#### **Oklahoma** City Feeder Cattle Oklahoma City, Okla. Wednesday, April 7, 1993

OKLAHOMA NATIONAL STOCKYARDS WEEKLY CATTLE SUMMARY: Compared to last week: Feeder steers and few heifers over 700 lbs. \$1.00- \$2.00 lower. Stocker steers steady; stocker heifers \$2.00-\$4.00 higher. Demand good for all steers and feeder heifers; excellent demand for stocker heifers. Genetic quality average, few attractive sets. Flesh increasing on feeders and this a minor detriment to price per cwt from last week; feeders in average to moderately fleshy condition. Stocker flesh more attractive, average to very thin. Weigh-ups comparable to last week mostly average to moderately full, with exception of stockers gaunt to average. Wheat pastures looking very good these past few weeks. Bulk sales slaughter cows and bulls steady with few closing sales on Wednesday \$.50-\$1.50 higher. Demand good for slaughter cows and bulls. Receipts this week 6,925; last week 9,933; last year 13,077. Supply consisted of 79% feeders over 600 lbs.; 19% calves and light yearlings under 600 lbs.; 2% cows and bulls. Bulk price ranges follow with weighted averages in parenthesis.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large Frame 1, 300-400 lbs. \$113.50-\$119.00 (\$116.52); 400-500 lbs. \$107.75-\$114.50 (\$110.82); 500-550 lbs. \$103.00- \$108.00 (\$105.94); 550-600 lbs. \$98.00-\$100.50 (\$98.28); 600-700 lb. stockers \$90.00-\$98.00, 650-700 lb. feeders \$87.00-\$92.00, 600-700 lbs. (\$91.88); 700-800 lbs. mostly \$84.25-\$87.75 (\$86.14); 800-900 lbs. \$81.00- \$84.25 (\$82.46); 900-1000 lbs. \$79.00-\$82.00 (\$79.83). Large Frame 2 Holsteins, 300-400 lbs. \$92.50-\$96.50; 425-500 lbs. \$88.00- \$91.25: lot 595 lbs. \$80.00: 600-700 lbs. \$76.50-\$78.50; 750-800 lbs. \$70.00-\$73.50; 800-900 lbs. \$66.00-\$69.75.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large Frame 1, 250-300 lbs. \$110.00-\$115.00 (\$111.67); 300-400 lbs. \$98.75-\$107.00 (\$104.53); 400-500 lbs. \$99.00- \$109.00 (\$103.39); 500-600 lbs. mostly thin \$90.00-\$98.50 (\$93.30); 600-675 lb. stockers \$85.00-\$89.75, feeders \$83.25-\$85.00 (\$86.65); 700-800 lbs. \$80.00-\$83.50 (\$81.91); lot 850 lbs.

Slaughter Cows: Cutter, Boning and Breaking Utility Y.G. 1-3 average dressing \$45.00-\$50.00; high dressing \$48.75-\$52.50; very high dressing \$52.75-\$54.00.

Slaughter Bulls: Y.G. 1 1350-2000 lbs. average dressing \$57.75-\$60.75; high dressing \$61.50-\$64.00; high dressing/ high boning \$65.50-\$69.00.

## **Four States** Livestock Hagerstown, Md.

#### April 7, 1993 **Report supplied by Auction**

SLAUGHTER COWS: 92 HEAD, 1.00-2.00 LOWER. UTILITY 45.00-49.00: HIGH DRESSING TO 51.75. 1 AT 54.00 CANNERS 41.00-45.00 SHELLY 41.00 DOWN.

BULLS: YG#2 1400-1800 LBS. 57.00-60.00; LOW DRESSING TO 53.00. FED STEERS: NO TOPS OFFERED; FEW HIGH CHOICE 1100-1400 LBS. 77.00-79.50; CHOICE 73.00-77.00; SELECT 67.00-73.00; 1 CHOICE HOLS-TEIN 1530 LBS. 66.25; STANDARD 58.00-60.00

FED HEIFERS: CHOICE (L DRESS-ING) 1000-1300 LBS. 73.00-76.00; SELECT 65.00-70.00.

VEAL CALVES: CHOICE 200-300 LBS. TO 90.00; CULLS 80-115 LBS. 40.00-45.00; 50-80 LBS. 30.00-40.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 140.00-155.00; 80-90 LBS. 85.00-127.00: HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. TO 162.00; BEEF X BULLS AND HEIFERS TO 152.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 65 HEAD, 1.00 LOWER. US#1&2 220-250 LBS. 43.00; 215-260 LBS. #1&3 41.00-42.00; 300-360 LBS. 33.50-37.25.

SOWS: 300-450 LBS. 35.00-40.00; 450-700 LBS. 41.00-43.75.

STOCK CATTLE: 313 HEAD. STEERS 200-400 LBS. 85.00-105.00; 400-600 LBS: 80.00-93.00: 600-800 LBS.

70.00-83.00: 800-1000 LBS, 62.00-71.00. HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 75.00-88.00; HOLSTEINS 73.00-92.00; 500-700 LBS. 68.00-85.00, FEW TO 68.00; 700-900 LBS. 59.00-64.50.

BULLS: 200-400 LBS. 90.00-112.00; 400-600 LBS. 79.00-91.00; SERVICE BULLS-CHIANGUSX 650.00; LIMOU-SIN 900.00; HEREFORDS 750-1000 LBS. TO 60.50.

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS: LARGE SPRINGERS TO 1075.00; MEDIUM FRESH TO 700.00; SHORT BREDS 950-1100 LBS. 58.00-70.00.

LAMBS: 104 HEAD. CHOICE WOOLED 90-120 LBS. 65.00-68.00; CHOICE SPRING 50-80 LBS. 74.00-81.00; CH SPRING 20-50 LBS. 74.00-93.00.

SHEEP: 20.00-32.00; FEW TO 41.00 GOATS: LARGE 70.00-100.00; MEDIUM 30.00-50.00; SMALL 14.00-30.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: NONE OFFERED.

BOARS: 300-600 LBS. 33.00-34.50, 200-250 LBS. 34.00-37.25. NEXT WED., APRIL 14: 12 REG. HOL

YEARLING HEIFERS 500-600 LBS. FROM RAYMOND DEVILBLISS; 1 REG. HOLSTEIN BULL 950 LBS. FROM STANLEY DUNN. SIRE BLACK STAR AND A HIGH PRODUCING DAM; 7 HEAD OF PUREBRED SIM COWS SELLING WITH YOUNG CALVES; 10 HEAD OF SIM X COWS WITH YOUNG CALVES: 4 YEARLING HEIFERS 4 X BRED YEARLING BULLS FROM CLYDE GROSSNICKLE. SELLING JUST AFTER DAIRY CATTLE BETWEEN 8-9 P.M.

#### Leesport Livestock Auction Leesport, Pa. Wednesday, April 7, 1993 **Report Supplied by PDA**

CATTLE 190.. PDA ... Supplied included 51 sl. steers and heifers, 26 feeder cattle .. Compared with last Wednesday's market: sl. steers 2.00 to 3.00 lower; sl.

cows uneven, extremes 3.00 higher to 2.50 lower; heifers mostly steady; small supply bulls 3.00 to 6.00 lower. STEERS; Choice 1040/1340 lbs. 75.50-78.75, one 83.00, few Select 72.00-74.00. HOLSTEINS: Choice 1295/1810 lbs. 69.00-74.00, Select 66.00-68.75, few Standard 57.00-62.50. HEIFERS: few High Choice and Prime 1020/1280 lbs. 78.00-84.00, few Choice 950/1400 lbs. 73.50-77.75, few Select 66.75-71.00, few Standard 59.00-63.00. **COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial** 45.00-51.25, Cutter and Boning Utility 44.00-48.00, Canner & low Cutter 39.00-45.25. Shells down to 30.00. BUL-LOCKS: few Select 58.00-63.25. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1360/1880 lbs. 53.50-58.00. FEEDER CATTLE: few Large Frame No. 1 817/875 lbs. steers 68.00-69.50, Large Frame No. 2 450/840 lbs. 56.50-71.00, few Medium and Large Frame No. 2 350/1000 lbs heifers 55.50-62.50, one 70.00, Large No. 1 & 2 535/940 lbs. bulls 56.00-58.00, few Medium Frame 1 & 2 350/775 lbs. 64.00-80.00.

CALVES 187 .. Vealers mostly steady; Holstein bulls steady 15.00 lower, Holstein heifers 2.00 to 27.00 higher. VEALERS: few Standard and Good 85/110 lbs. 42.50-52.50, few Utility 65/100 lbs. 30.00-47.00. RETURNED TO FARM: No. 1 Holstein Bulls 80/135 lbs. 120.00-167.00, mostly 145.00-160.00, No. 2 80/125 lbs. 70.00-130.00, 70/80 lbs. 50.00-115.00. No. 1 Holstein heifers 90/130 ibs. 167.50-217.50, 70/90 ibs. 87.50-150.00, No. 2 80/110 lbs. 85.00-140.00. Beef cross 75/145 lbs. bulls and heifers 67.50-170.00.

HOGS: 224..Barrows and gilts uneven; Sows 1.50 to 3.00 lower. BARROWS AND GILTS: US No. 1-2 221/270 lbs. 43.75-45.00, 1-3 225/255 lbs. 40.75-42.75, 201/216 lbs. 37.00-41.50, few 2-3 205/270 lbs. 34.75-36.00, 1-3 167/182 lbs. 25.00-29.00. SOWS: US No. 1-3 295/450 lbs. 30.00-37.50, 480/540 lbs. 38.50-42.00. BOARS: few 220/580 lbs. 29.00-30.25, one 177 lbs. 25.25.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, April 10, 1993-A7

FEEDER PIGS 198 ... US No. 1-2 20/30 lbs. 102.50-120.00, US 1-3 25/35 lbs. 70.00-90.00, 2-3 25/60 lbs. 60.00-66.00, few Utility 30/40 lbs. 27.00-35.00.

SHEEP 452...Slaughter lambs mostly leady. Spring sl. Lambs: High Choice 25/40 lbs. 132.50-190.00, 40/80 100.00-155.00, Choice 20/50 lbs. 107.50.00-165.00 mostly 115.00-140.00, 50/80 lbs. 80.00-120.00, Good 30/50 lbs. 80.00-115.00, 50/95 lbs. 55.00-85.00, Good and Choice 135/170 lbs. 42.50-67.50. Wooled sl. lambs: Choice 65/105 lbs. 72.50-100.00. Slaughter sheep: 17 00-34 00

GOATS 110...Large 46.00-97.00, Medium 40.00-70.00, Small 25.00-52.50, Large Kids 40.00-62.00, Small Kids 20.00-45.00, few down to 15.00. --- all per head.

### **Kutztown Produce** Auction Hay Auction Saturday, April 3, 1993

TOTAL LOADS: 38. MIXED HAY: 70.00-112.50, 2.00

BALE. ALFALFA: 79.00-110.00. TIMOTHY: 85.00-110.00. ORCHARD GRASS: 115.00-145.00. OAT STRAW: 63.00-70.00. WHEAT: 70.00-79.00. BARLEY: 67.50-70.00. RYE: 75.00. OATS: 2.00 BU. FIREWOOD: 40.00-55.00 LOAD.

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