Delmarva **Broiler/Fryer Market** Wednesday, October 28, 1992

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was light to fair overall. Offerings ranged adequate to fully adequate. Live supplies were moderate. Weights varied in a full range. Slaughter schedules remained heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 54 to 62 cents. Trade sentiment was barely steady to steady. In the parts complex, wings and boneless/ skinless breasts were available and slow in clearing. Bone-in breasts were irregularly balanced. Leg quarters and thighs were in best balance. Drums were fully adequate.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 4.58 2,231 4.57.

***BROILER/FRYER CURRENT** NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDI-ATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA.

BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE 48-63 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 54.64 NO. OF BOXES 10,184.

*7 of 9 plants reporting.

Greencastle Livestock

Greencastle, Pa

Monday, Oct. 26, 1992 SLAUGHTER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 616. SLAUGHTER STEERS: 127 HD TREND: STEADY.

HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 74.00-76.50; CHOICE 2-3 950-1075 LBS. 68.00-73.00; CHOICE 2-3 1075-1375 LBS. 70.00-74.25; CHOICE 2-3 OVER 1375 LBS. 65.00-71.75; CHOICE 4 ALL WEIGHTS 63.00-67.50; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 950-1100 LBS. 66.00-71.50; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 1100-1375 LBS. 65.00-69.75; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 OVER 1375 LBS. 62.00-65.75.

HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1050-1450 LBS. 62.50-66.75; SELECT 1-2 1050-1450 LBS. 54.00-61.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: 68 HD. TREND: STEADY. CHOICE 2-3 850-1000 LBS. 63.00-68.00; CHOICE 2-3 1000-1250 LBS. 68.00-74.75; CHOICE 4 ALL WEIGHTS 62.00-67.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 850-1000 LBS. 60.00-67.50; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 1000-1250 LBS. 62.00-71.25.

HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1000-1350 LBS. 57.50-64.50; SELECT & CHOICE

1-2 1000-1350 LBS. 54.00-57.50. SLAUGHTER BULLS: 56 HD. TREND: STEADY TO WEAKER. YIELD GRADE 1 ALL WEIGHTS 59.00-67.00; YIELD GRADE 2 ALL WEIGHTS 54.00-59.25.

BULLOCKS: 11 HEAD. CHOICE 1-3 950-1150 LBS. 61.00-64.00; SELECT 1-3 1150-1375 LBS. 63.00-67.50; SELECT 1-2 950-1250 LBS. 62.00-69.00.

COWS: 354 HD. TREND: STEADY TO WEAKER. BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 45.50-50.75; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 46.75-51.75; CAN-NER & LOW CUTTER 46.50 & DOWN.

STOCKER & FEEDER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 329 HD. TREND: STEADY, GOOD DEMAND. BEEF TYPES: 200-400 LBS. STEERS 80.00-108.50, BULLS 80.00-102.00, HEIFERS 70.00-92.00; 400-600 LBS. STEERS 75.00-91.00, BULLS 70.00-82.50, HEIF-ERS 68.00-80.00; 600-800 LBS. STEERS 74.00-84.50, BULLS 60.00-71.50, HEIF-ERS 66.00-76.00; 800-975 LBS. STEERS 66.00-74.25, BULLS 57.00-61.75, HEIF-ERS 61.00-66.00.

HOLSTEINS AND DAIRY CROSS: 200-400 LBS. STEERS 70.00-79.00, BULLS 65.00-75.00; HEIFERS 75.00-106.00; 400-600 LBS. STEERS 65.00-70.00, BULLS 58.00-64.00, HEIF-ERS 70.00-81.00: 600-800 LBS. STEERS 60.00-64.00, BULLS 51.00-58.50, HEIF-ERS 60.00-74.00; 800-975 LB. STEERS 53.50-60.50, BULLS 47.00-52.75, HEIF-ERS 60.00-64.00.

CALVES 607 HD. VEAL CALVES TREND: STEADY. CHOICE 150-300 LBS. 85.00-102.00; GOOD 150-300 LBS 75.00-90.00; GOOD 100-150 LBS 60 00-80.00, GOOD 80-100 LBS 55.00-70.00, STANDARD 80-100 LBS 50.00-60.00, STANDARD 80 LBS & DOWN 50.00 AND DOWN

CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM: TREND: STEADY WITH STRONG DEMAND. HOLSTEIN BULLS OVER 100 LBS UP TO 164 00, UNDER 100 LBS. UP TO 160.00, HOLS-TEIN HEIFERS OVER 100 LBS. UP TO 170 00; UNDER 100 LBS. UP TO 155 00, BEEF TYPE BULLS OVER 90 LBS UP TO 150 00; BEEF TYPE HEIFERS OVER 90 LBS. UP TO 135.00

SHEEP & LAMBS: 109 HD. LAMBS TREND: STEADY TO 3.00 WEAKER CHOICE 80-100 LBS 52.00-56 00, 100-120 LBS. 49.00-53.00, 120 AND OVER 45.00-49.00, MEDIUM & GOOD ALL WEIGHTS 49.00-58 00; LIGHT LAMBS 60.00-63.50; LIGHT LAMBS 60.00-75.00, FEW SMALL UP TO 100.00. SHEEP. EWES LEAN 17.50-22.75, EWES FAT 15.00-18.50; YEARLINGS 30.00-34.00; BUCKS 15.00-19.00.

GOATS: 104 HD. SMALL 13.00-26 00, MEDIUM 25.00-45.00; LARGE 45.00-109.00.

HOGS, SOWS & BOARS: 129 HD. TREND: STEADY TO 1.00 LOWER HOGS, BARROWS & GILTS: 210-250 LBS. 40.00-41.25; 250-260 LBS 39.00-40.50; 260-270 LBS. 37.00-39.00; 270-300 LBS. 36.00-38.00

LIGHT HOGS: 140-180 LBS. 30.00-35.00; 180-210 LBS. 33.00-37.00 SOWS: TREND. 2.00 HIGHER. GOOD SOWS UNDER 400 LBS. 35.00-38.00, GOOD SOWS OVER 400 LBS.

35.00-39 50: CULL SOWS ALL WEIGHTS 32.00 & DOWN. BOARS: TREND: STEADY. 180-210

LBS. 26.00-33.00; 210-260 LBS. 32.00-35.50; 260-300 LBS. 27.00-30.00; 300 LBS. & OVER 28.50-31.25.

SALE EVERY MONDAY AT 2:00 P.M. & EVERY THURSDAY AT 1:00 P.M.

HAY & STRAW SALE EVERY MON-DAY & THURSDAY AT 11:30 A.M. SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE: FRIDAY, NOV. 6, 1992, AT 7:15 P.M. SPECIAL FEEDER PIG SALE: SATURDAY, NOV. 28, AT 1:00 P.M.

Oklahoma City Feeder Cattle Oklahoma City, Okla. Wednesday, October 28, 1992

ATTN DODGE CITY OKLAHOMA NATIONAL STOCK-YARDS WEEKLY CATTLE SUMMARY.

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers over 600 lbs. steady; exception noted on 900-1000 lb. steers \$2.00 higher. Calves steady to \$2.00 higher with full advance on heifers. Calf demand good and much improved over past several weeks. Weather pattern is indicating good chances

for needed first rain since wheat planting. Calf condition similar to last monday with many calves in attractive flesh condition versus the soft fleshy condition of previous period. Feedlot demand for yearlings moderate. Overall quality of calves and yearlings average to attractive. Weigh condi-tion of both classes average to full. Yearlings continue average to thin in flesh and attractive to buyers. Slaughter cows \$1.00-\$2.00 lower. Slaughter bulls \$1.00-\$1.50 lower. Cow and bull demand fair from packers; good from country replacement buyers. Receipts this week 9,025; last week 12,138; last year 6,285. Supply consisted of 61% yearlings and big calves over 600 lbs.; 30% calves under 600 lbs.; 9% cows and bulls. Bulk prices follow; weighted average prices in parenthesis:

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large Frame 1, few 325-400 lbs. \$101.50-\$107.00 (\$106.39); 400-450 lbs. \$95.00-\$100.00 (\$97.42); 450-500 lbs. \$92.00- \$97.50 (\$94.01); 500-550 lbs. \$85.50-\$91.50 (\$89.36); 550-600 lbs. \$85.00- \$88.50 (\$86.41); 600-700 lbs. calves \$81.00-\$86.00, yearling or thin calves \$85.75-\$90.75 (\$85.38); 700-800 lbs. \$81.00-\$87.00 (\$84.36); 800- 850 lbs. \$80.00-\$85.00 (\$82.69); 850-900 lbs. \$76.25-\$80.75 (\$78.66); 900-950 lbs. \$76.00-\$82.00 (\$80.20). Large Frame 2 Holsteins, 475-525 lbs. \$73.00-\$74.50 (\$73.50); 575-775 lbs. \$67.50-\$70.25 (\$68.00); lot 850 lbs. \$64.50; pkg 925 lbs. \$61.00.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame 1, 325-400 lbs. \$86.00-\$95.25 (\$90.94); 400-450 lbs. \$85.00-\$92.25 (\$88.49); 450-500 lbs. \$81.00-\$87.00, fleshy \$78.00-\$81.00 (\$82.16); 500-600 lbs. \$78.25-\$81.50, thin \$83.00- \$85.75 (\$81.28); 600-700 lbs. \$78.00-\$81.25, thin \$81.00-\$84.25 (\$80.77); 700-800 lbs. \$77.00-\$81.25 (\$79.41); 800-900 lbs. \$74.75-\$75.00.

Slaughter Cows: Cutter, Boning Utility, and Breaking Utility Y.G. 1-4, average dressing \$42.00-\$45.00; high dressing \$44.50-\$47.50, very high \$47.50-\$49.50; low dressing \$38.50-\$42.00. Canner and low Cutter \$34.00-\$38.50.

Slaughter Bulls: Y.G. 1 1250-2300 lbs. average dressing \$54.50-\$58.50; high dressing \$58.50-\$61.00; high dressing/ high boning \$62.25-\$65.50. Y.G. 1-2 low dressing, thin, or fleshy 1150-2250 lbs. \$49.75-\$54.25

Friend's

Stockyard Inc. Accident, Md. 21520

Oct. 26, 1992

STOCK BULLS AND STEERS (200-500 LBS.) 75.00-92.00. STOCK HEIFERS 60.00-80.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE 69.00-74.00; MEDIUM TO GOOD 65.00-68.75; HEAVY CHOICE OVER 1450 LBS. 65.00-70.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS HEAVY 58.50-64.50; LIGHT 53.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 68.00-71.75; MEDIUM TO GOOD 61.00-67.50.

BULLS HEAVY 58.00-67.25; LIGHT 52.00-58.75.

COWS FEW HIGH DRESSING 48.00-51.50; UTILITY HOLSTEIN 44.50-48.50, CANNERS 40.00-47.00, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 41.00-44.50, CULL COWS 40.00 AND DOWN. VEALS GOOD TO CHOICE

85.00-90.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-82.00.

BOB CALVES 40.00 AND DOWN. HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES, RETURN

TO FARM (90-120 LBS.) 125.00-161 00. HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES, RETURN TO FARM (100-120 LBS.) 120.00-175.00.

BEEF X CALVES, RETURN TO FARM, UP TO 162.50.

HOGS: TOP QUALITY 41.50-42.50, HEAVY 40.50-41.80, LIGHT 38.00-40.00.

SOWS 28.00-33.00.

MALE HOGS: 24.00-30.00.

LAMBS: 48.00-53.50.

SHEEP: 15.00-28.00.

LIVESTOCK PRICES ARE ALL GIVEN PER HUNDREDWEIGHT!



