

Morrison Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.

Monday, Oct. 24, 1988

Report supplied by auction

CATTLE: 251. STEERS: CHOICE 67.75-70.25; GOOD 64.00-66.25; STANDARD 52.00-60.75. HEIFERS: CHOICE 64.00-66.25; GOOD 52.50-61.25. COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 47.75-50.25; CUTTERS 44.50-48.25; CANNER & LOT CUTTER 32.50-43.75. BULLOCKS: GOOD & CHOICE 58.25-62.75. BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1 53.00-60.50. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: GOOD 72.50-85.50, STANDARD 58.00-67.50; BULLS: GOOD 65.50-76.50, STANDARD 55.00-64.50; HEIFERS: GOOD 68.00-75.50, STANDARD 52.00-64.50.

CALVES: 262. PRIME 92.50-102.50; CHOICE 87.50-91.00; GOOD 83.50-86.50; STANDARD & GOOD 73.00-80.50; 90-110 LBS. 82.50-94.50; 65-90 LBS. 71.00-88.50. HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 112.50-146.50. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS. 86.00-94.50.

HOGS: 107. US NO. 1-2 40.00-40.75; US NO. 1-3 36.25-39.75. SOWS: US NO. 1-3 32.00-37.25; BOARS 26.00-30.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 71. US NO. 1-3 20-35 LBS. 12.00-19.50 PER HEAD; NO. 1-3 35-50 LBS. 21.00-27.50 PER HEAD.

SHEEP: 60. CHOICE 64.00-67.50; GOOD 56.00-62.50; SL. EWES

19.50-28.50. GOATS: 22.00-61.00 PER HEAD.

6 LOADS OF HAY: 80.00-90.00 PER TON; 1 LOAD OF STRAW: 95.00 PER TON.

Mercer Livestock

Auction

Mercer, PA

October 25, 1988

CATTLE 365...PDA...Compared with last Tuesday's market: Slaughter steers \$1 to \$2 lower; Cows fully \$1 lower. Choice sl. steers 66.50-71, High yielding 71.85, Select 63 00-66.50, Standard 55.00-61, few Utility 51.00-54.00. Choice sl. heifers 64.50-68.50, Select 61.00-64.50, Standard 53.00-58, Utility 47.50-53.50. Breaking Utility & Commercial sl. cows 46.00-50, Cutter & Boning Utility 43.00-47, Canner & Low Cutter 36 50-43.50, Shells down to 24 00. Few Choice sl. bullocks 63-64.35, Standard 53.75-56.10. Yield Grade No. 1, 1000/1800 lbs. sl. bulls 53.75-64.75, No. 2 900/1400 lbs. 50-52 50. Feeder Cattle: Few Medium Frame No. 1, 270/400 lbs steers 76.00-80, Medium #2 300/500 lbs. 55.00-65.00. Medium Frame No 1 300/600 lbs. heifers 62.00-78 00, Large #1 300/600 lbs. 67.00-72 50. Med & Large Frame #1, 350/550 lbs. bulls 70 00-81, Medium #1 800/1000 lbs. 54 00-64.50.

CALVES 125...Few Good vealers 78.00-84.00, one Choice 98 00, Standard and Good 90/120 lbs. 78 00-90.00, 60/85 lbs. 75.00-82.00, few Utility 40/60 lbs

35.00-50.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90/125 lbs. 100.00-140.00.

HOGS 210...Barrows and gilts steady to weak. US No. 1-2 230/250 lbs. 39.60-40.85, lot 41.00, 1-3 220/255 lbs. 38.75-39.60, 2-3 225/250 lbs. 38.25-38.75. US No. 1-3 400/650 lbs. sows 31.00-34.00, 2-3 400/730 lbs. 28.00-31.00.

FEEDER PIGS 2...No Market Test. SHEEP 14...Few High Choice 70/85 lbs. wool sl. lambs 56.00-59.50; few Choice 56 lbs. feeder lambs 50.00.

GOATS 2...Small 20 00&22.00 - per head.

Belleville Livestock Auction

Belleville, PA

October 26, 1988

CATTLE 135...PDA...Compared with last Wednesday's market; slaughter cows \$1 to \$2 lower Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 45.00-47.85, couple 48.75, Cutter and Boning Utility 44.00-47, Canner and Low Cutter 39.75-43.50, Shells down to 36 00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1035/1550 lbs. sl. bulls 55.75- 60.10. Feeder Cattle: Few Medium Frame No. 1, 350/630 lbs. heifers 64.50-71.50.

CALVES 120...Standard and Good 75/95 lbs. vealers 74.00-81.00, Utility 60/85 lbs. 65.00-74.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90/125 lbs. 88.00-148, few Hol Heifers 90/100 lbs. 82.00-84.00.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, October 29, 1988-A17

HOGS 136...Barrows and gilts \$2 lower. US No.1-3 210/260 lbs. barrows and gilts 39.00-40.00, lot 2-3 280 lbs. 38.10. US No. 1-3 350/700 lbs. sows 25.00-32.00. Boars 20.00-25.50.

FEEDER PIGS 285...US No. 1-3 20/40 lbs. feeder pigs 12.00-19.00, 60/85 lbs. 22.50-34.00, Utility 20/35 lbs. 5.00-12.00 --- all per head.

SHEEP 24...Good and Choice 70/110 lbs. wool slaughter lambs 54.00-64.00. Few slaughter ewes 12.00-40.00.

GOATS 5...Few Large 34.00-50.00 --- per head. HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS \$425.00-\$1025 00 --- ALL PER HEAD.

55.00-67.00; 500-700 LBS. SMALL FRAME 50.00-58.00.

VEAL CALVES: GOOD 89.00-95.00; STANDARD 70.00-88.00; UTILITY 54.00-64.00.

FARM CALVES: BULLS 105.00-151.00; HEIFERS 90.00-105.00. HOGS: 35.00-37.00.

SOWS: 25.00-32.50.

BOARS: 22.00-24.00.

SHOATS: 25-30 LBS. PER HEAD 10.00-14.00, 30-35 LBS. PER HEAD 15.00-22.00, 35-50 LBS. PER HEAD 23.00-43.00.

GOATS PER HEAD: 20.00-29.00.

Penns Valley Livestock

Centre Hall, Pa.

Tuesday, Oct. 25, 1988

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BEEF COWS: UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 45.00-49.50; CUTTERS 41.00-44.75; CANNERS 36.00-40 50; SHELLS 30.00.

HEIFERS: GOOD 58.75-60 00; STANDARD 50.00-57.00

STEERS: SELECT 59.00-63.75, STANDARD 52.00-58.00.

BULLS: GOOD 55.75-57.50, STANDARD 52.00-54.75.

FEEDER CATTLE: 300-500 LBS LARGE FRAME 65.00-72.00, 300-500 LBS. SMALL FRAME 60 00-66.00, 500-700 LBS LARGE FRAME

St. Louis Cattle Hogs

Thursday, October 27, 1988

CATTLE AND CALVES: 975 (75 SLTR, 900 FDRS)

RECEIPTS CONSISTS MOSTLY OF FEEDER CATTLE AND COWS FOR THURSDAY'S AUCTION.

FEW SLAUGHTER COWS ON THE OPEN MARKET STEADY TO WEAK COMPARED TO WEDNESDAY.

WEAKNESS ON CUTTER COWS.

SLAUGHTER CLASSES: COWS: CUTT, UTIL, COMM BULK SALES HI DRESS % LO DRESS % BREAKING 2-4 42 00-46 00

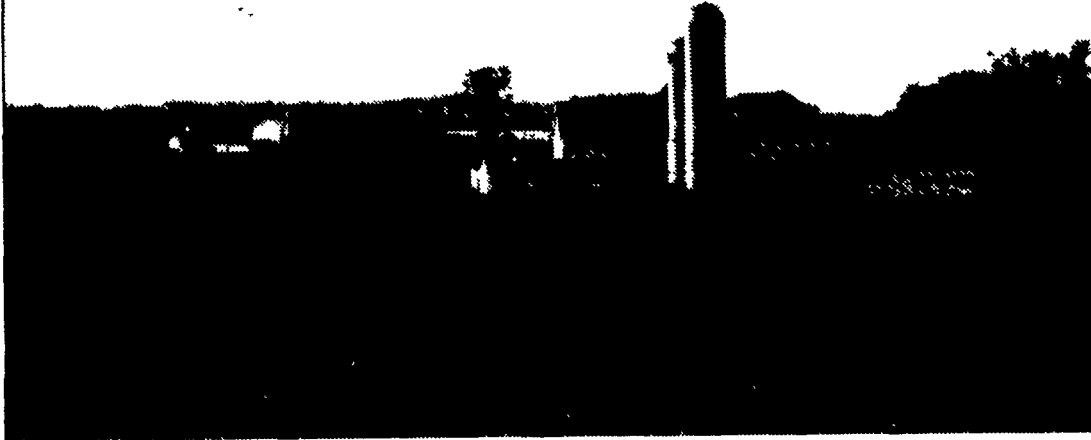
BONING 1-2 45.00-47.00 FEW 48.00 CANN & CUTT 1-2 40 00-45.00

SHELLY CANNER 1-2 NO TEST BULLS: FEW YG 1-2 1400-1900 LBS

52 00-54 00

RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 2,300. WEEK AGO 1,700. YEAR AGO 2,700 COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK'S CLOSE, SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS STEADY TO .50 HIGHER. INCREASED SUPPLY OF YG 4 CATTLE. SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY TO 1 00 LOWER WITH MOST DECLINE ON BONING AND BREAKING UTILITY. SLAUGHTER BULLS STEADY.

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