

**North Jersey Market**

Hackettstown, N.J.

Report Supplied by Auction  
Tuesday, December 3, 1996  
Hay—Straw & Grain Report

ALFALFA: 2 LOTS, 3.30 AND 3.80 BALE.  
MIXED HAY: 11 LOTS, 1.50-2.80 BALE.  
TIMOTHY: 4 LOTS, 2.50-3.00 BALE.  
GRASS: 9 LOTS, 1.80-2.70 BALE.  
EAR CORN: 1 LOT AT 2.75 BAG.  
OATS: 1 LOT AT 5.50 AND 6.00 BAG.  
WHEAT: 1 LOT AT 6.50 BAG.  
29 LOTS TOTAL.

**Greencastle Livestock Market**

Nov. 28 & Dec. 2

Hay & Straw

Report Supplied by Auction  
22 LOADS.  
ALFALFA: 107.50-181.00.  
TIMOTHY HAY: 123.00.  
MIXED HAY: 77.50-150.00.  
BROME GRASS: 127.50-129.00.  
STRAW: 101.00-112.50.

**Greencastle Livestock**

Greencastle, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction  
December 2, 1996

SLAUGHTER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 346 HEAD. SLAUGHTER STEERS: 88 HEAD, STEADY TREND. HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 74.50-79.00; CHOICE 2-3, 950-1075 LBS. 62.00-70.50; CHOICE 2-3, 1075-1375 LBS. 65.00-74.25; CHOICE 2-3, OVER 1375 LBS. 63.00-73.00; CHOICE 4, ALL WEIGHTS 61.00-68.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2, 950-1100 LBS. 52.00-61.00;

SELECT AND CHOICE 102, 1100-1375 LBS. 55.00-63.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2, OVER 1375 LBS. 47.00-60.00.

HOLSTEINS CHOICE 2-3, 1050-1450 LBS., NONE; SELECT 1-2, 1050-1450 LBS. 42.00-54.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: 19 HEAD. STEADY TREND. CHOICE 2-3, 850-1000 LBS. 57.00-66.25; CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1250 LBS. 63.00-74.00; CHOICE 4, ALL WEIGHTS 62.00-69.50; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2, 850-1000 LBS. 50.00-61.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2, 1000-1250 LBS. 51.00-63.00.

HOLSTEINS CHOICE 2-3, 1000-1350 LBS. 45.50-54.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2, 1000-1350 LBS. 38.00-46.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: 22 HEAD. STEADY TREND. YG#1, ALL WEIGHTS 37.00-42.75; YG#2, ALL WEIGHTS 32.00-37.00.

BULLOCKS: 6 HEAD. CHOICE 1-3 950-1150 LBS. 40.00-46.00; CHOICE 1-3 1150-1375 LBS. 52.00-55.75; SELECT 1-2 950-1250 LBS., NONE.

COWS: 211 HEAD, TREND 1.00-2.00 HIGHER. BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 32.00-38.50; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 34.00-40.75; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 33.00 AND DOWN.

STOCKER AND FEEDER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 95 HEAD, STEADY TREND. BEEF TYPE STEERS 200-400 LBS. 35.00-52.00, BULLS 34.00-48.00, HEIFERS 32.00-42.00; 400-600 LB. STEERS 39.00-54.50, BULLS 30.00-39.00 HEIFERS 33.00-44.00; 600-800 LB. STEERS 42.00-54.50, BULLS 34.00-44.00, HEIFERS 36.00-49.00; 800-975 LB. STEERS 40.00-53.50, BULLS 32.00-42.50, HEIFERS 38.00-49.00.

HOLSTEINS AND DAIRY CROSS 200-400 LB. STEERS 25.00-36.00, BULLS 22.00-30.00; HEIFERS, NONE; 400-600 LB. STEERS 25.00-34.00; BULLS 22.00-31.00; HEIFERS, NONE; 600-800 LB. STEERS 28.00-32.50, BULLS 24.00-32.00; HEIFERS, NONE;

800-975 LB. STEERS 30.00-37.00, BULLS 26.00-34.50; HEIFERS 30.00-41.00.

CALVES: 507 HEAD. STEADY TREND. CHOICE 150-300 LBS., NONE; GOOD 150-300 LBS. 40.00-55.00; GOOD 100-150 LBS. 25.00-45.00; GOOD 80-100 LBS. 18.00-30.00; STANDARD 80-100 LBS. 15.00-20.00; STANDARD 80 LBS. AND DOWN 15.00 AND DOWN.

CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, WEAKER. HOLSTEIN BULLS OVER 100 LBS. UP TO 74.00, UNDER 100 LBS. UP TO 70.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS OVER 100 LBS. UP TO 120.00, UNDER 100 LBS. 90.00; BEEF BULLS OVER 90 LBS. 35.00; BEEF HEIFERS OVER 90 LBS. 27.50.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: 18 HEAD. TREND: NOT ENOUGH FOR MARKET TEST. CHOICE 80-100 LBS. 79.00-90.00, CULL LAMBS 80.00-109.00.

SHEEP: EWES LEAN 30.00-40.00; EWES FAT 25.00-30.00.

GOATS: 163 HEAD. SMALL 16.00-40.00; MEDIUM 40.00-62.50; LARGE 60.00-119.00.

HOGS, SHOWS AND BOARS: 73 HEAD. 210-250 LBS. 52.50-55.50, 250-260 LBS. 52.50-56.00; 260-270 LBS. 52.00-54.00; 270-300 LBS. 49.00-54.00. LIGHT HOGS 140-180 LBS., NONE; 180-210 LBS., NONE.

SOWS STEADY. GOOD SOWS UNDER 400 LBS. 45.00-52.50, OVER 400 LBS. 49.00-59.50; CULL SOWS, ALL WEIGHTS, 40.00 AND DOWN.

BOARS STEADY. 180-210 LBS., NONE; 210-260 LBS., NONE; 260-300 LBS. 37.00-40.00; 300 LBS. AND OVER 38.00-40.50.

SALE EVERY MON. AT 2 P.M. AND EVERY THURS. AT 1 P.M. HAY AND STRAW EVERY MON. AND THURS. AT 11:30 A.M.

SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE FRIDAY, DEC. 6 AT 7:15 P.M.

**Mercer Livestock**

MERCER, PA  
DECEMBER 3, 1996

CATTLE 300... PDA ... Compared with last week's sale...cows mostly steady.

STEERS: couple High Choice and Prime 1265 & 1400 lbs. 75.25 & 75.50, Choice 1150/1500 lbs. 65.25-71.50, Select 53.50-64.00, few Standard 47.75-52.00.

HOLSTEINS: few Standard 38.00-51.25.

HEIFERS: one High Choice and Prime 1125 lbs. 69.50, few Choice 1025/1175 lbs. 62.00-68.00, Select 52.00-60.50, Standard 40.00-49.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 34.00-37.75, Cutter and Boning Utility 25.00-34.25, Canner and Low Cutter 21.75-26.50. Shells down to 15.50.

BULLOCKS: few Select 975/1175 lbs. 35.00-38.50.

BULLS: few Yield Grade No. 1 1460/1815 lbs. 38.25-44.00, few No. 2 965/1800 lbs. 28.00-33.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: few Medium Frame No. 1 875/975 lbs. 41.00-46.00;

HEIFERS: few Medium Frame No. 1 250/575 lbs. 32.50-40.00, few Large Frame No. 1 575/850 lbs. 31.00-43.00; BULLS: few Medium Frame No. 1 325/650 lbs. 38.00-48.00, Medium Frame No. 2 325/900 lbs. 25.00-34.00.

CALVES 113...VEALERS: few Standard and Good 130/185 lbs. 39.00-52.50, 75/115 lbs. 17.00-25.00, Utility 50/95 lbs. 5.00-18.00.

FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/120 lbs. 64.00-83.00, No. 2 85/115 lbs. 23.00-62.50; couple No. 2 Holstein heifers 105 & 115 lbs. 82.50 & 135.00. Few beef cross bulls and heifers 65/105 lbs. 16.00-32.00.

HOGS 76...BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 240/260 lbs. 54.75-55.00, US 1-3 240/270 lbs. 53.50-54.50, few US 2-3 260/300 lbs. 52.75-53.00.

SOWS: few US 1-3 425/675 lbs. 49.25-51.00.

BOARS: couple 325 & 645 lbs. 33.50 & 34.50.

FEEDER PIGS 9...US 1-3 75/130 lbs. 43.00-50.00. --- per cwt.

SHEEP 1...NO MARKET TEST!  
GOATS 0...NO MARKET TEST!

**Leesport Livestock**

Leesport, PA

Wednesday, December 4

Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 299...SUPPLY INCLUDED 103 FED STEERS AND HEIFERS, 17 FEEDER CATTLE. COMPARED WITH LAST WEEK...STEERS STEADY, COWS STEADY TO WEAK.

STEERS CHOICE 1185-1320 LBS. 66.50-73.00; SELECT 56.00-65.00.

HOLSTEINS HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1440-1680 LBS. 63.00-66.00; CHOICE 1305-1590 LBS. 57.75-63.50; SELECT 51.00-58.50; STANDARD 34.75-45.00.

HEIFERS CHOICE 990-1365 LBS. 64.75-71.00; SELECT 57.25-63.25.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 33.50-40.75, CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 27.00-35.00, CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 24.00-31.50, SHELLS 15.00-25.00.

BULLS: FEW YG #1 & #2 1025-2110 LBS. 35.50-40.00; YG#2 30.25-36.00.

BULLOCKS: FEW 48.00-56.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: M&L 1&2 STEERS AND HEIFERS 280-535 LBS. 32.00-51.00.

CALVES: 213, STANDARD AND GOOD 80-125 LBS. 20.00-34.00; UTILITY 55-115 LBS. 5.00-25.00.

FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 95-125 LBS. 85.00-110.00, FEW TO 125.00; #2 BULLS 85-115 LBS. 41.00-85.00; #1 HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-110 LBS. 85.00-105.00.

HOGS: 107...BARROWS AND GILTS COMPARED TO LAST WEDNESDAY STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. BARROWS AND GILTS US#1-3 209-267 LBS. 55.25-59.00.

SOWS: US#1-3 550-720 LBS. 50.00-53.75; US#1-3 315-510 LBS. 42.00-48.00.

BOARS: ALL WEIGHTS 36.00-37.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 55. US#1-3 24-57 LBS. 92.50-155.00 PER CWT.

SHEEP: 80, CHOICE SLAUGHTER LAMBS 35-61 LBS. 127.00-150.00, 67-125 LBS. 80.00-115.00, GOOD LAMBS 35-85 LBS. 90.00-125.00; FEW YEARLINGS 50.00-53.00; SLAUGHTER SHEEP 24.00-38.00.

GOATS: 6, MEDIUMS 32.50-55.00, ONE BUCK 117.50 PER HEAD.

REPORT SUPPLIED BY BILL WEIST AUTHOR.

**New Holland Sales Stables Goat and Sheep Sale**

Monday, December 2, 1996

GOATS: 355 HEAD. BILLIES 75.00-100.00 AND 100.00-150.00, FEW 150.00-192.00; MUTTON 70.00-90.00; NANNIES 40.00-75.00; YEARLINGS 50.00-85.00; KIDS 30.00-60.00.

SHEEP: 359. ALL WEIGHTS, SLAUGHTER EWES 25.00-60.00; SLAUGHTER RAMS 30.00-50.00; 1 YEAR-OLDS 40.00-80.00; 2 YEAR-OLDS 40.00-50.00.

LAMBS: 100-130 LBS. 90.00-105.00; 80-100 LBS. 100.00-113.00; 60-80 LBS. 100.00-120.00; 40-60 LBS. 120.00-185.00.



**Diffenbach Auction Inc.**

100 West Jackson Street • New Holland, Pennsylvania 17557  
Office: (717) 355-7253 • FAX: (717) 355-9547

**HAY & GRAIN SALE EVERY MONDAY - 10:00 A.M.**

|     |        |                                       |         |
|-----|--------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| FRI | DEC 13 | FARM EQUIP., TRACTORS & FARM SUPPLIES | 9:00 AM |
| FRI | JAN 10 | FARM EQUIP., TRACTORS & FARM SUPPLIES | 9:00 AM |
| TUE | JAN 21 | QUILT, CRAFT & BUGGIES                | 9:00 AM |
| WED | JAN 22 | QUILT, & CRAFT                        | 9:00 AM |

EQUIPPED FOR AN AUCTION AT YOUR PLACE OR OURS  
ALAN DIFFENBACH AUCTION-AU2258-L



**NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES INC. THE ACTION AUCTION**

Livestock Is Our Only Business

**MONDAY**



**SLAUGHTER HOGS  
EARLY BIRD HOG SALE  
7:30 A.M.**

Sell Your Hogs At New Holland Sales Stables, Inc  
See them weighed, sold and pickup your check



**10:00 A.M.  
HORSES  
MULES**



**10:00 A.M.  
SHEEP, GOATS &  
CALVES  
1:30 P.M.  
BEEF SALE**



**THURSDAY**

**Beef Auction 10:00 A.M.**

**BULLS, STEERS,  
BEEF COWS**



**1:00 P.M.  
STOCKERS & FEEDERS**



**10:30 A.M.  
GOATS, SHEEP  
CALVES**



**WEDNESDAY**

**HEIFER SALE 11:00 A.M.  
COW SALE 12:00 NOON**



We have the usual run of 50 to 100 Heifers, all ages Loads of fresh cows and springers from our regular shippers Also some local fresh cows and springers

**1:30 P.M.  
FEEDER PIG SALE**



Pigs are accepted after 6:30 A.M. State graded from 8 to 12 Dairy Barn and Feeder Pig Barn are cleaned and disinfected weekly for your protection

**NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES, INC. 12 Miles East of Lancaster Off Route 23, New Holland, Penna.**

**MANAGERS**

Norman & David Kolb- 717-397-5538  
Field Representatives  
Luke Eberly - 215-267-6608 738-1665  
Homer Eberly - 215-267-3047  
Ron Ranck - 717-656-8849

Sale Barn Officer Manager  
Roger Floyd - 717-354-4341  
FAX #717-355-0706

Order Barn:  
Paul Good - 215-445-6662



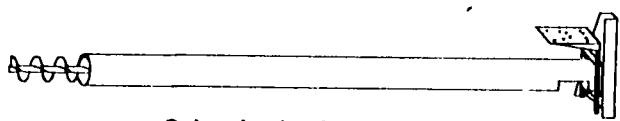
Manufactured by  
**automatic farm systems**

608 E. Evergreen Road, Lebanon, PA 17042  
Phone: 717-274-5333

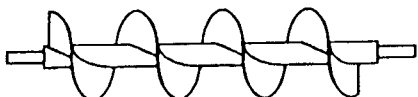
**Augers**

Custom made to the length you need!

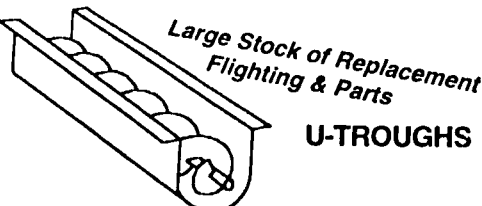
Heavy Duty Construction



Galvanized - Carbon - Stainless



Flighting Available in All Sizes



Large Stock of Replacement  
Flighting & Parts

**U-TROUGHS**

**AUGER INSTALLATIONS**

- ✓ In feedlots
- ✓ In drying systems
- ✓ Commercial applications
- ✓ At feedmills or elevators
- ✓ Around poultry & dairy barns
- ✓ At your grain bins or bulk tanks
- ✓ Replacement Augers for feed mixers and farm equipment

**Standard Auger Specifications**

|                  | 4"    | 6"    | 8"    | 10"  |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Tube Gauge       | 16    | 14    | 14    | 12   |
| Flight Thickness | 3/16" | 3/16" | 3/16" | 1/4" |
| Bu./Hr.          | 250   | 850   | 2000  | 3000 |
| RPM              | 431   | 431   | 431   | 431  |

Call Us For Custom Specifications

**PRICED TO SELL:**

Assembled 8"x56" Westfield  
PTO TRANSPORT AUGER  
with Polly Hopper