

Philadelphia Vegetable Market

Wed., April 20, 1988

ASPARAGUS HIGHER CA 30-lb crate & carton jumbo 24.00-26.00 large 26.00-27.00 Long Green large 27.00-28.00 standard 30.00 15-lb carton extra large 14.00 AZ 30-lb crate Long Green extra large 24.00 large 26.00 NJ too few sales to quote.

BEANS SLIGHTLY LOWER FL various bushel containers Round Green type 10.00 Handpicked 10.00-12.00 mostly 12.00 CA bushel crate Fava type few 14.00 BEETS TX topped 25-lb film bags 500 FL crate bunched 12s 500 24s 900.

BROCCOLI SLIGHTLY HIGHER carton bunched CA 14s 7-750 18s 750-800 one label 850-900 MEXICO 14s & 18s 650.

CABBAGE SLIGHTLY HIGHER 1-3/4 bushel crate & carton medium green unless otherwise stated FL 8-850 small-medium 750 Savoy type 800 Red 750-900 NY 50-lb sacks medium-large 725-750 mostly 750.

CARROTS 50-LB SACKS HIGHER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY 48-1 lb film bags in film sacks CA medium-large 850-950 mostly 900 FL medium few 900 50-lb sacks loose jumbo CA one lot 900 FL 900 TX few 9-950.

CAULIFLOWER ABOUT STEADY carton film wrapped CA 12s 900-10.00.

CELERY SLIGHTLY HIGHER CA carton 2 dozen 12.00-13.00 preferred labels 15.00 2-1/2 dozen 12.00-13.00 mostly 13.00 3 dozen 12.00 FL crate & carton 2 dozen 11.00-12.00 2-1/2 dozen 10.00-12.00 mostly 11.00 3 dozen 11.00-12.00 4 dozen 12.00.

CHINESE CABBAGE FL celery crate 800-900 carton Nappa 14.00.

CORN FL wirebound crates approxi-

mately 4-1/2 dozen Yellow 11.00-12.00 White 14.00-16.00.

CUCUMBERS HIGHER 1-1/9 bushel cartons Waxed medium unless otherwise stated FL 16.00-18.00 mostly 18.00 fair quality 12.00-14.00 mostly 13.00 large 700.

EGGPLANT FL 1-1/9 bushel carton small 10.00 MEXICO 1-1/9 bushel crate 18-24s 800.

ENDIVE ABOUT STEADY FL 1-1/9 bushel crate 500-600 mostly 500.

ESCAROLE SLIGHTLY HIGHER FL 1-1/9 bushel crate 500-600 mostly 5-550.

GREENS ABOUT STEADY crate & carton approximately 1-1/2 bushel bunched unless otherwise stated GA Collards & Kale 6-650 mostly 650 Mustard, Turnip Tops & Rape 650 NJ 1-1/4 bushel crate Collards 500 Kale 600 Broccoli Rabe 450-500 CA 24s Swiss Chard Red 900 20-lb carton Broccoli Rabe loose one label 14.00-16.

LEEEKS ABOUT STEADY bunched 12s CA carton few 950 FL carton 900 NJ crate 650-700.

LETTUCE-ICEBERG SLIGHTLY HIGHER carton 24s unless otherwise stated CA 700-800 mostly 750-800 AZ 750-800 film wrapped 9-950 previous commitments 800.

LETTUCE-ROMAINE ABOUT STEADY CA 24s crate 10.00 carton 700-800 mostly 700 FL carton 24s few 500-600.

LETTUCE-OTHERS Big Boston CA carton 24s 7-750 mostly 700 FL 24s carton 600 Bibb FL carton 24s 500 Leaf CA carton 24s 700-800 Red 700-800 FL celery crate few 600.

LETTUCE-PROCESSING No supplies.

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ONIONS-GREEN ABOUT STEADY

crate bunched 30s NJ 600 carton bunched 48s MEXICO 700-800.

PARSLEY ABOUT STEADY bunched 5 dozen Curly unless otherwise stated FL crate 700-900 NJ bushel basket Plain 800 CA carton 900.

PEAS-GREEN GA bushel hamper 14.00.

PEAS-SOUTHERN No Supplies.

PEAS-SUGAR ABOUT STEADY 10-lb carton per lb CA 85 GUATEMALA 85-100.

PEPPERS LOWER 1-1/9 bushel carton California Wonder type Green unless otherwise stated FL extra large fair quality 10.00-12.00 large including fair quality 10.00-12.00 small-medium 800-10.00 fair quality 600-700 very small 400-600 mostly 400-500 Mixed Red medium 400-500.

RADISHES SLIGHTLY HIGHER carton Red 30-6 oz film bags unless otherwise stated FL 350-450 MEXICO bunched 24s 500-600 mostly 600.

SPINACH ABOUT STEADY Savoy type NJ bushel baskets 400-500 Flat type carton bunched 24s CA 750.

SQUASH ZUCCHINI SLIGHTLY LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY FL 1/2 bushel carton Zucchini small-medium 700 medium 400-500 Yellow Straightneck small-medium 600 medium 400 MEXICO 1-1/9 bushel crate Spaghetti type 10s 21.00.

SWEET POTATOES STEADY 50-lb carton Jewel type cured NC 16.00 large 10.00.

TOMATOES ABOUT STEADY 25-lb carton Pink to light Red 85% or better US#1 quality unless otherwise stated Sales by Repackers FL 5x6s 13.00- 14.50 6x6s 12.00-12.50 6x7s 900 Sales by Others FL 5x6s 14.00-16.00 mostly 14.00 6x6s 12.00-14.00 mostly 12.00 6x7s 900 fair quality 5x6s 11.00-13.00 mostly 12.00

6x6s 11.00 6x7s 800 Cherry type 12-1 pint flat FL 950 MEXICO one label 10.00.

TURNIPS topped NJ 25-lb mesh bags medium few 600.

Oklahoma City Feed Cattle

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WEEKLY CATTLE SUMMARY: COMPARED TO LAST WEEK--- FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS UNDER 500LB. STEADY TO 100 LOWER. STEERS OVER 500 LB. 2.00-4.00 LOWER. HEIFERS OVER 500 LB. 1.00-2.00 LOWER. STOCKER DEMAND GOOD WITH ACTIVE TRADING ON TWIN OFFERINGS. FEEDLOT DEMAND LIGHT TO MODERATE. YEARLING FEEDERS BOUNCED OFF THEIR LOWS OF MONDAY MORNING, PARTIALLY REGAINING LOSSES IN LATER TRADE. WHOLESALE DRESSED BEEF, BOTH CARLOT AND BOXED, SHARPLY HIGHER; THIS FACTOR ONLY LIGHTLY REFLECTED IN FAT CATTLE TRADING AND HAS RECEIVED A NEGATIVE RESPONSE IN FEEDER CATTLE TRADING AROUND THE COUNTRY. SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY SLAUGHTER BULLS STEADY TO 2.00 LOWER. COW AND BULL SUPPLY VERY LIMITED, COMPRISING 2% OF RUN, HALF OF THESE WENT TO PACKERS, HALF BACK TO THE COUNTRY. RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 16,700 HEAD; LAST WEEK 13,195; LAST YEAR 19,239. BULK SALES FOR THE WEEK FOLLOW:

FEEDER STEERS: MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 1, 300-400 LB 110.00-121.00; 400- 450 LB.

107.00-113.50; 450-500 LB. 97.25-104.00; 500-550 LB. 89.00-99.00; 550-600 LB. 88.00-98.00; 600-650 LB. 83.00-90.25; 650-700 LB. 77.70-83.80; 700-750 LB. 77.00-79.30; 750-800 LB. 75.00-78.25; 800-900 LB. 73.00-77.00; 900-1000 LB. 70.00-74.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 1, 300-400 LB. 94.00-106.00; 400- 450 LB. 88.50-93.00; 450-500 LB. 86.00-93.00; 500-550 LB. 78.00-86.25; 550-600 LB. 77.00-83.50; 600-650 LB. 74.00-78.00; 650-700 LB. 73.50-75.75; 700-800 LB. 72.00-74.75; 800-875 LB. 70.00-74.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: BREAKING UTILITY 3-4 47.00-52.00. CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 48.00-52.25.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Y.G. 1, 1150-1500 LB. 60.00-64.00; 1500-2350 LB. 60.00- 66.00, VERY HIGH-DRESSING AND BONING 70.00-70.50.

Belleville Livestock Auction

Belleville, Pa.

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CATTLE 95...PDA...Compared with last Wednesday's market: Slaughter cows strong to \$1.50 higher. Few Choice holstein steers 61.25-64.75, few Select 57.50-63.50. Breaking Utility and Commercial sl. cows 48.50-52.60, one 53.85, Cutter and Boning Utility 47.75-51.75, Canner and Low Cutter 45.75-48.75, Shells down to 40.00. Couple Yield Grade No. 1, 1070 lbs. sl. bulls 59.75 and 1295 lbs. 58.75.

CALVES 84...Standard and Good 70/95 lbs. vealers 90.00-99.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90/130 lbs. 100.00-156.00; few Holstein Heifers 90/110 lbs. 100.00-120.00.

HOGS 172...Barrows and gilts about steady. One lot US No. 1-3 235 lbs. 44.00, 1-3 215/245 lbs. 43.00-43.75, few lots 1-3 170/175 lbs. 39.00-39.50. US No. 1-3 325/710 lbs. sows 30.00-34.00. Boars 25.00-29.00.

FEEDER PIGS 135...US No. 1-3 25/35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-35.00, 35/50 lbs. 35.00-46.00 --- all per head.

SHEEP 20...Choice, individual 50 lbs. spring slaughter lamb 88.00. Slaughter ewes 23.00-48.00.

GOATS 0...No Market Test. HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS \$675.00-\$1425.00 --- PER HEAD.

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The Produce Auction will be having sales every Tuesday and Thursday at 11:00 AM until further notice.

Leola Produce Auction, Inc.

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