

# Turnips

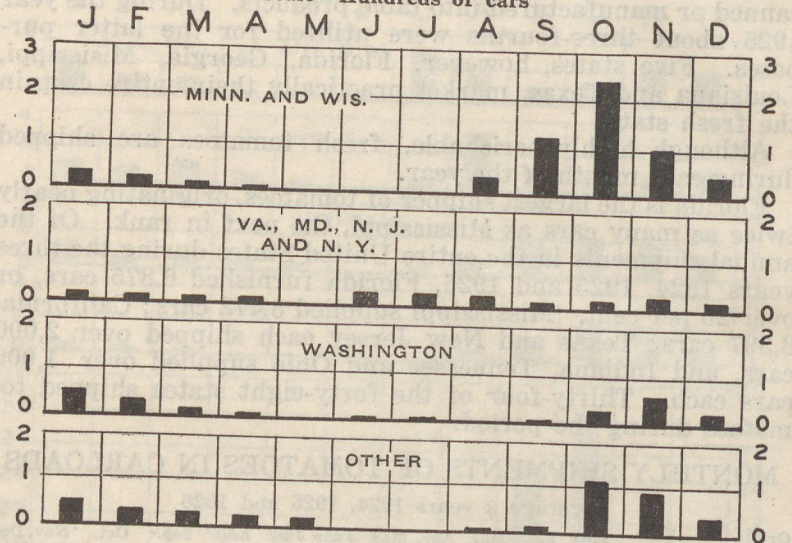
MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF TURNIPS IN CARLOADS  
Average 3 years 1924, 1925 and 1926

| Origin State | Year Total | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | June | July | Aug. | Sep. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. |
|--------------|------------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Minn. ...    | 428        | 32   | 19   | 10   | 5    | 1   | 1    | ..   | 17   | 70   | 162  | 76   | 35   |
| Wis. ...     | 187        | 6    | 2    | 1    | ..   | ..  | ..   | ..   | 17   | 50   | 81   | 25   | 5    |
| Va. ....     | 30         | 1    | 1    | ..   | ..   | ..  | 3    | 6    | 12   | 5    | 1    | 1    | ..   |
| Md. ....     | 27         | ..   | ..   | ..   | ..   | ..  | 21   | 6    | ..   | ..   | ..   | ..   | ..   |
| N. J. ....   | 65         | 8    | 3    | 2    | 1    | ..  | ..   | 15   | 9    | 3    | 5    | 9    | 10   |
| N. Y. ....   | 71         | 7    | 10   | 9    | 9    | 3   | 2    | ..   | ..   | ..   | 11   | 12   | 8    |
| Wash. ...    | 225        | 45   | 27   | 12   | 6    | 2   | 5    | 5    | 3    | 8    | 31   | 59   | 22   |
| Other ..     | 399        | 50   | 28   | 28   | 26   | 16  | 2    | 1    | 5    | 13   | 109  | 91   | 30   |
| U. S. ...    | 1,432      | 149  | 90   | 62   | 47   | 22  | 34   | 33   | 63   | 149  | 400  | 273  | 110  |

The shipping season for turnips varies greatly in the different states. For the United States as a whole, the month of lightest shipments is May, while the heaviest month is October. The trend of shipments is in a generally ascending and descending scale to and from these two months, respectively.

Average annual shipments during the three years amounted to 1,432 cars, of which Minnesota furnished 428 cars, or nearly 30 per cent. Washington was second with 225 cars and Wisconsin, third, with 187 cars. Shipments from none of the other states amounted to so many as a hundred cars.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF TURNIPS BY STATE GROUPINGS  
Scale—Hundreds of cars



# Mixed Vegetables

In addition to shipments of fresh vegetables in carload lots by specific commodities, large quantities are moved in mixed lots. This happens not only in those states that do not raise large quantities of vegetables, but also in states that are large shippers of vegetables. California, Texas, New Jersey, Colorado and Louisiana, in the order named, are the largest shippers of mixed vegetables, and originate over 67 per cent of the total movement for the United States.

The shipments of mixed vegetables for the United States as a whole in 1924 amounted to 28,352 cars, while in 1926 they amounted to 30,651 cars, an increase of 2,299 cars, or 8.1 per cent.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF MIXED VEGETABLES IN CARLOADS  
Average 3 years 1924, 1925 and 1926

| Origin State | Year Total | Jan.  | Feb.  | Mar.  | Apr.  | May   | June  | July  | Aug.  | Sep.  | Oct.  | Nov.  | Dec.  |
|--------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Calif. ...   | 4,750      | 503   | 422   | 437   | 374   | 422   | 318   | 265   | 223   | 210   | 312   | 590   | 674   |
| Tex. ...     | 4,739      | 496   | 935   | 1,127 | 1,199 | 511   | 63    | 30    | 2     | ..    | 7     | 77    | 292   |
| N. J. ...    | 4,255      | 21    | 20    | 38    | 70    | 76    | 233   | 803   | 1,230 | 892   | 680   | 163   | 29    |
| Colo. ...    | 3,670      | 131   | 84    | 53    | 15    | 3     | 25    | 316   | 849   | 1,269 | 672   | 178   | 75    |
| La. ....     | 3,060      | 235   | 343   | 548   | 608   | 532   | 246   | 22    | 3     | 2     | 16    | 165   | 340   |
| Fla. ....    | 1,941      | 408   | 224   | 228   | 333   | 313   | 79    | 21    | 1     | ..    | 8     | 108   | 218   |
| Va. ....     | 1,603      | 108   | 59    | 82    | 204   | 247   | 378   | 123   | 60    | 46    | 49    | 73    | 174   |
| Miss. ...    | 1,154      | 1     | 1     | 30    | 84    | 726   | 299   | 8     | 2     | ..    | ..    | 2     | 1     |
| N. C. ...    | 873        | ..    | ..    | ..    | 12    | 228   | 282   | 261   | 16    | 28    | 33    | 12    | 1     |
| N. Y. ...    | 763        | 74    | 65    | 36    | 8     | 3     | 6     | 24    | 117   | 185   | 124   | 70    | 51    |
| S. C. ...    | 700        | 17    | 19    | 35    | 125   | 263   | 211   | 17    | 3     | ..    | ..    | 3     | 7     |
| Ill. ....    | 542        | 1     | 2     | 1     | 31    | 66    | 68    | 253   | 73    | 13    | 12    | 14    | 8     |
| Ohio ...     | 348        | 1     | 1     | 1     | ..    | ..    | 6     | 135   | 133   | 8     | 8     | 4     | 1     |
| Wash. ...    | 328        | 5     | 1     | 9     | 37    | 43    | 95    | 64    | 27    | 13    | 13    | 15    | 6     |
| Ariz. ...    | 258        | 53    | 11    | 22    | 79    | 4     | 7     | 7     | 1     | 1     | ..    | 10    | 63    |
| Minn. ...    | 233        | 9     | 8     | 3     | ..    | ..    | ..    | 10    | 43    | 43    | 86    | 22    | 9     |
| Utah ...     | 170        | 8     | 8     | 4     | 2     | 2     | 9     | 25    | 32    | 35    | 28    | 12    | 5     |
| Ky. ....     | 140        | 3     | 1     | 1     | 1     | 20    | 75    | 20    | 11    | 2     | 1     | 2     | 3     |
| Ala. ...     | 128        | ..    | ..    | 5     | 3     | 73    | 45    | 2     | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    |
| Md. ....     | 100        | 1     | ..    | ..    | 12    | 4     | 38    | 25    | 15    | 3     | 2     | ..    | ..    |
| Oreg. ....   | 74         | 4     | 2     | ..    | ..    | 2     | 2     | 4     | 1     | 3     | 26    | 21    | 9     |
| Mo. ....     | 61         | ..    | ..    | ..    | 2     | 27    | 22    | 2     | 2     | ..    | 2     | 4     | ..    |
| N. Mex. ...  | 53         | ..    | ..    | ..    | ..    | 1     | ..    | ..    | 10    | 25    | 15    | 2     | ..    |
| Other ..     | 462        | 29    | 19    | 14    | 24    | 19    | 55    | 36    | 44    | 57    | 87    | 50    | 28    |
| U. S. ...    | 30,405     | 2,108 | 2,225 | 2,674 | 3,223 | 3,585 | 2,562 | 2,473 | 2,948 | 2,835 | 2,181 | 1,597 | 1,994 |

There appears to be a fairly definite seasonal movement of mixed vegetables in carloads from each of the states. Owing to the diversification of these shipments, the monthly move-

ment for the United States as a whole is fairly well balanced during the year. Nevertheless, there are two periods of two months each when shipments are slightly heavier than the average, namely, April and May, and August and September; also one period, November and December, when shipments are slightly lighter than during the remainder of the year.

The heavier movement in April appears to be due in large part to an increase in shipments from Texas, that of August to increased shipments from New Jersey, and that of September to an increase in shipments from Colorado. The large shipments in May cannot be attributed to any individual state, but to a combination of fairly large movements from several states. The decreased movement in November and December is due to comparatively light shipments from nearly all of the states.

Forty-six of the forty-eight states ship vegetables in mixed carloads, Rhode Island and West Virginia being the only ones for which shipments of this class are not recorded.

MONTHLY SHIPMENTS OF MIXED VEGETABLES UNITED STATES  
Scale—Hundreds of cars

