

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection
March 13, 1996

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
TUESDAY (EST)	131,000	7,000	358,000	18,000
WEEK AGO (EST)	131,000	7,000	344,000	17,000
YEAR AGO (EST)	128,000	6,000	358,000	20,000
WEEK TO DATE (EST)	391,000	20,000	1,068,000	54,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	389,000	20,000	1,057,000	53,000
SAME PD LT YR (EST)	381,000	17,000	1,043,000	58,000

PREVIOUS DAY ESTIMATED TUESDAY, STEER AND HEIFER 105,000, COW AND BULL 28,000.

***REVISION ON TUES.'S CATTLE SLAUGHTER...133,000, SOURCE: USDA MARKET NEWS, WASHINGTON, D.C.

Morrison Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.
March 11, 1996

Report supplied by auction

CATTLE 221. STEERS CHOICE 60.00-63.00; GOOD 57.00-60.00. HEIFERS: CHOICE 58.00-61.00; GOOD 52.00-57.00. COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 32.50-40.00; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 25.00-33.00. BULLOCKS: 46.00-52.00. BULLS: YIELD GRADE NO. 1 38.00-47.00. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS 40.00-55.00; BULLS 35.00-45.00; HEIFERS 32.00-42.00. CALVES 219. PRIME, NO MKT.

TEST; CHOICE 65.00-80.00; GOOD 55.00-65.00; STANDARD 25.00-40.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 45.00-80.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS. 80.00-110.00. HOGS: 222. US NO. 1-2 48.50-49.50; US NO. 1-3 47.50-48.50. SOWS: US NO. 1-3 30.00-37.00. BOARS: 25.00-32.00. FEEDER PIGS: 22 HEAD. US#1&3 20-50 LBS. 18.00-25.00. SHEEP: 15 HEAD. CHOICE LAMBS 80.00-95.00; GOOD LAMBS 75.00-80.00; SLAUGHTER EWES, NO MKT. TEST. GOATS: 47.00-69.00. 47 LOADS OF HAY. ALFALFA 71.00-125.00; TIMOTHY 62.00-95.00; 8 LOADS OF STRAW 54.00-67.00; 3 LOADS OF EAR CORN 93.00-117.00; 2 LOADS OF FIREWOOD 26.00-40.00.

Lebanon Valley Livestock

Fredericksburg, PA

Tuesday, March 12, 1996
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STEERS, HOLSTEINS 1145-1540 LBS. 54.75-58.75; SELECT 1355-1540 LBS. 50.75-53.75; STANDARD 1260-1320 LBS. 41.00-45.00. COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 35.00-39.00, HIGH YIELD 41.75-43.00; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 32.00-35.00; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 28.00-32.00; BULLS 27.50 DOWN; BULLOCKS 43.00-49.75. CALVES: YG#1 1355-1650 LBS. 41.00-43.25. FEEDER CATTLE: 190-235 LBS. 43.00-63.00. CALVES: CHOICE 95-115 LBS. 25.00-32.00; GOOD 70-105 LBS. 20.00-25.00; UTILITIES 50-75 LBS. 15.00-20.00. FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES 95-120 LBS. 65.00-90.00; #2 HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES 95-130 LBS. 55.00-65.00; #1 HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES 100-135 LBS. 112.00-125.00; #2 HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES 95-115 LBS. 71.00-97.00; BEEF X CALVES 105-150 LBS. 40.00-55.00. HOGS: US#1-2 232-260 LBS. 47.25-48.75; US#2-3 205-290 LBS. 41.00-45.00. SOWS: US#1&3 505-570 LBS. 34.00-36.00; 385-470 LBS. 31.50-34.50; MEDIUMS 305-350 LBS. 22.50-28.50. BOARS: 385-450 LBS. 24.00-25.00; LIGHTWEIGHT 242 LBS. 28.25.

LAMBS: 35-60 LBS. 80.00-90.00. SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 170-220 LBS. 20.00-30.00.

GOATS TO 32.50. HORSE SALE MARCH 16.

Valley Stockyards

Athens, Pa.

March 11, 1996

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HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES TO 167.50. VEAL CALVES, NONE. VEALER BULL CALVES TO 85.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES 42.50 AND DOWN. GRASSERS AND FEEDERS TO 66.00. LAMBS, NEW CROP TO 167.50. SHEEP 27.00-37.00. HOGS, 200-250, 41.00-46.50. SOWS TO 34.00. BOARS 20.00-37.50. PIGS 21.00. HEIFERS, FAT, 30.25-40.00. STEERS, NO GOOD ONES. STEERS, FEEDER, 42.00-59.00. BULLS 27.50-40.25. GOOD COWS 32.00-37.00. COWS MEDIUM 27.00-31.50. COWS POOR OR SMALL 26.50 AND DOWN. CATTLE MARKET HIGHER. CALF MARKET HIGHER. HORSES, NONE. PONIES, NONE.

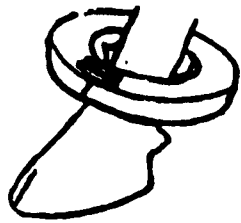
New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables
Wednesday, March 13, 1996

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DAIRY COWS 175, HEIFERS 97, 20 BULLS. MARKET STRONGER. LOCAL FRESH COWS 385.00-1175.00. LOCAL SPRINGERS 875.00-1035.00. FRESH HEIFERS 475.00-1300.00. UPSTATE LOADS FRESH 700.00-1325.00. BETTER FRESH COWS 1225.00-1385.00. HERD OF 87 HEAD, ALL STAGES, 410.00-1550.00. SPRINGING HEIFERS LARGE 975.00-1060.00, SMALL 375.00-800.00. SHORTBRED HEIFERS 415.00-850.00. OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS 550.00-635.00, SMALL OPEN HEIFERS 175.00-510.00. BULLS 335.00-475.00, PUREBREDS 385.00-900.00.

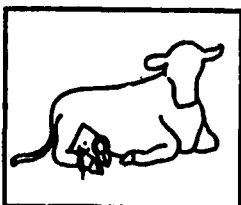
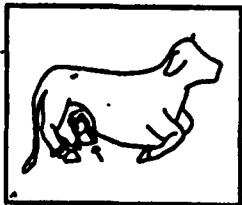
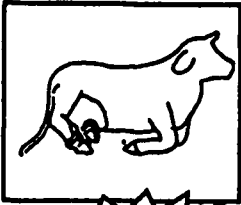
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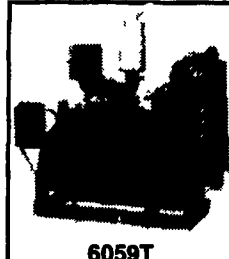


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