

HOG MARKETS

Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards
Sat., Apr. 22, 1989
Report supplied by auction

1116 HEAD.
US 1 215-245 LBS. 40.50-42.00.
US 1-2 215-245 LBS. 39.00-40.00.
US 1-3 215-255 LBS. 38.00-39.00.
200-210 LBS. 36.00-38.00.
US 2-4 215-255 LBS. 37.00-37.75, A FEW AT 36.00-36.75.
SOWS. ALL WEIGHTS 28.00-32.00
BOARS: ALL WEIGHTS 28.00-30.50.

New Holland Feeder Pig Auction

Lancaster, Pa.
Wednesday, April 26, 1989

FEEDER PIGS
Today 1050
Last Wednesday 1784
Last Year 966

TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs firm to 4.00 higher. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

GRADE HEAD WEIGHT PRICE US
1-2 75 32-35 76.00-82.00. 42 42 81.00, 140 40-49 69.00-76.00. 142 50-59 63.00-74.00. 27 56 79.00. 84 60-69 62.00-70.00. 20 78-90 52.00-54.00.
US 2 91 30-39 62.00-70.00. 229 40-49 61.00-69.00. 54 50-59 55.00-59.00. 27 60-69 54.00-58.00. 23 77-78 52.00-56.00.
SLAUGHTER 52 22-29 102.00-138.00.

New Holland Hogs

Lancaster, Pa.
Monday, April 24, 1989

NEW HOLLAND HOG FLASH - 700.
TREND: Compared to last Monday early sales barrows and gilts steady.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-240 lb 39.00-40.00.
US 1 One lot early 230 lb 41.50.
US 1-3 215-255 lb 37.50-38.00, One lot 209 lb 35.75.

Peoria Hogs

Peoria, Illinois
Thursday, April 27, 1989

FEDERAL-STATE MIDSESSION AND CLOSE HOGS: 1400 TRADING MODERATE. BARROWS AND GILTS WEAK TO MOSTLY .50 LOWER COMPARED WITH WEDNESDAY.
US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 39.00-39.25
210-220 LBS. 37.00-39.00 2-3 240-260 LBS. 38.00-39.00 260-280 LBS. 37.00-38.00.
SOWS: STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER 20%.
US 1-3 325-400 LBS. 32.50 400-500 LBS. 33.25-33.50 500-650 LBS. 33.50-34.00.
BOARS: OVER 350 LBS 31.25-31.50 UNDER 350 LBS. 30.50-31.00.
HOG 214 HB 37.00-39.00 HC 39.00-39.25 HD 39.00-39.25 HE 39.00-39.25 HH 37.00-39.00 HI 39.00-39.25 HJ 39.00-39.25 HK 39.00-39.25 HQ 38.00-39.00 HR 37.50-38.00 VV 32.50-32.50 WW 33.25-33.50 XX 33.50-34.00 YY 33.50-34.00 ZZ 31.25-31.50.

Greencastle Feeder Pigs

Saturday, April 22, 1989

904 HEAD. PRICES 10.00 LOWER.
GRADE 1 & 2-763 HEAD. 45 HEAD 19-37 LBS. 65.00-82.00; 308 HEAD 40-49 LBS. 65.00-80.00; 337 HEAD 50-59 LBS. 61.50-75.00; 37 HEAD 60-69 LBS. 54.00-65.00; 30 HEAD 70-UP LBS. 54.00-69.00.

GRADE 2 98 HEAD. 21 HEAD 25-36 LBS. 54.00-66.00; 37 HEAD 40-49 LBS. 55.00-69.00; 19 HEAD 50-59 LBS. 48.00-58.50; 18 HEAD 60-UP LBS. 54.50-60.50.

GRADE 2 & 3 13 HEAD. 50.00-60.00.
NEXT FEEDER PIG SALE AT GREENCASTLE LIVESTOCK AUCTION WILL BE HELD SATURDAY, MAY 27, 1989.

PIGS GRADED AND WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL.

Indianapolis Hogs

Thursday, April 27, 1989

HOGS: 700 - BARROWS & GILTS MODERATELY ACTIVE. 50-75 LOWER. US 1-3 225-260 LBS. 39.00-39.25.

SOWS: MODERATELY ACTIVE, FIRM-1.00 HIGHER. (6%).
US 1-3 FEW 475-675 LBS. 31.00-35.00.

BOARS: OVER 400 LBS. 29.00.

Peoria Hogs

Thursday, April 27, 1989

HOGS: 1400. BARROWS AND GILTS MODERATE, WEAK TO MOSTLY .50 LOWER.

US 1-3 220-250 LBS. 39.00-39.25, 2-3 240-260 LBS. 38.00-39.00.

SOWS: STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. (20%).
US 1-3 325-400 LBS. 32.50, 400-500 LBS. 33.25-33.50; 500-650 LBS. 33.50-34.00.

BOARS: OVER 350 LB. 31.25-31.50; UNDER 350 LB. 30.50-31.00.

St. Louis Hogs

Thursday, April 27, 1989

2500 - BARROWS & GILTS MODERATE, .25-.50 LOWER.
US 1-3 230-260 LBS. 38.75-39.25; 200-230 LBS. 36.00-38.00.

US 2-3 250-270 LBS. 38.00-38.75, FEW 260-270 LB. 37.50; 270-300 LBS. 36.00-37.50.

SOWS: 300-500 LBS. .50 LOWER; OVER 500 LBS. 1.00-2.00 LOWER. (AROUND 7%). US 1-3 300-500 LBS. 31.50-32.50; OVER 500 LBS. 32.00-34.00.

BOARS: OVER 300 LB. 33.00; UNDER 300 LB. 32.50.

GRAIN, CATTLE AND HOG FUTURES MARKETS

(Daily closing bids: Friday, April 21 through Thursday, April 27)

CORN

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	275¼	269	265¼	265¼	268¼
JUL.	277¼	271¼	268¼	268¼	270¼
SEPT.	271¼	265	262	262	263¼
DEC.	271¼	263¼	261¼	261¼	262¼
MAR.	277¼	270	267¼	267¼	269
MAY 90	278¼	271	268¼	268¼	270

SOYBEANS

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	760	744¼	740¼	740¼	729¼
JUL.	767	749¼	742	742	735
AUG.	763¼	746¼	737¼	737¼	732¼
SEPT.	745	731	720¼	720¼	717¼
NOV.	735¼	722¼	710¼	710¼	708¼
JAN. 90	744¼	731¼	719	719	717¼
MAR.	752	740¼	729	729	728

CHICAGO CATTLE

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
JUNE 89	71.42	70.77	70.52	70.52	70.82
AUG.	67.70	67.22	67.37	67.37	67.77
OCT.	68.95	68.87	68.75	68.97	68.97
DEC.	70.07	70.12	68.97	70.17	69.97
FEB. 90	70.60	70.80	70.17	70.75	70.60

WHEAT

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY 89	414¼	415¼	411	411	405
JUL.	402	404	402¼	402¼	398¼
SEP.	409	411¼	409¼	409¼	407¼
DEC.	421	423¼	422¼	422¼	419¼
MAR.	426	428¼	428¼	428¼	425¼

SOYBEAN MEAL

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
MAY	232.30	228.60	225.40	225.40	223.30
JUL.	230.30	226.60	223.70	223.70	221.90
AUG.	227.50	224.20	220.70	220.70	219.20
SEPT.	224.50	220.70	217.20	217.20	216.20
OCT.	221.00	217.50	213.00	213.00	212.20
DEC.	219.00	216.50	211.70	211.70	211.20
JAN.	218.50	216.00	211.20	211.20	210.50

CHICAGO HOGS

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THUR.
JUNE	45.60	45.67	46.77	46.77	47.07
JUL.	46.32	46.50	47.47	47.47	47.87
AUG.	45.45	45.62	46.15	46.15	46.47
OCT.	42.25	42.12	42.77	42.77	43.12
DEC.	44.27	44.15	44.77	44.77	44.85
FEB. 90	45.75	45.52	46.35	46.35	46.17



FUTURES MARKET TREND GRAIN AND LIVESTOCK

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ACRES CORN UPDATE:
Corn futures prices recovered today and closed from 1 to 1-3/4 cents higher on buying linked to short covering in response to over-sold conditions. Further support was attributed to steady basis levels along with ideas that the Soviet Union would soon return to the market place. Mexico is scheduled to tender tonight for 120,000 metric tonnes. Prices were held in check by continued forecasts for increased rainfall during the next week with December settling today at \$2.61-1/4, up 1 cent. Generic certificate bids firmed this morning by 1/2%.

session from 2-1/4 to 8 cents higher on buying linked to news that the Soviet Union was in the market for soyo il. Old crop ended the session 8 cents higher on reports that dockworkers would be on strike for an "indefinite" period. Further support was tied to light farmer sales. Large gains were pared by forecasts for continued rainfall over the next week. May settled today up 8 cents at \$7.40-1/2 while November closed 3 cents higher at \$7.10-1/2.

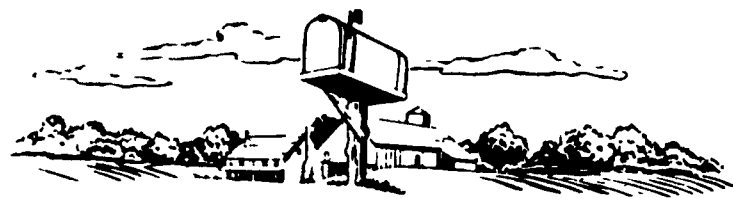
rejected. Further pressure was attributed to growing doubts that the USSR would be in a position to purchase in the near future. Reports prior to the opening that the hard red wheat condition was worse than expected underpinned. The weather patterns are still causing some confusion along with ideas that the U.S. may scale back its export bonus offerings.

ACRES SOYBEAN UPDATE:
Soybean futures prices recovered today and ended the

ACRES WHEAT UPDATE:
Wheat futures closed from 1-1/2 lower on the July and December options to 3-1/2 lower on the spot option. Selling initially was attributed to news that Egypt's second bid for export bonus had been

ACRES CATTLE UPDATE:
Live and feeder cattle closed mixed with live cattle closing from 5 lower to 5 higher and feeders from 33 lower to 5 higher. Prices opened higher this morning on cash connected short covering attributed to Tuesday's higher cut out values along with ideas the

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