

Northern Virginia Livestock Summary

Orange, Va.

Wednesday, December 19, 1990

ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY SLAUGHTER CATTLE 86 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. SLAUGHTER COWS 86 HEAD COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 47.00-54.00 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 45.00-53.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 43.00-51.00. FEEDER CATTLE NO REPORT.

Central & Southeast Virginia Livestock Summary

Smithfield Blackstone-Southside, Va.

Wednesday, December 19, 1990

ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY SLAUGHTER HOGS 135 HEAD - SLAUGHTER SOWS \$1.75-2.75 HIGHER. BOARS \$1.50-2.25 HIGHER. SOWS US 1-3, 300-500 LB. 36.90-39.40 US 1-3, 500 LBS. & OVER 40.00-40.50 BOARS 300-600 LB. 34.00-36.00. SLAUGHTER CATTLE 29 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED.

SLAUGHTER COWS 29 HEAD COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 45.00-51.00 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 48.75-55.50 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 41.00-45.00. LAMBS TOTAL RECEIPTS 35 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. SLAUGHTER LAMBS 15 HEAD WOOLED CHOICE AND PRIME, 95-125 LB. 42.50 FEEDER LAMBS 20 HEAD FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE AND FANCY, 70-85 LB. 35.00-44.50 CHOICE AND FANCY, 60-70 LB. 37.00.

FEEDER CATTLE 142 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. STEERS MEDIUM 1 400-500 96.00-100.00 500-600 88.50-93.00 HOLSTEIN STEER MED & LARGE 2 500-700 69.00. HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 79.50-81.50 69.50-77.50 400-500 74.00-67.00-71.50 500-600 70.50-76.00 - BULLS MEDIUM 1 SMALL 1 200-300 91.00-104.00 - 300-400 92.00-107.00 76.00-80.00 400-500 84.50-89.00 72.50-75.00 COWS

WITH CALVES AT SIDE 1 PAIR; M-1, 4-6 YR OLD 1000-1200 LBS WITH CALVES 140 LBS \$710.00 PER PAIR. BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 21 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD \$40.00-122.50 PER HEAD. OVER 100 LBS \$90.00-137.50 PER CWT.

Southwest Virginia Livestock Summary

Wytheville, Va.

Tuesday, December 18, 1990

ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST TUESDAY: SLAUGHTER HOGS 30 HEAD - FEW LOTS RETURNED TO HOME SLAUGHTER. BARROWS AND GILTS US 1-3, 200-250 LB. 50.00-53.00 US 2-4, 250-300 LB. 53.50 US 2-4, 300-350 LB. 49.00-52.50 SOWS US 1-3, 300-500 LB. 37.00 BOARS 300-600 LB. 31.75.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 86 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED.

SLAUGHTER COWS 81 HEAD COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 46.00-52.50 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 47.00-53.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 38.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 5 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 900-1300 LB. 55.00-58.50 Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 65.25 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 62.50.

LAMBS TOTAL RECEIPTS 165 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. SLAUGHTER LAMBS 27 HEAD WOOLED CHOICE AND PRIME, 95-125 LB. 43.00 CHOICE, 85-125 LB. 40.00 FEEDER LAMBS 91 HEAD FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE AND FANCY, 70-85 LB. 49.75 CHOICE AND FANCY, 60-70 LB. 55.50 EWES & RAMS 47 HEAD EWES ALL GRADES 15.00-18.50 4 GOATS \$15.00-33.00 PER HEAD.

FEEDER CATTLE 143 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. STEERS MEDIUM 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300 - - 92.00-94.00 300-400 98.00-104.00 85.00-92.00 93.00-103.00 400-500 93.00-100.00 - 88.00-93.00 500-600 85.00-87.00 79.00-83.00 84.00-86.00 600-700 - - 80.00-84.00 HOLSTEIN STEER MED & LARGE 2 300-500 85.50-91.00 500-700 76.00-80.00.

HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300 88.00-90.00 - - 300-400 85.00-89.00 77.00-400-500 83.00-93.00-77.00-83.50 500-600 77.00-78.50 74.00-75.00 73.00-76.00 600-700-67.00-71.00 70.00-72.00 P LS MEDIUM 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 88.00-94.00 78.00-84.00 400-500 - - 500-600 78.00-85.00 - COWS RETURNED TO FARMS 11 HEAD; M&L-2, 5-10 YR OLD 875-950 LBS \$555.00-675.00 PER HEAD. COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE 4 PAIR; M&L-2, 5-10 YR OLD 900-1050 LBS \$650.00-720.00 PER PAIR. BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 21 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD \$90.00-117.50 PER HEAD.

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.

Wednesday, Dec. 19, 1990

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SLAUGHTER COWS: UTILITY 50.00-55.00; HIGH DRESSING 56.00-59.50; CANNERS 47.00-51.00; SHELLY 46.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 1300-2000 LBS. YG#1 61.00-64.00; YG#2 54.00-60.00.

FED STEERS: NO CHOICE OFFERED. SELECT HOLSTEINS 1300-1500 LBS. 62.00-67.00.

FED HEIFERS: SELECT 800-900 LBS 66.00-68.00.

VEAL CALVES: CHOICE 150-300 LBS. 85.00-95.00; GOOD 75.00-85.00; 300-400 LBS. 70.00-80.00; CULLS 80-110 LBS. 45.00-50.00; 50-80 LBS. 38.00-44.00; WEAK AND ROUGH 38.00 DOWN.

FARM CALVES, HOLSTEIN BULLS:

#1 90-125 LBS. 115.00-142.00; #2 80-105 LBS. 70.00-110.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 100-120 LBS. 105.00-147.00; BEEF X BULLS UP TO 140.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: #1 AND 3 260-280 LBS. 43.50-46.00; 300-275 LBS. 36.00-43.00.

SOWS: 300-500 LBS. 37.00-41.00; 500-600 LBS. UP TO 42.50.

BOARS: 300 LBS. UP TO 36.00.

STOCK CATTLE: STEERS, 300-500 LBS. 75.00-92.00; 1 AT 110.00; 500-700 LBS. 75.00-85.00; 700-900 LBS. 68.00-77.00; 900-1050 LBS. 65.00-77.00.

HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 65.00-75.00; FEW 78.00-82.00; 500-700 LBS. 62.00-72.00.

BULLS: 200-400 LBS. 80.00-100.00; 400-600 LBS. 70.00-92.00; 600-800 LBS. 67.00-80.00; 800-950 LBS. 60.00-73.00; 1 LIMOUSIN X 1100 LBS. AT 70.00.

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS: LARGE SPRINGERS AND FRESH 900.00-1060.00; REGISTERED BULL 1000.00; BRED HEIFERS 900 LBS. 64.00-66.00; 300-500 LBS. 68.00-78.00. LAMBS: GOOD 60-90 LBS. 48.00-56.00.

GOATS: LARGE UP TO 66.00; MEDIUM 35.00-50.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: BY THE HEAD, 35-50 LBS. 36.00-46.00; BY THE POUND, 120-160 LBS. 45.00-48.00.

STOCK BOARS: 220-270 LBS. UP TO 39.75.

NOTE: DEC. 26, CALF SALE WILL BEGIN AT 5 P.M.

Peoria Cattle

Peoria, Illinois

Thursday, December 20, 1990

FEDERAL-STATE CATTLE WEEKLY COMPARED WITH LAST MONDAY CHOICE GRADE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS STEADY TO .50 HIGHER. AT THE AUCTION SLAUGHTER COWS 2.00 TO 4.00 HIGHER. BULLS 1.00 TO 2.00 HIGHER. NOT ENOUGH FEEDER CATTLE FOR A FULL MARKET TEST. SUPPLY MAINLY SELECT TO AVERAGE CHOICE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS WITH ABOUT 15% COWS FOR AUCTION. RECEIPTS THIS WEEK ABOUT 1400 AS COMPARED WITH 1613 A WEEK AGO AND 1692 A YEAR AGO.



SLAUGHTER STEERS: CHOICE 2-4 1050-1350 LBS. 80.00-82.00 FEW 1250-1300 LBS. 82.50-83.00 MIXED SELECT & CHOICE 2-3 1000-1300 LBS. 76.00-80.00 SELECT 2-3 900-1200 LBS. 71.50-76.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-4 950-1200 LBS. 78.50-81.00 COUPLE PART LOADS 81.50 MIXED SELECT & CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LBS. 74.50-78.50 SELECT 2-3 800-1100 LBS. 70.50-74.50.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 51.00-57.00 CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-3 50.50-56.00 CANNER AND LOW DRESSING CUTTER 1-2 42.50-50.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1245-2230 LBS. 57.00-64.50 INDIVIDUAL YG 1 2130 LBS. 67.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: FEEDER STEERS: FEW LARGE FRAME #2 425-625 LBS. 84.00-85.50 FEW 800-950 LBS. 78.25-81.25 FEEDER HEIFERS: FEW MEDIUM & LARGE FRAME #2 400-525 LBS. 81.50-85.50.

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