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Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1994

WEEKLY REVIEW IN VIRGINIA: REVIEW OF VIRGINIA DIRECT HOGS FOR THE PERIOD DECEMBER 6-12, 1994. RECEIPTS FOR HOT CARCASS BASIS TOTALED 2565 HEAD. RECEIPTS FOR LIVE BASIS PLANT DELIVERY (WITHIN A 30 MILE RADIUS) TOTALED 425 HEAD. RECEIPTS FOR LIVE BASIS COUN-TRY BUYING STATIONS TOTALED 594 HEAD. THE VIRGINIA DIRECT HOG MARKET - TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST MONDAY BARROWS AND **GILTS: HOT CARCASS BASIS 163-191** LB. CARCASS TREND: \$3.64 HIGHER. PRICE: \$41.06 48% LEAN YIELD <.27mm(1.15 IN. TENTH RIB) BACK-FAT. LIVE BASIS LOCAL PLANT DELIVERED (WITHIN 30 MILE RADIUS) US 2-3 220-250 LBS. TREND: \$1.50 HIGHER. PRICE: FEW 27.50-29.50. LIVE BASIS VIRGINIA COUNTRY POINTS U.S. 1-3 220-250

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS 0%; SLAUGHTER COWS 13% SLAUGHTER BULLS 2%, SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS LESS THAN 1%; FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 60%, OVER 600 LBS 25%.

PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA WEEKLY AUCTIONS: SLAUGHTER

COWS TOTAL HEAD COUNT 1193 HEAD UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 2-4 34.00-44.25 CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 1-3 31.00-43.00 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2

25.00-39.50. SLAUGHTER BULLS: HEAD COUNT 150 HEAD BULLS - 1-2 900-1300 LB 38.00-48.00 FEW 54.50 1-2 1300-1600 LB 42.00-54.00 1-2 1600 LB & OVER 41.25-53.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES 30 HEAD CALVES - GOOD & CHOICE 250-500 LB. 58.00-62.00.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS TOTAL HEAD **COUNT 374 HEAD WOOLED CHOICE** FEW PRIME 1-2 FEW 3 91-129 LB. 67.50-72.50 GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 83-89 LB. 75.25-83.50 GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 90 LB. 69.50 GOOD & FEW CHOICE 1-2 66-69 LB. 88.50-90.00 FEEDER LAMBS MEDIUM & LARGE 1-2 85-100 LB. 65.50-74.50 MEDIUM & LARGE 1-2 70-85 LB. 72.00-82.00 MEDIUM & LARGE 1-2 60-70 LB. 72.50-90.75

SLAUGHTER HOGS 68 HEAD BAR-ROWS AND GILTS **SEVERAL LQTS RETURNED FOR HOME SLAUGHTER-** US 1-3 200-250 LB. 27.25-32.50 US 2-4 250-300 LB. 22.

150-30.00 FEW 32.00-45.50. SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LB. 25.00-27.00, US 1-3 500 LBS. & OVER 21.00-25.00.

FEEDER CATTLE TOTAL HEAD COUNT FOR ALL WEIGHTS 7554

HEAD. STEERS: MEDIUM 1 300-400 76.00-89.00 400-500 70.00-80.00 500-600 60.50-77.00 600-700 62.00-72.00 700-800 60.00-72.00 800-900 59.50-69.50 900-1000 54.50-64.50. HEIFERS: MEDIUM 1 200-300

65.00-73.00 300-400 59.00-74.00 400-500 55.00-70.00 500-600 50.00-66.00 600-700 54.00-66.00 700-800 53.00-61.00 800-900 48.00-56.00. SPECIAL SLAUGHTER CATTLE

SALE HELD AT MADISON, VIRGINIA ON DECEMBER 10, 1994 101 HEAD SOLD. STATE GRADED.

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS 99 HEAD.

STEERS CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1150 LB. 64.50 - 65.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1150-1300 LB. 62.00 - 67.00 CHOICE 2-3, 1300-1450 LB. 61.75 - 67.00 CHOICE 2-3, 1450 LBS. & OVER 57.75 - 64.50 SELECT 2-3, 1000-1200 LB. 58.75 -62.50 SELECT 2-3, 1200 LBS. & OVER 52.00 - 58.75.

HEIFERS CHOICE 2-3, 950 LBS. & UNDER 42.00 - 52.00 CHOICE 2-3, 950-1100 LB. 52.50 - 62.25 CHOICE 2-3, 1100-1300 LB. 61.00 - 66.00 CHOICE 2-3, 1300 LBS. & OVER 63.50 - 63.75.

SLAUGHTER COWS 2 HEAD BREAKING UTILITY & COMMER-CIAL 2-4 35.00 - 38.00.

SPECIAL GRADED SLAUGHTER CATTLE SALE HELD AT FREDER-**ICKSBURG, VIRGINIA ON 08-DEC-94** 106 HEAD SOLD STATE GRADED.

STEERS CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1150 LB. 63.25 - 66.00 CHOICE 2-3, 1150-1300 LB. 61.00 - 68.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1300-1450 LB. 60.25 - 67.40 CHOICE 2-3, 1450 + 55.00 SELECT 2-3, 1000-1200 LB. 55.00 - 58.50 SELECT 2-3, 1200 + 55.25 - 61.75.

HEIFERS CHOICE 2-3, 950-1100 LB. 55.50 - 64.50 CHOICE 2-3, 1100-1350 LB. 60.00 - 67.00 CHOICE 2-3, 1300 + 56.00 SELECT 2-3, 1100-1300 LBS. 51.00 - 55.50.

SPECIAL SLAUGHTER CATTLE SALE HELD AT MARSHALL, VIRGI-NIA ON DECEMBER 6, 1994 48 HEAD SOLD STATE GRADED.

STEERS: CHOICE 2-3 1150-1300 LB. 64.50-67.75 CHOICE 2-3 1300-1450 LB. 64.60-68.50 CHOICE 2-3 1455-1650 LB. 59.75-65.50 SELECT 2-3 1170-1335 LB. 55.00-60.00.

WEEKLY SUMMARY OF STATE GRADED FEEDER CATTLE SALES FOR THE WEEKOF DECEMBER 5 THRU 10, 1994. TOTAL 2901 HEAD SOLD. SALES WERE HELD AT THE **FOLLOWING AREAS:**

DEC. 5, LYNCHBURG 318 HEAD DEC. 6, WYTHEVILLE 179 HEAD DEC. 8, HARRISONBURG (ROCKINGHAM) 975 HEAD DEC. 8, CULPEPER 979 HEAD DEC. 8, FRONT ROYAL 450 HEAD.

STEERS 1619 HEAD MED & LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 71.50- 87.00 62.00- 67.00 69.00- 84.50 400-500 70.00- 86.00 60.00- 69.00 65.00-85.00 500-600 64.50- 76.50 60.00- 63.00 60.00- 77.00 600-700 61.50- 73.00 52.00-64.00 58.00- 68.25 700-800 64.00- 73.00 58.00 59.00- 62.50 800-900 63.00- 72.00 59.00-60.25 55.00-58.00 900-1000 64.50-70.25 - 63.75 1000-1100 60.00- 64.00.

HEIFERS 1275 HEAD MED & LARGE 1 SMALL 1 MED & LARGE 2 300-400 54.00- 70.00 53.50 59.00- 70.00 400-500 60.00- 67.00 50.00- 54.50 53.00-66.00 500-600 59.50- 65.00 50.00- 57.00 51.00- 64.00 600-700 59.00- 66.75 45.50-51.00 49.00- 60.00 700-800 55.00- 65.75 -58.00 800-900 52.00- 59.00.

BULLS 7 HEAD MED & LARGE 1 400-500 79.50 500-600 75.50.

A SERVICE OF VIRGINIA DEPART-MENT OF AGRICULTURE & CON-SUMER SERVICES MARKET NEWS OFFICE IN COOPERATION WITH USDA. 804-786-3947.

North Virginia

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, December 17, 1994-A9

Richmond, $\overline{V}a$.

Thursday, Dec. 15, 1994 THE ORANGE AND BLACKSTONE AUCTIONS ARE UNAVAILABLE TODAY. THERE WILL BE NO REPORTS.

Belleville **Livestock Auction**

Belleville, Pa. Wednesday, Dec. 14, 1994 Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 298... PDA .. Supply included 190 head Dairy cows ..sl. cows 1.00 lower. HOLSTEINS: few Select 55.35-59.60, few Standard 48.00-50.50. COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 38.50-42.60, Cutter and Boning Utility 37.00-41.50, Canner and Low Cutter 32.00-36.50. Shells down to 26.00. BULLS: one Yield Grade No. 1 1530 lbs. 47.00, few No. 2 880/1300 lbs. 39.00- 44.10. FEEDER CATTLE: Bulls: few Medium Frame No. 1 600/800 lbs. 46.50-49.00.

CALVES 90...VEALERS: few Standard and Good 75/90 lbs. 42.00-47.00, Utility 55/85 lbs. 26.00-40.00. FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/125 lbs. 90.00-130.00, No. 2 80/120 lbs 50.00-70.00; few No. 1 Holstein heifer 100/145 lbs. 100.00-200.00.

HOGS 38...BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 225/245 lbs. 32.00-32.10, two head 33.75. SOWS: one US 1-3 60 lbs. 19.75. BOARS: couple 10.00 & 18.00.

FEEDER PIGS 106...US 1-3 20/30 lbs. 9.00-15.00, lot 75 lbs. 22.00, lot 125 lbs. 37.00. --- per head. SHEEP 38...Slaughter lambs: Choice

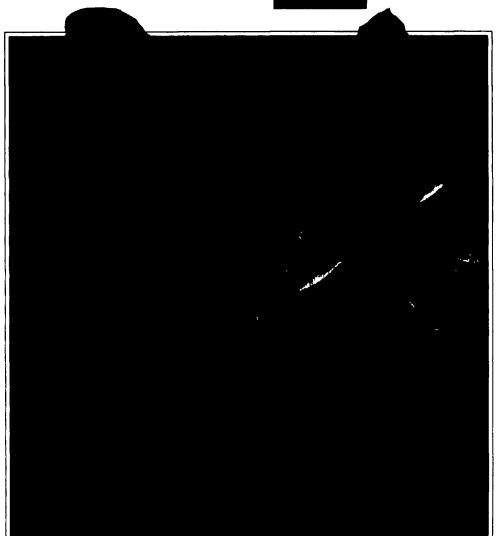
60/125 lbs. 65.00-78.00. New Crop lambs: few Choice 50/70 lbs. 90.00-131.00. Slaughter sheep: 21.00-32.00.

GOATS 6...Few Large 34.00-65.00. ---

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