Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection

November 12, 1997				
	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
WEDNESDAY 11/12/97 (EST)	133,000	6,000	373,000	14,000
WEEK AGO (EST)	132,000	6,000	373,000	15,000
YEAR AGO (ACT)	131,000	6,000	358,000	17,000
WEEK TO DATE (EST)	377,000	17,000	1,069,000	42,000
SAME PD LT WK (EST)	386,000	18,000	1,100,000	44,000
SAME PD LT YR (EST)	369,000	19,000	1,048,000	47,000

NEW WILMINGTON LIVESTOCK AUCTION NEW WILMINGTON, PA November 11, 1997

CATTLE 245 [PDA] Compared with last week's sale cows 100 to 150 higher

STEERS few Select 55 00-62 50, lew Standard 50 00-54 75

COWS Breaking Utility and Commer ctal 30 00-35 00, Cutter and Boning Utility 24\style=50-31 75, Canner and Low Cutter 23 00-27 00 Shells down to

BULLS Yield Grade No 2 1020/1970 lbs 26 50 35 50

FEEDER CATTLE HEIFERS Large Frame No 1 300/910 lbs 40 00-46 50, Medium Frame No 1 300/800 lbs 48 00-55 00, few Large Frame No 2 270/925 lbs 35 00-48 00, Medium Frame No 2 300/825 lbs 33 00-44 00, BULLS tew Large Frame No 1 600/900 lbs 42 00-50 50, Medium Frame No 1 200/575 lbs 47 00-61 00, one @ 71 00, Medium Frame No 2 270/675 lbs 32 00-45 00

CALVES 138 VEALERS tew Good

140/160 lbs 45 00-67 50, Standard and Good 75/125 lbs 20 00-31 00, Utility 60/85 lbs 5 00-20 00

FARM CALVES No 1 Holstein bulls 95/120 lbs 90 00-103 00, No 2 85/115 lbs 72 50-77 50, few down to 37 00, few No 1 Holstein herfers 100/110 lbs 135 00-155 00, No 2 85/140 lbs 30 00-105 00 Few beef cross bulls and herfers 85/180 lbs 40 00-100 00

HOGS 173 Barrows and gilts steady to 50 higher

BARROWS AND GILTS US 1-2 200/260 lbs 45 00-46 10, few 10 48 25, US 1-3 230/280 lbs 43 75-45 25, US 2-3 235/260 lbs 42 35-44 25

SOWS US 1-3 300/665 lbs 32 00-37 50, one 805 lbs @ 30 00, few Medium 395/445 lbs 29 75-30 00 BOARS few 265/755 lbs 30 50-

33 25 FEEDER PIGS 53 US 1-3 30/65 lbs 13 00-27 00, US 2-3 35/60 lbs 12 50-22 50 --- per head SHEEP 108 SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice 75/120 lbs 69 00-87 00, 50/75 lbs 60 00-70 00

FEEDER LAMBS Good and Choice 45/50 lbs 90 00-95 00 SLAUGHTER SHEEP 18 00-47 50 GOATS 18 Medium & Large Billies 39 00-77 50, Medium & Large Nannies

18 00-48 00 --- per head

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables Wednesday, November 12, 1997

Report supplied by auction
ONE-HUNDRED FIFTY DAIRY
COWS, 251 HEIFERS, 10 BULLS.
LOCAL FRESH COWS
410.00-1200.00.

LOCAL SPRINGERS 610.00-1050.00. FRESH HEIFERS 500.00-1235.00. UPSTATE LOADS FRESH 725.00-1275.00.

BETTER FRESH COWS 1200.00-1275.00.

2 HERDS 350.00-1200.00, ALL STAGES.

SPRINGING HEIFERS LARGE 1025.00-1160.00, SMALL 285.00-900.00. SHORTBRED HEIFERS 250.00-885.00.

REGISTERED HEIFERS 1010.00-1260.00.

OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS 510.00-625.00.
SMALL OPEN HEIFERS

120.00-450.00. BULLS 210.00-750.00.

Pennsylvania Livestock Auction Waynesburg, Pa. Thurs., Nov. 13, 1997

Report Supplied by Auction
CATTLE: SL. COWS: UTILITY &
COMMERCIAL 30.00-38.00; CUTTER &
BONING UTILITY 28.00-32.50; CAN
NER & LOW CUTTER 25.00-27.00;
SHELLS 25.00 & DOWN. BULLS:
YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-2000#
37.00-44.50; YIELD GRADE 2

1000#-1400# 30.00-42.00. FEEDER STEERS: M&L-1 300-500# 50.00-87.00; 250-280# 66.00-88.00, M 600-900 LBS. 54.00-70.00. HEIFERS M 1&L-1 300-500# 40.00-70.00; L-1 400-650# 38.00-66.00. BULLS M&L-1 300-620# 42.00-82.00.

CALVES: VEAL.. PRIME 40.00-80.00; CHOICE 38.00-72.00; GOOD 35.00-48.00.

FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-120# FEW 35.00-60.00; #2 HOLSTEIN BULLS 80-100# FEW 20.00-40.00; BEEF X BULL&HFRS/HD. 20.00-55.00.

HOGS: BARROWS & GILTS #1-2 210-255# 48.00-59.00; #2-3 255-280# 46.00-53.00; SOWS #1-3 300-500# 30.00-48.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 1-3 15-20# 5.00-17.00/HD.; 1-3 25-35# 10.00-34.00/HD.

LAMBS: HIGH CHOICE 80-100 LBS. 72.00-81.00; CHOICE 70-90 LBS. 74.00-98.00; FEEDER LAMBS GOOD 60.00-90.00; SHEEP 20.00-50.00; FAT SHEEP 30.00 & DOWN.

GOATS: LARGE 55.00-85.00/HD.; MEDIUM 30.00-50.00/HD.; SMALL 10.00-29.00/HD.

HORSES: 35.00-55.00, PONIES 20.00-41.50.

North Atlantic Shell Eggs November 13, 1997

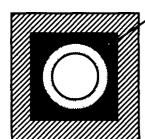
Atlanta, Ga. PRICE TO RETAILERS IN BOSTON WERE UNCHANGED TO 1 CENT HIGHER AND ALL OTHER PRICES WERE UNCHANGED. THE MARKET TONE WAS STEADY TO FULLY STEADY. DEMAND WAS MODERATE TO GOOD AND BEST WHERE RETAIL. ERS STOCKED COOLERS FOR UPCOMING HOLIDAY BUYING AND FEATURE ACTIVITY. SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE TO INSTANCES TIGHT. BREAKING STOCK SUPPLIES WERE BARELY ADEQUATE TO ADEQUATE UNDER A STEADY TRADE SENTIMENT. LIGHT TYPE HEN SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE.

PHILADELPHIA: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN, EXTRA LARGE 92-101; LARGE 90-99; MEDIUM 75-83.

BOSTON: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN, EXTRA LARGE 114-119; LARGE 103-108; MEDIUM 80-85.

NEW ENGLAND: PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN, JUMBO 127-130; EXTRA LARGE 98-101; LARGE 87-90, MEDIUM 65-67; SMALL 40-43.

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