Bradford County Livestock Sale 'One Of The Best Ever'

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TROY (Bradford Co.) — "The average looks very, very good," said Bradford County Extension Agent Jake Guffey at the completion of the Bradford County Livestock sale. "It's one of the best sales ever."

Forty-two hogs, 16 lambs and three steers went through the sale,

which took place recently at the Troy Fairgrounds.

The high volume buyer was P&C Foods which placed the top bid on 10 animals.

Greta Braund's grand champion market hog topped the sale at \$4 per pound. The 210-pound animal was purchased by SPE Incorporated.

The second high price among



Nils Peterson of SPE inc. purchased the 210-pound champion hog from Greta Braund for \$4 per pound.

the hogs was commanded by the reserve grand champion sold by Andy Tiffany. His 216-pound animal sold to Valley Stockyards for \$2.75 per pound.

Two hogs were donated back to the 4-H program's scholarship fund. These animals, donated by Empire Livestock and Judson's Incorporated commanded prices of \$2.20 and \$2 per pound respectively, and were purchased by P&C Foods and Columbia Cross Roads Equipment.

With prices ranging from the champion's \$4 down only to \$1.25 per pound, the hogs averaged \$1.76 per pound.

Prices for lamb were equally high as the grand champion market lamb brought \$3.75 per pound. Northeastern Farm Credit purchased the 120-pound champion from Kendra Moore.

The second high seller was the reserve grand champion market lamb raised by Joslyn Elliott. Her 104-pound lamb was sold to C&N Bank of Troy for \$3.50 per pound.

The average bid on the lambs was \$1.65 per pound with prices ranging from the champion's high of \$3.75 to a low of \$1 per pound.

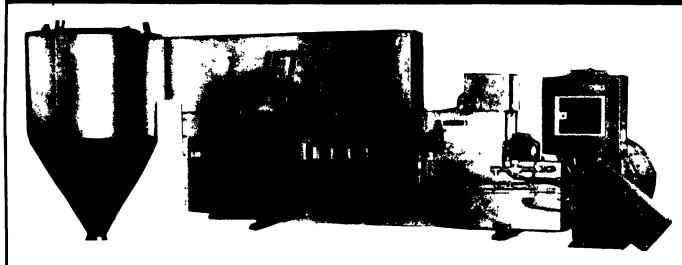
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The champion lamb tipped the scales at 120 pounds and commanded a price of \$3.75 per pound. Here buyer Bonnie Klel of Northeastern Farm Credit poses with 4-H member Kendra Moore.

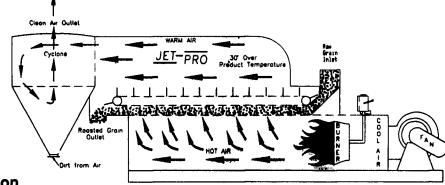
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