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Acres Hog Cattle: Live hog futures closed mixed again today, losing 8 points on the spot option and gaining up to 30 points on the deferreds. Today's closes were at or near session lows in response to long liquidation on positions established earlier in the day. Price direction became uncertain midday on mixed product quotes after support on the opening was tied to oversold conditions and higher cash market prices. Spillover from the cattle pit helped to keep losses in check. Bellies closed from 15 points higher to 95 points lower. The USDA announced after the close that it will begin to make additional purchases of pork during the next few weeks in an effort to assist producers during this period of falling market prices and large marketings.

Philly Potato & Onion April 5, 1989

CLOUDY 60-76. ONIONS-DRY LOWER 50-lb sacks US#1 or generally good quality and condition Yellow unless otherwise stated CO Spanish Hybrid jumbo fair qual 500 OR/ ID Spanish Hybrid 600 TX new crop Grano Type jbo 750-800 repacker size fair qual 600 NY Yellow Globe type smallmedium 500-600 fair qual 300 medium 650 one lot 750 25-lb mesh sks med-lge 600 MEXICO new crop Grano Type colossal 10.00 jumbo 850-950 mos 850 White jumbo 850-10.00 Chile crt Valenciana 60s 8-850.

POTATOES ABOUT STEADY 50-lb sacks US#1 size A washed or brushed unless otherwise stated Round Whites ME 700-750 mos 750 large 850-900 mos 850 FL 24.00 fair qual 14.00-17.00 size B 15.00-17.00 few 18.00 NY lge fair qual 875 CANADA CD#1 Prince Edward Isle 750-800 lge 9-925 Round Reds FL new crop 18.00-19.00 size B 26.00-27.00 mos 26.00 Russets 50-lb carton count ID 70-80s 16.00-18.00 mos 17.00 90s

14.50-16.00 mos 15.50 100s 12.00-13.00 mos 12.50 few 11.00 120s 11.00-12.00 baled 10-5 lb film bags non size A 10.50-11.00WA 70-80s 13.50 90s 12.00 100s 11.00 CANADA Prince Edward Isle CD#1 70s 12.50 80s 12.50-13.00 90s 11.50-12.50 100s 10.00- 10.50 baled 10-5 lb film bags non size A 9-950.

> Vintage Hay Paradise, PA Thurs., April 6, 1989 Report Supplied by Auction

39 LOADS. ALFALFA: 59.00-110.00. MIXED HAY: 77.00-92.00. STRAW: 50.00-64.00. TIMOTHY: 87.00. GRASS HAY: 79.00. CORN: 99.00-109.00.

Lebanon Valley Livestock Fredericksburg, 'PA

April 4, 1989 CATTLE 150...PDA...Choice 244, 1150/1345 lbs. slaughter steers 72.00-75.00, one Select 71.50, few Choice 1240/1505 lbs. holsteins 68.50-70, Select 1190/1565 lbs. 63.25-67.75. few Standard 56-65.50, few Utility & low Standard 52-56.50. Two Choice sl. heifers 66&67.75, one holstein 67.00, one Select holstein 61.25, few Utility & Standard 50-56.50. Breaking Utility & Commercial sl. cows 46.75-50.50, few 55.50, low yielding down to 44.75, Cutter & Boning Utility 45.00-51.50, few 54.00, Canner & Low Cutter 43.75-47.75, few Shells down to 31.50. One Select holstein bullock 59.75, one Standard 53.50. Few Yield Grade No. 1. 1345/1880 lbs. sl. bulls 55.75-61.75, one No. 2 1550 lbs. 56.00.

CALVES 161...Few Choice vealers 100.00-108.00, few Good 92.00-104.00, Standard & Good 70/105 lbs. 70.00-78.00, Utility 50/85 lbs. 40.00-68.00. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 85/130 lbs. 100.00-141.00, few downb to 91.00; Hol. Heifers 90/120 lbs. 83.00-140.00. Few Beef cross bulls & heifers 75/115 lbs. 112.00-140.00.

HOGS 145...US No. 1-2 220/255 lbs. 38.00-38.50, 1-3 210/260 lbs. 37.25-38, 2-3 225/250 lbs. 36.00-36.50, lot 205 lbs. 35.00, lot 266 lbs. 33.00. US No. 1-3 325/635 lbs. sows 28.00-31.00. Boars

25.00-26.50, few light weights 27.50-28.00

FEEDER PIGS 0...No Market Test. SHEEP 0...No Market Test. GOATS 0...No Market Test.

Peoria Cattle Peoria, IL April 6, 1989

TRADING SLOW, DEMAND MOD-ERATE ON MODERATE SUPPLY. COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK'S CLOSE, SLAUGHTER STEERS SOLD GENERALLY STEADY. SLAUGHTER HEIFERS SOLD STEADY TO .50 LOW-ER, INSTANCES 1.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER COWS SOLD STEADY TO WEAK. BULLS CLOSED STEADY TO FIRM. SUPPLY MAINLY SELECT TO AVERAGE CHOICE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS WITH ABOUT 8% COWS. ESTIMATED RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 1400, COMPARED WITH ACTUAL RECEIPTS OF 1112 LAST WEEK, AND 928 A YEAR AGO.

SLAUGHTER CLASSES: STEERS: CHOICE 2-3, 1200-1380 LBS. 77.50-78.00 CHOICE 2-4, MOSTLY 3, 1050-1335 LBS. 76.00-78.00 900-1050 LBS. 75.00-76.50 SELECT & CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1200 LBS. 73.00-76.00 SELECT 2-3, 900-1150 LBS. 71.00-74.50

HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-4, MOSTLY 3, 950-1200 LBS. 76.00-77.00 800-950 LBS. 74.00-76.00 SELECT & CHOICE 2-3, 900-1100 LBS. 72.00-75.00 SELECT 2-3, 800-1050 LBS. 70.00-73.00

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-3, 42.00-46.00 CUT-TER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2, 45.00-50.00 FEW HIGH DRESSING INDIVIDUALS 50.00-51.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2, 38.00-45.00

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1-2, 1500-2100 LBS. 52.00-65.00, MOSTLY 57.00-63.00

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Greencastle Livestock

Greencastle, Pa. Monday, Apr. 6, 1989 CATTLE: 287. COMAPRED TO LAST

SLAUGHTER STEERS: CHOICE ONE

69.00; CHOICE HOLS., SELECT FEW, STANDARD 54.00-56.00. CH. SL HEIF-ERS ONE 63.25, FEW STANDARD & SELECT 55.00-58.50; BREAKING UT. & COMMERCIAL SL. COWS 46.00-50.50; **CUTTER & BONING UT. 46.50-52.50,** FEW 55.00, CANNER & LOW CUTTER 34.00-47.00; SHELLS DOWN TO 40.00; FEW YIELD GRADE NO. 1 1380-1780

LBS. SL. BULLS 56.00-61.85. HEIFERS; FEW MEDIUM FRAME NO. 1 450-600 LBS. 68.00-79.50.

CALVES: 354. CHOICE FEW 93.50-106.00, FEW GOOD 79.50-86.00; STAND. & GOOD 70-100 LBS. 76.00-83.00; UTILITY 60-85 LBS. 60.00-77.00, HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 85.00-158.00 MOSTLY 120.00-148.00; HOLS. HEIFERS 85-125 LB. 83.00-156.00; BEEF CROSS 80-110 LBS. BULL CALVES 90.00-125.00.

HOGS: 30 FEW LOTS 1-3 215-260 LBS. 36.10-37.00; FEW US NO. 1-3 400-530 LBS. SOWS 27.00-32.25, BOARS COUPLE 26.50.

FEEDER PIGS 4.

SHEEP: 3 FEW SL. EWES 18.00-21.00. GOATS: 0.

Saddle Cinches

An election of officers and the planning of the club calendar were the main events at the reorganizational meeting of the Saddle Cinches 4-H Horse & Pony Club.

Kim Kettering, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kettering of Manheim, was elected president at the meeting. Marjorie Shenk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shenk of Lititz, was named vice president and Tracy Witmer of Manheim was selected secretary. Ashlie Nelson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Nelson, was named treasurer, while Duane Anthony, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anthony of Mount Joy, was chosen as club photographer. Serving as news reporters will be Kari Moyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Moyer of Manheim, Abbey Hershey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Thomas Hershey of Manheim, and Angie Dieter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dieter of Manheim.

Club activities in clude a firstand second-year member get together on April 22, a lollipop show set for May 6, parades, gymkhanas, and a trip to Chincoteague Island to study the wild ponies this summer.

Anyone between the ages of eight and 18 are invited to come to the April 24 meeting, which will be held at the Lehman home in Manheim. For more information, contact the leader, Kendy Allen, at 665-7144.

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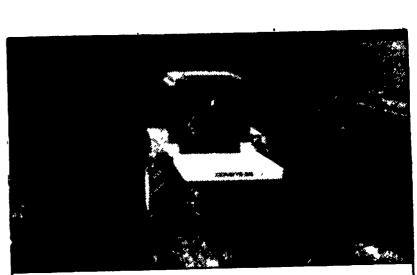
TIME: PLACE: Holiday Inn, Grantville, PA Exit 28, Rt. 81 (next to the

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STATE PHONE NO. OF PEOPLE ATTENDING.

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