

Livestock market and auction news

Philadelphia Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Report

November 1, 1978
FRUIT

APPLES: Steady; Carton tray Pack. NJ no grade mark Red Delicious & Stayman 72-138s 7.50-8.00
PA Stayman & Red Delicious 7.50.

VA Red Delicious & Stayman 6.00 McIntosh 5.40.
NY McIntosh 6.25-6.50 minimum sz 5-5.40 Red Delicious & Winesap 7.20.
PA Jonathans 5-5.40 4/5 bu crt.
NJ 2½" Red Delicious 5.50-6.00 sml 3.50 Staymans & Romes 5.00 bushel hamper open face.
MD Romes 3.50-4.00.
VEGETABLES
BEANS: Slightly Higher. Bushel hamper, bushel crate

Round Green type unless otherwise stated.
DE ord qual 4.00.
NJ Yellow Wax type poor cond .50-1.00.
BEETS: NJ crt bchd 12s 3.50-3.75 some low as 3.00
BROCCOLI: Steady.
NJ 4/5 bu crt bchd 12s 5.00-5.50
CABBAGE: About Steady. 1-3/4 bu crt & ctn med-lge green unless otherwise stated.
NJ 2.50-3.50 mostly 3.00 Savoy sml 2.50-3.00 Red sml 4.00.

PA 4-qt bkt med-lge 4-4.50 best 4.75-5.00 sml-med 3-3.50 best 3.75-4.00
ONIONS—DRY: About Steady. 50-lb sk US#1 or generally good qual Yellow lge unless otherwise stated.
NY Globe type sml-med 3-3.50 some high as 3.75 fair appear 2.50-2.75 25-lb sk Red med 4.00 ctn mesh sk 15 3-lb 4.50-4.75 20-2lb 4.75-5.00.
ONIONS—GREEN: Steady.
NJ 4/5 bu crt bchd 36s 5.50-6.00 mostly.
PARSLEY: Bunched 5 dozen Curly.
NJ 5-5.50.

PEPPERS: About Steady. 1-1/9 bu crt & bu ctn Calif Wonder type green unless otherwise stated.
NJ fair qual med 5-5.50.
POTATOES: Steady. 50-lb sk US#1 Sz A washed unless otherwise stated.
ROUND WHITE: PA unwashed 2.50-2.75. NY lge 3.25-3.50. NJ lge 3.40-3.50. Maine 3.00.
ROUND RED: NY including sz B 4.00 some low as 3.00.
SPINACH: NJ Savoy type bu bkt 3.50-4.50 mostly 4.00.
SQUASH: About Steady. NC 5/9 bu ctn Zucchini sml 5.00.
NJ 1-1/9 bu crt Butternut 4.00-5.00 med 3.50-4.00 Acorn sml 4.50-5.00 med 3.50-4.00.
SWEET POTATOES: Steady. 50-lb ctn Porto Rico type US#1 unless otherwise stated.
NC 6.50-7.50 mostly 7-7.50 some low as 6.00.
MD 6-6.50 lge 4.50-5.00. DE 6.00 lge 4.00.
VA no grade mark 4.50-5.00.
NJ 1/2 bushel hamper open face White lge 5.00 med 2.50.

bobs, 90 to 110 lbs. 70.00-80.00; bobs, 80 lbs. and down 65.00-70.00; grassers and feeders 45.00-81.00; lambs 50.00-60.00; sheep 20.00-33.50; hogs, 200 to 250 lbs. 48.00-53.50; sows 38.00-44.00; boars 35.00-40.00; pigs 25.00-60.00; heifers 40.00-46.00; steers, good 52.00-57.50; steers, common 46.00-55.00; bulls 44.00-52.00; cows, good 42.00-44.00; cows, medium 38.00-40.00; cows, poor or small 32.00-36.00; small horses to 65.00; ponies 15.00-50.00; goats 15.00-50.00.

Peoria Livestock

Peoria, Illinois
November 2, 1978

Estimated receipts this week 4800, actual receipts last week 4700, actual receipts last year 5700.

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers closed steady to 50 lower. Slaughter heifers firm. Cows 50, instances 1.00 higher. Bulls steady. Receipts about 70 slaughter steers, 25 slaughter heifers and the balance mostly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice & Prime 3-4, 1125-1250 lbs. 54.00-55.00, few 55.25; late 54.00-54.50, load 55.00. Choice 2-4, 950-1200 lbs. 53.00-54.75; on Wednesday, 53.00-54.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4, 900-1300 lbs. 51.50-53.00. Good 2-3, 49.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice & Prime 3-4 900-1075 lbs. 52.00-53.00; load early 5.25. Choice 2-4, 850-1050 lbs. 51.00-52.00; 800-900 lbs. 50.50-51.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4, 800-1000 lbs. 49.00-51.00. Good 2-3, 46.50-49.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3, 38.00-41.00. Few high dressing Utility 42.00-42.50. Cutter 1-2, 34.00-38.50. Canner 33.00-34.50.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 110-1800 lbs. 41.00-47.00; few 49.00.

G & M Livestock

October 30, 1978

STEERS: Dairy cows. 64.00-1220.00; Good to Choice 51.50-54.10; Standard to Good 48.00-51.50;

HEIFERS: Good to Choice 48.00-51.00; other 44.00-48.00.

FEEDERSTEERS: Standard to Good 48.00-55.00.

BULLS: 1000 to 1220 lbs. 48.00-52.30; 9.00 to 1100 lb. 44.00-48.00.

COWS: High Choice Prime 43.00-45.50, Individual 50.00; Good 41.00-43.00; Utility 37.00-41.00; Cutters 34.00-37.00; Canners down to 32.00.

CALVES: High Choice 90.00-94.00; Good to Choice 70.00-90.00; Standard to Good 60.00-70.00; Utility 40.00-60.00; Farm Calves Bulls, 90 to 120 lbs. 90.00-103.00; Farm Calves Heifers, 90 to 120 lbs. 90.00-137.00.

HOGS: 200 to 240 lbs. 50.50-52.35; 190 to 270 lbs. 48.00-50.50.

SOWS: 42.00-46.50.
BOARS: 32.00-37.00.

Produce market data available

JESSUP, Md. - Produce growers and dealers in the Maryland, West Virginia and southern Pennsylvania areas can now obtain instant market news data by calling (301) 799-7278.

The recorded information is being made available by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) federal-state market news office in Jessup, Md.

According to Dick Hallinger, officer-in-charge of the USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service office,

the reports will be updated twice each weekday. F.O.B. information from major national as well as nearby growing areas is available at 7 a.m., whereas a report on wholesale trading at the Jessup terminal market is put on the line at 1 p.m.

Additional market information can be obtained by calling the office's regular number, which is (301) 799-4840. Printed reports are also available from this office free of charge.

Valley Livestock

Valley Stockyards
Athens, Pa.

Monday, October 30, 1978
Reported receipts of 434 calves, 150 cows, 63 hogs, 43 heifers, 12 sheep, 41 lambs, 25 bulls, and 23 steers. Cattle market higher and calf market steady.

Holstein heifer calves to 117.00; veals 80.00-91.00;

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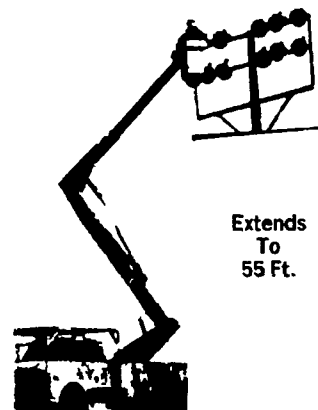
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