

Greencastle Livestock

Greencastle, Pa.

Thursday, February 4, 1993

CATTLE: 215. COMPARED WITH LAST THURSDAY'S MARKET; SL. COWS STRONG TO \$2 HIGHER, MOST ADVANCE ON BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL. HOLSTEINS: ONE SEL. 61.50, FEW SEL & CHOICE HOLSTEIN 57.00-62.25, STAND. ONE 55.00. SL. COWS 51.25-54.50, FEW TO 55.75, LOW DRESSING TO 47.00, CUTTER/BON. UT. 46.85-52.00, FEW TO 53.85, CANNER/LOW CUTTER 43.00-47.25, SHELLS DOWN TO 35.00. ONE SEL. HOLSTEIN 55.00, ONE-STAND. 52.00. NO. 1 FEW 1685/1840 LBS. SL. BULLS 56.25-62.00.

CALVES: 405 HOLSTEIN BULLS & HEIFERS \$5 TO \$20 HIGHER. STAND. & GD. 80/110 LBS. 48.00-62.00, FEW UT. 60/75 LBS. 40.00-47.00. NO. 1, HOLSTEIN BULLS 90/125 LBS. 172.50-212.00, 75/90 LBS. 122.00-170.00; NO. 2 90/105 LBS. 115.00-185.00, FEW TO 90.00, 70/85 LBS. 72.50-130.00. NO. 1, HOL. HEIFERS 80/110 LBS. 135.00-192.50, COUPLE TO 229.00, #2 80/120 LBS. 85.00-135.00, FEW 70/75 LBS. 62.50-82.50. BEEF CROSS 70/100 LBS. BULLS & HEIFERS 80.00-170.00, ONE 190.00.

HOGS 36.
GOATS 1. ONE MEDIUM SIZE 40.00 PER HEAD.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, PA

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Report supplied by Auction
CATTLE 198. STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 81.50, CHOICE 78.00-80.50, SELECT 74.00-77.00, SELECT & CHOICE HOLSTEINS 67.00. HEIFERS. CHOICE 80.00, SELECT 75.00-78.50.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 56.50, CUTTER & BONDING UTILITY 48.00-52.50, CANNER & LOW CUTTER 42.00-47.00, SHELLS 41.00.

BULLOCKS: SELECT 67.00.
BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1 59.00-63.00.

CALVES: 114. GOOD 94.00, STANDARD & GOOD 60 LBS. 40.00, 70 LBS. 60.00, HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 100 LBS. 190.00, #2 120 LBS. 140.00-170.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 100 LBS. 174.00.

HOGS 124. B&G US NO. 1-2 240 LBS. 43.00, US NO. 1-2 210-240 LBS. 39.00-42.50, SOWS US NO. 1-3 475 LBS. 36.50, BOARS 27.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 19. US NO. 1-3, 50/85 LBS. 29.00 PER HEAD.

SHEEP: 13. H. CHOICE & PRIME SL. LAMBS 90 LBS. 74.00.

GOATS: LARGE 70.00, MEDIUM 48.00.

First N.E. Grazing Conference Offers Alternative Possibilities

VERNON ACHENBACH JR. Lancaster Farming Staff LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.) — A two-day conference on

grazing was held this week at Lancaster Host Resort by sponsoring magazine owner and president Joel Salatin, also author of a guide book

to making money raising cattle by grazing.

The conference, sponsored by (Turn to Page A318)



Using the shadow of his index finger, Axel Linde points to a detail on an overhead viewing machine diagram of his fencing and cow-flow strategy.

Submit Now For Refund

LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.) — Refunds of amounts deducted for 1992 commercial milk marketings under the Dairy Refund Payment Program (DRPP) began in January 1993, according to Ray Brubaker, county extension director of the Lancaster County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

The program is authorized by the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990.

Farmers had 11.25 cents per hundred-weight deducted from the price paid for all milk produced and marketed for commercial use beginning in January 1992.

"This amount was increased on May 1, 1992 by 2.4 cents per hundredweight, for a total of 13.65 cents per hundredweight, to compensate for refunds paid under the 1991 program," Brubaker said.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service collects the milk assessments and ASCS will issue any refunds required.

Under the DRPP, milk producers requesting a refund must establish their milk marketings for the refund year, 1992, and the immediately preceding calendar year, 1991, before the refund request is made.

"They must request refunds from our office between January and March 15, 1993," ASCS official Brubaker said.

Producers may be eligible for a refund payment under the DRPP if they can provide evidence that their 1992 milk marketings did not exceed their 1991 milk marketings.

For more information

on the DRPP, producers should contact their local ASCS office.

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