Livestock market and auction news

Apple Market News

Monday, Jan. 30 Report Supplied by PDA

Demand today is moderate to fair and prices are remaining stable. Movement last week showed a decline in bagged apples and a good increase in traypacked apples. A representative 13 growers, packers & shippers sold 12,887 cartons of bagged apples and 9,700 cartons of traypack apples.

February 1 to February 17 is the order period designated by your Apple Marketing Board for the 12/3 Polybag Promotion. The actual sale period will be Feb. 13 to Feb. 25. If you haven't been contacted by your chain store buyers or your broker yet, and you have 12/3 bagged apples to sell, why not pick up your phone and call them. It could be a valuable phone call for you. Remember, the Board will pay the store 25 cents per case for all orders over 50 cases.

Many CA storage rooms are expected to open during the latter part of January and early February. According to a recent article in The Packer, eastern packers are optimistic about CA apples because of better apple quality, color and size of the fruit in CA storage. It is hoped that because of better apples in CA storage, demand will increase and prices will be better.

SUMMARY Bagged Apples: Reg. Stg. - 12/3#

Red Delicious U.S. Fancy 2 1/4" up - mo. 6.00, occ. higher to 6.50, 12/3# Red Delicious Extra Fancy 2 1/4" up - 6.50, 12/3# Golden Delicious U.S. Fancy 2 1/4" up - mo. 5.25-6.00, few 6.25-6.50, occ. 7.00. 12/3# Golden Delicious Extra Fancy 2 1/4" up - 6.00.

12/3# Law Romes U.S. Fancy 2 1/4" up - 6.50-7.00, 12/3# Red Romes U.S. Fancy 2 1/4" up - 5.75-6.25, mo. 6.00, 12/3# Red Romes U.S. #1, Generic 2 1/4" up - 6.50.

12/3# York U.S. Fancy 2 1/4" up -

12/3# Stayman Extra Fancy 2 1/4" up - mo. 6.00, few 8.00-8.50.

12/3# Ida Red U.S. Fancy 2 1/4"

CA Storage - 12/3# Red Delicious U.S. Fancy 2 1/4" up - 7.50.

Traypacks - Red Delicious Comb. Fancy & Ex. Fancy 88's -9.50, Red Delicious Comb. Fancy & Extra Fancy 113's - 8.00-10.00 mo. 8.00-9.00, Red Delicious Extra Fancy 113's - 10.50, Red Delicious Comb. Fancy and Extra Fancy 125's - few, 7.50, some 8.50, mo. 9.00, Golden Delicious Comb. Fancy and Extra Fancy 113's -8.50-9.00, Golden Delicious Comb. Fancy and Extra Fancy 125's -

Red Rome Extra Fancy 100's -10.00, Red Rome U.S. Fancy 88's lgr. - 11.00.

York U.S. Fancy 113's lgr. - 9.00, York U.S. Fancy 100's lgr. - 10.00. Wholesale price of apple cider - 9 1/2 gal. - 7.25, 4 - 1 gal. - 5.40.

Dewart Livestock Dewart, Pa. Monday, Jan. 30 Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 316. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows mostly 50 cents-\$1 lower. Slaughter cows grading Breaking Utility & Commercial 50 cents lower, Canner & Cutter \$1-\$2 lower. Choice 2-4 1100-1500 lbs. slaughter steers 66.00-69.25, average High Good 62.25-66.50, few holsteins 56.50-60.75, Standard 49.00-56.75, few Utility 42.00-48.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 63.00-67.50, few Good 55.25-61, few Standard 48.50-54.25. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 37.50-41, few 44.25, Citter & Boning Utility 35.75-39, Canner & Low Cutter 31.50-35.75, Shells down to 26.00. Individual Choice slaughter bullock at 62.50. Few Yield Grade #1 1400-2150 lbs. slaughter bulls 49.85-55.25.

CALVES 229. Few Choice vealers 85.00-95.50, few Good 70.00-80, Standard & Good 110-125 lbs. 65.00-70, 75-105 lbs. 52.00-62, Utility 60-85 lbs. 45.00-54. FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 90-125 lbs. 60.00-100, mostly 75.00-95.00.

HOGS 165. Barrows and gilts uneven, mostly 50 cents lower. US No. 1-3 2-225 lbs. barrows and gilts 49.00-51.80, No. 2-3 245-270 lbs, 47.35-48.70. US No. 1-3 290-600 lbs. sows 38.75-45.75. BOARS 31.50-

FEEDER PIGS 85. Few Lots US No. 1-3 120-15 lbs. feeder pigs 13.00-18 per head, No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. 16.50-

SHEEP 31. Few Choice 80-105 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 52.00-64.00. Yearling ewes 24.00-44.00. GOATS 9: Few large 29.00-42.00

Keister's Livestock Middleburg, Pa. Tuesday, Jan. 31

Report Supplied by PDA CATTLE 351. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers Good & Choice, mostly 1-2 lower. Slaughter cows 1.25-2.50 lower. Choice Yield Grade 2-4, 1075-1300 lbs. slaughter steers 65-68.10. Few Choice Holsteins 58.00-61.85, Few mix Good & Choice 64-65.75, good 58-64.50. Standard 48-57.25, Few Utility 40.00-46.00. Choice slaughter heifers 58.50-64.85, Few good 57.10-62.75. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 36.50-39.85, Couple 41.85, Individual 44.75. Cutter & Boning Utility 34.75-37.75, Canner & Low Cutter 31.50-34.75. Shells down to 27.50. Few Yield Grade No.1 12-1750 lbs., slaughter bulls 45.00-51.00, Few Yield Grade No.2 900-1220 lbs., 39.75-48.00.

FEEDER CATTLE. Medium Frame No. 1 400-780 lbs. feeder steers 63.00-66.00. Few medium frame No. 1 600-800 lbs. feeder heifers 48.00-49.00.

CALVES 172. One Prime vealer at 99.00, Choice 80-92.00 Good 70-82.00 Standard & Good 75-105 lbs. 52.00-62.00. Few Utility 60-85 lbs., 45.00-52.00.

FARM CALVES. Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 57-103, mostly 85.00-

HOGS 649 Barrows and Gilts 1-1.25 lower. US No. 1-2 210-235 lbs. Barrows and Gilts 52.00-53.25, Few lots 53.75, No. 1-3 2-250 lbs., 51.25-52.00, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 47.00-51.75. Sows US No. 1-3 400-600 lbs., 41.00-44.00, Few 47.50. No. 2-3 250-500 lbs., 30.00-40.00

FEEDER PIGS 201 No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 17.00-27.00 per head. US No. 1-3 35-50 lbs., 25.00-34.00, No. 1-3 60-80, 35.00-41.00 per head.

SHEEP 28. Choice 80-115 lbs. Wool slaughter lambs 54.00-60.00. Few Slaughter ewes 19.00-25.00. Goats 6: Few Large 19.00-49.99 per

Oklahoma Cattle Wednesday, Feb. 1 Report supplied by USDA **Estimated Receipts**

Same Day Last Week 9878 Feeder Steers under 550 lb. and Heifers under 500 lb. steady to 1.00 higher; heavier weights both classes steady to 50 cents lower. Demand Good for calves and light yearlings; demand fair for yearlings going to feedlot accounts. Bulk supply Medium and Large Frame 1 500-800 lb. Feeder Steers and 400-700 lb. Heifers.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large Frame 1 400-500 lb. 66.00-73.00, lot 499 lb. 73.10; 500-600 lb. 66.00-70.00; lot 525 lb. gaunt 72.30; 600-700 lb. 65.75-68.00, load 605 lb. gaunt 68.50; 700-800 lb. 65.00-68.00; 800-900 lb. 64.40-65.80, few 900-950 lb. 63.80-64.00. Small Frame 1 375-600 lb. 63.50-66.00. Medium and Large Frame Mixed 1-2 390 lbs. 66.75; 450-800 lb. 63.00-65.25; 850 lb. 59.80; 920 lb. 58.30. Medium and large Frame 2 600-800 lb. 55.00-60.00. Large Frame 2 Holsteins 550-600 lb. 46.50-47.00; 675-700 lb. 45.00-50.00; 770 lb. 47.50; 825-850 lb. 49.80-

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large Frame 1 350-500 lb. 57.00-62.00, few lots 440-465 lb. 62.25-63.30; 500-600 lb. 56.50-61.00; 600-700 lb. 58.00-62.00, couple lots 700-710 lb. 60.30-61.65. Small Frame 1 400-525 lb. 54.00-55.25. Medium and Large Frame Mixed 1-2 375-500 lb. 51.50-57.00; 500-700 lb. 52.50-56.50; 770 lb. 51.25. Medium Frame 2 few lots 400-525 lb. 45.25-50.00.

North Jersey Livestock

Hackettstown, N.J. Tuesday, January 24 Report supplied by auction 1052 head.

Calves 25.00-94.00; Cows 25.00-46.00; Easy Cows 10.00-38.25; Heifers 34.50-59.00; Bulls 39.75-57.50; Steers 38.00-59.50; Hogs 31.00-55.00; Rosting Pigs, each 16.00-26.00; Kids 11.00-42.00; Seeds 39.00-45.00; Sows 34.00-44.00; Sheep 10.00-40.00; Lambs, each 20.00-57.00; Lambs, per lb. 49.00-67.00; Goats, each 15.00-64.00; Hides 4.00.

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