

Leesport Livestock Auction

Leesport, Pa.

Wednesday, March 11, 1987
Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 245...PDA... Supply included 18 head feeder cattle. Compared to last Wednesday's market: Slaughter steers steady to \$1 higher; Cows grading Breaking Utility and Commercial \$3 to \$5 higher, Cutter and Boning steady to strong. Choice sl. steers 1050-1300 lbs. 61.50-64.50, Good 56.50-59, few 61.50, Good & Choice 1200-1700 lbs. holsteins 53.00-56, few 57.75,

few Standard 47.50-53.50. Choice 950-1200 lbs. sl. heifers 54.00-59, few Good 51.75-55.75, few Standard 45.50-45.75. Breaking Ut. & Commercial sl. cows 44-48.50, few 50.00, Cutter & Bon. Utility 39.00-44, few Canner & Low Cutter 32.00-38, Shells down to 25.00. Good & Choice sl. bullocks 51.50-59.50, few 62.25, few Standard 47-50.50. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1400-1700 lbs. sl. bulls 50.75-55.85. Feeder Cattle: Few Large & Medium Frame No. 1, 775-850 lbs. steers 54.00-60.00. Lot Medium Frame No. 1, 710 lbs. heifers 50.50. Few Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 450-525 lbs.

bulls 65.00-68, few Medium #1, 650-750 lbs. 54.00-56.00. CALVES 162...Vealers steady to \$2 higher. Few Choice 90.00-97, few Good 66.00-90, few Standard and Good 110-120 lbs. 56.00-65, 90-110 lbs. 52.00-56, 65-85 lbs. 45.00-52, few Utility 90-100 lbs. 45.00-52, few 55-65 lbs. 38.00-42.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 60.00-99, mostly 87.00-95, Hol. Heifers 90-120 lbs. 62.50-96.00. HOGS 342...Barrows & Gilts \$1 to \$2 higher. US No. 1-2 205-235 lbs. 47.50-48.75, lot 49.25, 1-3 215-250 lbs. 46-46.25, few 46.75, 2-3 205-265 lbs. 42.50-46, few 2-4 285-305 lbs. 39.75-

42.00. Sows .50 higher. US No. 1-3 350-700 lbs. sows 36.00-40, one 41.00. Boars 32.50-35.25. FEEDER PIGS 132...Few Lots US No. 1-3 30-40 lbs. feeder pigs 122.50-129, 40-55 lbs. 114.00-117.50, two lots 70&75 lbs. 75.00&90.00 — all per hundredweight. SHEEP 47...Choice 40-65 lbs. new crop lambs 111.00-127, few 145-175 lbs. 72.00-79.00. Few Slaughter sheep 20.00-28.00. GOATS 9...Few Large Adult 35.00-40, few Kids 28.00-44.00 — all per head.

several 58.50-59.50; 800-900 lbs. 56.00-57.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1050 lbs. 56.00-58.00. Good 2-3 900-1025 lbs. 54.00-56.00; 750-900 lbs. 52.00-54.00. COWS: (closing week sales) breaking utility and commercial 2-4 40.00-43.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 43.00-45.00. High-yielding cutter and boning utility 1-2 45.00, few up to 46.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 36.00-40.00. Shelly canner 1-2 34.00-37.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1150-2100 lbs. 47.00-50.00. YG 1 1500-1900 lbs. 52.00-54.00.

Nat. stk. yds. March 12, Fed-State.

Wednesday's weekly sheep auction. Receipts around 200 head. Slaughter lambs steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter ewes 2.00 higher on light receipts. Feeder lambs scarce. Bulk of receipts old crop woolled slaughter lambs. Quality improved over last week.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and prime shorn and fall shorn 90-120 lbs. 82.00-87.00. Woolled 81.00-85.50; 120-130 lbs. 70.50-82.00, package 153 lbs. 67.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility to good, few 24.00-30.00.

BRED EWES: Two to four year olds 85.00-87.00. Solid mouth 63.00. Aged Ewes 132 lbs. 34.50.

St. Louis Cattle

Thurs., March 12, 1987

Report Supplied by USDA

Receipts this week 3,000, week ago 3,000, year ago 3,000. Compared to last week's close, slaughter steers steady to .50 lower. Slaughter heifers .50-1.00 lower. Cows weak to 1.00 lower. Bulls steady. Slaughter supply 50% slaughter steers, 35% heifers and 15% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 2-3 957-1350 lbs. 60.00-61.75, closing 60.50-61.75. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1250 lbs. 58.00-60.50. Good 2-3 900-1200 lbs. 56.00-58.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1100-1400 lb. holsteins 51.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 900-1150 lbs. 58.50-60.00,

ATTENTION TOBACCO FARMERS

Pennsylvania Tobacco Auction Has Only Two More Tobacco Sales Scheduled

P.T.A. has sales scheduled for Monday, March 16 and Monday, March 23. After that sale dates are not definite. P.T.A. has provided the best possible market available for your tobacco. We have moved a lot of tobacco the last three weeks and ask that you make a decision to sell your tobacco on the auction floor or to process your tobacco as soon as possible.

WE ARE RECEIVING FOR THE TOBACCO POOL FOR E.J. PARKER

Call for information immediately!

We ask that farmers make decisions soon, buyers will not be here forever. We thank you for your support!

Member of:



PENNSYLVANIA TOBACCO AUCTION

Box 57, Gordonville, PA 17529

717-768-7100

717-786-8500

HAMILTON BANK SUPPORTS

AGRI-BUSINESS

Hamilton Bank believes that agriculture is the backbone of America. We recognize the significant role Agri-Business plays in contributing to a viable economy.

That is why Hamilton Bank is so interested in supporting Agri-Business.

Your friend from Hamilton Bank knows that with the value of Agri-Business production rising every year the need for capital goes up with it. Therefore, the need for sound financial planning rises, too. He will work with you on the full range of financing, credit, trust and estate services designed to help your Agri-Business. His business is to tailor a program to fit your needs . . . comfortably.

If you believe that agriculture is still the backbone of America, talk to your friend at Hamilton Bank. You'll find he feels the same way.



Hamilton Bank

A CoreStates Bank Member FDIC

There's only one... Hamilton.

Commercial Application For

REDZONE D.B.C. DARKLING BEETLE CONTROL



Kills Darkling Beetles And Hide Beetles (Lesser Mealworms)

One Treatment Lasts For More Than A Year

For More Information Call

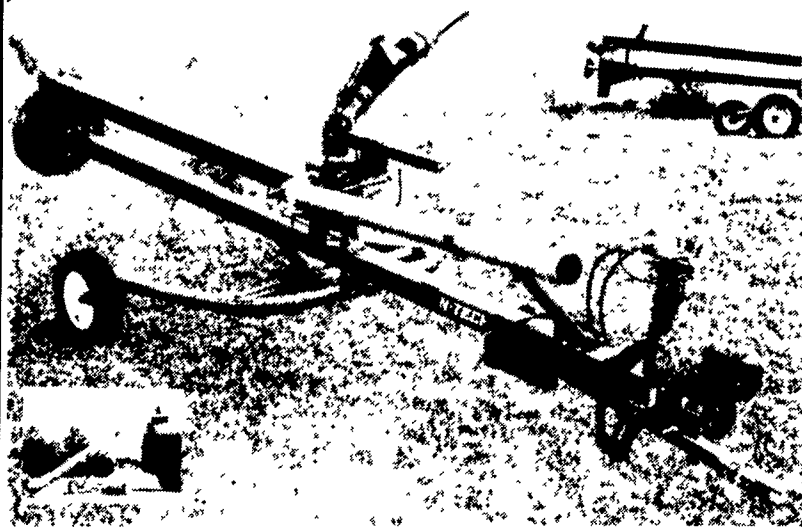
MAYNARD L. BEITZEL

Witmer, PA 17585

717-392-7227

Spraying Since 1961

N-TECH TRAIL'R PUMP



THE PROVEN PUMP

Features:

- Dual Agitation At Impellor And Nozzle
- Complete Hydraulic Operation (Manual Controls Optional)
- Heavy Duty Construction
- 24 Ft. Or 28 Ft. Standard Lengths

CALL FOR SPECIAL SPRING PRICES

F. ERNEST SNOOK

RD 3, Box 84 Mifflinburg, PA 17844

PH: (717) 966-2736

"Serving The Farmer For Over 14 Years"