

**Central U.S.  
Carlot**

**Pork Report**

**December 18, 1996**

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COMPARED TO TUESDAY'S 3 P.M. CLOSE: FRESH LOINS 2.00-4.00 HIGHER; BUTTS 1.00-2.00 HIGHER; SKND. HAMS MOSTLY 4.00-5.00 LOWER; SDLS. BELLIES STEADY; LEAN TRIMMINGS STEADY TO 1.00 LOWER. TRADING SLOW WITH LIGHT DEMAND AND OFFERINGS.

LOADS PORK CUTS: 61.16  
LOADS TRIM/PROCESS PORK: 23.0  
LOINS, REG., FRESH  
14-18 LBS., 10.5 LOADS, RANGE 116.00-123.00, WGHTD. AVG. 120.57.  
1/2" TRM 14-18 LBS., 5.0 LOADS, RANGE 135.00-143.00, WGHTD. AVG. 139.60.

1/2" TRM/LESS 14-18 LBS., 5.5 LOADS, RANGE 139.00-149.00, WGHTD. AVG. 146.27.

18-22 LBS., 3.0 LOADS, RANGE 118.00-120.00, WGHTD. AVG. 118.67.  
1/2" TRM 18-22 LBS., 3.0 LOADS, RANGE 137.00-139.00, WGHTD. AVG. 137.67.

COMBOS 22 LBS. AND UP, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 90.00, WGHTD. AVG. 90.00.

LOIN, BNLS, CNTR CUT  
5-9 LBS. STRAP-ON, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 227.00-242.00, WGHTD. AVG. 234.50.

5-9 LBS. STRAP-OFF, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 235.00, WGHTD. AVG. 235.00.  
BNLS SIRLOIN .75-1 LB.

0.5 LOADS, RANGE 138.00-144.00, WGHTD. AVG. 142.35.

TENDERLOIN  
1.25 LBS. AND DOWN, 0.20 LOADS, RANGE 350.00, WGHTD. AVG. 350.00.

PICNIC, FRESH  
SMKR TRM, SS, COMBO, 0.5 LOADS, RANGE 86.00, WGHTD. AVG. 86.00.

**BOSTON BUTT**  
4-8 LBS., 4.0 LOADS, RANGE 80.00-85.00, WGHTD. AVG. 83.25.  
1/2" TRIM 4-8 LBS., 4.0 LOADS, RANGE 98.00-103.00, WGHTD. AVG. 101.63.

**SPARERIBS, FRESH**  
1.5-3.5 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 117.00, WGHTD. AVG. 117.00.  
3.5-5.5 LBS., RANGE 94.00-97.00, WGHTD. AVG. 95.00 A.

**LOIN BACKRIB (BOXED) FRSH/FRZN**  
1.75-2.00 LBS., 1.50 LOADS, RANGE 221.00-232.00, WGHTD. AVG. 224.67.

**LOIN BACKRIB (COMBOS)**  
1.75 LBS. AND DOWN, 3.0 LOADS, RANGE 272.00, WGHTD. AVG. 272.00.

**HAM, SKINNED, SELECTED FRESH 17-20 LBS., 4.0 LOADS, RANGE 65.00, WGHTD. AVG. 65.00.**

**FRESH 20-26 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 62.00-65.00, WGHTD. AVG. 63.94.**

**HAM, SKINNED, COMMODITY FRESH 17-20 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 66.00, WGHTD. AVG. 66.00.**

**FRESH 20-26 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 65.00, WGHTD. AVG. 65.00.**

**FRESH 32 LBS. AND UP, RANGE 62.00, WGHTD. AVG. 62.00 D.**

**BELLY, SDLS, SKIN-ON, FRESH FRESH 10-12 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 55.00, WGHTD. AVG. 55.00.**

**FRESH 12-14 LBS., 6.0 LOADS, RANGE 68.00-69.00, WGHTD. AVG. 68.67.**

**FRESH 14-16 LBS., 5.0 LOADS, RANGE 72.00, WGHTD. AVG. 72.00.**

**FRESH 16-18 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 69.00, WGHTD. AVG. 69.00.**

**FRESH 18-20 LBS., 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 57.50, WGHTD. AVG. 57.50.**

**FRESH 20-25 LBS., 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 53.00, WGHTD. AVG. 53.00.**

**PORK TRIMMINGS/ BONELESS PROCESSING PORK (CHEMICAL LEAN) COMBO 42% FRESH, 9.0 LOADS, RANGE 36.00-37.00, WGHTD. AVG. 36.44.**

**BOXED 42% FROZEN, RANGE 46.00, WGHTD. AVG. 46.00 C.**  
**COMBO 72% FRESH, 11.0 LOADS, RANGE 57.00-58.00, WGHTD. AVG. 57.73.**

**BOXED 72% FROZEN, 1.0 LOADS, RANGE 66.00, WGHTD. AVG. 66.00.**  
**BONELESS PICNIC MEAT COMBO 72% FRESH, 2.0 LOADS, RANGE 69.00, WGHTD. AVG. 69.00.**

**BOXED 72% FROZEN, RANGE 77.00, WGHTD. AVG. 77.00 A.**

**SKINNED JOWLS COMBO FRESH, RANGE 35.00, WGHTD. AVG. 35.00 A.**

**BOXED FROZEN, RANGE 45.00, WGHTD. AVG. 45.00 D.**

**NOTE! (\*REFLECTS 1/2" OR 3/4" TRIMMED PRODUCT BROUGHT BACK TO A REGULAR COMMODITY BASIS.**

**Lancaster Feeder Cattle**

**NEW HOLLAND, PA  
DECEMBER 18, 1996**

475 Head, a crowd filled about half of the auction arena. The bidding was sluggish to the few buyers.

**FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1: 43: 417/496 lbs, 56.75-58.50, 481 lbs, 57.51; 23: 545/599 lbs, 57.75-60.75; 573 lbs, 59.39; 13: 645 lbs, 61.50; 645 lbs, 61.50; Large 1: 39: 670/671 lbs, 51.25-53.85; 671 lbs, 52.58; Medium and Large 1-2: 13: 502/539 lbs, 42.50-44.50; 518 lbs, 43.45; 10: 849/888 lbs, 41.75-44.25; 866 lbs, 42.00; 10: 1011/1032 lbs, 37.00-39.25; 1024 lbs, 38.36; 7: 1156 lbs, 36.75; 1156 lbs, 36.75.**

**FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large: 57: 442/488 lbs, 40.25/47.50; 468 lbs, 43.97; 7: 577 lbs, 41.75; 577 lbs, 41.75; 50: 512/630 lbs, 50.60-51.10; 620 lbs, 51.01; Medium 1-2: 10: 336 lbs, 35.50;**

336 lbs, 35.50; 7: 415/423 lbs, 31.50-35.25; 420 lbs, 33.40; 5: 630 lbs, 35.00; 630 lbs, 35.00.

**FEEDER BULLS: Medium 1: 10: 497 lbs, 39.50; 497 lbs, 39.50.**

**Leesport Livestock**

**LEESPORT, PA  
DECEMBER 18, 1996**

**CATTLE: 306: Supply includes 123 fed steers and heifers, 69 feeder cattle. Compared with last week ... steers strong to 2.00 higher, cows 2.00-3.00 higher.**

**STEERS: Choice 1105/1565 lbs, 66.00-71.50, Select 56.00-66.00; Holsteins: High Choice & Prime 1325/1450 lbs, 60.50-64.50, Choice 1190/1670 lbs, 54.75-60.00, Select 51.00-56.50, Standard 34.75-49.00.**

**HEIFERS: Choice 990/1305 lbs, 64.75-69.75, Select 54.25-61.00.**

**COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 35.50-42.50, Cutter & Boning Utility 27.00-31.75, Canner & Low Cutter 23.00-28.50, Shells 15.00-20.00.**

**BULLS: Few Yield Grade #1 1245/2170 lbs, 34.00-38.00, Yield Grade #2 28.50-31.00.**

**BULLOCKS: Few Select 40.50-43.00.**

**FEEDER CATTLE: M&L #1 steers 300/955 lbs, 39.00-54.50, M#1 heifers 335/505 lbs, 36.00-45.00, few bulls 20.00-32.00, #2 holstein steers 25.00-33.50.**

**CALVES: 186: Standard & Good 80/125 lbs, 20.00-34.00, Utility 55/115 lbs, 5.00-25.00.**

**FARM CALVES: #1 Holstein Bulls 95/125 lbs, 75.00-100.00; #2 bulls 85/115 lbs, 41.00-85.00, #1 Holstein Heifers 90/125 lbs 105.00-157.50.**

**HOGS: 98: Barrows & Gilts: Compared to last Wednesday steady; Barrows & Gilts: US 1-3 227/267 lbs, 50.50-53.25; Sows: US 1-3 520/615 lbs, 47.50-50.00, US 1-3, 315/485 lbs, 40.00-47.00; Boars:**

All Weights 35.00-39.50.

**FEEDER PIGS: 117: US 1-3 20/30 lbs, 175.00-250.00, 40/55 lbs, 120.00-160.00, 60/105 lbs, 80.00-95.00, per cwt., under 20 lbs (per head) 35.00-40.00.**

**SHEEP: 52: New crop lambs 25/55 lbs, 180.00-270.00, choice slaughter lambs 90/120 lbs, 83.00-93.00, 135/150 lbs, 66.00-76.00, Good lambs 45/90 lbs, 79.00-119.00, slaughter sheep 25.00-40.00.**

**GOATS: 41: Medium kids 40.00-67.50, small kids 25.00-40.00, mature goats 35.00-95.00 per head.**

**SPECIAL NOTE: NO SALE THE WEEK OF CHRISTMAS. Happy Holidays. Next sale, Wed., January 1, 1997.**

**Pennsylvania Livestock**

**WAYNESBURG, PA  
DECEMBER 19, 1996**

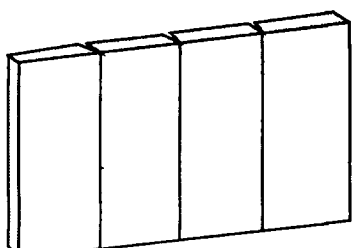
**CATTLE: SLAUGHTER COWS: Utility & Commercial 30.00-38.50; Cutter & Boning Utility 24.00-28.00; Canner & Low Cutter 18.00-25.00; Shells 18.00 & down.**

**BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1500/2000 lbs, 33.00-40.00; Yield Grade 2 1000/1400 lbs, 28.00-36.00; FEEDER STEERS: M&L 1 300/500 lbs, 40.00-56.00; 250/280 lbs, 48.00-59.00; M 600/900 lbs, 43.50-55.50; HEIFERS: M 1&L 300/500 lbs, 35.00-50.00; L 1400/650 lbs, 38.00-42.00; BULLS: M&L 1 300/620 lbs, 32.00-53.50.**

**CALVES: Veal: Prime 40.00-55.00; Choice 38.00-50.00; Good 35.00-48.00; Farm Calves: #1 Holstein Bulls 90/120 lbs, few 35.00-50.00; #2 Holstein Bulls 80/100 lbs, few 20.00-40.00; Beef X Bulls & Hfrs/ Hd 20.00-55.00.**

**HOGS: Barrows & Gilts: #1-2 210/255 lbs, 52.00-60.00; #2-3 255/280 lbs, 47.00-56.00; Sows: #1-3 300/500 lbs, 30.00-48.00; Feeder Pigs: 1-3 15/20 lbs, 5.00-17.00/hd; 1-3 25/35 lbs, 10.00-30.00/hd.**

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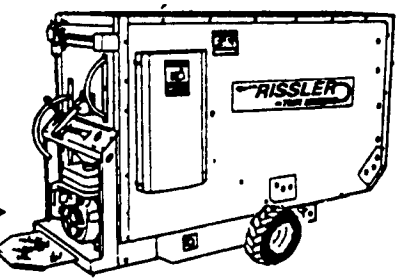
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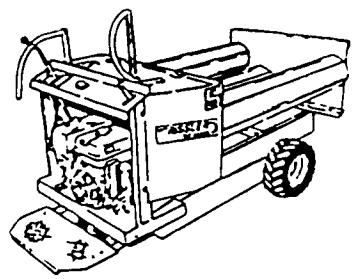
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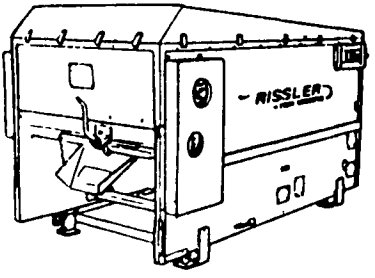
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