

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

May 2, 1997

14 Livestock Auctions

CATTLE 5863 Compared with head last week and 4762 head a year ago. Compared with last Friday's summary slaughter steers & bulls mostly steady, sl heifers steady to 1 00 lower, sl cows unevenly steady. **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice & Prime 67 85-70 35, few to 71 00, Choice 63 50-69 00, Select and Low Choice 60.00-65 25, Select 55 00-64.00, Standard 50 00-56 00, few to 44 50. **HOLSTEINS:** High Choice and Prime 59 25-64 00, Choice 55 00-61 00, Select 52 00-57 00 **HEIFERS:** Choice 61 00-67 00, Select 54 00-62 00, Standard 40 00-54 00 **COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 38 75-46 00, few to 36 00, Cutter and Boning Utility 33 00-40 00, Canner and Low Cutter 28 00-36 00, few to 26 00 Shells down to 15 00 **BULLOCKS:** few Choice 52 00-63 50 **BULLS:** Yield Grade No 1 1000/2400 lbs 43 75-51 00, few to 55 00, No 2 900/2000 lbs 38 00-46 50, few to 34 00 **FEEDER CATTLE:** STEERS Medium Large Frame No 1 300/800 lbs 64 00-80 00, few to 85 00, Medium & Large Frame No 2 775/800 lbs 53.00-69 50; **HEIFERS:** Medium & Large Frame No 1 300/750 lbs 45 00-78 00 mostly 50 00-69 00, Medium & Large Frame No 2 275/800 lbs 40 00-65 00, few to 35 00, **BULLS:** Medium & Large Frame No 1 300/850 lbs 55 00-70 00, few to 80 00, Medium & Large Frame No 2 275/800 lbs 40 00-61 00 **CALVES** 2838 Compared with 2684 head last week and 1707 head a year ago. Vealers mostly

steady. **VEALERS:** few Choice 140/300 lbs 70.00-105 00, Good 130/300 lbs 50.00-73 00, Standard and Good 70/110 lbs 24 00-43.00, Utility 50/100 lbs 10 00-25.00 **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls steady to 25 00 higher, Holstein heifers mostly steady No 1 Holstein bulls 90/130 lbs 80 00-128 00, No 2 85/125 lbs 45.00-80 00, few to 35 00, No 1 Holstein heifers 85/130 lbs 95 00-130 00, few to 172 50, No 2 80/125 lbs 60 00-129 00, few to 35.00. Beef cross 70/140 lbs bulls and heifers 35 00-95.00. **HOGS** 2520 Compared with 2332 head last week and 3086 head a year ago Barrows and gilts 1.00 to 2.00 higher, sows mostly steady. **BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 220/260 lbs 57.00-56.00, US 1-3 210/270 lbs 55 00-58.00, US 2-3 220/300 lbs 52 00-55 85 **SOWS:** US 1-3 300/500 lbs 39.50-45 00, 500/700 lbs 44 50-48 00 **BOARS:** 36.00-40.00. **FEEDER PIGS** 288. Compared with 198 head last week and 390 head a year ago Feeder pigs US 1-3 30/50 lbs 29 00-48 00, few 45/75 lbs 45 00-59 00 —per head **SHEEP** 1590 Compared with 4242 head last week and 846 head a year ago Slaughter lambs 5.00 to 25 00 lower **SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice 30/55 lbs 117 50-150 00, few to 180 00, 50/85 lbs 115 00-142 00, 80/105 lbs 110 00-129 00 **OLD CROP LAMBS:** few Choice 70/110 lbs 100 00-132 00 **SLAUGHTER SHEEP:** 25 00-57 50 **TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES** 1684 Compared with 879 head last week and 2352 head a year ago Feeder pigs mostly steady to 15 00 lower few US 1-2 20/30 lbs 145 00-175 00, 30/40 lbs 120 00-155 00, 40/50 lbs 120 00-145 00, 50/60 lbs 120 00-142 00, 60/70 lbs 107 00-137 00, few 70/80 lbs 101 00-114 00, few US 2-3 25/30 lbs 115 00-139 00, few 40/50 lbs 129 00-141 00, Slaughter 18/37 lbs 120 00-155 00 —per hundredweight

New Holland Sales Stables Goat and Sheep Sale

Monday, May 5, 1997

Calves Sheep Goats
Today 169 606 901
Last Week 140 836 1043
CALVES: VEALERS STEADY; **SLAUGHTER CALVES WEAK TO 5.00 LOWER. DEMAND FAIR FOR HOLSTEIN BULLS TO RETURN TO FARM.** **VEALERS:** CHOICE 180-325 LBS. 80.00-90.00; HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 150-200 LBS. 65.00-80.00; 80-120 LBS. 25.00-31.00; STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-85 LBS. 12.00-20.00. **SLAUGHTER CALVES:** CHOICE 250-450 LBS. 50.00-65.00, GOOD 250-400 LBS. 40.00-50.00. **RETURNED TO FARM:** BULK 90-120 LBS. HOLSTEIN BULLS 90.00-115.00; SMALL FRAME 80-110 LBS. 50.00-80.00. FEW SMALL FRAME 80-110 LBS. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 50.00-85.00. **SHEEP:** NEW CROP LAMBS STEADY; **SLAUGHTER EWES FULL STEADY. SUPPLY INCLUDED 75 PERCENT NEW CROP LAMBS, WITH THE BALANCE MAINLY SLAUGHTER EWES.** **NEW CROP LAMBS:** CHOICE 30-60 LBS 130.00-165.00, 60-80 LBS. 115.00-130.00, 80-105 LBS. 105.00-115.00, 105-130 LBS. 85.00-100.00. **SLAUGHTER EWES:** FEW CHOICE 1-3 50.00-75.00; UTILITY AND GOOD 1-2 40.00-50.00, 2-3 30.00-40.00. **GOATS:** ALL GOATS SOLD BY THE HEAD, BILLIES MEDIUM 70.00-95.00; LARGE 100.00-125.00, FEW 125.00-175.00; MUTTON: LARGE

70.00-90.00; **NANNIES:** MEDIUM AND LARGE 50.00-80.00; **YEARLINGS:** GOOD AND CHOICE 60.00-90.00; **KIDS:** CHOICE 35.00-50.00; GOOD 25.00-35.00; UTILITY 18.00-25.00.

Indiana Farmers

HOMER CITY, PA
MAY 8, 1997

CATTLE: 125; Steers: Steady; Heifers: Steady; Cows: Steady. **STEERS:** Choice 1185/1535 lbs. 63.00-68.00; Select 56.50-62.25; Standard 48.50-53.75; Holsteins: Select Few 53.00-54.25. **HEIFERS:** Choice 1080/1350 lbs. 61.50-69.50; Select 54.00-57.75; Standard 39.00-53.00. **COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 37.00-44.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 33.00-37.25; Canner & Low Cutter 25.00-31.00; Shells down to 20.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade 1 1250/2175 lbs, 45.00-47.50; Yield Grade 2 950/1550 lbs, 36.75-45.00. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Few STEERS: M&L-2 370/775 lbs, 44.50-52.00; Few HEIFERS: M&L-1 400/575 lbs, 61.50-68.50; M&L-2 275/800 lbs, 34.00-47.50; Few BULLS: M&L-1 500/750 lbs, 51.50-57.00. **CALVES:** 55: Few Choice 130/210 lbs, 78.00-90.00; Standard & Good 90/100 lbs, 33.00-39.00; Standard & Good 65/85 lbs, 25.00-38.00; Utility 60/65 lbs, 20.00-22.00; **FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls steady to 30.00 loader; No 1 Holstein Bulls 95/125 lbs, 67.50-107.50; No 2 Holstein Bulls 85/105 lbs, 46.00-65.00; No 1 Holstein Heifers 98 lbs, one at 100.00; Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 80 & 90 lbs, 2 at 45.00. **HOGS:** 33: Barrows and Gilts: Steady; 1-3 225/255 lbs, 54.00-56.00; 2-3 260/270 lbs, 48.75-53.25. **SOWS:** BOARS: 550 lbs, one at 35.25. **FEEDER PIGS:** 5: US 1-3 40/50 lbs, 24.00-35.00. **SHEEP:** 5: Choice 72/95 lbs, 91.00-102.50; Slaughter Sheep: One at 30.00.



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