

Virginia Weekly Richmond, Va.

Wednesday, August 7, 1991 WEEKLY REVIEW IN VIRGINIA MARKETS IN REVIEW: AUGUST 1-7, 1991. FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA WERE \$5.00-7.50 LOWER.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS IN VIRGINIA WERE - NONE SOLD

COWS AND BULLS IN VIRGINIA WERE \$3.50 TO \$6.00 LOWER. BEEF PRODUCTION WAS 1% BELOW A WEEK AGO BUT 1% ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVEAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 10 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN A YEAR AGO.

LAMB PRICES IN VIRGINIA WERE UNEVEN, \$.50 HIGHER TO \$.50 LOW-ER. LAMB PRODUCTION WAS 1% BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 2% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 1 POUND HEAVIER THAN A YEAR AGO.
SLAUGHTER HOG PRICES IN VIR.

GINIA WERE \$1.00 LOWER. FRESH PORK PRICES WERE \$2.00 TO \$5.00 LOWER, EXCEPT LOINS WHICH WERE \$.50 TO \$3.50 HIGHER. HOG PRODUCTION WAS 1% BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 1% BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE THE SAME AS LAST YEAR.

THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET AUGUST 1-7, 1991. RECEIPTS FOR THE DIRECT HOG MARKET IN VIRGINIA POR THE PER-IOD TOTALED 4,321 HEAD COM-PARED TO LAST WEEK 3,733 HEAD. THE SOUTHEAST VIRGINIA HOG MARKET CLOSED \$1.00 LOWER COMPARED TO LAST WEDNES-DAY'S TRADING WITH BARROWS AND GILTS: COUNTRY POINTS LOC-AL PLANT DELIVERED (30 MILE RADIUS) US 1-3 210-240 LBS 52.50-53.00 54.00-55.00 US 3-4 210-240 LBS 52.00-53.00 US 1-3 200-220 LBS 48.00-51.00 US 2-4 240-270 LBS 49.00-50.00 US 3-4 270-300 LBS 45.00-46.00 SOWS \$37.00-43.10 AND BOARS 33.00-34.50 VALLEY AND NORTHERN VIRGINIA HOGS: 404 HEAD FOR THE PERIOD. US 1-3 210-250 LBS \$53.50-54.50.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS -%; SLAUGHTER COWS --% SLAUGHTER BULLS -%, SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS -%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS -- %. OVER 600 LBS -- % PRICE RANGES FOR VIR-

TER CATTLE STEERS: CHOICE 2-3 1150-1300 LBS 65.75-68.70 CHOICE 2-3 1300 LBS & OVER 64.50-68.80 HEIF-ERS; CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LBS ---CHOICE 2-3 1100 LBS & OVER ---SLAUGHTER COWS UTILITY & COM-MERCIAL COWS 40.00-52.25 SLAUGHTER BULLS BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LBS 50.00-65.25 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 50.50-67.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 55.50-64.00 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS VEALERS - HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 200-350 LBS ---GOOD AND CHOICE 200-350 LBS ---CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 74.00-88.50 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS SPRING 40.50-53.50 SLAUGHTER HOGS US 1-3 200-250 LBS 45.00 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 34.00-42.00 500 LBS & OVER 35.

50-43.50 FEEDER CATTLE STEERS: MEDIUM 1 HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300 LBS 100.00-118.00 300-400 LBS 82.00-96.00 300-400 90.00-116.00 400-500 78.50-91.00 400-500 86.00-106.00 500-600 75.00-84.00 500-600 85.00-98.00 600-700 69.00-81.00 600-700 77.50-94.00 700-800 67.50-73.50 700-800 76.50-85.25 800-900 60.00-67.00 800-900 65.00-83.75.

Northern Virginia Livestock Summary

Orange, Va.

Wednesday, August 7, 1991 SLAUGHTER CATTLE 50 HEAD **SLAUGHTER COWS 42 HEAD COWS** CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 44.25 48.00 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 46.50 - 51.25 SLAUGHTER BULLS 8 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 900-1300 LB. 62.00 Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 55.00 -58.50 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 60.00 - 63.00.

GINIA WEEKLY AUCTIONS SLAUGH-

Central & Southeast Virginia Livestock Summary Smithfield, Va.

FEEDER CATTLE 287 HEAD.

STEERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1

SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400

97.00-110.00 97.00-110.00 - - 400-500

95.00- 97.50 95.00- 97.50 - - 500-600 -

87.00- 90.50 - - 600-700 80.00- 86.00

HOLSTEIN STEER MED & LARGE 2

500- 700 70.50- 77.00. HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1

SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 200-300

96.00-101.00 - - - 300-400 89.00- 93.50

95.00-100.00 79.00- 84.00 86.00- 92.50

400-500 82.00- 86.50 86.50- 88.00 - -

500-600 79.00- 86.00 79.00- 86.00 70.00-

74.00 74.00- 76.00 600-700 72.00- 75.00

1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 93.00- 99.00

- 400-500 83.00- 90.00.

BULLS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL

COWS RETURNED TO FARMS 34

COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE 6

HEAD M&L-1&2, 850-1100 LBS 4 -10

YRS OLD \$340.00-610.00 PER HEAD.

HEAD M&L-1&2, 6-10 YRS OLD

900-1150 LBS WITH CALVES 140-240

LBS \$650.00-770.00 PER PAIR.
BABY CALVES RETURNED TO

FARMS 60 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4

WKS OLD LARGE \$85.00-110.00,

SMALL \$50.00-80.00 100 LBS & OVER

\$120.00-145.00 PER CWT.

80.00- 86.00 - 79.00- 82.00.

72.00- 75.00.

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NO REPORT ON BLACKSTONE: SLAUGHTER HOGS 165 HEAD SOWS US 1-3, 300-500 LB. 41.50 US 1-3, 500 LBS. & OVER 41.50 BOARS 300-600 LB. 35.00 - 36.50.

LAMBS TOTAL RECEIPTS 35 HEAD FEEDER LAMBS 35 HEAD FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE AND FANCY, 70-85 LB. 35.50 - 38.00.

FEEDER CATTLE 42 HEAD - TOO FEW IN ANY ONE CLASS TO QUOTE.

Southwest Virginia **Livestock Summary** Wytheville, Va.

Tuesday, August 6, 1991

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 80 HEAD SLAUGHTER COWS 70 HEAD COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 46.00 -49.50 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 45.00 - 51.75 CANNER AND LOW CUT-TER 1-2 40.00 - 45.25 SLAUGHTER BULLS 10 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 900-1300 LB. 59.00 - 62.50 Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 54.50 - 61.50 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 59.25 - 64.00.

LAMBS TOTAL RECEIPTS 36 HEAD SLAUGHTER LAMBS 17 HEAD SPRING CHOICE AND PRIME, 95-125 LB. 40.50 - 44.75 FEEDER LAMBS 19 HEAD FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE AND FANCY, 70-85 LB. 37.50.

FEEDER CATTLE 225 HEAD STEERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 500-600 - - - 87.00-90.00 600-700 - - 75.00 73.50 700-800 76.50- 77.50 - 76.50 - 800-900 73.50-74.50 - 74.00 -

HOLSTEIN STEER MED & LARGE 2 300- 500 83.50- 91.00 500- 700 67.00-79.50 900-1100 59.00.

HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 - -79.50 - 400-500 80.00 - 75.25 - 500-600 - -65.00 75.00- 79.00 600-700 76.50 - -

BULLS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 92.00- 98.00 - 500-600 - - 70.00- 78.50 - 600-700 81.00- 82.00.

COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE 8 HEAD L-1, 1000-1100 LBS 4-9 YRS OLD WITH CALVES 150-200 LBS \$650.00-800.00; M-1, 775 LBS 3 YRS OLD WITH CALVES 150 LBS \$600.00; M-2, 800 LBS 8 YRS OLD WITH CALVES 250 LBS \$650.00 PER PAIR.

BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 37 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WKS OLD \$70.00-195.00, MOSTLY \$85.00-140.00.

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WED., SEPT. 4	6:30 P.M.	WINROSS TRUCK AUCTION
TUES., SEPT. 17	9:00 A.M.	QUILT, CRAFT & BUGGY AUCTION-BUGGIES 1 P.M.
WED., SEPT, 18	9:00 A.M.	QUILT, CRAFT AUCTION
FRI., SEPT. 27	9:00 A.M.	FARM EQUIPMENT AUCTION
TUES., OCT. 1	6:00 P.M.	WHOLESALE WOOD FURN. & CRAFT ITEMS AUCTION
WED., OCT. 9	6:30 P.M.	GUNS & WINROSS TRUCK AUCTION
TUES., OCT. 15	10:00 A.M.	HARVEST EQUIPMENT AUCTION (NO SMALL ITEMS)
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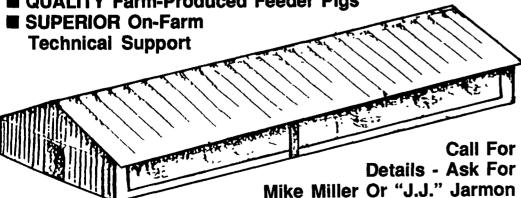
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