

BLACK CURRANTS.

At 32° F. the Black Champion variety remains in good condition for two weeks
At 40° F. this variety remains in good condition from one week to ten days.

RED CURRANTS.

At 32° F. the Red Dutch variety remains in good condition for ten days.
At 40° F. this variety remains in good condition for one week.

GOOSEBERRIES.

At 32° F. the European and American gooseberries remain in good condition for four weeks.

At 40° F. these gooseberries remain in good condition for two weeks. Gooseberries do not decay rapidly in storage, but at the end of their storage season begin to change colour, during which time they are in condition fit for use.

CHERRIES.

In picking cherries to go under refrigeration, extreme care must be exerted in picking before the fruit is too ripe; in preserving all stems intact on the fruit; in securing fruit that is free from cracks; and in eliminating fruit that is infested with worms. The following tabular statement gives in brief some of the results obtained so far:—

Life of Cherries in Storage.

Variety.	Temperature.	
	32° F.	40° F.
	Days.	Days.
Early Richmond	12	7-10
Montmorency	14	10
Black Tartarian	10	6-8
Elkhorn	6	4
Windsor	10	6

All sweet cherries without stems and those showing bruises or cracks deteriorated quickly.

Life of Plums in Storage.

Variety.	Temperature.	
	32° F.	40° F.
	Days.	Days.
Burbank	16	10
Abundance	14	10
Bradshaw	21	10
Grand Duke	21	14
Lombard	7	3-5
Imperial Gage	12	7-10
Washington	10	7
General Hand	10	5-8
Yellow Egg	14	10
Reine Claude	21-28	15
Monarch	21	14
Damson (Shropshire)	28	21