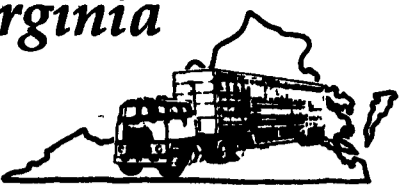


Virginia



Cattle & Hogs

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Wednesday, January 27, 1993

WEEKLY REVIEW IN VIRGINIA REVIEW OF VIRGINIA DIRECT HOGS FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY 20 - 26. RECEIPTS FOR COUNTRY BUYING STATIONS IN VIRGINIA FOR THE PERIOD TOTALED 998 HEAD. RECEIPTS FOR DELIVERY TO THE PLANT (WITHIN A 30 MILE RADIUS) FOR THE PERIOD TOTALED 3051 HEAD. THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET FOR TUESDAY JANUARY

16 CLOSED STEADY - \$1.00 HIGHER COMPARED TO LAST TUESDAY'S TRADING.

BARROWS AND GILTS: VIRGINIA COUNTRY POINTS U.S. 1-3 220-250 LBS 39.50-42.50.

LOCAL PLANT DELIVERED (30 MILE RADIUS): US 1-2 220-250 LBS. 42.00-43.00 FEW 43.50 US 2-3 220-250 LBS. 40.00-42.00 US 1-3 200-210 LBS. 38.00-39.00 US 1-3 210-220 LBS. 40.00-41.00 US 2-4 250-260 LBS. 39.00-40.00 US 2-4 260-270 LBS. 37.00-38.00 US 3-4 270-280 LBS. 35.00-36.00 US 3-4 280-300 LBS.

33.00-34.00. SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 0%; SLAUGHTER COWS 18% SLAUGHTER BULLS 1%, SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS 0%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 57%, OVER 600 LBS 23%.

PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA WEEKLY AUCTIONS: SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS: CHOICE 2-3 1000-1150 LBS ----- CHOICE 2-3 1150-1300 LBS ----- HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LBS ----- CHOICE 2-3 1050-1300 LBS ----- SLAUGHTER COWS UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 41.00-51.75.

SLAUGHTER BULLS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 119 BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LBS 52.50-65.50 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 52.00-65.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 54.00-64.25.

SLAUGHTER CALVES & VEALERS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 15 HEAD CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 68.00-75.00.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 367 CHOICE & FEW PRIME 1-2, 95-125 LBS WOOLED 71.00-73.50 CHOICE 1-2 85-125 LBS WOOLED 60.00-84.00 CHOICE 1-2 PKG 89 LB SPRING 89.50.

SLAUGHTER HOGS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 111 US 1-3 200-250 LBS 37.50-38.25 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 27.00-42.00 500 LBS & OVER 25.00-33.75.

FEEDER CATTLE TOTAL HEAD COUNT FOR ALL WIEGHTS 4741 STEERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300 90.00-99.00 FEW 112.50-135.00 300-400 91.00-107.00 FEW 116.00 400-500 87.00-104.00 500-600 83.00- 98.00 600-700 76.00- 90.00 700-800 76.00-85.00 800-900 73.00- 82.10.

HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1 300-400 79.00-97.00 400-500 75.00- 90.00 500-600 73.00- 84.00 600-700 72.50- 80.50 700-800 68.50- 79.00 800-900 64.00-77.50.

NORTHERN VIRGINIA, FRONT ROYAL & STAUNTON UNION, VA., TUES., JAN. 19-MON., JAN. 25.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 106 HEAD SLAUGHTER STEERS & HEIFERS 106 HEAD STEERS CHOICE 2-3 1150-1300 LB 77.00-81.00 CHOICE 2-3 1300 LBS & OVER 77.00-81.00 CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LB 70.00-73.50 HEIFERS CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LB 74.75-80.25 CHOICE 2-3 1100 LB & OVER 75.25-80.00.

Northern Virginia

Marshall, Virginia

Tuesday, January 26, 1993

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 87 HEAD SLAUGHTER COWS 78 HEAD COWS CUTTER & BONING UT 1-3 48.50 - 51.50 BREAKING UTILITY 2-4 42.00 - 48.00 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 41.50 - 47.25.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 9 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 900-1300 LB 61.00 - 68.00 Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 55.00 - 63.25 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS & OVER 55.50 - 59.00

FEEDER CATTLE 240 HEAD STEERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED&LARGE 2 300-400 --- 94.00-100.00 --- 400-500 94.00 89.00 90.00-94.50 --- 500-600 84.00- 91.50 82.50 84 50 75 00 600-700 79.50-86.00 --- 800-900 82.75-84.25 --- 900-1000 82.00 --- 73.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS MED&LARGE 1-2 400-500 LB 85.50 700-800 LB 68.00. HEIFERS MEDIUM 1 LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 84.50- 85.00 --- 83.00 70.50-78.50 400-500 79.00- 83.50 --- 75.50-76.50 --- 500-600 76.00- 77.00 82.00 --- 600-700 73.50- 77.25 --- 72.00 700-800 72.00.

BULLS MEDIUM 1 SMALL 1 MED-&LARGE 2 200-300 --- 93.00 --- 300-400 100.00 85.00 77.50 400-500 85.00-87.00 80.00-83.00 --- 500-600 --- 75.50.

BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 9 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD \$50.00-82.50 PER HEAD. OVER 100 LBS \$----- PER CWT.

Wytheville, Virginia

Tuesday, January 26, 1993

SLAUGHTER HOGS 5 HEAD BARROWS AND GILTS US 2-4, 250-300 LB. --- SOWS US 1-3, 300-500 LB. 31.50 US 1-3, 500 LBS. & OVER 32.50-33.00 BOARS 22.00.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE 54 HEAD: SLAUGHTER COWS 49 HEAD COWS CUTTER & BONING UT. 1-3 40.00 - 48.50 HIGH DRESSING 49.50 - 50.50 BREAKING UT. & COMM. 2-4 44.00 - 49.50 HIGH DRESSING 50.50 - 53.50 CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 1-2 32.00 - 35.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 5 HEAD BULLS Y.G. 1-2, 1300-1600 LB. 52.00-54.00 Y.G. 1-2, 1600 LBS. & OVER 57.75-59.25.

LAMBS TOTAL RECEIPTS 43 HEAD SLAUGHTER LAMBS 25 HEAD WOOLED CHOICE & FEW PRIME 1-2, 95-125 LB. 70.75 CHOICE 1-2, 85-125 LB. 70.00 FEEDER LAMBS 18 HEAD CHOICE AND FANCY, 70-85 LB. 78.50 CHOICE AND FANCY 60 70 LB. 77.00 EWES & RAMS 50 HEAD EWES ALL GRADES 24.00 - 31.50 RAMS ALL GRADES 30.00 GOATS: 31 HEAD AT 20.00-87.00, MOSTLY 49.00-76.00 PER HEAD.

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