

North Jersey Market

Hackettstown, N.J.
 Tues., Jan. 5, 1988
 Hay—Straw & Grain Report
 ALFALFA HAY 2.50 BALE.
 MIXED HAY 1.35-2.00 BALE.
 TIMOTHY HAY 1.90 BALE.
 RYE STRAW 1.70 BALE.

Oklahoma City Cattle

Wed., January 6, 1988
WEEKLY CATTLE SUMMARY:
 COMPARED TO LAST VOLUME TEST OF THREE WEEKS AGO: FEEDER CATTLE AND CALVES 2.00-4.00 HIGHER. FEEDER DEMAND GOOD. YEARLING TRADE ACTIVE. CALF ACTION MODERATED BY WEATHER. SOME ICE REMAINS FROM THE LAST STORM. NEW SNOWSTORM STARTED TUESDAY WITH ACCUMULATIONS OF 12 TO 15 INCHES EXPECTED BY THURSDAY MORNING. COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK: SLAUGHTER COWS CLOSED STEADY, MONDAY'S ADVANCE LOST IN LATER TRADING. WHOLESALE COW BEEF PRICES OFF SHARPLY BY MIDWEEK. PACKERS CONTINUE TO COMPETE WITH REPLACEMENT AND FEEDER COW BUYERS FOR THE AVAILABLE COW NUMBERS. SLAUGHTER BULLS 1.00 HIGHER, OFFERINGS LIGHT. RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 5,200 HEAD; LAST WEEK 377; LAST YEAR 12,211. SUPPLY INCLUDED 72% YEARLING FEEDERS; 16% FEEDER CALVES; 12% COWS & BULLS. WEEKLY QUOTES FOLLOW:

MEDIUM & LARGE FRAME 1 FEEDER STEERS FEEDER HEIFERS BULK RANGE BULK RANGE :
 200-300# 84.50-90.00 340-400# 93.25-98.75 : 300-400# 91.00-85.00
 81.00-89.00 400-450# 80.50-99.75 87.50-99.75 : 450-500# 86.50-93.75
 84.75-93.75 : 400-500# 78.00-84.00 75.50-84.00 : 500-600# 82.50-87.50
 80.00-87.50 : 500-600# 75.00-80.00 74.25-82.75 : 600-700# 80.00-85.50
 79.75-85.50 : 600-700# 74.75-78.75 73.25-79.00 : 700-800# 77.75-83.00
 77.50-83.75 : 700-800# 71.00-76.25 70.00-76.25 : 800-850# 73.50-78.75
 72.50-78.25 : 850-900# 70.25-76.50

900-1000# 68.00-75.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 3-4 44.50-48.00 CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 44.00-50.00 43.75-52.00 CANNER & LOW DRESSING CUTTER 40.50-44.50 37.00-44.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1250-2200 LB. 56.25-61.00 53.00-62.00.

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.
 Wed., January 6, 1988
 Report supplied by Auction
 SLAUGHTER - FED STEERS- CHOICE TO PRIME 65.00-66.50; CHOICE 62.00-65.00; SELECT 58.00-62.00; STANDARD 50.00-57.00. FED HEIFERS- CHOICE TO PRIME 64.00-65.25; CHOICE 61.00-64.00; SELECT 55.00-60.00. COWS- HIGH YIELD FEW 47.00-50.00; UTILITY & COMM. 43.00-47.00; CANNER-CUTTER 40.00-43.00; SHELLY 40.00-DOWN. BULLS- GOOD 53.00-55.25. VEAL CALVES- PRIME TO 111.00; CHOICE 90.00-99.00; GOOD 80.00-90.00; MEDIUM KILLERS- 80-100 LB. 72.00-80.00; 60-80 LB. 65.00-74.00; WEAK & THIN 60.00-DOWN. HOLSTEIN HFRS. 100-125 LBS. TO 94.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 100-125 LBS. 105.00-131.00; BEEF BULLS 90-95 LBS. 80.00-99.00. LAMBS- CHOICE 110 LBS. 78.00; GOOD 70-80 LBS. TO 88.00. GOATS- LG. 59.00-69.00. STEERS 300-600 LB.- GOOD

65.00-76.00; MEDIUM 55.00-65.00. STEERS 600-850 LB.- CHOICE 67.00-74.00; GOOD 60.00-67.00; HOLSTEINS 54.00-60.00. HEIFERS- CHOICE 69.00-74.50; GOOD 64.00-69.00 BULLS- GOOD FEW TO 65.00. DAIRY REPLACEMENTS- SPRINGING HEIFERS- SM. 485.00-570.00; FRESH 450.00-725.00; PIGS, HD.- 20-30 LB. 18.00-27.00; 30-50 LB. 20.00-30.00; 50-80 LB. 30.00-37.00. STOCK BARRORS- 180 LBS. AT 29.00. SLAUGHTER HOGS- 220-240 LB. 39.00-40.50; 240-260 LB. 38.00-40.25; 195-210 LB. 38.50. SOWS- 400-600 LBS. 31.00-35.00, FEW TO 40.00. BOARS- 300-700 LBS. 24.00-27.50.

Eighty-Four Livestock Auction

Eighty-Four, PA
 Monday, Jan. 4, 1988
 CATTLE 258...PDA...Compared with last weeks market: Slaughter cows \$1.50 to \$2.00 lower. Few Choice sl. steers 64.00-65.50, few Select 60.00-62, few Standard 54.50-58, few Utility 50.00-53.00. Standard sl. heifers 52.00-58, Utility 49.00-52.00. Breaking Utility & Commercial sl. cows 47.00-50, couple 51.00, Cutter & Bon. Utility 43.00-48, Canner & Low Cutter 38.00-43.50, Shells down to 30.00. Couple Choice sl. bullocks 59&59.25, one Good 57.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 980/1700 lbs. sl. bulls 51.50-60.25, one No. 2, 800 lbs. 51.50. Feeder Cattle: Medium Frame No. 1, 410/630 lbs. steers 65.00-80.00. Medium & Large Frame #1, 350/600 lbs. heifers 64.00-71.00, few Medium #1, 800 lbs. 57.00. Medium Frame No. 1, 300/500 lbs.

66.00-77.00. CALVES 212...Few Choice vealers 105.00-117.50, few Good 85.00-100.00, Standard & Good 90/120 lbs. 70.00-80.00, 60/85 lbs. 60.00-73.00, few Utility 40/80 lbs. 40.00-50.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90/120 lbs. 105.00-152.50, few 90/95 lbs. up to 162.50. HOGS 153...Barrows and Gilts \$1 lower. US No. 1-2 220/260 lbs. barrows and gilts 41.00-42, 1-3 215/260 lbs. 38.75-39.75, 2-3 225/270 lbs. 38-38.75, lot 2-4 200 lbs. 35.00, 1-3 140/170 lbs. 34.00-35.00. US No. 1-3 300/560 lbs. sows 33.00-35.00, few 2-3 250/600 lbs. 30.00-33.00. Boars 25.00-28.00. FEEDER PIGS 0...No Market Test. SHEEP 97...Wool slaughter lambs mostly \$3 to \$4 higher. High Choice and Prime 80/90 lbs. 85.00-90, 115/120 lbs. 71.00-77.50, Choice 85/97 lbs. 74.00-77.00, Good and Choice 50/73 lbs. feeders 90.00-103.00. Slaughter sheep 20.00-36.00. GOATS 7...Few Large 40.00-49.00, few Medium 32.00-37.00 --- all per head.

Carlisle Livestock Market

Carlisle, Pa.
 Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1988
 CATTLE: STEERS: NO HIGH CHOICE OR PRIME OFFERED; GOOD-LOW CHOICE (LIGHT) 64.00-65.50; MEDIUM-GOOD 56.00-63.50. HOLSTEINS: GOOD 57.50-60.00; MEDIUM 50.25-56.00. HEIFERS: MOSTLY HOLSTEINS OFFERED. GOOD 58.75-61.75; MEDIUM 52.00-55.75; UTILITY

44.00-48.75. COWS: LARGE RUN WITH GOOD DEMAND. HIGH YIELD 48.25-50.25; GOOD 45.50-48.00; MEDIUM 43.50-45.25; BIG MIDDLE 41.00-47.50; FEW SHELLY 41.00 & DOWN. FAT BULLS: GOOD 58.50-61.75; MEDIUM 55.75-58.00. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS- (500-850 LBS.) MEDIUM-GOOD 54.50-64.00; HEIFERS (ALL WEIGHTS) GOOD 63.50-68.50; MEDIUM 60.00 & DOWN. VEAL CALVES: CHOICE 95.00-101.00; GOOD 82.00-94.00; MEDIUM 73.00-81.00; LIGHT/WEAK 71.00 & DOWN; FARM BULLS 100.00-138.00. HOGS: BARROWS & GILTS: US NO. 1-3 210-250 LBS. 38.00-39.10; OVER 260 LB. 35.00-37.25. SOWS: OVER 450 LB. 34.00-35.75; UNDER 450 32.00-33.50; 2 & 3'S (ALL WEIGHTS) 27.50-33.50. BOARS: HEAVY 23.00-25.50. FEEDER PIGS (BY THE HD) (1 LOT 15 LBS. 13.00) (25-35 LBS. 24.00-27.00). SHEEP: LAMBS (ALL WEIGHTS & ACTIVE); CHOICE (50-70 LBS.) 87.00-91.00; GOOD & CHOICE (75-110 LBS.) 78.00-85.00; MED. 71.00-77.00. EWES: 31.00-46.00. GOATS: (LG.) 50.00-60.00; (HD) SM./MED. 24.00-49.00. NOTICE: SALE EVERY TUESDAY EVENING 5:30 RABBITS, POULTRY & EGGS. 7:00 P.M. LIVESTOCK.

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 Egg Numbers, Livability,
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FLASH UPDATE!

Please Review These Three Lancaster County Flocks Housed During This Summers HOT Weather

PRODUCTION:			FARM A	FARM B
			59,120 DEKALB XL	31,009 DEKALB XL
			Housed 6/15/87 - 20 Weeks	Housed 7/6/87 - 20 Weeks
Age	House #1	House #2		
20	7%	6.7%		
21	30.6%	30.2%	11 %	
22	59.2%	59.4%	35 %	
23	79.9%	80.1%	59.2%	
24	88.3%	88.4%	79.0%	
25	92.3%	92.2%	89.7%	
26	93.9%	93.9%	94.0%	
27	94.2%	94.0%	95.6%	
28	94.5%	94.4%	95.5%	
29	94.2%	94.3%	95.7%	
30	93.9%	94.2%	95.4%	(9 weeks
35	92.7%	91.9%	95.1%	over 95%)
CASE WEIGHT				
AT 35 Weeks:	46.25#	46.0#	48.2#	
LIVABILITY				
Through 35 Weeks:		98.74%	98.77%	

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Change of Location to Home Farm
 On Hill Rd. in Heated Shed

FRIDAY, JAN. 15 - 1:00 PM ON THE FARM MONTHLY BRED GILT SALE

Sale To Start Promptly Every 4 Weeks
 Snow Date
 Following Tuesday same time.

Located 4 miles east of former location, 1 mile off 472 midway between Quarryville & Oxford, PA, 1 mile south of Kirkwood, turn west off 472 at Union Church (Street Rd.) 1 mile to crossroad turn left, 2nd farm on right. Hill Road. Watch for sale signs.

23 White Diamonds Due Between Jan. 16 & 25
22 White Diamonds Due Between Jan. 25 & Feb. 4
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 Large White & Landrace, first generation true F-1 gilts. Parent stock originated from Lieske Bros. Minnesota. Very productive in litter size and feed conversion.

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