Cumberland Valley Produce Auction

Shippensburg, Pa. Week of August 10-15 **Report Supplied by Auction**

APPLES: 2.00-8.00 1/2 BU. BEANS: GREEN 2.50-13.00 ½ BU.; YELLOW 3.50-11.00 % BU.; LIMA 4.00-19.00 BU., ALL % BU. BLACKBERRIES: 3.00-15.00 FLAT.

70 PT. BLUEBERRIES: 17.00-20.00 FLAT. BROCCOLI: 3.00. CABBAGE: GREEN .06-.14 HEAD.

CANTALOPES: .02-1.50 EACH. CUCUMBERS: .50-11.00. EGGPLANT: 2.00-10.00 1/2 BU. GRAPES: 8.00 FLAT. HONEYLOPES: .10-.75. NECTARINES: 2.00-11.00. ONIONS: SWEET 7.00-13.00 % BU.;

VIDALIA 2.50-5.00. PEACHES: 4.50-13.00 % BU. PEARS: 4.00-11.00 % BU. PEPPERS: GREEN SM. TO LRGE. 2.00 8.75 % BU.; RED SM. TO LRGE.

350-14.00; HOT 1.00-4.00, BANANA 30-3.00. PICKLES: 2.00-12.00 % BU.

PLUMS: 8.00-18.00 8 QT. FLAT. POTATOES: RED 2.00-6.50 1/2 BU.; WHITE 1.25-11.00 ½ BU., 2.75-6.50 50 LBS.

RED BEETS: .28 BUNCH, 6.00-13.00. SQUASH: YELLOW .10-6.00 % BU.; **BUTTERNUT 4.50; PATTYPANS** 100-3.50.

SWEET CORN: .90-2.80 DOZEN. TOMATOES: RED, SM. TO LRGE. 200-23.00 % BU., YELLOW SM. TO LRGE. 24.00 1/2 BU.

WATERMELONS: SUGAR BABIES 15-1 80; SEEDLESS 1.00-3.60; SANGRI-A .30 4.40.

ZUCCHINI: .50-9.50 % BU .: YEL-LOW 1.50. FLOWERS: MUMS 1.50-5.25.

SALE DAYS MON., TUES., WED., THURS., FRI., SAT., 9 A.M.

Phila. Potato Report **PHILADELPHIA Terminal Prices as of** 19-AUG-98

Provided by: Fruit and Vegetable Market News, Federal-State Market News Service, USDA.

Partly Cloudy 61-89

ONIONS AND POTATOES ONIONS DRY: MARKET STEADY US#1 OR GENERALLY GOOD QUAL AND COND UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. CONTROLLED ATMO-SPHERE STORAGE Yellow Granex GA 50 lb ctns jbo 33.00 NEW CROP Yellow Grano AZ 50 lb sks jbo fr cond 10.00 CA 50 lb sks jbo 10.00 fr cond 8.00-9.00 med 10 00 NM 50 lb sks jbo 9.50-10.00 mostly

jbo 10.00 mstr entr 20 2-lb mshsks jbo 10.00 TX 50 lb sks jbo 10.00 Spanish Hybrid CO 50 lb sks jbo 10.00 fr cond 9.00-9.50 WA 50 lb sks jbo hvy min sz 9.00-10.00 White NM 50 lb sks jbo 13.00 Boilers NM 25 lb sks 15.00 Red CA 25 lb sks jbo 8.00 CO 25 lb sks jbo 7.00-8.00 med 6.00-7.00 NM 25 lb sks jbo 9.00 med 8.00 TX 25 lb sks jbo 7.00-8.00 med 6.00-7.00 ---POTATOES: MARKET STEADY US#1 SZ A WASHED OR BRUSHED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED Russet Burbank ID bld 10 5-lb sks non sz A 8.00-8.50 mostly 8.00 50 lb ctns 40s 12.50-14.50 50s 12.50-14.50 60s 13 00-14.50 70s 12.00-13.50 mostly 13.00-13.50 80s 10.00-11.50 mostly 10.00-11.00 90s 9.00-10.00 mostly 9.50-10.00 100s 7.50-9.50 mostly 8.00-8 50 120s 8.00 NEW CROP Russet Norkotah CA 50 lb ctns 80s 8.00 90s 7.00 100s 6.00 WA 50 lb ctns 80s 10.00 90s 9.00 100s 8.00 Round Red MN bld 105-lb fimbgs 9.00 50 lb ctns 8.00 50 lb sks 7.00-9.00 sz B 10.00 WA 50 lb ctns 9.00 WI 50 lb sks 6.50-7.50 mostly 7.00 sz B 9.00-10.00 Round White DE 50 lb sks 4.00-5.00 some 3.50 sec 5.00-7.00 10 lb sks Ise 1.00-1.05 NJ 50 lb sks 3.50 one label few 5.50 lge 5.50 Long White CA 50 lb ctns 15.00 sz B 14.00 Purple Type CA 50 lb ctns 55.00 Yellow Type Yukon Gold CA 50 lb ctns 23.00

10.00 fr cond 9.00 mstr cntr 16 3-lb mshsks

Phila. Herbs

PHILADELPHIA Terminal Prices as of 19-AUG-98

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MISC HERBS --- ANISE: 2/3 ctns CA 24s 22.00 --- ARRUGULA: 4/5 bucrts behd NJ 24s 7.00-8.00 ctns bchd WV 24s 8.00 ----BASIL: crts behd NJ 15s 7.00-8.00 mostly 8.00 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 -CELERIAC (CELERY ROOT): OFFER-INGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---CHIVES: NO SALES REPORTED -CILANTRO: ctns bchd NJ 30s 7.00-8.00 mostly 8.00 OH 30s 7.00-8.00 ctns lse NJ 7.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 --- DILL: crts behd NJ 24s 7.00-8.00 mostly 8.00 OH 24s 7.00-8.00 --- DRY ESCHALLOT: OFFER-INGS INSUFFICIENT TO OUOTE -HORSERADISH: OFFERINGS INSUF-FICIENT TO QUOTE --- MARJORAM: 1 kg ctns behd IS 12s 13.00 --- MINT: crts bchd NJ 7.00-8.00 ctns bchd WV 8.00 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 10.00

---OREGANO: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---ROSEMARY: 1 kg ctns behd IS 12s 13.00 --- SAGE: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 --- TARRAGON: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 17.00 --- THYME: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00

Shipping Point Prices as of 19-AUG-98 Provided by: Fruit and Vegetable Market News, Federal-State Market News Service, USDA

SOUTH NEW JERSEY Sales F.O.B. Shipping Point Basis Partly cloudy 60-72 NON-CITRUS FRUITS

1998 Season

---NECTARINES: DEMAND GOOD MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1/2 bucins lse Various Yellow Flesh Varieties 2 1/4-2 1/2" 10.00-12.00 few 14.00 2 1/2"up 12.00-14.00 mostly 14.00 few 16.00 2 3/4 up 16.00-17.00 mostly 16.00

-- PEACHES: DEMAND FAIRLY LIGHT ON 2 1/2" & LGR, LIGHT ON 2 1/4" MARKET STEADY VARIOUS YELLOW FLESH VARIETIES INCLUD-**ING CRESTHAVEN & JERSEYOUEEN** 1/2 buctns 2 3/4"up 12.00-14.00 few 11.00 2 1/2-2 3/4" 10.00-12.00 few 9.00 occasional higher 2 1/4-2 1/2" 5.00-7.00 few 8.00

The Windmill **Produce Auction** Penn Yan, N.Y.

August 12 Report Supplied by Auction

APPLES: 3.50-5.00 8 QT. BEANS: GREEN 5.00-9.00, YELLOW 3.50-6.00, LIMA 5.00-10.00, ALL % BU. BLACKBERRIES: 1.50-2.00 PINT.

BROCCOLI: .25-.40 HEAD. CABBAGE: GREEN .25-.75 HEAD. CANTALOPES: .45-1.20 EACH. CAULIFLOWER: 1.00-1.35 HEAD. CUCUMBERS: 2.00-4.50 ½ BU. EGGPLANT: 4.00-6.50 % BU. EGGS: .70-.90 DOZ. ELDERBERRIES: 2.75-7.00 8 QT.

GARLIC: 1.60-2.30 QT., 4.00-4.75 BRAID. ONIONS: SPANISH 4.00-6.00 8 QT.

ORNAMENTALS: JACK-B-LITTLES .10-.20 EACH.

PEACHES: 5.00-7.50 8 QT. PEPPERS: GREEN 3.50-6.00, RED 4.50-10.00, BOTH % BU.; HOT .60-1.25

QT. PICKLES: 4.00-9.25 1/4 BU.

POTATOES: RED 4.00-7.00, WHITE 2.50-5.00, BOTH ½ BU.

RED BEETS: 2.00-3.50 % BU. SQUASH: YELLOW .25-4.00 BU.; ACORN .25-.40, BUTTERNUT .30-.40, PATTYPANS .10-.25, SPAGHETTI .05-.10 EACH.

SWEET CORN: .80-1.65 DOZ. TOMATOES: 9.00-17.00 25 LB. BOX. WATERMELONS: 1.00-1.75 EACH. ZUCCHINI: 1.50-3.00 % BU. FLOWERS: GLADIOLA .25-.30 EACH; MUMS 1.75-2.25 EACH.

Oklahoma National Stockyards - Weekly Cattle Summary

Oklahoma City, OK Wed Aug 19, 1998

USDA-OK Dept Ag Market News Compared to last week: Feeder cattle steady to 1.00 lower. Steer calves steady. Heifer calves steady to 1.00 higher. Demand moderate for all classes. Quality plain to average, few attractive calves. Feeder cattle in mostly medium flesh with average to full weigh-ups.

Calves in medium to fleshy conditions. Early August thunderstorm trend has dissipated and Oklahoma has returned to hot and dry weather pattern that has typified bulk of the growing season Central and southern Oklahoma remain in very poor grazing condition with little to no hope for recovery this season. Main concern at this point is moisture for working wheat ground. The roller coaster movement in the CME cattle futures has again dampened buyers spirits. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls steady. Demand moderate from packers, Rains have returned to south Texas causing lighter Texas cow runs and improved demand from southern buyers. However, ample supplies locally has diminished that demand. Out of state country buyers remain aggressive for stock cow numbers. Total of 1,050 cows and bulls sold with 70 percent to packers. Receipts this week 11,534; last week 8,756; last year 9,377. Supply consisted of 62 percent yearlings over 600 lbs; 29 percent calves under 600 lbs; 9 percent cows and bulls. Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1 300-350 lbs (327 lbs) 84.50-92.00 (88.55); 350-400 lbs (362 lbs) 82.00-87.50 (84.50); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 75.00-84.00 (79.68); 500-550 lbs (525 lbs) 71.00-77.00 (75.69); 550-600 lbs (578 lbs) 70.00-76.00 (73.44); 600-650 lbs (615 lbs) 70.00-76.25 (73.96); 650-700 lbs (674 lbs) 68.00-72.25 (69.61), 700-750 lbs (725 lbs) 66.00-71.00 (68.91); 750-800 lbs (776 lbs) 66.00-69.50 (67.41); 800-850 lbs (821 lbs) 65.50-69.25 (67.86); 850-900 lbs (882 lbs) 64.25-67.50 (65.60); 900-1000 lbs (950 lbs) 62.25-65.00 (63.40). Holsteins: Large 2 225 lbs 62.50; 310 lbs 58.75; 650 lbs 46.00; 700-800 lbs 43.50-46.50; 800-900 lbs 41.00-43.00; 950-1000 lbs 40.50- 43.50.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1 250-300 lbs (285 lbs) 73.00-77.00 (74.66); 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 69.00-73.00 (73.46); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 69.00-74.00 (71.10); 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 66.75-73.00 (70.20); 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 64.25-69.00 (67.16); 700-750 lbs (723 lbs) 62.25-66.75 (65.26); 750-800 lbs (764 lbs) 62.25-64.75 (63.57); 800-850 lbs (817 lbs) 58.50-63.75 (61.66); 850-900 lbs (891 lbs) 57.75-62.00 (58.50). Slaughter Cows: Head %Lean Weight

Average Dress High Dress Low Dress *Brk 30 75-80% 875-1500 33.75-36.00 36.00 30.50-32.00 *Bnr 94 80-85% 850-1400 32.00-35.50 34.00-38.00 30.50-33.00 Lean 321 85-90% 825-1300 31.25-34.75 28.00-31.75 Light 33 85-92% 700-850 26.50-29.00

*Brk=Breakers, *Bnr=Boners Slaughter Bulls: Head Weight Average

Dress High Dress Low Dress Y. G. 1-2 32 1350-2000 44.00-46.50 48.00-50.00 38.00-43.00

Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Lean 71.30, light carcasses 68.95; Boners 68.00; Breakers 65.60. Bulls 81.40.

Replacement Cows: Pretested for bangs, pregnancy, and age Medium and Large 1 3-4 yr old 975-1150 lbs 5 mo bred hi quality blacks 565.00-625.00, 2-5 yr old 900-1200 lbs 4-8 mo bred avg quality blacks 500.00-555.00, 4-6 yr old 975-1100 lbs 2-4 mo bred avg quality 425.00-500.00, 7-9 yr old 900-1125 lbs 2-4 mo bred avg quality 325.00-400.00.

Pairs: Medium and Large 1 5 yr old 1000 Ib black cows bred back 2-3 mo 350 lb calves hi quality 830.00, 2-5 yr old 900-1275 lb cows 150-250 lb calf avg quality 625.00-650.00; 7 yr old 1000-1270 lb cows 100-200 lb calf avg quality 505.00-550.00.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables

Wednesday, August 19, 1998 Report supplied by auction 120 DAIRY COWS, 136 HEIFERS, 12 BULLS. HEIFER MARKET STEADY;

COW MARKET STRONGER. COWS LOCAL FRESH

- 450.00-1550.00. FRESH HEIFERS 835.00-1435.00.
- LOCAL SPRINGERS 635.00-1450.00. UPSTATE LOADS FRESH

975.00-1625.00. BETTER FRESH COWS 1425.00-1625.00.

LOAD OF CANADIAN FRESH 875.00-1525.00, SPRINGERS 825.00-1410.00.

- SPRINGING HEIFERS LARGE 1085.00-1260.00, SMALL 735.00-950.00. SHORTBRED HEIFERS
- 510.00-1110.00. REGISTERED HEIFERS

1110.00-1300.00. **OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS**

660.00-785.00. SMALL OPEN HEIFERS 165.00-610.00.

BULLS 225.00-850.00.

North Jersey Livestock

Hackettstown, NJ **Report Supplied by Auction** Tuesday, August 18, 1998 CALVES .05-.85. COWS .19% -.39% EASY COWS .05-31% FEEDERS 300-600 LBS. .16-.84. HEIFERS .34-.57. BULLS .37% -.50. STEERS .39-.57% . HOGS .02-.37. ROASTING PIGS EACH 5.00. BOARS .12-.15. SOWS .15. SHEEP .15-.61. LAMBS EACH 20.00-74.00. LAMBS PER LB. .31-1.42%. GOATS EACH 29.00-92.50. KIDS EACH 5.00-63.00. TOTAL 919.



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