

PRODUCE MARKETS

Philadelphia Vegetables

Terminal Market
October 11, 2002

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VEGETABLES -ARTICHOKES: ctns CA Globe Thorned 24s 20.00 -ASPARAGUS: MARKET SLIGHTLY HIGHER 11 lb ctns bchd PE jbo 18.00 exlge 18.00-19.00 mostly 18.00 lge 18.00-19.00 mostly 19.00 std 19.00 -BEANS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY buctns/crts MD Round Green Type Machine Picked 8.00-10.00 NC Round Green Type Machine Picked 7.00 NJ Round Green Type Machine Picked 8.00-9.00 VA Round Green Type Machine Picked 8.00-9.00 5 lb ctns GU AIR Hericot Vert (French Type) few 15.00 -BEETS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY crts bchd NJ 12s 6.00-8.00 25 lb flmbags lse CD med-lge 5.00 -BROCCOLI: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA bchd 14s 9.00-10.00 mostly 10.00 20 lb ctns lse CA Crown Cut 10.00-11.00 -BRUSSELS SPROUTS: 25 lb ctns CA 18.00-20.00 -CABBAGE: MARKET GREEN LOWER, OTHERS ABOUT STEADY 1 1/4 bucrts & 50 lb ctns CD CD One Red Type med 10.00 NJ Round Green Type med 4.00-6.00 mostly 5.00-6.00 few 6.50 NY Round Green Type med 4.00-6.00 mostly 5.00-6.00 Red Type med few 10.00-11.00 OH Round Green Type med few 7.50-8.00 PA Round Green Type med 4.00-6.00 mostly 5.00 occasional higher 50 lb sks NY Round Green Type lge 5.00-6.00 1 1/4 bucrts & 40 lb ctns CD CD One Savoy Type med-lge 10.00 -CARROTS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY sks 48 1-lb flmbags CA Topped med-lge 12.00-13.00 few high as 16.00 sks 24 2-lb flmbags CA Topped med-lge

12.00 sks 10 5-lb flmbags CD Topped med-lge 7.00 50 lb sks lse CA Topped jbo 12.00 few higher CD Topped jbo 6.00-7.00 ctns bchd CA Bunched 24s 12.00 ctns 24 1-lb flmbags CA Baby Peeled few 18.50-19.00 ctns 20 1-lb flmbags CA Baby Peeled 13.00-13.50 ctns 4 5-lb flmbags CA Baby Peeled few 16.50-17.00 -CAULIFLOWER: MARKET HIGHER ctns flmwrpd CA 12s 8.00-9.00 -CELERY: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 2 dz 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 2 1/2 dz 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00-11.00 flmbs 30s 10.00-13.00 CD 1 1/2 dz few 6.50-7.00 2 dz 6.50-8.00 2 1/2 dz 6.50-8.00 MI 2 dz 8.00 2 1/2 dz 8.00 flmbs 30s 10.00 -CHINESE CABBAGE: 30 lb ctns CA Nappa one label 13.00 -CORN-SWEET: MARKET ABOUT STEADY wbcrt GA Yellow 4-4 1/2 dz 10.00 White 4-4 1/2 dz 10.00 -CUCUMBERS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY flts/ctns flmwrpd CD CDOne Long Seedless med 12s 7.00-7.50 sml 12s 7.50 WAXED 1 1/9 buctns/crts GA med fair appear 7.00-8.00 fr qual 5.00-6.00 fair appear low as 4.00 sml 6.00-8.00 SC med fair appear 7.00-8.00 fr qual 5.00 UNWAXED 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ med 8.00-10.00 fr qual 5.00-6.00 -EGGPLANT: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ med fair qual 4.00-5.00 SC med fair appear 6.00-8.00 35 lb ctns HD Chinese 18.00-20.00 Japanese 26.00 ctns/crts HD Thai 24.00 ctns FL Indian 30.00 (35 lb) HD Indian 30.00 (35 lb) -ENDIVE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ 6.00-8.00 OH 7.00 10 lb ctns BL Witloof 16.00 -ESCAROLE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts NJ 6.00-8.00 OH 7.00 -GAR-

LIC: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 30 lb ctns CA White super col 28.00-31.00 col 28.50 super jbo 27.00 exjbo 25.50 CQ White # 9 packaged 3s 28.00 Purple # 11 22.00-24.00 TL Purple # 9 18.00-20.00 -GREENS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA Swiss Chard 12s 14.00 Red 12s 14.00 ctns/crts bchd MD Collard 7.50-8.00 Kale 7.50 Mustard 8.00 Turnip Tops 8.00 NC Collard 8.00 Kale 8.00 Mustard 8.00 Turnip Tops 8.00 Rape 8.00 NJ Collard 7.00 Kale 6.00-7.00 mostly 7.00 Turnip Tops 7.00 ctns lse CA Kale Flowering 24s 13.00 20 lb ctns NJ Broccoli Rabe 24s 15.00-16.00 -LETTUCE-ICEBERG: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 24s 9.00-11.00 few high as 12.00 Wrapped 24s 10.00-12.00 few 12.50 -LETTUCE-OTHER: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA Green Leaf 24s 9.00-11.00 mostly 9.00-10.00 few 11.50 Red Leaf 24s 9.00-11.00 mostly 9.00-10.00 few 11.50 3 lb ctns CA Mesculin Mix 6.50 -LETTUCE-ROMAINE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns CA 24s 9.00-11.00 mostly 10.00 few 11.50 CD 24s 6.00-6.50 3/4 crts foil lined CA 24s 14.00-15.00 -MUSHROOMS: MARKET STEADY 10 lb ctns PA lge 14.00 few 14.50 med 11.50 few 12.50 4 qt bkts PA med-lge 6.50 sml-med 6.00 5 lb ctns PA Oyster 16.00 Portobellas 9.00 sml 8.00 3 lb ctns PA Shiitake 13.00 fair qual 11.00 Oyster few 12.00 ctns 12 8-oz trays flmwrpd PA 10.25 ctns 8 1-lb trays flmwrpd PA exlge 14.00 ctns 10 10-oz trays flmwrpd PA 10.25 few 10.50 -OKRA: 1/2 bucrts FL sml-med few 9.00 ord cond 3.00-4.00 -ONIONS GREEN: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA 48s 10.00 CD 48s 10.00 OH 48s 8.00-9.00 crts bchd NJ Leeks 12s 9.00-10.00 ctns bchd OH Leeks 12s 10.00 -PARSLEY: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts bchd NJ Curly 60s 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 Plain 60s 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 OH Curly 60s 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00-10.00 Plain 60s 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00-10.00 -PARSNIPS: NO SALES REPORTED -PEAS GREEN: MARKET SNOW PEAS HIGHER, SUGAR SNAPS ABOUT STEADY 10 lb ctns GU Snow Peas

13.00-14.00 fair cond 11.00 PE Snow Peas 14.00 Sugar Snap Peas 14.00 few 15.00 -PEAS OTHER: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE -PEPPERS: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1 1/9 buctns/crts GA Bell Type Green exlge 7.00-9.00 mostly 8.00 few 10.00 Mxd Red And Green lge 4.00 SC Bell Type Green exlge fair qual 5.00 VA Bell Type Green exlge fair qual 5.00 15 lb ctns CA Bell Type Red lge 10.00 5 kg ctns NL AIR Bell Type Orange 80-100mm few 20.00 Red 80-100mm 21.00 Yellow 80-100mm 21.00 BOAT Bell Type Orange 80-100mm few 18.00 Red 80-100mm few 16.00 -PEPPERS OTHER: 1/2 buctns GA Finger Hot 10.00 PA Habanero orange 16.00 30 lb ctns HD Thai Chili Hots green 30.00-32.00 40 lb ctns MX Jalapeno 20.00 Poblano 20.00 fair cond 10.00-12.00 -PUMPKINS: bins PA Howden lge 125.00 fair qual 100.00 -RADISHES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns tpd 30 6-oz flmbags NY Red 5.00 OH Red 5.00 ctns tpd 14 1-lb flmbags NY Red 5.50 OH Red 5.00-5.50 ctns bchd NJ Red 24s fair qual 4.00-6.00 OH Red 24s 8.00-10.00 -RUTABAGAS: 50 lb sks CD CDOne med 10.00 -SPINACH: MARKET ABOUT STEADY ctns bchd CA Flat 24s 13.00 1 2/5 bucrts bchd CA Flat 24s 14.00 cel crt NJ Savoy 7.00 4 lb ctns CA Flat Baby Type 11.00 -SQUASH: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 1/2 buctns/crts GA Zucchini sml-med 15.00 med 15.00 fair appear 10.00-11.00 Yellow Straightneck sml-med 8.00 med 5.00-6.00 mostly 6.00 NJ Zucchini sml-med 14.00-16.00 med 14.00 Yellow Straightneck sml-med 10.00 med 8.00 1 1/9 buctns/crts OH Acorn med 8.00-10.00 Butternut med 8.00-10.00 Spaghetti med 8.00-10.00 -SWEET POTATOES: MARKET STEADY 40 lb ctns LA U.S. One Beauregard med 15.00 CURED 40 lb ctns AL U.S. One Jewels med 13.00-14.00 -TOMATOES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 25 lb ctns CA 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red 6x6s 8.00-9.00 FL 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red 5x6s 9.00-10.00 OH Vine Ripes light red-red 5x6s 9.00-10.00 SC Vine Ripes light red-red jbo fair qual

& cond 6.00-7.00 xlge fair qual & cond 6.00-7.00 lge fair qual & cond 5.00-6.00 TN 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red 5x6s 10.00-11.00 Local Repack 85% U.S. One or Better Mature Greens light red-red 5x6s 16.25 6x6s 15.25 6x7s 14.25 5 kg ctns on the vine NL AIR Vine Ripes Greenhouse light red-red lge 17.00 -TOMATOES, CHERRY: MARKET ABOUT STEADY flts 12 1-pt bkts FL light red 10.00 MX Greenhouse red 10.00 SC red fair cond 5.00-6.00 flts 12 1-pt cntrs with lids SC Grape Type light red-red 10.00-12.00 fair cond low as 8.00 VA Grape Type light red-red 12.00 -TOMATOES, PLUM TYPE: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 25 lb ctns CA light red-red 10.00 FL pink-light red 10.00-12.00 mostly 10.00 OH pink-light red 10.00 SC pink-light red fair qual 6.00-8.00 -TURNIPS: 25 lb flmbags MI Purple Top med 8.00 -VEGETABLES OTHER: 8 lb ctns CA Radicchio 9s 7.00-8.00 3 kg ctns GU Radicchio 9s 7.00-8.00 12s 7.00-8.00

MISC SEASONAL -ORNAMENTAL CORN: TOO FEW SALES TO QUOTE -ORNAMENTAL GOURDS: 1/2 buctns/crts NJ Shellacked 10.00

Philadelphia Fruit

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CITRUS FRUITS -GRAPEFRUIT: MARKET STEADY 4/5 buctns FL U.S. One Indian River Red 23s 16.00 27s 16.00 32s 13.00 36s 11.00 40s 11.00 48s 10.00 -LEMONS: MARKET STEADY ctns CA Shprs 1st Grade 115s 41.50 140s 27.00 165s 21.00 Shprs Choice 95s 27.50 115s 27.50 140s 20.00 165s 18.00 200s 15.00 CL 95s 14.00 crts SP Class 1 70s 18.00 120s 18.00 140s 16.00-18.00 160s 18.00 -LIMES: MARKET ABOUT STEADY 10 lb ctns MX 42s 4.00 48s 4.00-5.50 mostly 4.00-4.50 fr appearance 3.00 54s 4.00 fair appearance 3.00 40 lb ctns MX 150s 11.00-12.00 175s 11.00-12.00 200s 11.00-12.00 -MISC CITRUS: OFFER-

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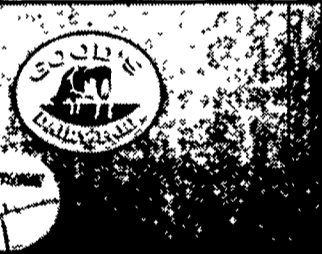


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HELP WANTED



"In my previous barn, I scraped two times a day; and I was tired of it, not to mention the danger to the cows if a cable snapped. I thought I would not be able to justify the additional cost until my builder suggested a design change which brought the cost down relatively close to the original design. The biggest benefit to me is the labor savings. Two people can handle all the chores for our herd. I save money not only on labor but also on repairs."

The cows' hooves are healthier, and they show heat better because they are not afraid of slipping. During the five years with slats, I have not lost a single heifer from slipping. The cows stay much cleaner, even with my misting system for cooling them. The water has a place to escape."

- Raymond Good
Good's Dairy Farm

"My only regret is that I wish I had made the pit under the barn deeper."



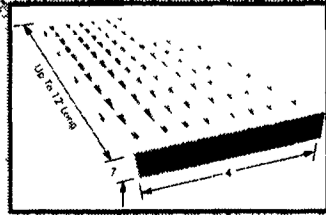
T-wall Bunker Silo



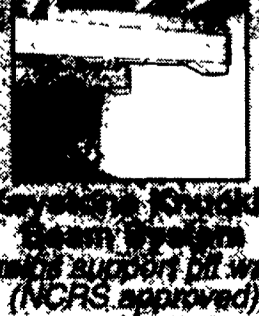
Slant-back J-style Feed Bunker



High Capacity H-style Feed Bunker



Cattle "Waffle Slat"



Keystone Quick Beam System
Main support for wall
(NCRS approved)