September 4, 1996 Report supplied by USDA

USDA NATIONAL CARLOT BEEF REPORT (INCLUDES MAJOR PRO-DUCTION AREAS IN THE MIDWEST AND TEXAS) AS OF 3 P.M.

COW AND BULL CARCASS
4.0 LOADS FOB OMAHA

COMPARED TO TUESDAY'S 3 P.M. REPORT: UTILITY CARCASSES 1.00 LOWER; CUTTER NOT ESTAB-LISHED. DEMAND AND OFFERINGS LIGHT TO MODERATE.

UT, BRK 2-4 450 LBS. AND UP, 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 55.00, LATEST ESTB. MKT. 55.00.

UT,BNG 1-3 400 LBS. AND UP, 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 59.00, LATEST ESTB. MKT. 59.00.

CUTTER 1-2 350 LBS. AND UP, LAT-EST ESTB. MKT. 60.00 B.

BULLS YG1 500 LBS. AND UP, LAT-EST ESTB. MKT. UNQUOTED.

COW AND BULL CARCASSES CAF WEST COAST LOADS REPORTED
COMPARED TO LAST WEEK:

MARKET FOR WEEK ENDED AUG. 30, UT,BNG 1-3 400 LBS. AND UP, RANGE 61.00.

CUTTER1-2 350 LBS. AND UP, RANGE 61.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/ BEEF TRIMMINGS

173.0 LOADS REPORTED FRESH LEAN BONELESS BEEF STEADY TO MOSTLY 1.50 LOWER IN THE MIDWEST, BUT IN TEXAS 1.00-2.00 LOWER; 85% GENERALLY STEADY; 75% WEAK TO 2.00 LOWER; 65% GENERALLY STEADY. DEMAND AND OFFERINGS MOSTLY MOD-ERATE. BEEF TRIMMINGS STEADY TO FIRM ON LIGHT TO MODERATE DEMAND AND OFFERINGS. FOB OMAHA BASIS

90% FR, 47 LOADS, RANGE 83.0-86.0 WT. AVG. 84.01. 90% FZ, 2 LOADS, RANGE 88.0, WT.

85% FR, 8 LOADS, RANGE 80.0-80.5, WT. AVG. 80.19.

85% FZ, UNQUOTED. 75% FR, 14 LOADS, RANG 68.5-69.0, WT. AVG. 68.93.

75% FZ. UNQUOTED. 65% FR, 12 LOADS, RANGE 59.5-60.5, WT. AVG. 60.21. 65% FZ, UNQUOTED.

50% FR, 47 LOADS, RANGE 44.00-46.00, WT. AVG. 44.99. 50% FZ, 4 LOADS, RANGE 51.00, WT. AVG. 51.00.

50% BOX, UNQUOTED. 92-94, UNQUOTED.

FOB EAST TX & OK 90% FR, 19 LOADS, RANGE 84.5-85.00, WT. AVG. 84.84. 90% FZ, UNQUOTED. 85% FR, UNQUOTED. 85% FZ, UNQUOTED.

75% FR, UNQUOTED. 75% FZ, 65% FR, 65% FZ, UNQUOTED. CAF NORTHEAST AREAS

90% FR, 17 LOADS, RANGE 88.0, WT. AVG. 88.00. 90% FZ, UNQUOTED. 85% FR, 3 LOADS, RANGE 83.0, WT.

85% FZ; 75% FR AND FZ; 65% FR

AND FZ, UNQUOTED.
CAF WEST COAST BASIS
MARKET FOR WEEK ENDED 8/30/96 90% FR, UNQUOTED. 90% FZ, UNQUOTED. 85% FR, RANGE 80.0, WT. AVG. 44.00.

85% FZ, UNQUOTED. 75% FR, UNQUOTED. 75% FR, UNQUOTED. 65% FR, RANGE 60.25 WT. AVG.

65% FZ, UNQUOTED.

50% FR, RANGE 46.0-49.0, WT. AVG. 50% FZ, UNQUOTED.

ABCDE AFTER QUOTES REPRE-SENTS DAYS SINCE LAST ACTUAL MARKET TEST. QUOTES ARE DROPPED AFIER 5 DAYS OF NO TEST OR BEFORE IF THEY NO LONGER REFLECT CURRENT MARKET **CONDITIONS.**

SOURCE: USDA MARKET, DES MOINES, IA.

> Valley Stockyards Athens, Pa.

September 2, 1996 Report supplied by auction HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES TO

175.00. VEAL CALVES, NO GOOD ONES. VEALER BULL CALVES TO 72.50. SLAUGHTER CALVES 29.00 AND

GRASSERS AND FEEDERS

14.00-48.00. LAMBS 71.00-100.00. SHEEP 30.00-38.00. HOGS, 200-250, 50.00-59.00. SOWS 26.00-36.00. BOARS TO 39.00. PIGS 14.00-44.00. HEIFERS 22.00-38.50. STEERS 30.00-42.25. STEERS, FEEDER, 32.50-49.50. BULLS 35.00 TO 41.50.

COWS, GOOD, 33.50-40.25, TOP

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, September 7, 1996-A11

COWS MEDIUM 26.75-32.75. COWS, POOR OR SMALL, 25.50 AND DOWN.

HORSES 260.00-585.00. PONIES TO 410.00. GOATS 33.00-80.00.

> Shenandoah Vallev Livestock Harrisonburg, Va.

August 31, 1996 Report supplied by auction STEERS 300-499 LBS. 35.00-61.00, 500-699 LBS. 40.00-64.25, 700-1000 LBS.

38.00-52.00; HEIFERS 300-499 LBS. 25.00-47.50, 500-699 LBS. 30.00-49.00, 700-1000 LBS. 28.00-54.00; BULLS 300-499 LBS. 26.00-48.00, 500-699 LBS. 35.00-48.00, 700-1000 LBS. 28.00-42.00. HOLSTEIN STEERS: 3-499 40.00; 5-699 32.50; 7-1100 28.00-34.00.

STOCK COWS: BEEF 225.00-390.00; BABY CALVES 6.00-42.00; SLAUGH-TER COWS 25.00-34.25; SLAUGHTER BULLS 32.00-45.25.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: CHOICE AND PRIME YIELD GRADE1-3 BLUE O SPRING 78.00; GOOD AND FEW CHOICE YG#1-2 RED O SPRING 79.00. FEEDER LAMBS MED. & LRGE. 1&2 70-84 LBS. RED SH 80.00, SMALL FRAME 1&2 BL SH 77.50.

SLAUGHTER EWES 29.00. VEALS: 55.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES: 40.00-52.00.

> New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables Wednesday, September 4, 1996 Report supplied by auction DAIRY COWS 225, HEIFERS 68, 5 BULLS, MARKET STEADY. LOCAL FRESH 575.00-1150.00. LOCAL SPRINGERS 650.00-1510.00, 1 AT 2050.00.

UPSTATE LOADS FRESH

860.00-1575.00, 1 AT 1725.00. BETTER FRESH 1300.00-1510.00. LOAD OF CANADIAN AND MAINE FRESH 1025.00-1400.00, SPRINGERS 985.00-1400.00.

SPRINGING HEIFERS LARGE 1175.00-1285.00, SMALL 625.00-1010.00.

SHORTBRED HEIFERS 450.00-910.00.

OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS 575.00-635.00.

SMALL OPEN HEIFERS 260.00-510.00. BULLS 575.00-610.00, PUREBREDS

579.00-900.00. THREE HERDS, ALL STAGES, 235.00-1150.00.

> **Kutztown Produce** Auction Hay Auction

Report Supplied by Auction Saturday, August 30, 1996 TOTAL LOADS: 20.

GRASS HAY: 55.00-110.00, 1.30 BALE.

WHEAT STRAW: 2.00 BALE. STUBBLE HAY: 70.00. TIMOTHY: 112.50-125.00. MIXED HAY: 110.00-155.00. ALFALFA: 70.00-75.00. ORCHARDGRASS: 115.00. HAY AND STRAW AUCTION EVERY SAT. AT 9 A.M.



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