

# Livestock market and auction news

## Apple Market News

Monday, October 17  
Report Supplied by PDA

Demand today is slow to very slow. The market is steady.

Red Delicious and Golden Delicious harvesting is being finished with Jonathan and McIntosh already done.

Romes and Stayman harvesting is just beginning with Yorks to follow. Harvesting is being emphasized over marketing statewide.

U.S.D.A. purchased 116,233, 38-lb. cases of apples in Pennsylvania to be delivered from November 1, 1983 to January 1984. This order will decrease the supply of fresh apples available helping to keep the prices strong.

U.S.D.A. crop reporting new estimates released October 14, 1983 are 10,470,000 bushel, down 482,000 bushels from their August 1, 1983 estimate. The apples are there, the packout is not.

### SUMMARY

12/3 bags Red Delicious Comb. Fancy & Extra Fancy - \$6.50-7.00 few 7.25; 12/3 Red Delicious, Extra Fancy - 8.50; 12/3 bags Golden Delicious - 6.00-6.50, few 6.75; (all bags) 12/3 Jonathan, Fancy - 7.00; 12/3 McIntosh - 7.50; 12/3 McIntosh, U.S. #1 - 7.25; 8/5 bags Red Delicious U.S. #1 - 6.50.

Traypacks Red Delicious extra Fancy 113's, 100's, 80's & 72's 10.00-11.00; Traypacks Golden Delicious Comb. Fcy. & Extra Fcy., 113's & 100's 10.00;

Bushel Red Delicious 2 1/2" up

U.S. Fancy - 7.00-8.00; Bushel Golden Delicious 2 1/2" up U.S. Fancy - 6.00-7.50; Bushel Rome Beauty 2 1/2" up U.S. Fancy - 7.50; Bushel Stayman 2 1/2" up U.S. Fancy - 7.00; Bushel Jonathan 2 1/2" up U.S. Fancy - 5.00-6.00.

25 bushel bins Jonathan, Golden, McIntosh - 125.00; 12 bushel bins Red Delicious - 96.00.

Cider  
Case nine 1/2 gal. - 7.35-7.60.  
Case four, 1 gal. - 6.00-6.05.

### Fruit & Vegetable

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APPLES - .39 cents lb. & Average Price of All Varieties Red and Golden Delicious, Jonathan, Stayman, Ida Red, and Cortland \$6.00 1/2 bul.; \$3.40 peck; \$1.80 1/2 peck.

PEARS - D'Anjou, Bosc and Magnese \$1.10/qt.; \$2.00/1/4 peck; \$3.50/1/2 peck.

PLUMS - .95 cents to \$1.25/qt. sized.

GRAPES - .50 cents to .75 cents/lb. white niagra & concord; .85 cents /lb. white & Red Seedless; \$15.00/Concords.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS - \$1.00 to \$1.50/stem.; .89 cents pt. \$3.95/1/2 peck; \$13.00/1/2 bul. \$25.00/bul.

GREEN BEANS - .99 cents/lb.

BROCCOLI - .59 cents to .79 cents/bunch .50 cents/lb.

RED BEETS - .59 cents to .79 cents/bunch (4-5).

CABBAGE - White Cabbage .10 cents to .19 cents/lb. red cabbage 20 lb.

CARROTS - .50/bunch.  
CAULIFLOWER - .40 cents/lb. .99 cents to \$1.25/head sized.

CELERY - .50 cents/bunch.  
CIDER - \$1.25 1/2 gal. \$2.25/gal.

EGG PLANT - .50 cents/lb.  
HONEY - \$1.50/lb. wildflower

\$1.00/lb. buckwheat.  
MUSHROOMS - \$1.39/12 oz.

ONIONS - .35 lb./spanish .30 cents lb. cooking.

POTATOES - \$1.35/10 lb. \$2.50/20 lbs. \$5.90/50 lbs.

PUMPKINS - .10 cents to .12 cents/lb. Jack-O-Lan-Terns .15 cents to .18 cents/lb. pie.

PEPPERS - .25 cents/each 5 for \$1.00.

HUBBARD SQUASH - .10 cents/lb.

ACORN AND BUTTERNUT - .29/lb.

SPEGETTI - .39/lb.  
ZUCINIE - .49/lb.

TOMATOES - .69/lb. \$6.00/bul. canners

GOURDS - .20 cents/each 6/\$1.00.

INDIAN CORN - .35 cents/ear 3/\$1.00.

CORN STALKS - \$1.50 bunch (10 to 12 stalk).

CHESTNUTS - \$1.00 to \$1.25/lb.

BLACKWALNUTS - \$5.00/lb. shelled \$4.00 bul. hulled.

RUTABAGA - .35 cents/each.

TURNIPS - .69 to .79/pt.

YAMS - .39 cents to .59/lb. \$12.00/bul.

SPINACH & ENDIVE - .50/lb. Red & Yellow Sweet Potatoes - .49 cents/lb.

MUMS - \$3.39 pot (8 to 10).

## Central U.S. Carlot

Wednesday, October 19  
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 Report: Steer and Heifer carcasses steady to \$1.00 higher. Demand and trading moderate on moderate supplies.

The gross boxed beef carcass cutout value advanced \$.19 to an estimated \$95.93 per cwt., 136 loads boxed cuts reported.

Sales reported on 81 loads of Steer and Heifer carcasses.

### STEER BEEF

27 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 91.00-92.00, steady-1.00 higher.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 87.00-88.00, steady-1.00 higher.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 80.00-80.50

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 88.00.

### HEIFER BEEF

54 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 90.00-91.00, 1.00 higher; 500-550 lbs. 88.00-89.00, 1.00 higher; 400-500 lbs. 86.00-87.00, 1.00 higher.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 79.00-80.00, steady-1.00 higher.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 86.00-87.00, steady-1.00 higher.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 80.00.

### COW BEEF

21 Loads

Prices \$1.00 to \$3.00 lower than last week.

FOB Omaha Basis

Bng Util 2-3 400&up lbs. 67.00-68.00 MW.

Canner & Cutter 350&up lbs. 70.50-71.50 MW.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Brkg Util 3-4 450&up lbs. 66.00 West.

Bng Util 2-3 400&up lbs. 69.00 West.

### PRIMAL BEEF CUTS

5 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3: Hinds (H) 120-170 lbs. 101.00. Fores 130-210 lbs. 84.00.

Good & Choice 2-3: Short Plates 45.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS

### 96 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 101.00-103.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 43.00-43.50.

FOB Amarillo Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 102.00-103.00, mostly 103.00.

90% Chem Lean Frozen 104.00

85% Chem Lean Fresh 96.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 43.50

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Fresh Pork loins \$2.00 lower than last representative sales, retail trim 14-17 lbs. \$2.00 to \$4.00 lower, 17-22 lbs. \$3.00 to \$4.00 lower than Monday Spareribs steady. Skinned Hams steady to \$2.00 higher. Trading active on loins and hams, slow to moderate on other cuts Demand light to good. Offerings moderate.

Sales reported on 73 loads Fresh Pork plus 18 loads of Trimmings & Boneless Processing Beef.

### FRESH PORK CUTS

LOINS: (Regular) 14-17 lbs. 83.00-85.00, few 81.00-82.00, 2.00 lower than comparable sales 17-22 lbs. 80.50-81.50, 3.00-4.00 lower than Monday; 22&up lbs. 71.50, no comparison. (Retail Trim) 14-17 lbs. 93.00-95.00, load 91.00, 2.00-4.00 lower; 14-17 lbs. 96.00, short cut, no comparison.

PICNICS: 4-8 lbs 46.00, load 44.00; 8&up lbs. 43.00.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs 77.50 trimmed, no comparison; 8&up lbs. 63.50, no comparison.

SPARERIBS: 3.5-5.5 lbs. 80.00 frozen, steady.

HAMS (Skinned) 14-17 lbs. 73.00, load 74.00, mostly steady to 2.00 higher; 17-20 lbs. 71.00, steady-1.00 higher; 20-26 lbs. 70.00, steady-1.00 higher.

BELLIES (Sdls - Skin On) 14-16 lbs. 49.00, no comparison.

PORK TRIMMINGS/ BONELESS PROCESSING PORK (Chemical Lean)

42% Lean Trimmings Fresh 30.00.

72% Lean Trimmings Fresh 57.00, 2.00 lower.

72% Lean Trimmings Frozen 59.50-60.50, generally steady.

Bnls Picnics Fresh 61.50, load 63.00.

Bnls Picnics Frozen 64.00.

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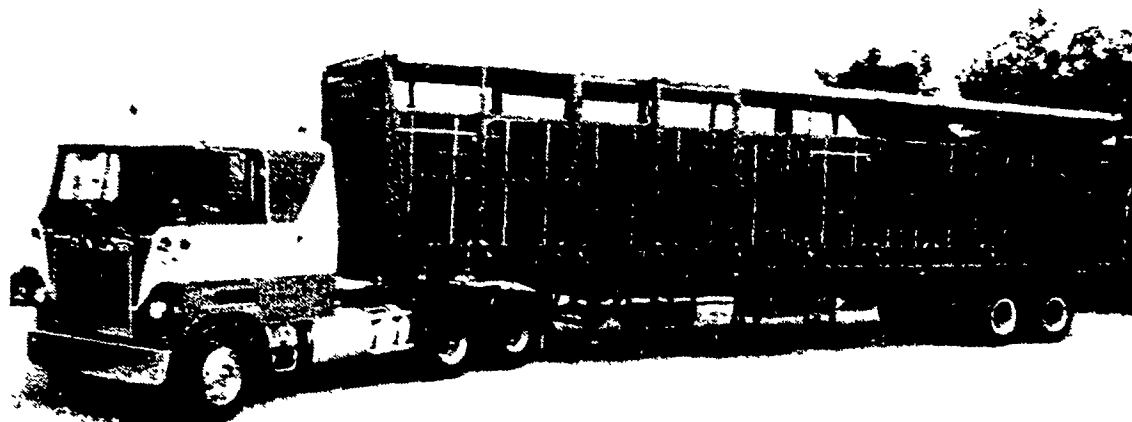
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