

Carlisle Livestock Market

Carlisle, Pa.
 Tuesday, December 10, 1996
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SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS CHOICE 1050-1575 LBS. 68.75-74.00; SELECT TO LOW CHOICE 65.50-69.75; SELECT 55.00-65.00; HOLSTEINS CHOICE 59.00-61.00; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 48.00-56.50; HEIFERS CHOICE 1100-1450 LBS. 68.25-74.00; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 59.00-67.50. COWS BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 35.00-39.75; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 32.50-37.25; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 22.00-29.75; BIG MIDDLE 30.00-34.00; SHELLY 21.00 AND DOWN.

BULLS 34.75-37.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: FEEDER STEERS MEDIUM LARGE #1 400-850 LBS. 39.00-58.00; LIGHTS/HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 33.00-47.00; FEEDER HEIFERS MED./LARGE #1 400-650 LBS. 41.00-45.00; FEEDER BULLS 650-950 LBS. 25.00-36.00.

CALVES: CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM STANDARD AND GOOD 20.00-30.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-130 LBS. 67.50-79.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-135 LBS. 87.50-135.00; BEEF X BULLS TO 65.00.

SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 54.75-55.50; US#2-3 220-270 LBS. 53.75-54.00. SOWS US #1-3 300-500 LBS. 43.75-48.50; THIN/WEAK/ROUGH TO 42.00; BOARS OVER 400 LBS. 38.50-39.75; FEEDER PIGS BY THE HEAD, 10-20 LBS. 12.50-30.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE BILLIES 96.00-120.00; FLESHY KIDS 40.00-70.00; SMALL KIDS TO 35.00.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 45-65

LBS. 125.00-141.00; CHOICE 70-95 LBS. 104.00-130.00; CHOICE 100-130 LBS. 100.00-114.00; GOOD 80-130 LBS. 80.00-97.00.

SHEEP: SHEEP/YEARLING ALL WEIGHTS 41.00-87.00.

SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR PRODUCE, RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK. STARTING WITH CALVES, THEN LAMBS, SHEEP, PIGS, FEEDER CATTLE, BOARS, BULLS, FED CATTLE, COWS, HOGS, SOWS.

NEXT SPECIAL FEEDER/FED CATTLE SALES HELD TUES., DEC. 31. FEEDER SALE STARTING APPROX. 7:30 P.M.

EARLYBIRD PENS FOR CATTLE, COWS AND HOGS CLOSE EVERY TUES. AT 2 P.M. FOR PREMIUM PRICES, USE THESE PENS.

PEN LOTS OF CATTLE WILL BE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED.

NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES FRIDAY, DEC. 13 AND 27. RECEIVING 7-11 A.M. SALE TIME 1:30 P.M.

CHRISTMAS LAMB AND GOAT SALE TUES., DEC. 17. RECEIVING 9 A.M. PLEASE HAVE YOUR LAMBS AND GOATS IN BEFORE 5 P.M.

HATFIELD'S TOP PRICE FOR CASH HOGS WED., DEC. 11 WAS 55.25.

CARLISLE LIVESTOCK MARKET CLOSED TUES., DEC. 24.

Friend's Stockyard Inc.

Accident, Md. 21520
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STOCK BULLS AND STEERS (200-500 LBS.) 40.00-53.50.

STOCK HEIFERS: 30.00-41.00.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: GOOD TO CHOICE 66.00-70.85; MEDIUM TO GOOD 57.00-65.00, HEAVY CHOICE OVER 1450 LB. 55.00-64.75.
HOLSTEIN STEERS: HEAVY CHOICE 32.00-46.50, LIGHT 34.00-41.50.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: GOOD TO CHOICE 61.50-67.50; MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-57.25.
BULLS: HEAVY 31.00-40.50, LIGHT 30.00-37.00.
COWS: UTILITY (HOLSTEIN) 30.00-37.00, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 26.00-30.00, CULL COWS 25.00 AND DOWN.
VEALS: GOOD TO CHOICE 40.00-65.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 20.00-44.00.
BOB CALVES: 20.00 AND DOWN.
HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES — RETURN TO FARM (90 TO 120 LB.) 50.00-85.00.
HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES — RETURN TO FARM (100 TO 120 LB.) UP TO 115.00.
BEEF CROSS CALVES — RETURN TO FARM UP TO 21.00.
HOGS: TOP QUALITY UP TO 56.10, HEAVY UP TO 54.00, LIGHT 30.00-47.00.
SOWS: 35.00-48.50.
MALE HOGS: 24.00-39.00.
LAMBS, LIGHT, NONE AVAILABLE; FEEDER LAMBS, NONE AVAILABLE.
SHEEP: NONE AVAILABLE.
LIVESTOCK PRICES ARE ALL GIVEN PER HUNDRED WEIGHT!

Aberdeen Sales Company, Inc.

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SLAUGHTER STEERS: MARKET 3.00 LOWER. CHOICE 2-4 1100-1400 LBS. 70.00-72.00; SELECT & LOW CHOICE 1000-1500 LBS. 63.00-69.00; HOL. STEERS HI CHOICE & PRIME 1250-1400 LBS. 60.00-62.00; CHOICE 1200-1500 LBS. 47.00-54.00; SELECT, ALL WEIGHTS 39.00-44.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: MARKET 2.00 LOWER. CHOICE & PRIME 950-1300 LBS. 69.00-71.00; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 900-1400 LBS. 53.00-60.00.

COWS: MARKET 3.00 LOWER. BRK. UT. & COMM. 2-4 BULK 34.00-37.00; HI DRESSING 38.00-40.00; CUTTER & BON. UT. 29.00-32.00; HI DRESSING 33.00-35.00; CANNER & CUTTERS 21.00-27.00; LOW DRESSING 20.00 & DOWN.

BULLS: MARKET 2.00 LOWER. ALL WEIGHTS 1100-1900 LBS. 31.00-39.00.

VEAL CALVES: MARKET STEADY. CHOICE AND PRIME 200-400 LBS. 55.00-69.00; HI GOOD AND LOW CHOICE ALL WEIGHTS 35.00-49.00.

FARM CALVES: MARKET STEADY. HOL. BULLS 100-125 LBS. 74.00-86.00; HOL. BULLS 85-95 LBS. 48.00-69.00; HOL. HEIFER CALVES 100-120 LBS. 93.00-115.00; SMALL FRAME 70-105 LBS. 15.00-30.00; SLAUGHTER CALVES ALL WEIGHTS, NONE.

FEEDER CATTLE: MARKET STEADY. BULLS & STEERS 400-900 LBS. 39.00-62.00; HEIFERS 300-700 LBS. 27.00-46.00.

LAMBS: MARKET 10.00 HIGHER.

CHOICE & PRIME 90-110 LBS. 93.00-110.00; LIGHTER LAMBS 82.00-135.

AND PRICES PER CWT.:
 US#1 75.10, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.81; US#2 73.11, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.76; US#3 71.12, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.71; US#4 69.13, CHANGE FROM TUES.'S VALUE -0.66.

TODAY'S CALCULATIONS FOR US #2 175 LB. PORK CARCASS: SKINNED HAMS 14-20 LBS., 21.01% OF CARCASS, 76.00 FOB VALUE, -2.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; LOINS, 1/4" TRIM 14-22 LBS., 20.33% OF CARCASS, 131.00 FOB VALUE, -3.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.

BELLIES, SDLS. 12-14 LBS., 13.90% OF CARCASS, 71.50 FOB VALUE, 0.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.; SPARERIBS 3.5 LBS. AND DOWN, 3.03% OF CARCASS, 116.00 FOB VALUE.

PICNICS, 8-12 LBS., 10.31% OF CARCASS, 49.00 FOB VALUE, 1.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; BUTTS, 1/4" TRIM 4-8 LBS., 7.25% OF CARCASS, 91.50 FOB VALUE, 1.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.

JOWL, 2.85% OF CARCASS, 41.00 FOB VALUE, 2.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; NECKBONES 1.52% 13.00 FOB VALUE, -0.50 CHANGE FROM TUES.

FEET 1.05% OF CARCASS, 26.00 FOB VALUE; TAILS, 0.22% OF CARCASS, 52.00 FOB VALUE.

TRIM 72%, 2.19% OF CARCASS, 65.00 FOB VALUE, -1.00 CHANGE FROM TUES.; LARD 10.85% OF CARCASS, 20.25 FOB VALUE.

TOTAL CARCASS 94.51%.
 US#2 CARCASS VALUE PER CWT 73.11.

NOTE: VALUE MAY CHANGE WITHOUT ADEQUATE TEST.
SOURCE: USDA MARKET NEWS, DES MOINES, IA.

Pa. FFA Essay Contest

HARRISBURG (Dauphin Co.) — The Pennsylvania FFA Association is sponsoring an essay contest for its members.

The contest will be divided into two categories. The winner from each category will be presented with a plaque at the Midwinter Convention.

They will also have the opportunity to either read, or have a state officer read, their essay at the convention. Details for entering the contest are listed below:

- Category I - Ninth and Tenth Grade Members

Topic Question: What technologies are going to have the most impact on the future of agriculture?

- Category II - Eleventh and Twelfth Grade Members

Topic Question: How will the benefits I have received from the FFA as an individual benefit society as a whole?

- Essay Description: Maximum 350 words. Typed. Double Spaced. Title Page: Topic Question, Name, School/ FFA Chapter, Chapter Advisor, Grade/Category.

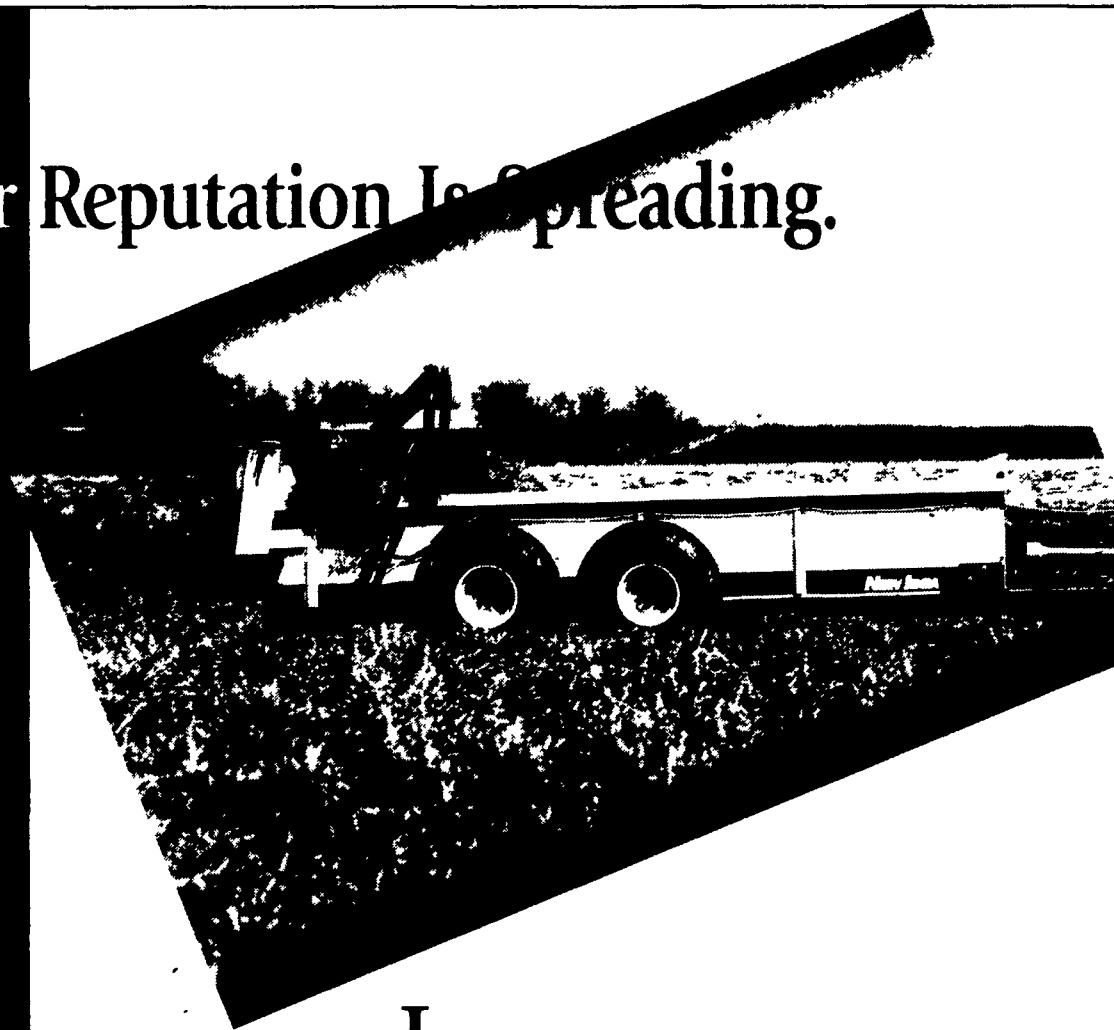
- Deadline: Post-marked by Dec. 20, 1996.

- Eligibility: Contestant must be an FFA member that has paid Pennsylvania FFA State dues.

- Mail To: Michael Clark, Vice-President, Pa. FFA Association, RR 1, Box 97, Loysville, PA 17047.

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