

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Office of Markets and Rural Organization,
Washington, D. C.

June 22, 1917.

REPORT OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF CREAMERY BUTTER, JUNE 15, 1917.

Reports from 284 cold storages show that their rooms contain 23,057,122 pounds of CREAMERY BUTTER, while on June 1, 304 storages reported 9,010,869 pounds. The 214 storages that reported holdings on June 15 of this year and last show a present stock of 21,181,763 pounds as compared with 25,611,290 pounds last year, a decrease of 4,429,527 pounds or 17.3 per cent. The reports show that during the period from June 1 to June 15, the June 1 holdings increased 165.4 per cent, while our last report showed that during May, the May 1 holdings increased 240.5 per cent. Last year the increase during the period from June 1 to June 15 was 276.0 per cent, and in May the increase was 535.1 per cent.

A summary of this report was released by wire on June 21. As a number of firms have not responded to our inquiries, this report does not include all holdings. Upon request any or all of the information contained in the cold storage reports will be telegraphed immediately upon its release. These reports are free, except for the telegrams, which are sent charges collect.

SECTION	Total Holdings June 15, 1917		COMPARISON OF HOLDINGS			
	No. of Firms Reporting	Pounds	No. of Firms Reporting	June 15, 1916 Pounds	June 15, 1917 Pounds	Increase or decrease (per cent)
New England	22	5,032,852	15	4,921,746	4,527,827	- 8.0
Middle Atlantic	58	6,062,122	41	7,073,605	5,399,858	- 23.7
South Atlantic	25	339,352	20	324,773	304,067	- 6.4
North Central(E)	51	7,167,642	38	8,558,492	6,883,100	- 19.6
North Central(W)	39	1,982,031	32	1,939,939	1,837,863	- 5.3
South central	34	573,840	22	504,733	452,127	- 10.4
Western (N)	27	463,558	23	673,503	423,135	- 37.2
Western (S)	28	1,435,725	23	1,614,499	1,353,786	- 16.1
TOTAL	284	23,057,122	214	25,611,290	21,181,763	- 17.3

	No. of Firms Reporting	Pounds	Comparison on percentage basis	Increase or decrease (pounds)
Comparison of Holdings on June 1, 1917 and June 15, 1917	254	8,507,640	100.0	
Comparison of Holdings on June 1, 1916 and June 15, 1916	254	22,581,838	265.4	+ 14,074,198
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1917 and June 1, 1917	167	6,653,094	100.0	
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1916 and June 1, 1916	167	25,016,175	376.0	+ 18,363,081
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1917 and June 1, 1917	263	2,587,684	100.0	
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1916 and June 1, 1916	263	8,810,649	340.5	+ 6,222,96
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1917 and June 1, 1917	173	1,064,464	100.0	
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1916 and June 1, 1916	173	6,760,071	635.1	+ 5,695,607

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REPORT OF COLD STORAGE HOLDINGS OF EGGS, JUNE 15, 1917.

Reports from 338 cold storages show that their rooms contain 5,752,225 cases of EGGS while on June 1, 372 storages reported 4,556,599 cases. The 264 storages that reported holdings on June 15 of this year and last show a present stock of 5,239,985 cases as compared with 5,151,421 cases last year, an increase of 88,564 cases, or 1.7 per cent. The reports show that from June 1 to June 15, the June 1 holdings increased 27.3 per cent, while our last report showed that during May, the May 1 holdings increased 141.5 per cent. Last year, the increase from June 1 to June 15 was 14.6 per cent, and during May was 90.9 per cent.

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	No. of Firms Reporting	Cases	No. of Firms Reporting	June 15, 1916 Cases	June 15, 1917 Cases	Increase or decrease (per cent)
New England	18	695,316	12	519,148	628,422	+ 21.0
Middle Atlantic	56	1,778,262	44	1,600,692	1,617,345	+ 1.0
South Atlantic	27	84,405	20	56,351	61,496	+ 9.1
North Central (E)	63	1,792,765	49	1,716,427	1,707,431	- 0.5
North Central (W)	58	883,490	50	842,777	766,973	- 9.0
South Central	44	152,877	28	105,990	110,484	+ 4.2
Western (N)	32	75,821	28	60,330	60,303	+ 0
Western (S)	40	289,289	33	249,706	287,531	+ 15.1
TOTAL	338	5,752,225	264	5,151,421	5,239,985	+ 1.7

	No. of Firms Reporting	Cases	Comparison on percentage basis	Increase or decrease (Cases)
Comparison of Holdings on June 1, 1917 and June 15, 1917	311 311	4,446,940 5,661,947	100.0 127.3	+ 1,215,007
Comparison of Holdings on June 1, 1916 and June 15, 1916	219 219	4,402,879 5,046,362	100.0 114.6	+ 643,483
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1917 and June 1, 1917	323 323	1,852,701 4,474,557	100.0 241.5	+ 2,621,856
Comparison of Holdings on May 1, 1916 and June 1, 1916	236 236	2,353,332 4,493,350	100.0 190.9	+ 2,140,018

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