

Philadelphia Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Report

Philadelphia, Pa.
Monday, August 20
Report Supplied by USDA
FRUIT

APPLES: HIGHER. CONTROLLED ATMOSPHERE STORAGE ctn cell pack; WASH Golden Delicious USExFcy 96s 28.00 ctn tray pack; WASH Red Delicious USExFcy 56s one lot few 17.50; 80s 18.00; 88s 17.50-19.00; 100-113s 16.00-17.00 few higher & lower; 125s 16.50 few 14.50; 138s few 14.50; USFcy 72s one lot 17.50; ctn 12-3 lb film bags 2-½" & up WASH Red Delicious USExFcy 16.20; REGULAR STORAGE ctn tray pack; CHILE Granny Smith fair cond 72s & 100-113s 15.00.

BLUEBERRIES: SUPPLIES LIGHT. 12-pt film overwrpd trays. NJ med-lge few 8.40; MICH med-lge 9.00-9.60 few 8.40 fair cond 7.80.

PEACHES: SUPPLIES LIGHT. Various yellow flesh varieties ¾ buctns up sizes USEx#1 unless otherwise stated; N.J. including no grade mark 2-¾" 13.50-14.00; 2-½" 13.00 few 14.00; 2-¼" 11.00-12.00 ord qual 5.00-6.00 2" 7.00; MICH 2-¾" 12.00-14.00 some 11.00; CALIF 25-lb ctn Cal Red 60 size 9.00; 70 size 8.00 2-layer ctn O'Henry 42-50s 9.00; 64s 8.50-9.50 Pacifica & Fayette 42-50s 8.00.

MELONS

CANTALOUPS: ABOUT STEADY. CALIF ½ ctns 9s 7.00 few 7.50; 12s 9.50 fair appear 7.00-8.00; 15s 9.00-10.50 mostly 10.00; 18s 10.00-11.00 few 9.00; NJ 1-layer ctn 4-8s 3.50-4.00 fair cond 2.25-2.50; PA lge ctn 9-10s 3.50-4.00; 12-16s 3.00; 1-layer ctn 6s 3.00; 8s 3.50 few higher.

VEGETABLES

BEANS: HIGHER. Various bu containers Round Green type unless otherwise stated; NJ 6.50-8.00 few 9.00 fair qual 4-4.50; NY fair cond 4.00-5.00; CANADA fair qual 6.00; Wax type 10.00.

BEETS: NJ crts & ctns bchd 12s 3.50-4 50 topped bubkt 7.00 few 6.00; OHIO crts bchd 12s 4-4.50.

BROCCOLI: ABOUT STEADY. CALIF ctn bchd 14s 10.50-11.50 mostly 11.00-11.50; 18s 11.00-12.00 mostly 11.50-12.00 previous commitments 10.50; ME ctn bchd 14s & 18s 9.00.

CABBAGE: ABOUT STEADY. 1-¾ buctn & crt medium Green unless otherwise stated; NJ 3-3.50 mostly 3.50 fair cond 2.75 one label 4-4.50; Savoy 6.00; PA 3.00-4.00 mostly 3.50 few higher; Red 8.00; NY sks 8-10s 3.50-4.00; CANADA 3.50-4.00 Red 8.50-10.00.

CARROTS: ABOUT STEADY. 48-1 lb film bags in film sacks CALIF med-lge 9.50-11.00 mostly 11.00 few 9.00 one label 12.00; MICH med 8.00; OHIO med 8-8.50; CANADA 7.00-8.00; 24-2 lb film bags in film sacks CANADA 8.00; 50-lb sks loose jbo; CALIF 11.00 few 11.50 fair appear 9-9.50; MICH & CANADA 9-9.50; WISC 10.00 ctn bchd 24s; CALIF 10.50; Miniature type 20-12 oz film bags OHIO 5.50-6.00.

CAULIFLOWER: CALIF ctn film wrpd 12s 13.00 few higher; NY Catskill ctn Jacket Pack 12s 11.00 fair qual 9.00; CANADA lge ctn Jacket Pack 16s 7.00-8.00.

CELERY: ABOUT STEADY. ctns & crts; CALIF 2 doz 10.00-10.50; 2-½ doz 10.00-10.50 few 9.00 one label 12.00; ¾ doz one lot 10.00 fair appear 1-½-2 doz 7-7.50; 2½ doz 7.00-8.00 fair cond 1-½-2-½ doz 4.00-5.00; NY 2-½ doz 6-6.50 fair appear 2 doz 4.00-5.00; 2-½-4 doz 5.00; WISC 2-2-½ doz 7.00.

CORN: HIGHER. Wire bound crts approx. 4-½-5 doz; NJ Yellow 3.00-4.00 mostly 3.50-4.00; White 3.00-4.00 mostly 3.50-4.00 few 4.50; PA Yellow & White 3.00-4.00 mostly 3.50-4.00 one lot high as 5.00; NY White & Yellow 3.00-4.00.

CUCUMBERS: HIGHER. 1-1/9 bucrts & ctns waxed medium unless otherwise stated; NJ Pickles unwaxed sml-med 10.00; lge including bubkt 4.00-6.00 mostly 5.00; NY 10.00-11.00 fair qual 5.00-7.00 lge 5.00; PA med-lge 7.00 fair qual 5.00; FLA ctn Long Seedless 12s 6.50-7.00.

LETTUCE ICEBERG: ABOUT STEADY. Ctn 24s unless otherwise stated; CALIF 12.00-13.50 mostly 13.00 few 14.00 fair appear 10.00-11.00 fair cond 8.00-9.00 film wrpd 14.00-15.00; 30s 13.00; NY 5-5.50 some 6.00 one label 7.00-8.00; WISC 8-8.50; COLO 9.50-10.00; CANADA 7.00.

LEAF: OHIO ctn 24s 8.00; Red 9.00; 24-qt bkt 4.00-5.00 few lower; CALIF ctn 24s 12.00-13.00; Red 12.00.

MUSHROOMS: STEADY. PA 4-qt bkt med-lge 5.50 few lower; few 5.75 sml-med 4.00; 10-lb ctn 9.25 few 9.50 few low as 8.50.

ONIONS-DRY: ABOUT STEADY. 50-lb sacks US #1 or generally good quality Yellow unless otherwise stated; TEX Grano jbo 11.50-12.50 mostly 11.50-12.00; 20-2 lb mesh sks 9.50; White jbo 17.00 lge 14.00; CALIF Grano repacker size few 9-9.50; COLO Grano jbo 11.50-12.00 mostly 11.50; MM Grano repacker size fair cond 7.00; NY Globe type med 9-9.50 sml-med 7.00-8.00; sml 5.00-6.00; 25-lb sks Red lge 8.00-9.00 mostly 9.00 med 5.50-6.00; White boilers 11.00-12.00.

ONIONS-GREEN: ABOUT STEADY. NJ crt bchd 36s 6.00; OHIO ctn bchd 48s 6.00 crts; 36s 6.00; CALIF ctn 48s 7.00-8.00.

PEPPERS: HIGHER. Calif Wonder type Green 1-1/9 bucrts & ctns unless otherwise stated; NJ lge 5.00 few 6.00 few 4.50 fair cond 4.00; med 3.50-4.00 few 4.50; ½ buhmprs med 4.00; Mixed Red lge 3.00-4.00 mostly 3.50-4.00; Red lge 9.00-12.00; sml 5.00 Cubanellas lge fair cond 3.00-4.00; med 5.00 ½ buctn med 3.00; Longhots ½ buctn 3.00; Cherry Hots ½ buctn 4.00; CALIF lge few 6.00; PA lge 5.00-6.00.

POTATOES: RUSSETS ABOUT STEADY, OTHERS LOWER. 50-lb sacks U.S.#1 size A washed unless otherwise stated; ROUND WHITES NJ few 5.75 one label 6.00 fair qual 4.50; DE 5-5.50 mostly 5.00 few 4.50-4.75 ord qual 3.00; lge 7.00-8.00 few 8.25; 10-lb sks 1.40 baled 5/10-lb 7.25-7.50; 10/5 lb 8.25-8.50; MD 5.00; VA ord cond 2.50-3.00; ROUND REDS MINN 8.00-9.00 one lot 10.00 size B 8.00-10.00 few 11.00 baled 10/5 film bags one lot 10.00 few 13.00-14.00; WISC 8.00 size B 9.00; CALIF ctns 8.00; RUSSETS 50-lb ctn counts unless otherwise stated; IDA baled 10/5 lb film bags 13.00-13.50; Norgold 70-80s 23.00; 90s 22.00; 100s 20.00; 120s 18.00 baled 10/5 lb film bags one lot 15.00; WASH Norgold 70-80s 17.00 one label 20.00; 90s one label 18.00; 100s 15.00 one label 16.50; 120s one label 16.00; ORE Norgold 70-80s 17.00; 90s 16.00; 100s 15.00; 110-120s 13.00; TEX Norgold 70-80s 16.00; 90s 15.00; 100s 14.00 baled 10/5 lb film bags 10.50; 50-lb sks 10 oz min 12.00-13.00; WISC Norgolds 100s 13.00-13.50; CALIF 80s 21.00; 90s 20.00; 100s 18.00; Centennial 10-oz min 13.50.

TOMATOES: ABOUT STEADY. 25-lb ctn Pink to Light Red US combination or better or generally good quality unless otherwise stated; SALES BY REPACKERS; VA 5x6s 13.00-14.00; 6x6s 11.00-12.00; 6x7s 9.50-10.00; SALES BY OTHERS; TENN fair qual exlge 9.00-10.00; lge 8.00-9.00; CALIF 6x6s & larger 11.00; OHIO one lot 5x6s 14.00; 6x6s 12.00; 6x7s 10.00; PA lge 5.00-8.00 few 4.00 ord qual 2.00 med ord cond 2.00; NJ Green to Red wide range in qual & cond lge 4.00-6.00 mostly 5.00-6.00 few 7-7.50 ord cond 2.50-3.00; ½ buhmprs 4.00 med 3.00-4.50 mostly 3.00-4.00 few 5.00-6.00 ord cond 2.50; ½ buhmprs 2.50 one lot sml 3-3.50; CHERRY TYPE 12-1 pt flats VA 12.00; NJ 10.00; Red 8.00-9.00 fair qual 7.00.

Good's Fruit & Vegetable Auction

Tuesday, August 21

CABBAGE- 4.00 bu.
CANTALOUPES- .24-.57½ ea.
CARROTS- .05-.17 bunch.
CORN- .40-.75 doz.
CUCUMBERS- 3.00-7.00 box.
EGGPLANT- 2.00-4.50 box.
LIMA BEANS- 3.50-12.50 bu.
PEPPERS- 3.00-16.00 box.
POTATOES- 1.00-4.25 bag.
RED BEETS- .50 bunch.
SQUASH- 2.00-7.50 box.
STRING BEANS- 5.00-10.50 bu.
TOMATOES- 1.75-8.00 box.
CHERRY TOMATOES- 7.50 and 10.00 box.
WATERMELON- .55-1.35 ea.

Peach Market News

Tuesday, August 21

Report supplied by PDA

Peaches are ripening much slower due to the cooler weather. Sun High and Loring are the prominent varieties on the market. A few packers plan to pick Blakes next week.

The market is strong with supply running very close to demand in most areas. Prices are holding steady to increasing, especially for the larger sizes.

Prices quoted are wholesale, truckload, F.O.B. at the orchard or packing house in Adams, Franklin, York, Berks and Snyder counties.

Summary

SUN HIGH-LORING: 38# cartons U.S. Extra #1, 2¼" up - \$11.00-\$12.00 mostly \$11.00; 38# cartons U.S. Extra #1, 2¼" up - \$9.00-\$10.00 mostly \$9.00.

Level bushel crates Orchard Run \$6.75-\$7.50 mostly \$7.00; Level ½ bushel crates Orchard Run \$4.50-\$5.50 mostly \$5.00.

NECTARINES: 25# Cartons 2¼ up \$9.00-\$9.50 mostly \$9.00; 25# Cartons 2 inch \$6.00-\$7.00 mostly \$6.50.

APPLES: 12/3# bags Summer Rambo \$6.00; 12/3# bags, Red Varieties \$7.00-\$8.00; ½ bu. crates Tree Run (Rambo) \$4.50-\$5.00; ½ bu. crates Tree Run (Red Varieties) \$5.00-\$5.50.

PLUMS: ½ bu. crate - Orchard Run \$7.00.

Eight-Four Livestock Auction

Eighty-Four, Pa.

Monday, August 20

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CATTLE 349. Compared with last Monday's market Choice slaughter steers 61.75-66.50, Good 57.00-61.00, Few Standard 50.00-56.00, Few Utility 44.00-50.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 59.00-61.25, Good 54.00-59.00, Standard 46.00-51.00, Utility 43.00-46.25. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.00-46.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 39.00-42.50, Canner & Low Cutter 33.00-39.25.

Shells down to 26.00. Individual Standard slaughter bullock at 45.00. Yield Grade No. 1 1000-1850 lbs. slaughter bulls, 47.00-53.75, Yield Grade No. 2 9-1400 lbs. 42.50-47.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers Few Large Frame #1 430-600 lbs. 58.00-61.00, Few Medium Frame #1 5-750 lbs. 54.00-58.00. Heifers Few Large Frame #1 7-800 lbs. 50.00-52.00, Medium Frame #1 3-700 lbs. 45.00-50.00, Few Medium Frame #2 4-600 lbs. 40.00-44.00. Bulls Medium Frame #1 340-550 lbs. 55.00-58.00, Medium Frame #2 3-600 lbs. 44.00-49.50.

CALVES 342. Few Choice Vealers 60.00-65.50, Good 52.00-62.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 43.00-50.00, 60-85 lbs. 38.00-44.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 55.00-67.00.

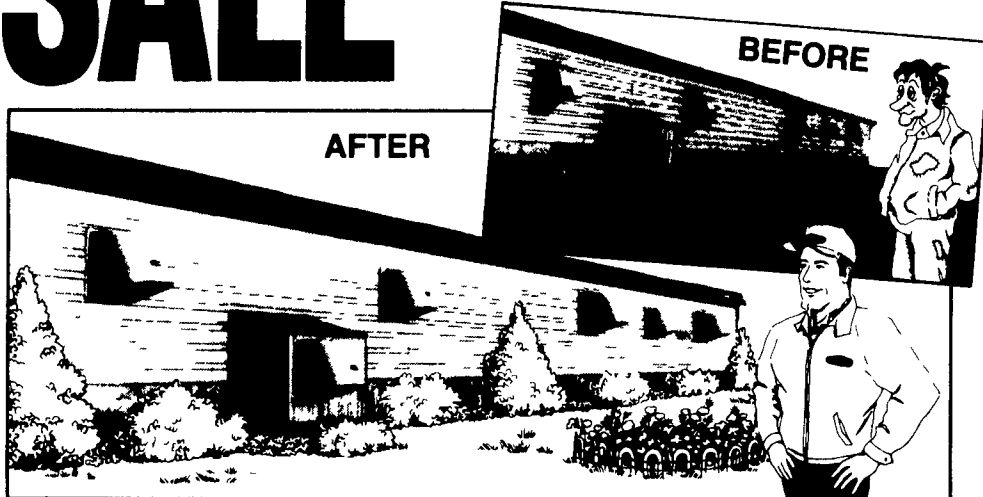
HOGS 76. US No. 1-2 2-250 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.00-53.00, Few No. 1-3 230-255 lbs. 51.00-51.50, Few No. 2-3 210-230 lbs. 48.00-48.50, Lot No. 1-3 184 lbs. at 49.00. Sows. US No. 1-3 350-600 lbs. sows 44.00-48.00, Few No. 2-3 4-650 lbs. 42.00-44.50. Boars 33.00-36.00.

FEEDER PIGS 10. Few US No. 1-3 55-75 lbs. feeder pigs 41.00-45.00 per head, Few Utility 50 lbs. 26.00 per head.

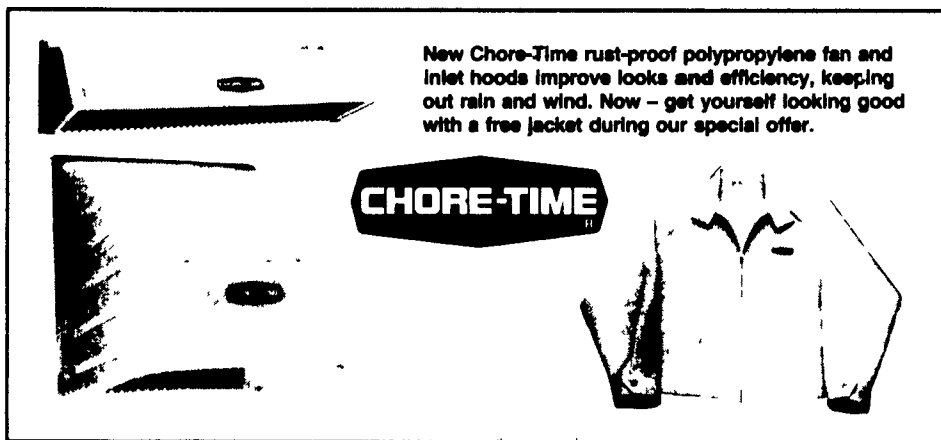
SHEEP 301. High Choice & Prime 70-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 62.50-66.25, Choice 75-85 lbs. 57.00-59.00, Good 50-65 lbs. 49.00-55.00. Slaughter Sheep 12.00-16.50. GOATS: 30. 10.00-40.00 per head.

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