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CITRUS FRUITS ---GRAPEFRUIT: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 4/5 buctns FL Indian River Red 18s 9.00 23s 9.00-10.00 27s 7.00-9.50 mostly 7.00 some 10.00 32s 9.00-9.50 few 10.00-10.50 36s 9.00 fr apppearance 6.00-7.00 40s 7.00-9.00 mostly 7.00 occ 9.50 fr apppearance 6.00 fr cond 5.00 48s 7.00-9.00 fr apppearance 6.00 fr cond 5.00 56s fr cond 5.00-6.00 Star Ruby 18s 8.00-9.00 23s 8.00-9.00 56s 5.50-6.00 Gulf Coast Red 32s 7.00-8.00 36s 7.00-8.00 40s 7.00-8.00 ---LEMONS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 115s fr qual 11.50-13.00 some 14.00 140s 13.00 fr qual 11.50-13.00 mostly 11.50-12.00 165s 13.00 fr qual 11.50-12.00 some 13.00 ---LIMES: MARKET HIGHER 10 lb ctns MX 36s 7.00 42s 7.00 48s 6.00-7.00 54s 6.00-8.00 mostly 6.50-7.00 63s 6.00-8.00 ---MISC CITRUS: 10 lb ctns FL Kumquats 12.00 2.3 kg crts SP BOAT Clementine 24s 3.50 poor cond .50-1.00 28s 3.50 poor cond .50-1.00 32s 3.00 poor cond .50-1.00 36s 3.00 poor cond .50-1.00 40s 2.50 poor cond 84s 13.00-14.00 ---ORANGES: MARKET HIGHER ctns CA Navel 40s 10.00-11.00 fr qual 9.00-10.00 48s 10.00-11.00 fr qual 9.00-10.00 56s 11.00-14.00 some 10.00 few hgr fr qual 9.00-11.00 mos 10.00 some 12.00 72s 11.00-13.50 some 10.00 few 14.50 fr qual 9.00-11.00 mos 10.00 some 12.00 88s 11.00-13.00 mostly 13.00 some 10.00 few 14.00 fr qual 9.00-11.00 mos 10.00 some 12.00 113s 10.00-11.50 mostly 10.00 some 12.00 fr qual 9.00-10.00 138s fr qual 8.00 138s fr qual 9.00-10.00 4/5 buctns FL Navel 36s 8.50-9.00 40s 9.00 48s 7.50-10.00 mostly 9.00 56s 7.50-9.00 red 9.00 64s 7.50-9.00 80s 7.50-9.00 100s 9.00 Pineapple 80s 7.00-8.00 few 8.50 100s 7.00-8.00 few 8.50 125s 7.00-8.00 few 8.50 ---TANGELOS: 4/5 buctns FL Minneola 48s 14.00 56s 17.00-18.00 64s 14.00-17.00 some 18.00 80s 9.00-10.00 few 11.00 one label 17.00-18.00 ---TANGERINES: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---TEMPLES: 4/5 buctns FL 64s 10.00-12.00 80s 10.00-12.00 100s 8.00-10.00 125s 7.00-8.50

BERRIES ---BLUEBERRIES: flts 12 6-oz cups with lids CL AIR med-lge 16.00-20.00 mostly 20.00 ---CRANBERRIES: ctns 24 12-oz flmbgs MA Late Howe 30.00 ---MISC BERRIES: flts 12 1/2-pt bkts with lids CR AIR Blackberries 36.00 ---RASPBERRIES: MARKET LOWER flts 12 5.5-oz cups with lids CL AIR Red 14.00-16.00 mostly 16.00 ---STRAWBERRIES: OFFERINGS LIGHT flts 12 1-pt bkts FL med 30.00 flts 12 250gm cups NZ med 34.00

MELONS ---CANTALOUPS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1/2 ctns AZ 15s 11.00 DR 9-12s poor cond 1.00-2.00 GU 12s 12.00 fr cond 9.00 15s 12.00 fr cond 9.00 18s 12.00 fr cond 9.00 HD 9-12s poor cond 1.00-2.00 MX 12s 12.00 15s 12.00 18s 12.00 ---HONEYDEWS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 2/3 ctns BR 5s 10.00-11.00 6s 10.00-11.00 GU 5s 9.00-11.00 6s 9.00-11.00 ---MISC MELONS: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---WATERMELONS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns per ctn FL Sangria 3s 25.00 4s 20.00 GU Red Seedless 6s 16.00 MX Red Seedless 4s 18.00

NON-CITRUS FRUITS ---APPLES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns trypk CA U.S. ExFcy Granny Smith 100s 17.50-18.50 WA WAExFcy Red Delicious 64s one label 19.00-20.00 72s 17.00-17.50 one label 19.00-20.00 80s 17.00-17.50 88s 16.00-17.50 mostly 16.50-17.50 one label 21.00 100s 16.00-17.00 some 18.00 Golden Delicious 80s 24.00 88s 19.00-23.00 one label 24.00 100s 19.00-21.00 Granny Smith 88s 19.00-20.00 100s 19.00-20.00 WAFcy Red Delicious 64s 13.00 88s 13.00 100s 13.00 113s 13.00 ctns celpk NY U.S. ExFcy Mcintosh 100s 20.00 U.S. One Mcintosh 100s 10.00 VT U.S. One Mcintosh 96s 10.00 120s 7.50-9.00 WA U.S. ExFcy Golden Delicious 96s 21.00-22.00 ---APRICOTS: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---AVOCADOS: MARKET LOWER ctns 2 lyr CA Hass 48s few 30.00 MX Hass 40s 27.00-28.00 48s 27.00-30.00 60s 27.00-28.00 ---BANANAS: MARKET STEADY 40 lb ctns IMPORT 10.50 fair qual 7.00-9.50 sml 5.00-7.00 40 lb ctns bagged IMPORT 9.50 ctns institutional pk IMPORT petite 13.00 ---CHERRIES: 4 kg ctns CL Bing 11 1/2 row sz 36.00 Rainier 9 row sz 35.00-40.00 10 row sz 35.00-40.00 ---FRUITS OTHER: ctns 1 lyr WA Apple Pears Olympic 8s 14.00 10s 14.00 ---GRAPES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 19 lb lugs bgd CA Ruby Red Seedless med fr cond 7.00-9.00 Crimson Seedless med 20.00 fr cond 7.00-8.00 NEW CROP 18 lb lugs bgd CL BOAT Perlette sml-med 12.00-15.00 mostly 14.00 med-lge 15.00-16.00 mostly 16.00 preferred labels 20.00-24.00 Thompson Seedless med-lge 30.00-32.00 med 24.00-25.00 Flame Seedless med-lge 15.00-18.00 mostly 16.00 one label 24.00 med 14.00-16.00 mostly 14.00-15.00 ---KIWIFRUIT: MARKET STEADY 10 kg ctns IT 25 sz 17.00 30 sz 17.00 33 sz 17.00 39 sz 17.00 42 sz 17.00 ---MANGOES: ctns 1 lyr BR Tommy Atkins 12s fr cond 10.00 ---NECTARINES: OFFERINGS LIGHT ctns 2 lyr trypk CL BOAT Early Diamond 56-68 sz ord cond 3.00 ---PAPAYA: 37 lb ctns FL Green Cooking Type 11.00 ---PEACHES: OFFERINGS LIGHT ctns 1 lyr trypk CL BOAT Gem Free 42s fr cond 7.00 ---PEARS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY std ctns wrpd OR U.S. One D'Anjou 70s 20.00 fr cond 12.00 80s 20.00 fr cond 12.00 90s 20.00 fr cond 12.00 100s 20.00 fr cond 12.00 110s 20.00 fr cond 12.00 Bosc 70s 20.00 80s 20.00 90s 20.00 100s 18.00 110s 16.00 120s 15.00 WA U.S. One D'Anjou 80s 18.00-19.00 90s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00 100s 18.00-20.00 mostly 19.00 110s 17.50-19.00 some 20.00 120s 16.50-18.00 mostly 16.50-17.50 135s 16.50-17.50 Bosc 120s 14.50-15.50 ---PERSIMMONS: ctns 1 lyr CA Hachiya 18s 12.00 25 lb cntrs lse CA Fuyu fr cond 7.00-8.00 ---PINEAPPLES: OFFERINGS LIGHT ctns 2 lyr HD 10s 11.00-13.00 12s 11.00-13.00 14s 11.00-13.00 ---PLANTAINS: 50 lb ctns CB Yellow 12.00 CR Green 11.00 ---PLUMS: OFFERINGS LIGHT ctns 2-lyr CL Red Beaut 60-90 sz ord cond 3.00-5.00 ---POMEGRANATES: OFFERINGS NONE

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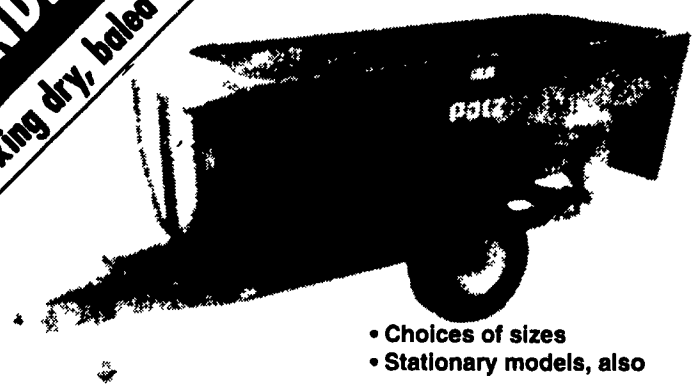

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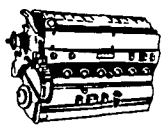

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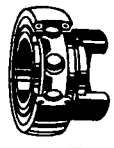

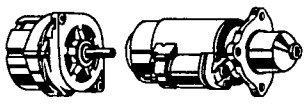

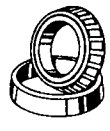

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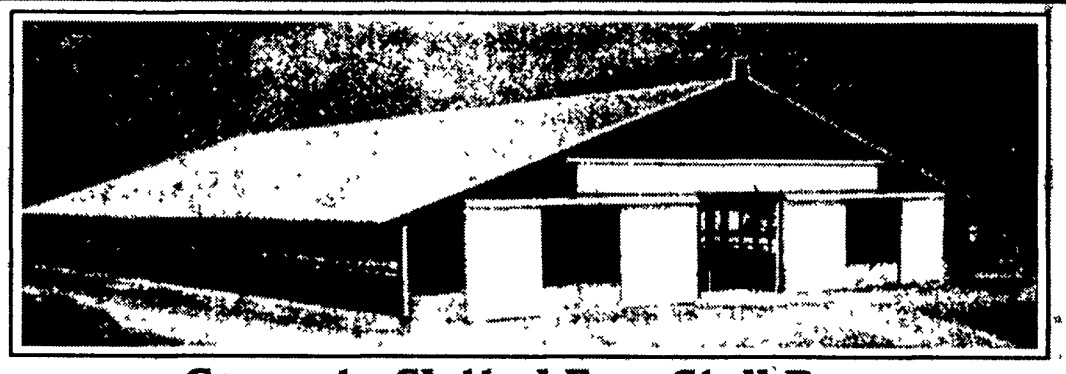

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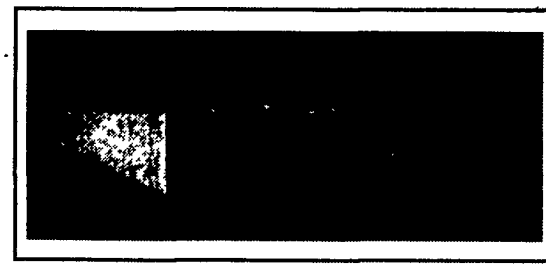

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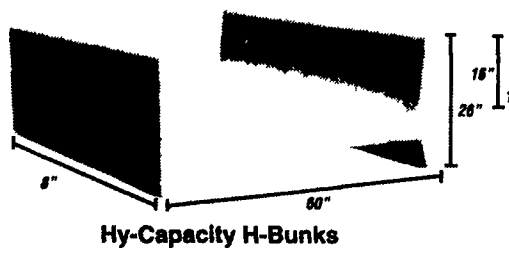

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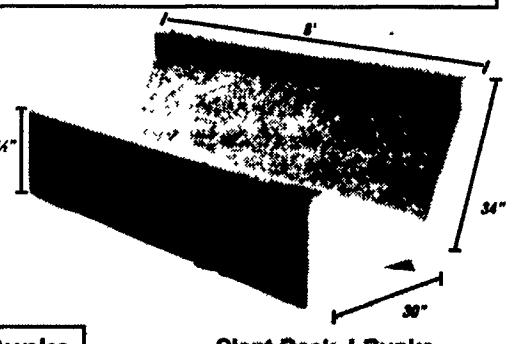

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