25 at 7 a.m.;

<u>Manitoba</u>		<u>Saskatchewan</u>		<u>Alberta</u>	
Pierson	-0.1	Estevan	-0.1	Macleod	-0.1
Russell	-0.1	Yellow Grass	-0.1	Brooks	-0.1
Minnedosa	-0.1	Assiniboia	-0.1	Empress	-0.1
Le Pas	-0.1	Shaunavon	-0.1	Coronation	-0.1
Portage la Prairie	0.1	Consul	-0.1	Stettler	-0.1
Cypress River	0.1	Kindersley	-0.1	Foremost	0.1
Boissevain	0.2	Broadview	0.2	Cardston	0.2
Winnipeg	0.2	Moosomin	0.2	Medicine Hat	0.2
Emerson	0.3	Outlook	0.2	Drumheller	0.3
Morden	0.3	Swift Current	0.2	Red Deer	0.3
Virden	0.3	Regina	0.2	Beaverlodge	0.5
Dauphin	0.4	Elbow	0.3	Calgary	0.6
Swan River	1.1	Indian Head	0.4	Vegreville	0.9
		Prince Albert	0.4	Edmonton	1.1
		Qu'Appelle	0.4	Fairview	1.1
		Macklin	0.5		
		Melfort	0.5		
		Moose Jaw	0.5		
		Kamsack	0.6		
		Battleford	0.6		
		Yorkton	0.8		
		Lloydminster	1.5		
		Humboldt	2.0		

Note:- The minus signs denote less precipitation than the amount indicated.

Corrections received for weather report of June 18:

<u>Manitoba</u>		<u>Saskatchewan</u>		<u>Alberta</u>	
Swan River	0.9	Kindersley	1.0	Vegreville	1.9
Dauphin	0.4	Humboldt	0.7	Drumheller	0.3
		Melfort	0.7	Macleod	0.2
		Kamsack	1.0		

British Columbia.-

An excellent crop of hay is being harvested under fine weather conditions. The fall wheat crop is well advanced and very promising. Spring grains show the need of a good rain. Truck crops, cherries, loganberries and raspberries are being marketed, while strawberry picking is nearly over. Apples and other tree fruits are sizing rapidly, but apple mildew is reported as more prevalent than usual. On the whole, crop prospects are very satisfactory.

REPORTS OF CORRESPONDENTS

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Dominion Experimental Station, Charlottetown.

Ten beneficial showers since June tenth have supplied enough moisture for germination and growth of cereals, roots, corn and potatoes. Cereals growing strong. Roots ready for thinning. Pasture good. Very little clover hay will be below average. Alfalfa better than average. Fruit bloom fair. Winter injury killed tender apple, plum and cherry trees.

Supervisor of Illustration Stations, Charlottetown.

In all parts of the province, the month of June has been ideal for the completion of planting. Germination of root crops and potatoes has been rapid. Early roots ready for thinning. Late turnips now being sown. Grain luxuriant growth. Hay and clover improving.

NOVA SCOTIA

Department of Agriculture, Halifax.

Cool weather has greatly retarded crop growth up to June 18. Warmer weather since then has improved conditions and may yet bring most crops at least up to average. Present prospects indicate a light hay crop but, pending favourable weather, all spring planted crops may be bountiful, though late. The pastures are late, with possibilities of improvement. Strawberry crop will not be more than two-thirds of last year. Prospects are for an average crop of apples, about thirty per cent less than in 1933.

Dominion Experimental Station, Kentville.

Favourable precipitation improved hay areas. Prospects are for fair crop. Grains generally late but look promising. Forage crops and potatoes generally good. Apples setting well; loss in some areas from frost June eighth. Pears good, plums fair, cherries poor set. Strawberries fair.

Dominion Experimental Farm, Nappan.

Weather dull and cool. Frequent showers. June precipitation 1.88 inches. General crop prospect below average. Cool weather retarding growth. Hay and pasture twenty per cent below average. Grain and roots germinated well. Growth very slow. Tree fruits fifty per cent crop prospect; strawberries, forty per cent; bush fruit, average.

NEW BRUNSWICK

Dominion Experimental Station, Fredericton.

June rainfall of 5.62 inches flooded low-lying fields, made cultivation difficult and promoted growth of weeds. Prospects heavy but late. Hay crop, grain, roots and vegetables making good growth. Pastures good. Potatoes fair stand. Strawberries promise heavy crop. Apple orchards good set early variety, poor late variety.

QUEBEC

Department of Agriculture, Quebec.

Moisture abundant during last fortnight. All crops in good shape. Pastures are from good to very good and milk production increasing accordingly. Truck crops generally late but promising. Weeds are abundant as weeding process is rendered difficult on account of frequent showers. Local damage by insects. Excess of moisture causing local damage in low lands and heavy soils poorly drained in Richelieu and Ottawa River Valleys.

QUEBEC (Con.)

Dominion Experimental Station, L'Assomption.

The frequent rains of the last three weeks have helped the growth of hay which will give a fair crop. The cereals are good. The silage corn is poor. Potatoes are good. The tobacco plantation is not quite finished and on account of the abundance of worms the stand will be very uneven.

Dominion Experimental Station, Lennoxville.

Hay light to average. Grain, roots, corn and late potatoes in excellent condition. Pastures good. Apple crop very light. Small fruits fair.

Dominion Experimental Station, Farnham.

Pasture and hay crops greatly improved by recent rain. Corn also doing well. About seventy per cent tobacco already planted but plantation damaged by cutworms and wireworms. Garden and truck crops doing well.

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Hemmingford.

Field crops promising. Hay and pasture greatly improved. Clovers and alfalfa excellent. Potatoes promise an excellent crop. Apple crop will probably be fifty per cent of last year's. Frequent showers. Rainfall 2.7 inches in last two weeks. No insect outbreaks of importance.

Dominion Experimental Station, Ste. Anne de la Pocatiere.

Due to a precipitation of 4.64 inches since June 6 following a drought, pasture, hay and cereals have good appearance. Potatoes, roots, sunflowers and corn have a good start but are a little late. The cutworms and aphids caused a little damage to roots and gardens.

Supervisor of Illustration Stations, Ste. Anne de la Pocatiere.

For the Lower St. Lawrence District, hay crop is much improved by the rainy weather. Cereals promising. Hoed crop just pointing out. Considerable damage caused to gardens and turnips by flea beetle and cutworms. Pasture good. Haying will not begin for a couple of weeks.

Dominion Experimental Station, Cap Rouge.

Grain, potatoes, corn and sunflowers are promising. Hay rather thin and short specially on old meadows. Apples poor. Vegetables fair. Ornamental plants very good. Warm weather needed, crop being somewhat delayed by cold nights.

Dominion Experimental Station, La Ferme.

Rainy weather has prevailed since the last report. Hay is short but thick and a good crop is promised. In this district, the grain is all up but if the rains continue a large proportion will be lost in the low-lying fields. The pastures are very good encouraging a good dairy production. Gardens are late because of the cold weather. Potatoes are above ground. Seeding was finished in wet ground.

ONTARIO

Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

Rainfall sufficient throughout province with possible exception of southwestern Ontario, where more rain is now required. Spring grains show a great improvement and promise heavy yields. Root crops and late crops growing well. Haying general but yield not more than a fifty per cent crop.

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Strathroy.

Insect injury light. Haying in full swing. Drought conditions checking crop development. Pastures drying up. Outlook for winter feeding requirements not promising.

ONTARIO (Con.)

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Chatham.

Some local damage to tobacco, onions, and tomatoes from cutworm also some damage to tobacco from wireworms. Potato beetles scarce. No widespread insect outbreak on any crop. Corn refuse clean-up against European corn borers best in years. Rain needed.

Supervisor of Illustration Stations, Kapuskasing.

Seeding completed in good condition in Ramore and Val Gagne. Grain crops have good stand, but excessive rains in past two weeks may affect the growth if this kind of weather continues. Clover and alfalfa meadows promising for good crop of hay.

MANITOBA

Department of Agriculture, Winnipeg.

Weather showery, cool and very favourable for crops during past week. Prospects fair. Damage to crops by grasshoppers and other insects greatly checked. Campaign against grasshoppers drawing to a close.

Dominion Experimental Station, Morden.

Crop continuing to improve. Wheat heading out. Grass clover and cereals will be short. Cool, moist weather has been favourable for growth. 3.6 inches rain fell during June. Grasshoppers still plentiful but progress retarded during past two weeks. Pastures greatly improved.

Agricultural Representative, Carman.

Recent weather warm and dry with wind. Sufficient moisture for present and a heavy growth of all but wind-damaged and late crops, which are a small percentage. Hoppers still numerous but very little damage. Big increase in corn. Gardens and pastures good. Live stock good.

Dominion Experimental Farm, Brandon.

Dry weather continues with two days of strong wind. Temperature moderate. Drought is resulting in thinning stand of early grain. Heads showing on early wheat. Hay crop generally poor. Campaign against grasshoppers still proceeding.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Minnedosa.

Ground very dry. Cool weather has prevented deterioration. Wheat in shot blade at fifteen inches. Late crops backward. Pasture and wild hay short. Sweet clover light. Stock in good condition. Potatoes and gardens fair. Rains needed immediately to insure good crop.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Dauphin.

Cool weather with scattered showers this past week has brought crops along well. Early wheat in head, rather short. Coarse grains coming along well. Hay crops good. Excellent stands of sweet clover and alfalfa. No grasshoppers. No other insect damage. General conditions good, but soaking rain would be welcome.

Agricultural Representative, Teulon.

All crops making splendid progress. Grasshopper campaign likely to close end of week. Very little damage caused but can always expect some when grain is headed out and hoppers migrating. Weeds rather severe in spots, particularly wild oats and sow thistles. Indications are that haying will be earlier than last year and while not a heavy crop a good quality, however. Some clover fields being cut now.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Russell.

No rainfall during week but crops are looking well. Wheat beginning to head. There has been some damage from high winds and some grasshopper damage on light land. Hay crops are only fair. Rain needed.

SASKATCHEWAN

Department of Agriculture, Regina.

Weather during the past two weeks has been somewhat cool with occasional showers and some heavy rains. Growth on the whole has been satisfactory although somewhat slow in some areas during the past week. The wheat crop continues to improve since the rains but the effects of the protracted drought in May are apparent in the extreme south-east, the south-central, and the south-west where under the best of conditions only light crops may be expected. The wheat crop generally is somewhat uneven due to the combination of very unfavourable growing conditions in May resulting from drought and the favourable conditions in June which stimulated growth. Crops in west-central and central Saskatchewan have made fair progress during the past two weeks although moisture conditions here are variable and some points will need good rains very shortly. Crops in east-central and northern Saskatchewan are fairly promising. All coarse grains for seed have been sown but a small acreage still remains to be seeded for green feed. Grasshoppers have not been very active except on a few warm days during the past two weeks. Damage is considerable in the stubble crops in south-eastern, south-central and south-western Saskatchewan and to a lesser extent in the central and west-central portions of the province. Poison bait has been spread with good effect in all sections where infestation occurs and summerfallow crops have suffered no material injury. Cut-worm damage while severe in places is not great over the province. A severe wind storm on the 22nd caused some damage in spots in the south-eastern and south-central sections of the province and a hail storm also did some damage in the Humboldt district. Rain is needed in the extreme south-east and while there is with a few exceptions sufficient for present needs in the other southern districts there is no reserve and more rains will be needed shortly to carry the crop. Summerfallow operations are well under way in all parts of the province. Pastures have improved during the past two weeks.

Dominion Experimental Farm, Indian Head.

Crops making good progress. Early-sown wheat heading. Pastures recovering. Rain and cool weather holding grasshoppers in check. Total rainfall for week 0.4 inch.

Dominion Experimental Station, Swift Current.

Early-sown fallow crops twelve inches high, very promising. Later seedings patchy, six to eight inches. Recent sowing of coarse grains progressing satisfactorily. Grasshoppers till numerous but not seriously active due to cool weather. Baiting being continued. Moisture conditions good. Pastures much improved.

Dominion Experimental Station, Rosethorn.

Approximately three-quarters of an inch rainfall during week; mainly in scattered showers. Early wheat heading and heads short. Later-sown grain making good growth and should be good length. Hay land will give less than half a crop. All seeding completed and most farmers are summerfallowing.

Dominion Experimental Station, Scott.

In west-central Saskatchewan patchy grain crops exist in large areas and heavy rains necessary to produce good crop. In north-western Saskatchewan stands of grain are quite uniform with good surface moisture in most areas but little below. Cool weather retarding poisoning of grasshoppers in infested areas.

ALBERTA

Dominion Experimental Station and Supervisor of Illustration Stations, Lethbridge.

During past week grain crops have developed satisfactorily. Early-sown wheat heading with good heads, but with straw slightly short. Uneven germination of late seeding still apparent in some fields. Only light scattered showers have been received. First cutting alfalfa being gathered on irrigated land. Sugar beet thinning about over and the stand in the main fair to good.

ALBERTA (Con.)

Telegraphic Correspondent, Calgary.

Plenty moisture for two weeks at least. Weather cool and growth rapid. Pastures good. Grasshoppers well controlled at present. Crop prospects better at present than for some years.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Olds.

Cool weather prevailing with quite heavy frosts at night. Some of grain on some sections turning yellow from frosts. Lots of potatoes were frozen black. Good rain is needed. Top soil getting dry. Showers we had were not heavy. Some of early-sown wheat in shot blade.

Dominion Experimental Station, Lacombe.

With only 0.97 inch precipitation for first twenty-five days in June, this is with one exception the driest June in twenty-seven years. Cloudy, cool weather with frequent light showers has been deceptive but, except in a few districts, crops are now commencing to urgently need rain.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Camrose.

Weather cool and cloudy with showers past week. Frost on June 24 with slight damage. Grain making slow growth. Need sunshine and warm, dry weather to advance growth.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Vermilion.

The past week has been the very best for growth with over 2 inches rain and now sunshine. Most of wheat in shot blade and about 25 per cent in head. Farmers say never saw crop look better.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Edmonton.

Crop conditions unchanged. Weather cloudy and cool. Some showers. Early-sown wheat coming into shot blade, about eighteen to twenty inches high. Coarse grains taking good root, well stooled out and growth generally fairly rapid. No damage of any kind reported and conditions almost perfect.

Dominion Experimental Sub-station, Beaverlodge.

Much wheat in shot blade and some heading. Some wireworms but less insect damage than usual. Though still good in most districts, crops suffered lately from strong cool winds but widely distributed rains latter part of week were opportune. At Beaverlodge, Saturday's precipitation 0.43 made a week's aggregate of 0.52 with Sunday's skies cloudy and promising. Heavy week-end rains reported from Pouce Coupe, Peace River and Lesser Slave Region with good ones elsewhere.

Telegraphic Correspondent, Athabasca.

Weather past week cool with general rains. Warmer weather wanted. Crops coming along fine.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Department of Agriculture, Victoria.

Since June 12, weather conditions have been generally fine with moderate to high temperatures prevailing. First cutting alfalfa now about all under cover. Harvesting clover and timothy now in full swing; crop generally heavy and of good quality. Fall wheat fields in excellent condition and many turning colour. Spring-sown grains are now, however, showing the need of a good rain in many districts. Tree fruits sizing rapidly. Diseases are about normal with the exception of apple mildew which is more prevalent. Cherry picking general. Apricots will move this week. Strawberry season nearly over. Raspberries and loganberries moving in volume. Cucumbers and field tomatoes now moving from southern Okanagan districts.

BRITISH COLUMBIA (Con.)

Dominion Entomological Laboratory, Victoria.

Weather continuously dry and rain needed to make cane fruit size up well. Considerable percentage of loss in logans due to fruit disease and crop will be short. Field crops looking well and hay in excellent condition. Flea beetles chief pest amongst cruciferous crops.

Dominion Experimental Station, Sidney.

Harvest of hay nearly complete; one of best ever obtained in the district. All grains and root crops suffering much from dry weather. Have reached end of strawberry crop, yield good, prices low. Logans suffering from heat and dry weather. All tree fruits ripening earlier than usual by several weeks.

Dominion Experimental Farm, Agassiz.

All crops extra early. Weather continues ideal with just sufficient moisture. Approximately forty per cent excellent hay crop harvested. Oats heading. Pastures ideal with minimum worry from flies. Roots and corn good. Strawberries over. Raspberries fair crop; at peak now. Live stock in good condition.

Dominion Experimental Station, Summerland.

Moisture conditions favourable but shortage of irrigation water feared in some districts. Cherries moving in volume; tonnage slightly below average but quality excellent; Apricots, peaches, pears and apples sizing rapidly. Vegetables maturing earlier than usual. Tomatoes and cucumbers being shipped from Oliver. Prospects are for good yield and high quality, fruits and vegetables.

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