

Phila. Potato

PHILADELPHIA Terminal
Prices as of 10-MAR-99

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Cloudy 28-35 NA—FV030

ONIONS AND POTATOES --- ONIONS DRY: MARKET NY GLOBE TYPE JUMBO'S LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY US#1 OR GENERALLY GOOD QUAL AND COND UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. Yellow Globe

Type NY 50 lb sks jbo 7.00-8.00 med 7.00-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00 mstr cntr 10

5-lb mshsks med 7.00-9.00 mstr cntr 16 3-lb mshsks med 9.00 mstr cntr 20 2-lb

mshsks med 7.50-9.00 Spanish Hybrid CO 50 lb sks jbo 8.50 ID/OR 50 lb sks col

12.00-12.50 jbo 7.50-9.00 mostly 8.00-9.00 fr appear 7.00 NV 50 lb sks jbo

8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 WA 50 lb sks col few 12.00 jbo 8.50 few 10.00 Sweets CL

40 lb ctns col 18.00 jbo 16.00 med 10.00-12.00 PE 40 lb ctns jbo 18.00 White

NV 50 lb sks jbo 15.00 25 lb sks jbo 8.00 Boilers NV 25 lb sks jbo 13.00 Red ID/OR

25 lb sks jbo 7.00-8.00 med 6.00-6.50 NV 25 lb sks jbo 8.00-8.50 med 6.00-7.00 NY

25 lb sks jbo 7.00-8.50 mostly 7.50-8.50 med 5.00-6.50 mostly 6.00 NEW CROP

Yellow Grano Type MX 50 lb sks jbo 12.00 Sweets MX 50 lb ctns jbo 16.00 40

lb ctns jbo 18.00 White MX 50 lb ctns jbo 12.00 fr cond 9.00 ---POTATOES:

MARKET STEADY US#1 SZ A WASHED OR BRUSHED UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED Russet Burbank

ID bid 10 5-lb flmbgs non sz A 8.00-9.00 mostly 8.00-8.50 50 lb ctns 40s

12.00-13.50 mostly 13.00-13.50 50s 12.00-13.50 mostly 13.00-13.50 60s

12.00-13.50 mostly 13.00-13.50 70s 12.00-13.50 mostly 13.00-13.50 80s

11.00-12.50 mostly 12.00 90s 10.50-11.50

mostly 11.00-11.50 100s 9.00-10.50 mostly 9.00-10.00 120s 10.00-10.50 12 oz min 13.00 Norkotah WI 50 lb ctns 70s 9.50 80s 9.00-9.50 90s 8.50 100s 7.50 120s 7.50 Round Red MN/ND 50 lb sks sz A 7.50-8.00 NY 50 lb sks sz B few 9.00-10.00 Round White CD Prince Edward Island CDOne 50 lb sks 6.50-7.00 lge 7.50 DE 50 lb sks 5.00 lge 6.00 NY bid 10 5-lb sks 7.50 NEW CROP Round Red FL bid 10 5-lb flmbgs 10.00 50 lb sks sz A 10.00-11.00 creamers 25.00 sz B 13.00-15.00 mostly 14.00 fr qual 12.00 Round White FL

New Holland Sales Stables

Report Supplied By USDA
Monday, March 8

	Calves	Sheep	Goats
Today	193	760	1211
Last Week	200	567	960
Last Year	264	817	701

CALVES: COMPARED TO THURS.'S AUCTION, VEAL CALVES SOLD STEADY AND SLAUGHTER CALVES RANGED 8.00-10.00 HIGHER. HOLSTEIN BULLS RETURNING TO FEED SOLD 10.00 LOWER AND HOLSTEIN HEIFERS WERE NOT FULLY TESTED.

VEALERS: GOOD AND CHOICE 70-110 LBS. 25.00-37.00. STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-90 LBS. 12.00-28.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: GOOD AND CHOICE FEW 250-350 LBS. 80.00-105.00; 350-500 LBS. 60.00-70.00. STANDARD 300-600 LBS. 50.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: HOLSTEIN BULLS 95-125 LBS. 80.00-107.00. PLAINER CALVES 80-115 LBS.

55.00-80.00; 75-85 LBS. 35.00-58.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 80-110 LBS. 147.00-200.00. PLAINER HEIFERS 75-100 LBS. 80.00-160.00.

SHEEP: COMPARED TO THURSDAY'S LIGHT, SLAUGHTER LAMBS SOLD STEADY TO 5.00 LOWER ON HEAVY RECEIPTS. LIGHTWEIGHT NEW CROP LAMBS WERE AS MUCH AS 15.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER EWES SOLD STEADY TO FIRM

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: NEW CROP CHOICE AND PRIME 2-3 40-60 LBS. 120.00-145.00; 60-80 LBS. 100.00-120.00. WOOLED CHOICE AND PRIME 2-3 60-80 LBS. 80.00-100.00; 80-100 LBS. 70.00-85.00; 100-140 LBS. 60.0-0-75.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: GOOD AND CHOICE YEARLINGS AND 2 YEAR-OLDS 50.00-65.00. UTILITY AND GOOD 1-3 35.00-55.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, BILLIES LARGE 100.00-130.00, FEW UP TO 160.00. MEDIUM 75.00-100.00; CHOICE AND PRIME MUTTON 70.00-110.00; LARGE NANNIES 50.00-75.00, MEDIUM 35.00-50.00; CHOICE AND PRIME YEARLINGS 60.00-90.00, CHOICE AND PRIME KIDS 40.00-60.00, GOOD 20.00-40.00.

Central Carlot

Beef Report

Des Moines, IA

Wed Mar 10, 1999

USDA Market News
USDA NATIONAL CARLOT BEEF REPORT (includes major production areas in the Midwest and TX) as of 3:00 PM COW & BULL CARCASS FOB OMAHA Loads Reported. Compared to Tuesday's 3:00 P.M. Report: Cow and bull carcasses not established.

UT,brk 2-4 450#/up unq UT,bng 1-3 400#/up unq Cutter 1-2 350#/up unq Bulls YG 1 500#/up unq COW & BULL CARCASS CAF WEST

COAST Loads Reported. Compared to last week:

Market for Week Ended: March 5, 1999 Lds Price Range UT,brk 2-4 450#/up UT,bng 1-3 400#/up unq Cutter 1-2 350#/up unq Bulls YG 1 500#/up

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS 236.0 Loads Reported. Lean boneless processing beef firm to 3.00 higher in Omaha, Texas 3.00-4.00 higher; 85% weak to 1.00 lower; 75% and 65% generally steady. Demand and offerings light to moderate. Beef trimmings generally steady on fairly good demand and moderate to heavy offerings.

FOB OMAHA BASIS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtag 90% fr 13 86.5 - 93.0 89.54 90% fz unq 85% fr 15 80.0 - 80.5 80.17 85% fz 75% fr 15 56.0 - 60.0 58.47 75% fz 65% fr 12 49.5 49.50 65% fz 50% fr 120 24.00 - 26.00 24.71 50% fz 30 31.00 - 32.00 31.33 50% bx unq Bull 92-94 111.00 111.00 B

FOB EAST TEXAS AND OKLAHOMA: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtag 90% fr 15 91.0 - 92.0 91.67 90% fz unq 85% fr 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF NORTHEAST AREAS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtag 90% fr 14 93.0 - 95.0 94.14 90% fz unq 85% fr 2 88.0 88.00 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF WEST COAST BASIS Market for Week Ended: 3/5/99 Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtag 90% fr 89.00 89.00 90% fz unq 85% fr 80.50 - 82.00 81.25 85% fz unq 75% fr unq 75% fz unq 65% fr 47.00 47.00 65% fz 50% fr 27.00 - 27.50 27.07 50% fz unq

ABCDE after quotes represents days since last actual market test. Quotes are dropped after 5 days of no test or before if they no longer reflect current market conditions.

Westminster Livestock Auction

Hagerstown, Md.

March 9, 1999

Report supplied by auction

SLAUGHTER COWS: 68 HEAD. UTILITY 35.00-39.50; LOW DRESSING 32.50-34.75; HIGH DRESSING TO 41.50; CANNERS 31.00-35.00, FEW TO 37.00; SHELLY 31.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 2 HEAD. YG#1 1780 LBS. AT 48.25.

FED STEERS: 8 HEAD, NO BEEF BREEDS OFFERED. CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1200-1400 LBS. 54.75-56.75; STANDARD TO SELECT HOLSTEINS 43.00-46.00.

FED HEIFERS: NONE.

VEAL CALVES: 82 HEAD. CULLS 110-130 LBS. 25.00-30.00; 85-110 LBS. 20.00-28.00; 60-85 LBS. 16.00-24.00.

FARM CALVES: STEADY PRICES. HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 80.00-105.00; 88-94 LBS. 35.00-65.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-120 LBS. 172.00-190.00; BEEF X HEIFERS 90-110 LBS. TO 85.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 12 HEAD, 2.00 HIGHER. #1&2 240-270 LBS. 27.00-28.50; 200-225 LBS. 25.50; 300-350 LBS. 30.00.

SOWS: 450 LBS. TO 16.25; THIN 350 LBS. TO 12.00.

BOARS: 1 538 LB. AT 6.75.

STOCK CATTLE: 103 HEAD; GOOD DEMAND. STEERS MED. AND LARGE FRAME 300-500 LBS. 77.00-86.00; 500-600 LBS. 68.00-81.00; 600-800 LBS. 60.00-67.00.

HEIFERS: MED. AND LARGE FRAME 200-400 LBS. 70.00-81.00; 400-600 LBS. 66.00-78.00; 600-700 LBS. TO 64.00.

BULLS: MED. AND LARGE FRAME 300-500 LBS. 75.00-90.00; 500-600 LBS. 55.00-68.00.

SHEEP: 12 HEAD 27.00-39.00; HEAVY WEIGHTS 22.00-25.00.

LAMBS: 4 HEAD NEW CROP 131 LBS. 63.00; 1 105 LB. AT 74.00.

GOATS: 21 HEAD. LARGE 60.00-80.00; MEDIUM 38.00-60.00; SMALL 27.00-36.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 15 HEAD. BY THE HEAD, 4 HEAD 40 LBS. 10.00; BY THE LB. 7 HEAD 125 LBS. AT 20.00; 170-195 LBS. TO 23.00.

NEXT TUES., MARCH 16, GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE AT 7 P.M.

SAT., MARCH 27, SPECIAL EASTER LAMB AND GOAT SALE AT NOON. RABBITS, POULTRY, AND EGGS AT 10 A.M.

Carlisle Livestock

Carlisle, Pa.

March 9, 1999

Report Supplied By Auction

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS, HOLSTEINS CHOICE 52.00-56.50, SELECT 45.25-51.00; COWS, BREAKERS 38.50-41.75, BONERS 35.00-40.75, LEAN 30.00-37.50, LOW DRESSING COUPLE DOWN TO 28.00, SHELLY 27.00 AND DOWN.

BULLS: YG#1 1450-1700 LBS. 48 00-52.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS, HOLSTEINS 300-500 LBS. 63.00-69.00, HEIFERS, HOLSTEINS 300-850 LBS. 59.00-74.00, BULLS, HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 300-500 LBS 58.00-62.00, CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, ACTIVE! HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 90-155 LBS. 70.00-109.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 80-120 LBS. 100.00-200.00.

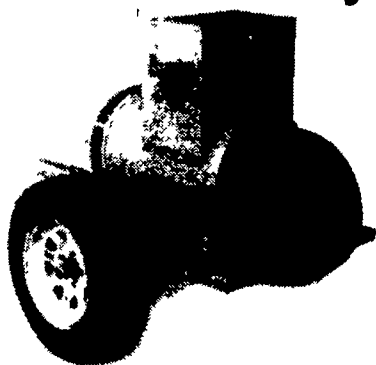
SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 26.00-27.00, 280-360 LBS. 26.00-30.00; US#2-4 ALL WEIGHTS 23.00-25.50; BOARS OVER 500 LBS. 5.00; SOWS US#1-3 STRONG DEMAND! 475-650 LBS. 18.00-24.00; THIN/WEAK/ROUGH TO 17.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 60.00-91.00; SMALL/THIN KIDS 18.00-44.00.

LAMBS: 1 LOT AT 60 LBS. AT 117.50.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 44.00-56.00. SALE EVERY TUES., 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS, 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES; SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALES TUES., MARCH 16. SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALES TUES., MARCH 16. STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES FRI., MARCH 25; PEN LOTS OF CATTLE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED; EARLYBIRD PENS CLOSE TUES., 2 P.M. SPECIAL EASTER LAMB AND GOAT SALE MARCH 26, 7 A.M.-11 A.M. SALE STARTS AT 12:30 P.M.

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