

Philadelphia Vegetable

Wednesday, April 22, 1987

ASPARAGUS ABOUT STEADY CALIF 30-lb ctn & crt jbo 24 00 26 00 lge 23.00-24 00 mos 24 00 few 27 00 NJ pyramid crt bchd 12s field run med-lge 18 00-20 00 WASH 30-lb crt WAEXFcy jbo 25 00 lge & std 24 00
 BEANS-FAVA CALIF 25-lb crt 17 00
 BEANS-GREEN SUPPLIES LIGHT FLA various bu containers Round Green type ord cond 4 00-5.00 Handpicked 11 00 fair cond 7 00-8 00
 BEANS-LIMA FLA buctns few 18 00
 BEETS TEX ctn bchd 12s 6 00 24s 9 00 25-lb film bags topped 4 50
 BROCCOLI SLIGHTLY LOWER CALIF ctn bchd 14s 7 00-8 00 mos 7 50-8 00 few 8 50 18s 7 50-8 00 mos 8 00 few 9 00 one label 9 50 TEX ctn bchd 14s 6.00
 CABBAGE ABOUT STEADY 1-3/4 buctn & crt medium Green unless otherwise stated FLA 8 00-9 00 few 7 50 Savoy 7.50 Red 10 00 TEX 8 50-9 00 fair cond 5 50 NY 50-lb sacks Danish type 8-10s 6 50-7 00 NETHERLANDS 50-lb ska Red 11 00
 CARROTS ABOUT STEADY 48-1 lb film bags in film sacks CALIF med-lge 9-9 50 mos 9 50 FLA med 7 00 50-lb sacks loose jumbo CALIF 8 50-9 00 mos 9 00 ctn bchd 24s CALIF 10 50 ARIZ 10 00 Miniature type 20-12 oz film bags CALIF 7 00 FLA 6 50
 CAULIFLOWER SLIGHTLY LOWER ctn film wrpd CALIF 12s few 12 00 occ hgr 16s fair cond 7 00 ARIZ 12s 9 00-10 00 16s 8 00-9 00 FLA 9s 7 00 12s 9 00 MEXICO 12s 9 00-10 00 16s 7 00-8 00
 CELERY SLIGHTLY LOWER CALIF ctns 1 1/2 doz 9 50 few 11 00 2 doz 10 00-11 50 mos 10 50-11 00 2 1/2 doz 11 00-13 00 mos 11 00-12 00 FLA crt & ctn 2 doz 8 50-10 00 2 1/2 doz 9 00-10 00
 CHINESE CABBAGE FLA celery crt 7 00-8 00 CALIF 50-lb ctn Nappa 17 00 30-lb ctn Bok Choy 12 00
 CORN ABOUT STEADY FLA wirebound crt approx 4 1/2 doz Yellow 9 50-10 50 mos 10 00 White 9 50-10 50 mos 10 00
 CUCUMBERS ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctn & ctn waxed med unless otherwise stated FLA fair cond 10 00-12 00 poor cond 3 00 fair qual 8 00-9 00 few 10 00 fair cond 7 00 ord qual 5 00-6 00 ord cond 1 00-2 00 sml fair qual 4 00- 5 00 fair cond 3 00 MEXICO fair cond 8 00-10 00 poor cond 3 00 fair qual 8 00 lge fair cond 5 00 sml fair cond 3 00-5 00
 EGGPLANT SLIGHTLY LOWER FLA 1 1/9 buctn 7 00 few 8 00
 ENDIVE SLIGHTLY LOWER FLA 1 1/9 buctns 6 50-7 50 mos 6 50-7 00 few 6 00 CALIF ctn 24s 10 00
 ESCAROLE SLIGHTLY LOWER FLA 1 1/9 buctns 6 50-7 50 mos 6 50-7 00 few 6 00
 GREENS ABOUT STEADY crates approximately 1 1/2 bu bchd unless otherwise stated GA Collards Mustard, Turnip Tops & Rape 6-6 50 Kale 6-6 50 mos 6 50 NJ Collards few 4 00
 LEEKS ABOUT STEADY NJ crt bchd 12s 7 00-8 00 CALIF ctn bchd 12s 9 00
 LETTUCE ICEBERG ABOUT STEADY ctn 24s unless otherwise stated CALIF 7 50-9 00 mos 8 50 fair cond 6 00-7 00 ord cond 2 00-3 00 film wrpd 8-8 50 30s fair cond 4 00-5 00 ARIZ 7 7 50 mos 7 00 ROMAINE ABOUT STEADY CALIF 24s ctn 7 00-9 00 mos 8 00 few 5 50-6 00 crt 10 00-12 00 FLA ctn 24s 7-7 50 few 6 00 BIG BOSTON CALIF ctn 24s 6 00-8 00 mos 7 00 FLA ctn 24s 6 00-7 00 BIBB FLA ctn 24s 6 00 few 7 00 LEAF CALIF ctn 24s including Red 7 00-9 00 some 5 50-6 00 FLA crt 24s including Red 6 00
 OKRA SUPPLIES INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE
 ONIONS-GREEN ABOUT STEADY NJ crt bchd 36s 5 00 CALIF ctn bchd 48s 6 00 MEXICO ctn bchd 48s 6 00-7 00 few low as 5 25
 PARSLEY ABOUT STEADY bunched 5 dozen Curly unless otherwise stated TEX ctn 8 00-9 00 CALIF ctn 8 50-10 00 ARIZ ctn 7 7 50
 PEAS-GREEN CALIF buctns 17 00 GA buhmprs 13 00
 PEAS-SOUTHERN NO SUPPLIES
 PEAS-SUGAR SLIGHTLY LOWER 10-lb crts & ctns per lb CALIF 80-1 00 Sugar Snap few 1 50 fair cond 90 cents GUATEMALA 80 cents MEXICO 80-90 cents HONDURAS 80 cents ord cond 30 cents
 PEPPERS ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctns Calif Wonder type Green unless otherwise stated FLA exlge 14 00 few 15 00-16 00 lge 12 00-14 00 mos 12 00 med-lge few 12 00 sml-med 7 00-8 00 mos 8 00 very sml 4 00-5 00 Mixed Red sml med 4 00-5 00 MEXICO exlge 12 00 few lwr fair qual 8 00-10 00 lge fair qual 6 00-8 00 med fair qual 4 00-5 00 fair cond low as 3 00 sml fair qual 3 00-4 00 fair cond low as 2 00
 RADISHES ABOUT STEADY FLA ctns Red 30-6 oz film bags 4 50-5 00 occ 5 50 14 1 lb film bags 5 00 bchd 24s 5 00 CALIF ctn Red bchd 24s 6 50 MEXICO ctn Red bchd 24s 6-6 50
 SPINACH LOWER Savoy type NJ bukt 4 00-5 50 mos 5 00 few 6 00 PA 1 1/4 buctn few 5 50-6 00 flat type ctn bchd 24s CALIF 8 00 ARIZ 7 7
 SQUASH LOWER FLA 1/2 & 5/9 buct & ctn Zucchini, sml med 5 00-6 00 fair cond low as 3 50 med 3 00-4 00 mos 4 00 Yellow Straightneck sml med few 12 00 CALIF 25-lb ctn Zucchini sml med few 10 50 fair cond 5 00 med & med-lge fair cond

5 00 MEXICO lug Zucchini sml-med 8 00
 SWEET POTATOES STEADY NC 50-lb ctn Jewel type cured 16 00 lge 13 00
 TOMATOES ABOUT STEADY 25-lb ctn Pink to Light Red US Comb or better unless otherwise stated SALES BY REPACKERS FLA 5x6s 13 50 6x6s 11 50 SALES BY OTHERS FLA 5x6s 12 00-13 00 few 13 50 fair appear 11 00 few 11 50 6x6s 9 50-10 00 few 11 50 6x7s 7 50-8 00 few 8 50 few including fair cond low as 7 00 fair qual 5x6s 11 00 few 12.50 occ 10.50 6x6s 9 00 few 10 50 6x7s 7 50-8 00 fair cond 6 50 MEXICO 2-lyr flat 4x5s 7 00-8 00 fair cond 5 00 poor cond 1 00-2 00 CHERRY TYPE 12-1 pint flats NO SALES REPORTED
 RADISHES ABOUT STEADY carton Red 30-6 ounce film bags FL 4-450*
 SPINACH ABOUT STEADY Savoy type TX bushel baskets 700-800 carton bunched 24s 9-950 flat type CA carton bunched 24s 800*
 SQUASH SUPPLIES LIGHT FL 1/2 bushel carton Zucchini & Yellow Straightneck Supplies insufficient to quote MEXICO lugs Zucchini small medium one lot 10 00-12 00 medium one lot 600-700*
 SWEET POTATOES 50-lb carton Jewel type cured NC 13 00-14 00*
 TOMATOES ABOUT STEADY 25-lb cartons Pink to Light Red US combination grade or better unless otherwise stated Sales by Repackers FL one lot 5x6s 11 00 6x6s 900 Sales by Others FL 5x6s 11 00 6x6s 700-800 fair quality 5x6s few 10 00 6x6s 650-700 MEXICO 2-layer flat 4x5s 900 5x5s 700-800 5x6s 600-700 3-layer lugs 6x6s 700 Cherry Type 12-1 pint flats MEXICO 900*
 TURNIPS topped NJ 25-lb mesh sacks medium 450*

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.

Wednesday, April 22
 Report supplied by Auction
 SLAUGHTER: Fed Steers: \$2 higher. Choice to Prime 65.00-70.00; Good to Choice 58.00-64.00; Medium 50.00-57.00. Heifers: Low

Choice 58.00-60.50; Good 52.00-57.00; Medium 45.00-51.00. Cows good run \$2 higher. High Yield 45.00-50.00; Average 40.00-44.00; Big Middle 36.00-39.00; Fatty Herf. 35.00-40.00; Shelly 35.00 down. Fat Bulls \$2 higher. Good 54.00-58.50; Medium 50.00-53.00. Veal Calves: Mostly steady. Choice 80.00-85.00; Good 72.00-79.00; Medium 65.00-71.00; Farm Hfrs. 65.00-72.00; Farm Bulls 90.00-109.00; Light Calves 53.00-58.00; Weak Calves 52.00 down. Lambs: \$3 higher. Choice 84.00-87.00; Good 75.00-83.00.

STOCKER: Large run, \$5 higher. Steers 300-550 lbs. Choice 76.00-84.00; Good 70.00-75.00; Medium 60.00-70.00; Culls 59.00 down. Steers 600-850 lbs. Choice 68.00-75.00; Good 62.00-67.00; Medium 55.00-61.00. Heifers- (All weights) Choice 63.00-68.00; Good 56.00-62.00; Medium 50.00-55.00. Dairy Cows to \$600. Springing Heifers \$600-\$800. Open Dairy Heifers 53.00-70.00. Pigs, Hd- Good run, steady prices. 30-50 lbs. 38.00-43.00; 60-70 lbs. 45.00-50.00; Shoats by lb. 90-150 lbs. 46.00-55.00; Light Boars 170-225 lbs. 43.00-50.00. Slaughter Hogs- \$1 higher. 220-250 lbs. 49.25-50.10. Sows- 500-750 lbs. 43.00-45.75; Thin 40.00-42.00. Bulls- Good 62.00-68.00; Medium 55.00-61.00.

Special next week, April 29, 12 head Simmental cattle- 6 steers 600 lbs. 5 heifers and 1 bull that can be registered. Also 1 Hereford bull 1 yr. old, 200 lbs., Vindicator son.

Omaha Feeder Cattle

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THURSDAY FEEDER CATTLE AUCTION 04/23/87
 SALABLE 100-NOT ENOUGH OF ANY ONE CLASS ON OFFER TO ESTABLISH A MARKET TEST
 STEERS MEDIUM FRAME 1 -FEW PACKAGES 550-650 LBS 71 75, FEW 980-1050 LBS 63 25-64 75
 HEIFERS MEDIUM FRAME 1 -FEW LOTS 500-650 LBS 67 00-68 75

Oklahoma Cattle

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OKLAHOMA NATIONAL STOCKYARDS WEEKLY CATTLE SUMMARY COMPARED TO LAST WEEK--FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS UNDER 625 LB 1 00-2 00 HIGHER, OVER 625 LB 50 CENTS TO 1 00 LOWER SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY SLAUGHTER BULLS STEADY TO 1 00 LOWER TRADE ACTIVE FOR FEEDERS SUITABLE FOR GRAZING FEEDLOT ORDERS SELECTIVE AND MODERATELY RESERVED IN FACE OF LOWER PRICE LEVELS ON SLAUGHTER CATTLE AND WHOLESALE DRESSED BEEF COW AND BULL NUMBERS (%) CONTINUE TO RUN LOW, HELPING TO HOLD THE LINE ON PRICE LEVELS BEAUTIFUL SPRING WEATHER WITH SHOWERS IN SOME AREAS, HOWEVER TOPSOIL IN SEVERAL AREAS OF THE STATE ARE NOW DRY, FOLLOWING AN UNUSUALLY WET WINTER RECEIPTS THIS WEEK NEAR 19,250 HEAD, LAST WEEK 21,134, LAST YEAR 25,138 FEEDER STEERS AND

HEIFERS 93% OF RUN, COWS AND BULLS 4%, COW-CALF PAIRS 3%. FOLLOWING QUOTES ARE BULK SALES FOR THE WEEK
 MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 1 FEEDER STEERS FEEDER HEIFERS
 300-400 LB 87 50-95 00 300-400 LB 74 50-82 50 400-500 LB 83 00-89 60 400-500 LB 70 00-78 00 500-550 LB 80 00-85 00 500-550 LB 69 50-73 25 550-600 LB 76 75-81 00 550-600 LB 66 80-72 50 600-630 LB 74 00-80 00 THIN 600-625 LB 66 30-70 30 625-700 LB 70 00-75 50 625-700 LB 65 50-67 90 700-750 LB 69 00-73 95 750-800 LB 68 50-71 90 700-800 LB 64 70-67 50 800-900 LB 67 00-69 80 900-975 LB 65 00-68 30
 SLAUGHTER COWS BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 3-4 43 75-45 00 BONING UTILITY 1-2 43 75-48 25 CUTTER 1-2 42 25-47 50 CANNER AND LOW DRESSING CUTTER 37 80-41 50
 SLAUGHTER BULLS Y G 1-2 1000-1500# 49 00-55 50, 1500-2050# 53 00-57 00
 REPLACEMENT PAIRS PKG LARGE FRAME 1 COWS WITH 250 LB CALVES 780 00 CONSIGNMENT LARGE FRAME 1-2 COWS WITH 150-450# CALVES 680 00 MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 1 THRU 2 YOUNG AND MIDDLE AGED COWS WITH 75-275# CALVES 580 00-675 00 SMALL, MEDIUM, AND LARGE FRAME 1 AND MIXED 1-2 AGED COWS WITH 100-250 LB CALVES 465 00-565 00 RC 0330C LT



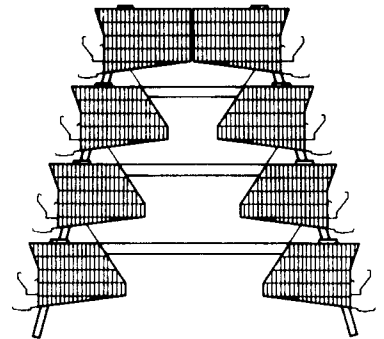
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Layer cage system

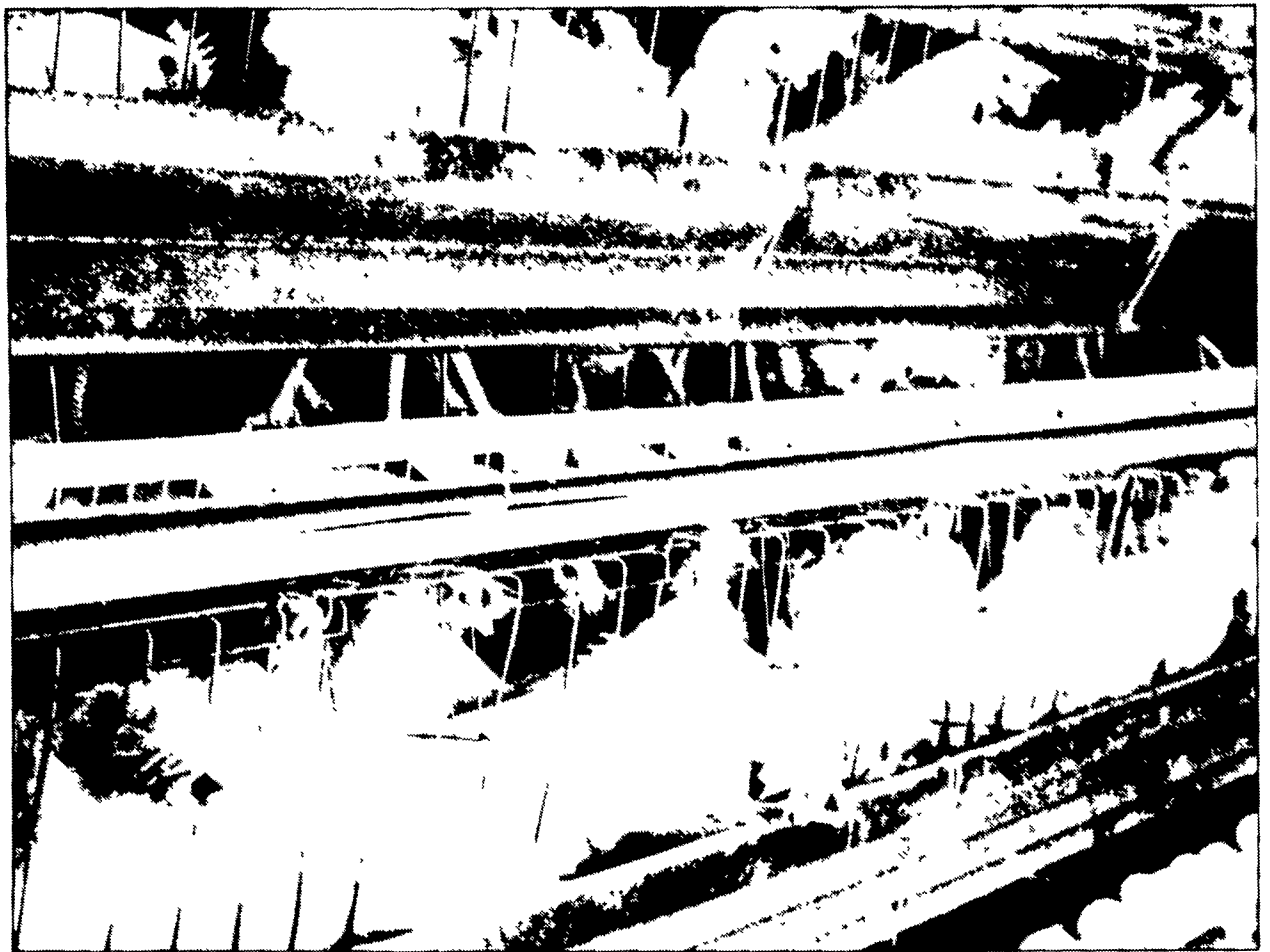
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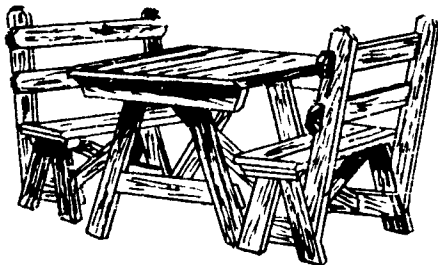


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