

Carrots

The following table shows the average monthly shipments of carrots in carloads during the three years.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF CARROTS IN CARLOADS

Origin State	Year Total	Average 3 years 1924, 1925 and 1926											
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
N. Y....	1,914	289	178	131	133	121	50	5	73	153	211	357	213
Calif. ..	427	45	14	18	48	113	59	3	1	2	6	45	73
Tex. ...	670	127	87	156	189	86	1	..	..	..	..	1	23
Miss. ..	224	..	..	1	2	96	121	4	..	..	..	..	..
Other ..	477	46	17	10	17	63	92	25	7	20	51	96	33
U. S. ...	3,712	507	296	316	389	479	323	37	81	175	268	499	342

The total annual movement during the three years amounted to 3,712 carloads. New York State originated 1,914 cars, or 51.6 per cent of the total; Texas shipped 670 cars, or 18 per cent; California, 427 cars, or 11.5 per cent, and Mississippi, 224 cars, or 6 per cent; the remaining 477 cars were shipped from 28 other states.

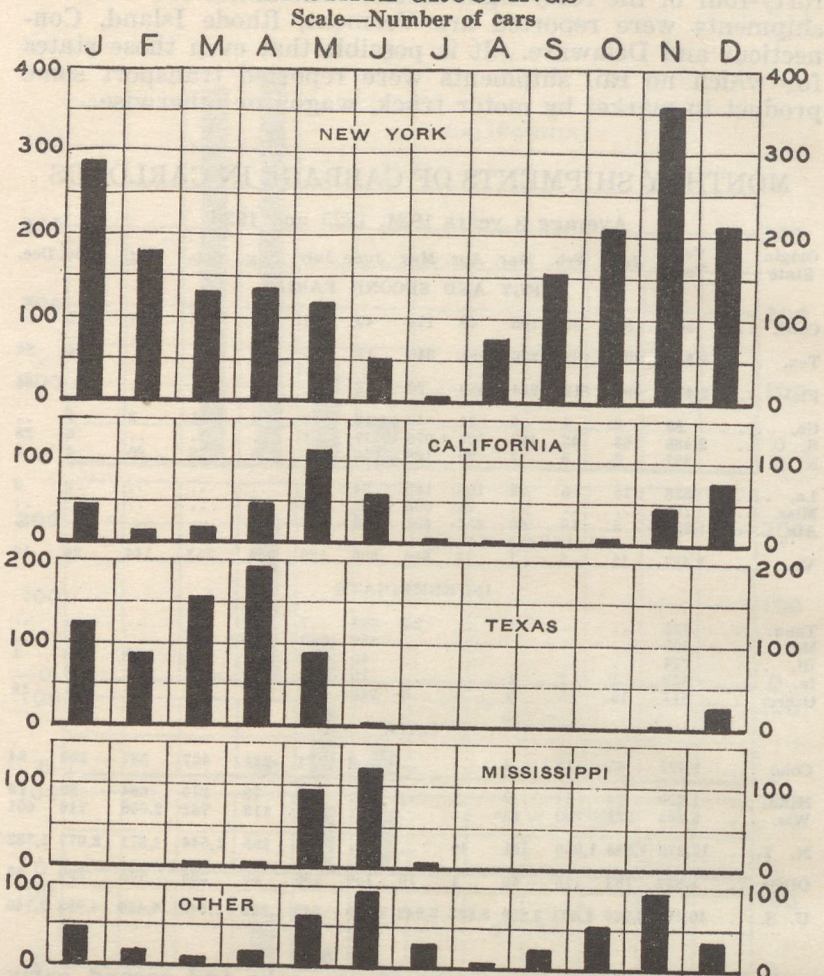
The months of heaviest shipments were January, May and November, the shipments in each of these months being very nearly the same. During these three months occurred 40 per cent of the annual movement.

The months of lightest shipments were July and August, when the total shipments amounted to only 3 per cent of the annual movement.

The shipping season varies considerably in the several states. New York ships most heavily in November and January; California in May; Texas in January, March and April, and the remaining states in June.

Like cabbage, celery and potatoes, carrots are shipped in every month of the year. This statement also applies to the individual states of New York and California, from which a movement was reported for each of the twelve months.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF CARROTS BY STATE GROUPINGS



Cauliflower

Shipments of cauliflower during the three years averaged 5,534 cars annually. These originated principally in four states, California, New York, Oregon and Colorado. California accounted for 3,653 of these cars, or 66 per cent.

New York and Colorado apparently have a single shipping season, beginning about the first of August and lasting to the end of the year; Oregon appears to have two seasons, one from September to December and one from February through April; California ships cauliflower in each of the twelve months.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF CAULIFLOWER IN CARLOADS

Origin State	Year Total	Average 3 years 1924, 1925 and 1926											
		Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Colo. ..	157	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	37	79	33	5	..
Oreg. ..	732	..	101	333	29	..	..	..	..	6	207	51	5
N. Y....	863	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	97	187	343	216	19
Calif. ..	3,653	778	862	620	177	70	4	1	10	2	77	376	676
Other ..	129	2	1	2	1	17	11	4	5	28	38	13	7
U. S. ...	5,534	780	964	955	207	87	15	9	149	302	698	661	707

The months of heaviest shipments for the United States as a whole are February and March, this being due in February to the heavy shipments from California and in March to increased shipments from Oregon, which nearly offset the diminution in California movement. These two months account for more than one-third of the total shipments for the year. Although the heaviest movement occurs in February and March, there are large shipments from New York State during the autumn. Nearly 40 per cent of the New York shipments are made in October. The months of heaviest movement are determined by the shipments from California.

While cauliflower moves in every month, the June and July shipments are almost negligible. Practically the only cauliflower shipping states during the first four months of the year are California and Oregon.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF CAULIFLOWER BY STATE GROUPINGS

