Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

October 27, 1993

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
WEDNESDAY (EST)	125,000	4,000	351,000	19,000
WEEK AGO (EST)	123,000	4,000	345,000	20,000
YEAR AGO (EST)	124,000	5,000	363,000	22,000
WEEK TO DATE (EST)	377,000	13,000	1,001,000	55,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	373,000	13,000	1,041,000	54,000
SAME PD LT YR (ACT)	372,000	15,000	1,066,000	63,000

PREVIOUS DAY ESTIMATED STEER AND HEIFER 97,000, COW AND BULL 29,000.

Keister's Middleburg Auction Middleburg, Pa. Tuesday, October 26, 1993

Report Supplied by PDA CATTLE 550.. PDA .. Compared to last Tuesday's market: sl. steers mostly 1.00 lower, cows uneven, mostly steady to .50 lower. STEERS: Choice 1050/1475 lbs. 68.00-72.50, couple 72.75 & 73.25, Select 64.50-67.00. HOLSTEINS: Choice 1200/1450 lbs. 64.50-66.75, Select 60.00-63.00. HEIFERS: Choiœ 950/1460 lbs. 66.00-69.00, couple to 72.00, Choiœ Yield Grade 4-5 60.00-65.25. COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 47.50-50.00, couple to 51.25, Cutter & Bon. Utility 46.50-49.50, few to 51.00, Canner and Low Cutter 40.00-45.50. Shells 35.00. BULLOCKS: few Choice 66.00-69.00. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1200/1800 lbs. 55.00-62.00, one 69.50, few No. 2 900/1790 lbs. 48.00-53.00. FEEDER CATTLE: Steers: few Medium Frame No. 1 300/550 lbs. steers and bulls 81.00-89.00, few Large No. 2 350/700 lbs. Holsteins 67.00-77.00.

CALVES 219...Holstein bulls 10.00 to 15.00 lower. VEALERS: one Choice 115.00, Standard and Good 70/100 lbs. 40.00-50.00, Utility 60/85 lbs. 25.00-40.00. RETURNED TO FARM: No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/130 lbs. 125.00-145.00, couple to 150.00, No. 2 85/125 lbs. 65.00-110.00; No. 1 Holstein heifers 80/110 lbs. 110.00-192.50, few No. 2 70/100 lbs. 70.00-100.00. Beef cross bulls and heifers 70/115 lbs. 90.00-110.00.

HOGS 578..(10/25 & 10/26/93).. BAR-ROWS AND GILTS: US No. 1 230/250 lbs. 46.00-47.00, few 48.00, US 1-2 220/250 lbs. 43.00-45.75, US 1-3 200/300 lbs. 40.00-42.75. SOWS: US 1-3 350/640 lbs. 33.50-37.00, few 42.00, 300/610 lbs. 32.00-34.50. BOARS: 200/630 lbs. 31.50-33.75.

FEEDER PIGS 177..US 1-3 20/35 lbs. 25.00-41.00. - all per head.

SHEEP 90...Choice 60/105 lbs. Wooled sl. lambs 56.00-73.00. Slaughter sheep:

GOATS 13...Few Large 30.00-50.00, few Medium 22.00-40.00 .-- all per head.

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland Report Supplied by Auction Sat., October 23, 1993

STOCK BULLS AND STEERS 200-500 LBS. 70.00-100.00. STOCK HEIFERS: 55.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE, NONE AVAILABLE; MEDIUM TO GOOD, NONE AVAILABLE.

FEEDER STEERS GOOD 70.00-88.00; LIGHT 84.00-95.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE, NONE AVAILABLE; MEDIUM TO GOOD, NONE AVAILABLE.

BULLS HEAVY 54.00-59.00, LIGHT 52.50-57.00.

COWS FEW HIGH DRESSING 42.50-53.50, UTILITY HOLSTEIN 42.50-46.00, CANNERS 38.00-43.50,

CULLS 38.00 AND DOWN.
VEALS GOOD TO CHOICE
85.00-95.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 60.00-84.00. BOB CALVES: 50.00 AND DOWN.

HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. 100.00-115.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVFES RETURN TO FARM 100-120 LBS. UP TO 145.00.

BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 125.00.

HOGS TOP QUALITY 44.00-45.50, FEW TO 48.50; HEAVY 44.00-45.00, LIGHT 40.00-42.50, FEEDER PIGS BY THE HEAD 15.00-25.00.

SOWS 28.50-35.50. MALE HOGS 25.00-31.00. LAMBS 60.00-68.00, LIGHT 65.00-72.00. SHEEP 20.00-32.00.

> **Morrison Cove** Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa. October 25, 1993

Report supplied by auction CATTLE 284. STEERS CHOICE 70.50-73.00; GOOD 68.50-70.25.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 69.75-72.75; GOOD 64.50-69.00.

COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 42.75-51.25; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 37.00-47.50.

BULLOCKS: GOOD & CHOICE 58.50-66.00. **BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1**

52.50-69.50 FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS 69.00-87.00; BULLS 61.00-81.00; HEIF-ERS 54.00-77.00.

CALVES 203. PRIME, NO MKT. TEST; CHOICE, NO MKT. TEST; GOOD 82.00-93.00; STANDARD 40.00-71.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 120.00-151.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS. 140.00-191.00.

HOGS: 110. US NO. 1-2 44.75-45.75; US NO. 1-3 40.50-42.00.

SOWS: US NO. 1-3 32.00-39.00. BOARS: 29.00-32.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 45 HEAD. US#1&3 20-50 LBS. 17.00-23.00.

SHEEP: 24 HEAD. CHOICE LAMBS 65.00-71.00; GOOD LAMBS 58.00-63.00; SLAUGHTER EWES 18.00-25.00. GOATS: 19.00-61.00.

15 LOADS OF HAY. ALFALFA 80.00-106.00; TIMOTHY 64.00-97.00; 3 LOADS OF STRAW 72.00-81.00.

Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc.

Auction every Thursday at 4:00 p.m. Jersey Shore, Pa. Report supplied by Auction Thursday, October 28, 1993 RETURN TO FARM CALF 70.00-140.00.

GOOD VEAL: 50.00-69.00. COMMON VEAL: 30.00-49.00. CHOICE STEERS: 64.00-67.00. SELECT STEERS: 60.00-63.00. COMMON STEERS: 55.00-59.00. CHOICE HEIFERS: 65.00-72.00. SELECT HEIFERS: 60.00-64.00. COMMON HEIFERS: 53.00-60.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 44.00-50.25. CANNERS-CUTTERS: 40.00-47.00.

SHELLS: 25.00-39.00. GOOD FEEDERS: 65.00-84.00. COMMON FEEDERS: 40.00-65.00.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, PA Thursday, Oct. 28, 1993

Report supplied by Auction BEEF: HEIFERS GOOD 70.50, MEDIUM 67.00-69.50; COMMON 66.00 DOWN. STEERS: GOOD 71.50, MEDIUM 68.50-70.50, COMMON 68.00-DOWN. COWS: GOOD 48.00, MEDIUM 42.00-47.50, COMMON 41.00-DOWN.

BULLS: BUTCHER 62.00, BOLOGNA

55.00-60.00.

FEEDERS: GOOD 450 LBS. CHOICE HEIFERS 78.00, MEDIUM 70.00-75.00, COMMON 68.00-DOWN. CALVES: 85-115 LBS. (BULLS)

125.00-150.00, 85-115 LBS. (HFRS.) 135.00-170.00, 80 LBS. UNDER 70.00 DOWN, 120 LBS. OVER VEAL 190 LBS. 110.00.

LAMBS: GOOD 70.00, MEDIUM 65.00-69.00, SHEEP 25.00. HOGS: NO. 1 240 LBS. 43.75, 245 LBS.

UP 42.00-43.00. SOWS: 35.00-41.00.

BOARS: 29.00. LITTLE PIGS: 18.00 PER HEAD TO 24.00.

GOATS: 25.00-90.00 PER HEAD.

Bradford To Hold Groundwater Meeting

TOWANDA (Bradford Co.) — Since we cannot see groundwater, it is one of our most misunderstood natural resources. However, because 87 percent of Bradford County residents depend solely upon groundwater as their sole source of drinking water, it is vital that the general public become familiar with the basics of groundwater.

The public will have an opportunity to become more familiar with the topic of groundwater on Tuesday, November 16 at 7:30 p.m. at the Sheshequin-Ulster Elementary School in Ulster, Pa.

The topics will include groundwater basics, groundwater contamination, and how to properly drill a well.

One of the featured speakers will be Bryan Swistock, Penn State water quality project associate, who will address which contaminants Bradford County residents should be most concerned about.

This public meeting will be presented by the Bradford County Water Quality Task Force,

Brochures and more details can be obtained from psu cooperative extension in Bradford County at (717) 265-2896.



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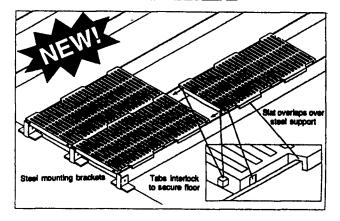
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