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SUMMARY OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF FRUITS IN THE UNITED STATES

April 1, 1931.

The monthly report of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, United States Department of Agriculture, shows the following cold storage holdings of fruits on April 1, 1931:

201,000 barrels of apples compared with 481,000 barrels April 1, 1930 and a five-year average of 845,000 barrels.

6,835,000 boxes of apples compared with 4,790,000 boxes April 1, 1930 and a five-year average of 4,920,000 boxes.

1,300,000 bushel baskets of apples compared with 1,555,000 bushel baskets April 1, 1930 and a five-year average of 1,077,000 bushel baskets.

462,000 boxes of pears compared with 265,000 boxes April 1, 1930 and a five-year average of 187,000 boxes.

8,000 bushel baskets of pears compared with 3,000 bushel baskets April 1, 1930 and a five-year average of 15,000 bushel baskets.

60,745,000 pounds of frozen and preserved fruits compared with 38,554,000 pounds April 1, 1930 and a five-year average of 37,417,000 pounds.

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