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STOCKS OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, FEBRUARY 1, 1945

APPLES

Canadian apples held in Cold and Common Storage, including holdings by commercial growers, were 538,471 barrels, 1,698,470 boxes and 538,850 bushels in other containers. Converting all containers to bushels the combined figures were 3,852,733 bushels as compared with 2,608,399 bushels at February 1, 1944 and 5,844,494 bushels last month. The apparent net "Out-of-Storage" movement was 2.0 million bushels.

PEARS

There were 4,607 bushels of Canadian and 10,421 bushels of imported pears in stock.

FRUIT, FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

There were 413,279 lb. fruit in "Packages 10 lb. and under" while for bulk and containers "Over 10 lb." the total was 8,349,379 lb. including an estimate of 337 thousand lb.

The stocks of fruit in sulphur dioxide or in benzoate of soda totalled 19,945,612 lb. (including an estimate of 8.5 million lb.)

The total of all fruit, frozen and in preservatives was 28,708,270 lb. as compared with 29,309,034 lb. last year and 30,549,014 lb. last month.

VEGETABLES

Holdings of Canadian-grown vegetables, including holdings by Commercial growers were as follows:

Potato holdings amounted to 259,080 tons, there being an "Out-of-Storage" movement of 75,000 tons.

Onion stocks were reported as 16,235 tons, as compared with 3,316 tons at the same date last year, and 20,023 tons on January 1.

Celery. There were 13,480 crates of Canadian Celery on hand as compared with 67,314 last month and 24,341 crates last year.

Other Vegetables were reported as follows: Beets 1,402 tons; Carrots 5,864 tons; Cabbages 3,540 tons and Parsnips 1,255 tons.

In addition there were imported stocks on hand of 39 tons potatoes, 109 tons onions, 1 ton beets, 57 tons carrots, 27 tons cabbages and 11,269 crates of celery.

VEGETABLES, FROZEN AND IN BRINE

"Packages 10 lb. and under" showed a total of 574,411 lb. of which 200,000 lb. were estimated for late firms. There were also 1,256,317 lb. of bulk and over 10 lb.

There were 3,221,492 lb. vegetables held in brine.

/ The captions shown last month as "Under 10 lb." and "10 lb. and Over" ought to have been "10 lb. and Under" and "Over 10 lb." respectively.

I Last months vegetable holdings included holdings by commercial growers.

// The "Out-of-Storage" movement last month was 78,000 tons.

CANADIAN APPLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by Commercial Growers

With Comparative Data for last year and last month

CANADA	February 1, 1945			Feb. 1, 1944	Total - Bushels	
	Barrels	Boxes	Other Bu.		FEB. 1, 1945 PRELIMINARY	Jan. 1, 1945 Revised
Cold Storage	64,032	1,610,976	418,503	1,471,068	2,221,575	3,397,152
Common Storage	474,439	87,494	120,347	1,137,331	1,631,158	2,447,342
GRAND TOTAL	538,471	1,698,470	538,850	2,608,399	3,852,733	5,844,494
Maritimes	411,559	22,779	2,000	906,949	1,259,456	1,841,071
Quebec	18,369	130,321	21,427	108,837	206,855	248,533
Ontario	108,543	73,193	515,379	665,252	914,201	1,259,479
Manitoba	-	34,533	44	8,223	34,577	43,903
Saskatchewan	-	11,623	-	5,989	11,623	14,564
Alberta	-	17,499	-	4,468	17,499	13,031
Br. Columbia	-	1,408,522	-	908,681	1,408,522	2,423,913

CITIES

Quebec	1,498	9,397	534	20,029	14,425	22,070
Montreal	13,871	120,624	20,693	65,808	182,930	209,515
Toronto	1,658	6,423	82,985	68,634	94,382	112,047
Winnipeg	-	34,533	44	8,223	34,577	43,903
Regina	-	4,061	-	788	4,061	7,057
Saskatoon	-	5,153	-	3,762	5,153	5,891
Calgary	-	6,138	-	2,286	6,138	4,678
Edmonton	-	11,361	-	2,182	11,361	8,353
Vancouver [*]	-	40,348	-	19,176	40,348	50,719

^{*} Including New Westminster.P E A R S

In Bushels

Including Holdings by Commercial Growers

	February 1, 1944	FEBRUARY 1, 1945 PRELIMINARY	Jan. 1, 1945 Revised
CANADA	458	4,607	17,291
Maritimes	-	-	-
Quebec	-	155	6,850
Ontario	109	588	1,366
Manitoba	-	1,411	3,766
Saskatchewan	-	-	120
Alberta	-	-	156
Br. Columbia	349	2,453	5,033

In addition there were 10,421 bushels of Imported pears on hand.

FROZEN FRUIT

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In Storages and Factories in Canada

	February 1, 1944	FEBRUARY 1, 1945 PRELIMINARY	Jan. 1, 1945 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
<u>PACKAGES, 10 LB. & UNDER</u> †			
Blueberries	479,351	79,916	152,772
Cherries	111,485	6,322	26,712
Plums	6,885	(x)	20,529
Raspberries	17,656	115,737	144,511
Strawberries	50,434	63,075	118,422
Other Fruit	28,625	148,229	213,995
Total	694,436	413,279	676,941
<u>OVER 10 LB.</u>			
<u>APPLE</u> , Straight	622,965	756,455	1,672,385
Pulp	1,121,949	237,792	1,113,156
TOTAL	1,744,914	994,247	2,785,541
<u>BLUEBERRIES</u>			
Straight	2,113,899	757,365	672,605
2 1	4,085	-	-
3 1	37,399	(x)	(x)
Pulp	83,025	(x)	7,300
TOTAL	2,238,408	757,365	679,965
<u>CHERRIES</u>			
Straight	245,357	284,407	328,099
2 1	105,305	(x)	(x)
3 1	385,004	277,471	283,075
Pulp	4,800	(x)	(x)
TOTAL	740,466	561,878	611,174
<u>CITRUS FRUITS</u>			
Straight	-	(x)	(x)
Pulp	583,049	743,543	983,994
TOTAL	583,049	743,543	983,994
<u>PLUMS</u>			
Straight	3,550	290,975	311,870
Pulp	35,320	84,200	508,850
TOTAL	38,870	375,175	820,720
<u>RASPBERRIES</u>			
Straight	725,006	321,118	360,285
2 1	159,832	107,796	(x)
3 1	31,500	(x)	(x)
Pulp	50,361	(x)	39,550
TOTAL	966,699	428,914	399,835
<u>STRAWBERRIES</u>			
Straight	275,622	187,138	176,849
2 1	1,239,495	1,051,617	1,097,822
3 1	572,418	430,540	507,679
Pulp	10,400	29,668	38,004
TOTAL	2,097,935	1,698,963	1,820,354
<u>OTHER FRUIT</u>			
Straight	642,694	698,392	828,698
2 1	520,548	770,512	908,911
3 1	45,720	140,448	131,955
Pulp	112,155	842,942	221,323
TOTAL	1,321,317	2,452,294	2,090,887
Reported		8,012,379	
Estimated		337,000	
Total	9,731,658	8,349,379	10,192,470

(x) Included in "Other" as insufficient reports received.

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FRUIT AND VEGETABLES
FROZEN AND IN PRESERVATIVES

In Storages and Factories in Canada

FRUIT IN SO ₂ OR BENZOATE	February 1, 1944	FEBRUARY 1, 1945 <u>PRELIMINARY</u>	January 1, 1945 Revised
	lb.	lb.	lb.
Apple Pulp	3,860,152	1,753,211	3,798,395
Blueberries	40,365	(x)	(x)
Cherries	1,073,050	1,119,175	2,018,484
Citrus Fruits	2,856,844	1,869,414	2,612,841
Plums	2,085,008	2,012,869	3,509,384
Raspberries	2,257,240	1,491,451	2,067,538
Strawberries	1,757,869	383,221	829,925
Other Fruit	4,952,412	2,816,271	4,843,036
Reported		11,445,612	
Estimated		8,500,000	
Total	18,882,940	19,945,612	19,679,603
<u>SUMMARY OF FRUIT</u>			
Frozen Packages, 10 lb. & under	694,436	413,279	676,941
" over 10 lb.	9,731,658	8,349,379	10,192,470
In Preservatives	18,882,940	19,945,612	19,679,603
TOTAL	29,309,034	28,708,270	30,549,014
<u>FROZEN VEGETABLES</u>			
<u>PACKAGES, 10 LB. & UNDER</u>			
Asparagus	28,703	16,648	24,135
Beans, Lima	6,593	7,596	6,059
" String	173,197	30,217	49,049
Corn	24,216	31,915	109,377
Peas	737,096	201,970	329,201
Other vegetables	325,646	86,065	121,515
Reported		374,411	
Estimated		200,000	
TOTAL	1,295,451	574,411	639,336
<u>OVER 10 LB.</u>			
Asparagus	10,140	1,914	2,000
Beans, Lima	-	(x)	(x)
" String	9,366	212,321	236,987
Corn	-	23,456	26,330
Peas	284,100	752,539	888,602
Other Vegetables	62,505	260,087	221,673
TOTAL	366,111	1,256,317	1,375,592
<u>SUMMARY OF VEGETABLES</u>			
Frozen, Packages 10 lb. & Under	1,295,451	574,411	639,336
Frozen, over 10 lb.	366,111	1,256,317	1,375,592
In Brine (Other)	950,913	3,221,492	3,723,597
TOTAL	2,612,475	5,052,220	5,738,525

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CANADIAN VEGETABLES IN COLD AND COMMON STORAGE

Including holdings by Commercial Growers

February 1, 1945 with comparative figures for last year and last month

			February 1, 1944	FEBRUARY 1, 1945 PRELIMINARY	Jan. 1, 1945 Revised
<u>POTATOES</u>	Canada	tons	216,116	259,080	334,305
	Maritimes		162,476	172,909	217,547
	Quebec		19,933	20,612	24,611
	Ontario		12,771	52,364	73,029
	Manitoba		386	301	113
	Saskatchewan		370	363	246
	Alberta		583	643	439
	Br. Columbia		19,597	11,888	18,320
<u>ONIONS</u>	Canada	tons	3,316	16,235	20,023
	Maritimes		133	279	635
	Quebec		493	1,037	2,189
	Ontario		1,622	10,833	12,443
	Manitoba		28	137	118
	Saskatchewan		38	137	233
	Alberta		8	293	328
	Br. Columbia		994	3,519	4,077
<u>BEETS</u>	Canada	tons	663	1,402	2,036
	Maritimes		271	350	572
	Quebec		65	45	66
	Ontario		151	743	1,097
	Manitoba		17	11	6
	Saskatchewan		8	4	2
	Alberta		14	20	15
	Br. Columbia		137	224	278
<u>CARROTS</u>	Canada	tons	6,654	5,864	11,757
	Maritimes		1,749	1,210	1,759
	Quebec		218	128	235
	Ontario		2,430	3,583	6,520
	Manitoba		65	52	22
	Saskatchewan		118	11	24
	Alberta		42	58	29
	Br. Columbia		2,032	822	3,168
<u>CABBAGES</u>	Canada	tons	1,945	3,540	6,332
	Maritimes		619	398	802
	Quebec		44	59	150
	Ontario		943	2,930	5,156
	Manitoba		43	58	13
	Saskatchewan		107	32	22
	Alberta		35	31	31
	Br. Columbia		154	32	158
<u>PARSNIPS</u>	Canada	tons	640	1,255	1,817
	Maritimes		194	394	544
	Quebec		81	12	40
	Ontario		140	522	847
	Manitoba		23	20	9
	Saskatchewan		17	16	9
	Alberta		26	30	17
	Br. Columbia		159	261	351
<u>CELERY</u>	Canada	crates	24,341	13,480	67,314
	Maritimes		14	319	104
	Quebec		681	263	1,173
	Ontario		21,166	12,898	63,883
	Manitoba		73	-	338
	Saskatchewan		-	-	-
	Alberta		-	-	38
	Br. Columbia		2,407	-	1,778

In addition there were imported stocks as follows: Potatoes 39 tons, Onions 109 tons, Beets 1 ton, Carrots 57 tons, Cabbage 27 tons and Celery 11,269 crates.

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