

**Pa. Grain**

February 17, 1998

Report supplied by PDA

COMPARED TO LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA: CORN STEADY TO .05 LOWER, WHEAT STEADY TO .10 LOWER, BARLEY UNEVENLY STEADY, OATS STEADY, SOYBEANS STEADY TO .15 LOWER, EAR CORN UNEVEN, MOSTLY STEADY TO STRONG. PRICES PAID DELIVERED TO DELIVERS DOCK: ALL PRICES PER BUSHEL, EXCEPT EAR CORN PER TON.

**SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA**  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.95-3.15, AVERAGE 3.06, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2.86-3.09, WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.20-3.44, FEW REPORTED 3.05, AVERAGE 3.29, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.31-3.48; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.40-2.60, AVERAGE 2.48, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST, FEW REPORTED 1.95; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.60-1.95, AVERAGE 1.74; SOYBEANS RANGE 6.63-6.94, FEW REPORTED 7.05, AVERAGE 6.79, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 6.35-6.50; FEW REPORTED GRAIN SORGHUM, RANGE 2.96, AVERAGE 2.96; AVERAGE MOISTURE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 73.00-110.00, MOSTLY 84.00-94.00, AVERAGE 89.00.

**SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA**  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 3.00-3.10, FEW REPORTED 3.20, AVERAGE 3.06; WHEAT NO. 2.30-3.15, FEW REPORTED 3.40, AVERAGE 3.11; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.00-2.60, AVERAGE 2.24; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-1.75, FEW REPORTED 2.00, AVERAGE 1.70; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 6.40-6.80, AVERAGE 6.58; AVERAGE MOISTURE NEW EAR CORN, RANGE 80.00-92.00, AVERAGE 86.71.

**EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA SUMMARY**  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.90-3.15, AVERAGE 3.04; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.10-3.44, AVERAGE 3.23; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.10-2.60, AVERAGE 2.38; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-2.00, AVERAGE 1.75; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 6.40-6.84, AVERAGE 6.65; AVERAGE MOISTURE NEW EAR CORN, RANGE 70.00-94.00, AVERAGE 83.04.

**WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA**  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.60-3.04, AVERAGE 2.94; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 2.90-3.25, AVERAGE 3.10; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.20-2.38, AVERAGE 2.27; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-2.10, FEW REPORTED 2.25, AVERAGE 1.85; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 6.36-6.55, AVERAGE 6.46.

**CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA**  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 3.00-3.20, FEW REPORTED 2.90, AVERAGE 3.06; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 3.15-3.20, AVERAGE 3.18; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE FEW REPORTED 2.15-2.65, AVERAGE 2.45; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.50-2.00, AVERAGE 1.74; SOYBEANS RANGE 6.50-6.70, FEW REPORTED 6.20, AVERAGE 6.52; AVERAGE MOISTURE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 68.00-85.00, AVERAGE 77.57.

**LEHIGH VALLEY AREA**  
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.90-3.02, FEW REPORTED 2.82, AVERAGE 2.96; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 3.23-3.30, FEW REPORTED 3.45, AVERAGE 3.29; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 2.25-2.55, AVERAGE 2.39; OATS NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 1.80-2.00, AVERAGE 1.84; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 6.54-6.77, AVERAGE 6.64; GR. SORGHUM RANGE 5.55, AVERAGE 5.55 PER HUNDREDWEIGHT; AVERAGE MOISTURE NEW EAR CORN RANGE 70.00-85.00, AVERAGE 77.20.

**MONTH AGO**  
CORN NO. 2-Y 3.07; WHEAT NO. 2 3.37; BARLEY NO. 3 2.34; OATS NO. 2 1.71; SOYBEANS NO. 1 6.70; AVERAGE MOISTURE NEW EAR CORN 81.60.

**NORTH CENTRAL OHIO (Prices FOB Truck)**  
CORN 2.65-2.73; WHEAT 3.12-3.14; SOYBEAN MEAL: BULK 44% 183.00-186.00, BULK 48% 195.00-200.00.

**North Jersey Market**

Hackettstown, N.J.

Report Supplied by Auction Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1998

Hay—Straw & Grain Report

ALFALFA: 5 LOTS, 1.00-3.40 BALE. MIXED HAY: 8 LOTS, 1.20-2.70 BALE. TIMOTHY: 4 LOTS, 2.00-2.10 BALE. GRASS: 2 LOTS, 1.50 AND 2.10 BALE. WHEAT STRAW: 1 LOT AT 1.80 BALE. RYE STRAW: 1 LOT AT 1.60 BALE. EAR CORN: 1 LOT AT 3.00 BAG. SHELLED CORN: 1 LOT AT 3.00 BAG. OATS: 1 LOT AT 2.50 BAG. CRACKED CORN: 1 LOT AT 3.50 BAG. FIREWOOD: 3 LOTS, 15.00-35.00. LOCUST POSTS: 2.00 EACH. 30 LOTS TOTAL.

**Kutztown Hay Auction**

Fleetwood, PA

Feb. 14

Hay and Straw at 9:00 a.m. Sat. followed by produce

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60 LOADS.  
ALFALFA HAY: 136.00-138.00.  
TIMOTHY HAY: 90.00-148.00.  
GRASS HAY: 92.00-132.00.  
MIXED HAY: 65.00-200.00.  
STRAW: 11.00 BALE, LARGE ROUND.  
WHEAT STRAW: 86.00-92.00.  
OAT STRAW: 70.00-88.00, 2.00-2.25 BU.  
FIREWOOD: 30.00-100.00 LOAD.  
CONSIGNMENT AUCTION SAT., FEB. 28 AFTER HAY AUCTION.

**Leinbach's Hay**

Shippensburg, PA

Feb. 14 and 17

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114 LOADS.  
ALFALFA: 105.00-180.00.  
MIXED HAY: 50.00-120.00.  
TIMOTHY: 65.00-130.00.  
CLOVER: NONE.  
BROMEGRASS: 70.00-127.00.  
ORCHARDGRASS: 80.00-125.00.  
STRAW: 72.00-109.00.  
EAR CORN: 100.00-1065.00.  
CORN FODDER: NONE.  
OATS: 2.20-2.65 BU.  
TIMOTHY SEED: NONE.  
WOOD: 20.00-50.00 LOAD.

**Frederick Co. Hay**

Frederick, Md. Livestock Auction

Wed., Feb. 18

7 LOADS.  
ORCHARD GRASS ALFALFA MIXED: 85.00, 2.50 BALE.  
TIMOTHY: 2.55-2.80 BALE.  
TIMOTHY MIXED: 2.30-3.25 BALE.  
STRAW: 1.80 BALE.

**Vintage Hay**

Paradise, PA

Thurs., February 19, 1998

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ALFALFA: 140.00-183.00.  
TIMOTHY: 130.00-185.00.  
MIXED HAY: 130.00.  
GRASS: 90.00-150.00.  
STRAW: 105.00-127.00.  
SALE TIME 12 NOON.

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Wednesday, February 18, 1998

SLAUGHTER STEERS: STEADY. CHOICE 2-4 1100-1400 LBS. 64.50-66.50; SELECT & LOW CHOICE 1000-1500 LBS. 60.00-63.00; HOL. STEERS HI CHOICE & PRIME 1250-1400 LBS. 57.00-60.00; CHOICE 1200-1500 LBS. 55.00-58.00; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 47.00-55.00.  
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: STEADY. CHOICE & PRIME 950-1300 LBS.

61.50-65.00; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 900-1400 LBS. 54.00-60.00.

COWS: MARKET 2.00 HIGHER. BRK. UT. & COMM. 2-4 BULK 39.00-42.00; HI DRESSING 43.00-47.00; CUTTER & BON. UT. 36.00-39.00; HI DRESSING 39.00-42.00; CANNER & CUTTERS 29.00-37.00; LOW DRESSING 25.00-31.00; CRIPPLED, SLOW & SICK 14-29.

BULLS: 2.00 HIGHER. ALL WEIGHTS 1100-1900 LBS. 46-.57.

VEAL CALVES: MARKET STEADY. CHOICE AND PRIME 200-400 LBS. 71.00-83.00; HI GOOD AND LOW CHOICE ALL WEIGHTS 49.00-67.00.

FARM CALVES: MARKET 15.00 LOWER. HOL BULLS 100-125 LBS. 85.00-110.00; HOL. BULLS 85-95 LBS. 63.00-79.00. HOL. HEIFER CALVES 100-120 LBS. 92.00-117.00; SMALL FRAME 70-105 LBS. 33.00-49.00; SLAUGHTER CALVES ALL WEIGHTS 17.00-30.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: MARKET 3.00 HIGHER. BULLS & STEERS 400-900 LBS. 57.00-85.00; HEIFERS 300-700 LBS. 48.00-71.00.

LAMBS: MARKET STEADY. CHOICE & PRIME 90-110 LBS. 90.00-105.00; LIGHTER LAMBS 133.00-196.00; HEAVY EWES 29.00-38.00, LIGHT 37.00-53.00.

GOATS: STEADY. SMALL 28.00-45.00; MEDIUM 45.00-70.00; LARGE 75.00-120.00.

HOGS: MARKET STEADY. 210-250 LBS. 35.00-37.00; 255-300 LBS. 28.00-35.00. HEAVY SOWS 24.00-29.00, LIGHT 18.00-22.00. BOARS ALL WEIGHTS 15.00-19.00.

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WED	MAR 25	QUILT & CRAFT	9 00 AM

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**THURSDAY**

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BULLS, STEERS,  
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1:00 P.M.  
STOCKERS & FEEDERS

10:00 A.M.  
GOATS, SHEEP  
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**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

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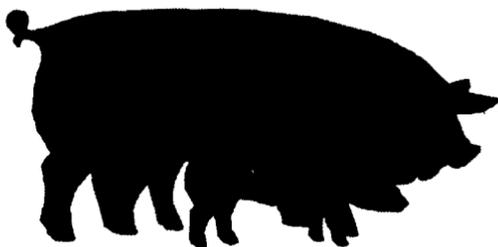
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