Westminster Livestock Auction Hagerstown, Md. October 22, 1996 Report supplied by auction

SLAUGHTER COWS: 159 HEAD, TREND STEADY TO .50 HIGHER UTILITY 33.50-38.75; HIGH DRESSING 39.00-41.00; CANNERS 28.00-32.50; SHELLY 28.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 23 HEAD. YG#1 38.00-40.00; YG#2 33.00-37.00; LIGHTWEIGHTS 26.00-30.00.

FED STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1100-1400 LBS. 4 HEAD 70.00-73.50; CHOICE 65.00-68.50; LOW CHOICE 59.00-64.00; HIGH CHOICE HOL 60.00-62.75; LOW CHOICE TO 58.00; SELECT 40.00-49.00.

FED HEIFERS: NO CHOICE OFFERED.

VEAL CALVES: 129 HEAD. CHOICE, NONE; GOOD 140-180 LBS. 35.00-40.00; CULLS 85-100 LBS. 25.00-30.00; 50-80 LBS. 20.00-27.00; WEAK/ROUGH 20.00 DOWN.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 100-120 LBS. 60.00-75.00; FW 125-135 LBS. 35.00-60.00; 90-100 LBS. 40.00-65.00; #2 80-90 LBS. 30.00-40.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-120 LBS. 130.00-161.00; BEEF X BULLS TO 45.00; HEIFERS TO 36.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 3.00-4.00 LOWER. US#1-3 225-260 LBS. 51.00-52.00; 260-275 LBS. 50.00-51.50; 300-325 LBS. 44.00-46.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 311 HEAD. PRICES HIGHER ON BETTER QUALITY. STEERS MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 300-500 LBS. 40.00-51.00; 500-700 LBS. 45.00-56.00; 700-900 LBS. 45.00-54.00; 900-1050 LBS. 45.00-55.00.

HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 30.00-42.00; 500-700 LBS. 35.00-46.00; 700-900 LBS. 35.00-42.00. BULLS: 300-500 LBS. 32.00-42.00, FEW 45.00-50.00; 500-700 LBS. 35.00-45.00; 700-900 LBS. FEW TO 41.00.

LAMBS: FEW CHOICE 95-120 LBS. 70.00-75.00; 125-140 LBS. 50.00-55.00; 70-90 LBS. 50.00-84.00; MEDIUM TO GOOD 40-50 LBS. 60.00-70.00. SHEEP: 22.00-42.00; YEARLINGS

50.00-65.00. GOATS: 57 HEAD. LARGE 60.00-99.00; MEDIUM 35.00-60.00;

SMALL 10.00-22.00, PIGS AND SHOATS: FEW OFFERED. BY THE HEAD, 20-30 LBS, 12.00-20.00;

30-40 LBS. 20.00-25.00.

SOWS: 400-500 LBS. 40.00-42.00; 500-700 LBS. 47.00-50.00. BOARS: TO 37.75.

PROMISED FOR NEXT TUES., OCT. 29: 3 REG SHORT HORN COWS, BRED FOR SPRING; 3 REG. OPEN SHORT HORN HEIFERS.

Mercer

Livestock Auction MERCER, PA October 22, 1996

CATTLE 463... PDA ...Compared with last week's sale ... steers 1.00 to 3.00 higher, cows lower. STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1075/1350 lbs. 69.50-75.50, Choice 1000/1500 lbs. 63.00-71.50, Select 55.00-63.00, Standard 42.00-52.00. HOLSTEINS: one Choice 1095 lbs. 60.00, few Select 49.00-52.00, few Standard 35.00-45.00. HEIFERS: few High Choice and Prime 1000/1100 lbs. 69.00-74.75, Choice 950/1425 lbs. 61.00-67.00, Select 50.50-61.25, Standard 44.00-47.25. COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 33.75-38.00, few 44.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 27.25-35.00, Canner and Low Cutter 27.25-35.00. Shells down to 17.00. BULLS: few Yield Grade No. 1 1325/1800 lbs. 36.75-39.75, No. 2 940/2015 lbs. 27.75-37.00. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Large & Medium Frame No. 2 500/800 ibs. 21.00-38.50; HEIFERS: Medium Frame No. 1 & 2 350/725 ibs. 20.00-35.00; BULLS: Medium Frame No. 1 425/925 ibs. 33.00-41.00, Large Frame No. 2 325/525 ibs. 15.00-26.00, few Medium Frame No. 370/600 ibs. 23.00-31.00.

CALVES 83...VEALERS: Standard and Good 70/135 lbs. 19.00-32.00, Utility 50/95 lbs. 10.00-17.00. FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/110 lbs. 60.00-79.00, No. 2 85/135 lbs. 85/135 lbs. 30.00-57.50; one No. 1 Holstein heifers 95 lbs. 130.00, few No. 2 70/105 lbs. 30.00-110.00. Few beef cross bulls and heifers 70/120 lbs. 26.00-42.50.

HOGS 68...BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 230/260 lbs. 50.75-52.75, US 2-3 200/270 lbs. 46.50-49.75, few US 1-3 160/190 lbs. 45.00-45.50, SOWS: few US 1-3 300/710 lbs. 40.50-49.50,

FEEDER PIGS 10...Few US 1-3 45/55 lbs 30.00. --- per head. SHEEP 1...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: one

Choice 100 lbs. 74.00. GOATS 0...NO MARKET TEST!

Belleville Livestock Belleville, Pa.

Wednesday, October 23, 1996 Report supplied by Auction

TOTAL HEAD: 277. STEERS 126 HEAD. MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME #1 350-500 LBS. 61.50-70.00; FEW 500-600 LBS. 60.50-68.00; 600-700 LBS. 59.50-63.00; 700-915 LBS. 46.00-59.00; SMALL FRAME #1 ONE LOT 397 LBS. 43.00. LARGE FRAME #2 460-800 LBS. 23.50-38.50; MEDIUM FRAME #2 350-600 LBS. 43.00-50.00.

HEIFERS: 113 HEAD. MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME #1 350-560 LBS. 46.00-51.00; FEW 640-715 LBS. 35.50-45.00; FEW 900-990 LBS. 35.50-37.00; SMALL FRAME #1 FEW 335-345 LBS. 45.00; MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME #2 350-520 LBS. 32.00-46.00; FEW 575-680 LBS. 25.00-37.00.

BULLS: 38 HEAD. MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME #1 325-550 LBS. 43.00-51.50, ONE LOT 58.50; FEW 670-800 LBS. 35.50-42.00; SMALL FRAME #1 ONE LOT 395 LBS. 36.50.

New Holland Dairy New Holland Sales Stables

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DARY COWS 181, HEIFERS 134, 17 BULLS. MARKET STRONGER. LOCAL FRESH 600.00-1200.00. FRESH HEIFERS 950.00-1525.00. LOCAL SPRINGERS 450.00-1450.00. UPSTATE LOADS FRESH 975.00-1500.00. BETTER FRESH COWS

1400.00-1575.00. HERD OF 109 HEAD, ALL STAGES,

- 310.00-1125.00, BETTER COWS 1225.00-1325.00.
- SPRINGING HEIFERS LARGE 1075.00-1235.00, SMALL 685.00-975.00.
- SHORTBRED HEIFERS 560.00-825.00. OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS
- 625.00-700.00. SMALL OPEN HEIFERS
- 210.00-575.00. BULLS 160.00-950.00, PUREBREDS
- 475.00-975.00.

North Jersey Livestock

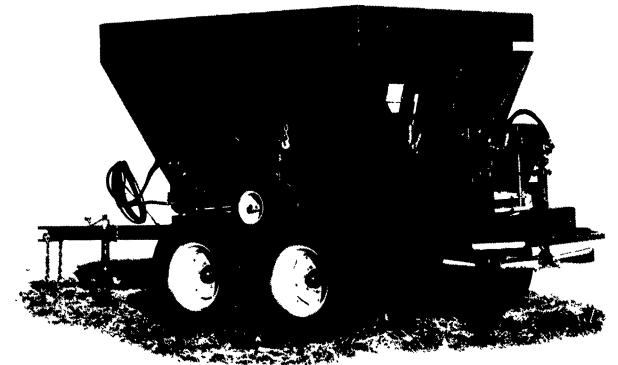
Hackettstown, NJ **Report Supplied by Auction** Tuesday, October 22, 1996 CALVES .05-.78. COWS .20-.38. EASY COWS .19% -.27% . FEEDERS 300-600 LBS. .10-.50. HEIFERS .17% -.64% . BULLS .10-.46. STEERS .10-.58. HOGS .29-.45% . ROASTING PIGS EACH 12.00-39.00. BOARS .31% . SOWS .39% SHEEP .09-.43. LAMBS EACH 11.00-46.00. LAMBS PER LB. .22-1.00. GOATS EACH 26.00-87.00. KIDS EACH 5.00-60.00. TOTAL: 899.

New Holland Horses New Holland Sales Stables

New Holland, PA

- Monday, October 21, 1996
- **Report Supplied By Auction**
- 294 HEAD. MARKET LOWER.
- WORK HORSES 785.00-1200.00. DRIVING 400.00-1000.00.
- RIDING 385.00-900.00.
- BETTER RIDING HORSES 1150.00-1475.00.
- REGISTERED RIDING
- 910.00-1550.00. KILLERS, HEAVYWEIGHTS 635.00-775.00, LIGHTWEIGHTS 310.00-510.00.
- PONIES 90.00-425.00. LARGE PONIES 475.00-505.00.
- COLTS 200.00-435.00.

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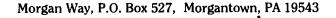
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