Lancaster Farming, Saturday, February 4, 1995-A21

Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc. Auction every Thursday at 4:00 p.m. Jersey Shore, Pa. **Report supplied by Auction** Thursday, February 2 **RETURN TO FARM CALF** 100.00-220.00.

GOOD VEAL: 70.00-99.00. COMMON VEAL: 40.00-69.00. COMMON STEERS: 60.00-65.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 40.00-47.25. CANNERS-CUTTERS: 37.00-45.00. SHELLS: 30.00-36.00. SELECT HEIFERS: 64.00-68.00. COMMON HEIFERS: 54.00-63.00. GOOD FEEDERS: 60.00-76.00. COMMON FEEDERS: 40.00-59.00. BULLS: 49.00-50.00. HOGS: 34.00-43.00.

Summary of 1994 Pa. Graded **Feeder Cattle Sales Report Supplied** By PDA

There were eight special state graded Feeder Cattle sales held in Pennsylvania this year. There was a total of 3.182 head graded this year.

Cattle were graded for frame size and muscle thickness using USDA feeder cattle grading standards. Graded cattle were grouped into uniform lots as to grade, breed, weight and sex. Personnel from the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture, Livestock Division, graded the cattle.

The special sales were sponsored either by the livestock market or the local Cattlemen's Association.

Below are the results of the individuals sales - all sales per hundredweight:

Eighty-four Auction Sales, Eightyfour, PA (Washington County) October 7, 1994 Total head 693

Steers - 375 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 350/500 lbc. 65.00-83.00, lot 435 lbs. 88.00 500/600 lbs. 65.00-80.00, lot 576 lbs. 84.00 600/725 lbs. 64.00-70.00 Heifers - 318 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 55.00-58.50 400/500 lbs. 54.00-70.00, lot 445 lbs. 74.00 500/600 lbs. 56.00-68.50 few

600/625 lbs. 53.00-58.00, small lot 610 lbs. 66.00 Small Frame No. 1 300/525 lbs. 41.50-51.00 Medium Frame No. 2 340/425 lbs. 54.00-58.50.

Pennsylvania Livestock Auction, Waynesburg, PA (Greene County) October 12, 1994 Total head 1061

Steers - 565 head 'Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 67.00-87.00 400/500 lbs. 73.00-78.50, lot 410 lbs. 82.00 500/600 lbs. 68.50-76.00, lot 503 lbs. 79.50 600/740 lbs. 60.00-76.50 mostly 67.50-71.00 Small Frame No. 1 few 380/475 lbs. 50.00-64.00 Medium & Large Frame No. 2 few 300/360 lbs. 70.00-73.00 few 480/525 lbs. 58.00-65.00 Heifers - 496 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 64.00-68.50 400/500 lbs. 57.00-70.00 500/600 lbs. 51.00-69.00 mostly 57.00-65.50 600/700 ibs. 55.00-58.00 Small Frame No. 1 360/620 lbs. 55.00-56.00 Medium & Large Frame No. 2 360/620 lbs. 51.00-62.00.

Keister's Middleburg Livestock Auction, Middleburg, PA (Snyder County)

October 14, 1994 Total head 294 Steers - 178 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 75.00-93.00 few 400/500 lbs. 77.00-88.00 500/600 lbs. 73.00-87.00 mostly 78.00-80.00 600/700 lbs. 69.00-79.00 few 700/800 lbs. 71.00-73.00 few 830/840 lbs. 64.00 Large Frame No. 2 one lot 363 lbs. 64.00 one lot. 533 lbs. 54.00 few 600/700 lbs. 53.00-63.00 few 700/900 lbs. 52.00-57.00 Heifers - 90 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 375/500 lbs. 59.00-67.00 500/600 lbs. mostly 62.00-63.00 few 600/750 lbs. 43.00-58.00 Large Frame No. 2 lot 565 lbs. 45.00

Buils - 26 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 400/500 ibs. 71.00-77.00.

Indiana Farmer's Livestock Market. Homer City, PA (Indiana County) October 15, 1994 Total head 389 Average Weight Average Price 188 Steers 563 lbs. 66.84 163 Helfers 540 ibs. 54.69 38 Buils 447 ibs. 48.93,

Central PA Feeder Calf and Yearly Sale, Belleville Livestock Auction Sponsored by: The Central PA Livestock Coop (Mifflin County) October 21, 1994 Total head 287 Steers - 136 head Average weight 569 lbs. Average price \$67.63 Medium & Large Frame No. 1 330/360 lbs. 68.00-70.00 450/500 lbs. 67.00-\$1.00 500/600 lbs. 66.00-80.00 few 600/640 lbs. 66.00-76.00 4 hd. 615 lbs. 86.00 few 770/800 lbs. 65.00-67.00 Medium & Large Frame No. 2 one lot 442 ibs. 59.50 500/600 ibs. 52.00-56.00 830/885 ibs. 48.00-52.50 Bulls - 31 head Average weight 515 lbs. Average Price \$60.14 Medium Frame No. 1 few 320/460 lbs. 66.00-74.00 530/640 lbs. 63.00-66.00 lot 744 lbs. 50.00 Large Frame No. 2 lot 408 lbs. 50.50 Heifers - 120 head Average weight 529 lbs. Average Price \$46.08 Medium Frame No. 1 340/380 lbs. 43.00-44.50 " 400/470 lbs. 44.50-60.00 550/600 lbs. 45.00-59.00 Medium & Large Frame No. 1 640/775 lbs. 42.00-44.00, lot 625 lbs. 49.50 Medlum & Large Frame No. 2 few 360/420 lbs. 40.00 few 670/680 lbs. 31.50-33.00.

Westmoreland Co. Cattlemen's Assoc. Feeder Calf Sale, Greensburg, PA (Westmoreland County) October 27, 1994 Total head 177

Steers - 82 head Average weight 511 lbs. Average price \$67.39 Medium & Large Frame No. 1 385/500 lbs. 65.00-81.00, lot 441 lbs. 88.00 500/600 lbs. 60.00-73.00 600/760 lbs. 60.00-66.00 Small Frame No. 1 300/480 lbs. 55.00-59.00

Heifers - 95 head Average weight 475 lbs. Average Price \$58.60 Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 61.00-66.00 400/500 lbs. 55.00-65.00 500/700 lbs. 54.00-62.00, lot 50.00 Small Frame No. 1 360/500 lbs. 52.00-60.00 Medium Frame No. 2 360/650 lbs. 48.00-62.00.

Bedford County Cattlemen's Assn. Feeder Cattle Sale, Bedford, PA (Bedford County) October 22, 1994 Total head 144

Steers - 87 head Average weight 552 lbs. Average price \$71.00 Medlum & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 70.00-78.00 400/500 lbs. 72.00-78.00 500/600 lbs. 68.00-83.00 600/700 lbs. 61.00-82.00 mostly 67.00-73.00 few 700/800 lbs. 71.00-73.00 Medium Frame No. 2 few 450/500 lbs. 70.00 few 600/715 lbs. 55.00-65.00 Large Frame No. 2 lot 735/775 lbs. 53.00

Bulis - 4 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 400/650 lbs. 59.00-64.00

Helfers - 53 head Average weight 478 ibs. Average Price \$63.00 Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/400 lbs. 63,00-70.00 400/600 lbs. 57.00-69.00 Medium & Large Frame No. 2 400/525 lbs. 50.00-59.00.

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South Central PA Cattlemen's Assn. Feeder Calf Sale Weikert's Buying Station, Thomasville, PA (York County) October 28, 1994 Total head 137 Steers - 67 head Medium & Large Frame No. 1 320/340 lbs. 73.00-78.00 390/500

lbs. 63.00-68.00, jot 469 jbs. 73.00 500/600 lbs. 64.00-73.00 600/830 lbs. 65.00-69.00

Bulls - 3 head Large Frame No. 1 650/810 lbs. 52.00-64.50

Heifers - 67 head Medium Frame 1 & 2 375/400 lbs. 55.00-59.00, lot 379 lbs. 67.50 Medium & Large Frame No. 1 400/500 lbs. 62.50-70.50 500/600 lbs. 59.00-61.50, lot 513 lbs. 70.50 600/750 lbs. 60.50-64.00 Medium Frame No. 2 lot 298 lbs. 64.00.

Lancaster Crops **Day Set**

LANCASTER (Lancaster Co.) The 34th Annual Lancaster County Crops and Soils Day will be held on Tuesday, February, 7, at the Lancaster County Farm and Home Center.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

The program will open at 8:30 a.m. with time for coffee and donuts and visiting the numerous exhibitors. This year's program will deal with topics associated with forage crop production, including Selection of Small Grain Varieties and Small Grain Crop Management by Dr. Elwood Hatlev. Penn State Agronomy Department; Intensive Management of Pastures by Dr. Steve Ford, Penn State Agricultural Economics Department; Alternative Field Crops for Pennsylvania and Buying vs. Renting Land by Dr. Jayson Harper, Penn State Agricultural Economics Department; and Controlling Weeds in Forage and Grain Crops a video by Dr. William Curran, Penn State Agronomy Department.

At noon a reduced-price lunch will be available followed by time to visit with Agribusiness representatives. After lunch, Kathy Baxter, director, Lancaster County FSA Office, will discuss the New Federal Crop Insurance program. Soybean Silage and Small Grain Silage will be discussed by Dr. Elwood Hatley. Dr. Steve Ford will expand his morning discussion on intensive management of pastures. The program will conclude with a discussion of the Worker Protection Standard **Requirements for Pesticide Users** by Bob Anderson, extension agent. Portions of the program will qualify for pesticide credit update training.

Winter Conference Set

LEWISBURY (Northumberland Co.) — The Northumberland County Conservation District announces the annual winter agricultural conference for 1995 is set for Monday, Feb. 13.

The conference, cosponsored by the Northumberland County Conservation District and Penn State Cooperative Extension Service, will be held at the Otterbein United Methodist Church hall in Sunbury.

Topics planned to be discussed during the conference are manure application systems, weed control in field crops, Farm Bill updates, narrow row corn spacing to improve yields, an update on the Chesapeake Bay program in Northumberland County, and integrated weed management.

Agricultural suppliers will be present and have displays around the room.

The conference is expected to run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. and will include a baked ham dinner. Ticket prices are \$5.50 which includes dinner, plus coffee, and donuts in the morning.

For more information or to make a reservation, call the conservation district office at (717) 988-4224.



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At the Hoffman Building, Quarryville, PA Featuring: 3 Guest speakers from area ag-related businesses speaking about varied topics Lunch will be provided.

× Please R.S.V.P. by Friday, February 3 × to John Colin or the RFD office ×

717-786-1304 CALL 1-800-262-7331

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