

### Virginia Weekly April 25, 1991

MARKETS IN REVIEW; APRIL 18-24,1991. FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 LOWER AS MID-WEST PRICES WERE \$1.75-2.50 LOW-

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS IN VIRGINIA WERE 50 CENT TO \$2.25 LOWER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO 75 CENT LOWER.

COWS AND BULLS IN VIRGINIA WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 HIGHER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$3.00 HIGHER. BEEF PRODUCTION WAS 5% ABOVE A WEEK AGO AND 5% ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 22 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN A YEAR AGO.

LAMB PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE \$1.75-5.75 HIGHER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$8.00 LOWER. LAMB PRODUCTION WAS 3% ABOVE A WEEK AGO AND 8% ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 1 POUND LIGHTER THAN A YEAR AGO.

SLAUGHTER HOG PRICES IN VIR-GINIA WERE 50 CENT HIGHER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$2.00 HIGH-ER. FRESH PORK PRICES WERE MIX-ED, \$5.50 HIGHER TO \$4.00 LOWER. HOG PRODUCTION WAS LESS THAN 1% ABOVE A WEEK AGO AND 7% ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 1 POUND LIGHTER THAN A YEAR AGO.

THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET APRIL 18-24,1991. RECEIPTS FOR THE DIRECT HOG

MARKET IN VIRGINIA FOR THE PER-IOD TOTALED 5,197 HEAD COMPARED TO LAST WEEK 4,408 HEAD. THE SOUTHEAST VIRGINIA HOG MARKET CLOSED 50 CENT HIGHER COMPARED TO LAST WEDNES-DAY'S TRADING WITH BARROWS AND GILTS: COUNTRY POINTS LOC-AL PLANT DELIVERED (30 MILE RADIUS) US 1-3 220-240 LBS 49.00-49.50 51.00-52.00 US 3-4 220-240 LBS 49.00-50.00 US 1-3 200-220 LBS 45.00-48.00 US 2-4 250-270 LBS 46.00-47.00 US 3-4 270-300 LBS 42.00-43.00 SOWS \$34.00-47.20 AND BOARS 30.00 VALLEY AND NORTH-**ERN VIRGINIA HOGS; 843 HEAD FOR** THE PERIOD. US 1-3 210-250 LBS

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS 2%; SLAUGHTER COWS 11% SLAUGHTER BULLS 1%, SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS 1%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 68%, OVER 600 LBS 17%

PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA

WEEKLY AUCTIONS

SLAUGHTER CATTLE STEERS: CHOICE 2-3 1100-1300 LBS 71.75-79.25 CHOICE 2-3 1300 LBS & OVER 73.50-80.25 HEIFERS; CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LBS 69.50-75.50 CHOICE 2-3 1100 LBS & OVER 70.00-78.75 SLAUGHTER COWS UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 45.00-58.00 SLAUGHTER BULLS BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LBS 55.25-69.00 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 57.00-69.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 55.75-68.25 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS VEALERS -HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 200-350 LBS 111.00-119.00 GOOD AND CHOICE 200-350 LBS 97.00-111.00 FEW

91.00-95.00 CALVES '- GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 77.00-85.00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS SPRING 64.00-70.00 HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS WOOL 53.75-60.50 SLAUGHTER HOGS US 1-3 200-250 LBS 44.50-48.35 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 40.00-44.95 500 LBS & OVER 40.00-47.00

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS; MEDIUM 1 HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1

200-300 LBS 117.00-132. 00 300-400 LBS 97.00-115.00 300-400 106.00-125.00 400-500 90.00-107.00 400-500 109.00-122.00 500-600 82,00-97.00 500-600 97.00-114.00 600-700 77.00-88.00 600-700 88.00-100.00 700-800 72.00-83.00 700-800 80.00-92.00 800-900 70.00-75.00 800-900 75.00-83.75.

#### N. Virginia Livestock Orange, VA April 24, 1991

NO REPORT AVAILABLE THIS WEEK.

## Central & Southeast Virginia Livestock Blackstone - Southside, VA April 24, 1991

SLAUGHTER HOGS 250 HEAD **SLAUGHTER SOWS 50 CENT TO \$1.25** LOWER. BOARS STEADY. SOWS US 1-3, 300-500 LB. 43.75 - 44.95 US 1-3, 500 LBS. & OVER 46.75 - 46.90 BOARS 300-600 LB. 41.60 - 42.30

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 58 HEAD -SLAUGHTER STEERS 50 CENT LOW-ER. SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY TO \$1.00 HIGHER. SLAUGHTER BULLS STEADY.

SLAUGHTER STEERS & HEIFERS 10 HEAD STEERS CHOICE 2-3, 1150-1300 LB. 72.75 - 75.00 SLAUGHTER COWS 35 HEAD

COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 47.50 - 57.25 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 48.00 - 56.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 44.00 - 46.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS 9 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 900-1300 LB. 54.00 -62.00 Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 52.00 -66.00 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 60.75

SLAUGHTER CALVES & VEALERS

4 HEAD VEALERS CHOICE AND PRIME, 200-350 LB. 111.00 GOOD AND CHOICE, 200-350 LB. 91.00 - 95.00

FEEDER CATTLE 300 HEAD - FEED-ER STEERS, FEEDER HEIFERS AND FEEDER BULLS MOSTLY STEADY. STEERS MEDIUM 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 118.00-121.00 104.00-124.50 400-500 102.00-114.00 - 500-600 96.00-101.00 - 600-700 84.50- 89.50 -700-800 82.00- 84.00 - HOLSTEIN STEER MED & LARGE 2 300- 500 87.50- 92.50

HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 95.00- 97.00 83.00-88.00 85.00- 96.00 400-500 92.50- 96.00 83.00- 88.00 78.00- 88.00 500-600 82.00-91.50 - - 600-700 82.00 - - BULLS MEDIUM 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300 -112.00-134.00 300-400 103.00-119.00 105.00-123.00 400-500 94.00-104.00 95.00-100.00 500-600 86.50- 97.00 -600-700 82.00- 84.00 - COWS RETURNED TO FARMS 10 HEAD -COWS M&L-2, 3-5 YR OLD \$50.00-56.50 PER CWT. M-1, 3-4 YR OLD \$50.00-58.50 PER CWT. BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 10 HEAD OVER 100 LBS \$132.00-162.50 PER

#### S.W. Virginia Livestock Wytheville, VA April 23, 1991

SLAUGHTER HOGS 13 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. BARROWS AND GILTS US 1-3, 200-250 LB. 46.00 US 2-4, 250-300 LB. 40.50 SOWS US 1-3, 500 LBS. & OVER 45.00 - 46.00 BOARS 300-600 LB. 37.00

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 65 HEAD -NO TRENDS REPORTED.

**SLAUGHTER COWS 61 HEAD** COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 47.00 - 56.00 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 50.00 - 57.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 42.00 - 48.00

**SLAUGHTER BULLS 4 HEAD** BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 58 75 -61.00 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 55.00

LAMBS TOTAL RECEIPTS 115 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. **SLAUGHTER LAMBS 48 HEAD** SPRING CHOICE AND PRIME, 95-125 LB. 64.50 CHOICE, 85-125 LB. 63.50 WOOLED CHOICE, 85-125 LB. 55.00

**EWES & RAMS 67 HEAD EWES ALL** GRADES 17.00 - 18.50 RAMS ALL GRADES 18.00

FEEDER CATTLE 276 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. STEERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300 117.00-122.00 - -100.00-120.00 300-400 115.00-122.00 114.00-124.00 - 106.00-116.00 400-500 109.00-119.00 110.00-118.00 95.00 103.00-115.00 500-600 100.00 - 85.00-90.00 95.00- 98.00 600-700 89.00- 99.00 -85.00- 90.00 700-800 88.00- 89.00 - - -800-900 79.00 - - - HOLSTEIN STEER MED & LARGE 2 300- 500 92.00-112.00 500- 700 85.00 700- 900 70.00

HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE I SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300 108.00-118.00 - - 95.00- 98.00 300-400 108.00 97.00-103.00 - 92.00-101.00 400-500 92.00- 99.50 95.00- 98.00 82.00-87.00 85.00- 95.00 500-600 85.00- 95.00 94.00-100.00 75.00- 79.00 84.00- 90.00 600-700 80.00- 83.00 - - 74.00- 77.00 700-800 72.00- 77.00 - - - BULLS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 105.00-115.00 114.00-119.00 100.00-107.00 96.00-106.00 400-500 96.00-105.00 - - -500-600 87.00- 95.00 - - - 600-700 - - - -700-900 78.00 - - - COWS RETURNED TO FARMS 5 HEAD; S-1, 5-9 YR OLD 775-875 LBS \$405.00-485.00; M&L-1, 6 YR OLD 950 LBS \$630.00 PER HEAD. COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE 5 PAIR; M&L-1, 5-10 YR OLD 850-1050 LBS WITH CALVES 90-200 LBS \$660.00-780.00 PER PAIR. BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 16 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD \$50.00-200.00 MOSTLY \$105.00-175.00

#### Peoria Cattle Peoria, IL April 15, 1991

CATTLE: 1000 TRADING MOD-ERATE. COMPARED WITH LAST MONDAY SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS .50 TO 1.00 LOWER. COWS AND BULLS MOSTLY STEADY. SUPPLY MAINLY SELECT TO AVER-AGE CHOICE SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS WITH ABOUT 12%

SLAUGHTER STEERS: CHOICE 2-4 1050-1300 LBS. 78 00-80 00 MIXED SELECT & CHOICE 2-3 1000-1300 LBS 75 00-78.00 SELECT 2-3 950-1200 LBS



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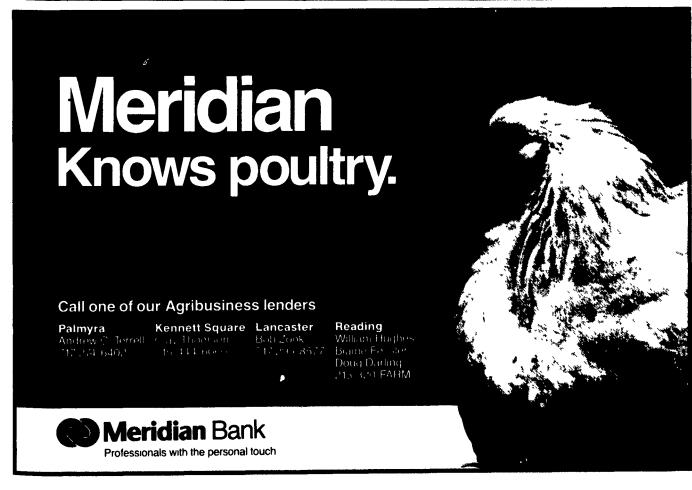


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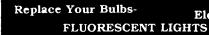
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