### MERCER LIVESTOCK AUCTION MERCER, PA SEPTEMBER 1, 1998

CATTLE 332 [PDA] Compared with last week's sale sl steers mostly steady, cows steady to 2 00 lower SLAUGHTER STEERS Choice 2-3

1100-1500 lbs 54 75-64 00 mostly 58 00-61 00, Select 1-3 53 00-57 50, Standard 44 00-53 50

HOLSTEINS Choice 2-3 1225-1500 lbs 51 00-55 25, few Select 1-2 46 75few Standard 1-2 44 50-46 00 HEIFERS few Choice 1120 1260 lbs 53 00-55 25 tew Select 53 50-55 00 Standard 43 00 51 25

COWS Breakers 75-80% lean 34 00-38 00 couple to 41 00 tew 70 75% 27 50-33 75, Boners 80 85% lean 32 00 37 00, Lean 85-90% lean Shells down to 20 00 25 00 32 75 BULLS Yield Grade 1 1605-1830 lbs 41 75-53 00 Yield No 2 1250 2075 lbs 39 00-41 75

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Medium 1 400 550 lbs 59 00-64 00, Large 1 and 2 550 950 lbs 42 00-53 00, HEIFERS Medium and Large 1 225 500 lbs 55 00-Medium 1 300-875 lbs 49 00-56 00 Medium and Large 2 300-850 lbs 40 00-54 00 BULLS Medium and Large 1 300 700 lbs 58 00 71 00 mostly 61 00-67 00 Medium 2 275-656 lbs 41 00-50 00

CALVES 111 VEALERS Standard and Good 75 130 lbs 23 00 30 00 Utility 50-75 lbs 5 00 25 00

FARM CALVES No 1 Holstein bulls 90 120 lbs 60 00 72 50 No 2 85-120 29 00 50 00 couple No 1 Holstein heiters 100 & 105 lbs 150 00 few 75 155 lbs 50 00 90 00 No 2 Beef type bulls and heiters 75 125 1bs

10.00.85.00 HOGS 96 BARROWS AND GILTS few

45 50% lean 225 250 lbs 26 50 30 00

lean 270-350 lbs 22 75-40-45% 24 00 SOWS US 1 3 400-830 lbs 16 00-

21 00 BOARS few 275-610 lbs 12 00-13 00 FEEDER PIGS 0 NO MARKET TEST' SHEEP 9 SLAUGHTER LAMBS few Choice 100-130 lbs 61 00 70 00 SLAUGHTER SHEEP tew 20 00-24 00 GOATS 7 Few Medium 30 00-57 50, one Large Kid 50 00, one Small 6 00 -per head

### LEESPORT LIVESTOCK AUC-TION LEESPORT, PA SEPTEMBER 2, 1998

CATTLE 221 [PDA] [Supply included 74 slaughter steers and heifers, 114 slaughter cows and 28 feeder cat tle] slaughter steers 200 lower, slaughter cows weak to 1 00 lower SLAUGHTER STEERS Choice 2-3 1170-1490 lbs 56 50-59 25, Select 1-3 53 50-56 25 Standard 1-2 46.59-

HOLSTEINS STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-3 1535 1560 lbs 54 25-54 75, 2-3 1295-1600 lbs 49 50-53 25, Select 1-2 44 75-51 00, Standard 41 75-45 75

HEIFERS Select 1 3 54 00-55 75, Standard 1-2 44 25-54 00

COWS Breakers 75 80% lean 35 25-40 00, Bonners 80-85% lean 34 00low dressing 32 00 33 75, Lean 85-90% lean 28 00-34 00. Shells down to 25 00

BULLS few Yield Grade 1 1045 1710 lbs 45 00-45 25, one Yield Grade 2 1345 lbs 38 00

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Large 2 Holsteins 200-480 lbs 38 00 50 00. lbs 45 00-52 00 HEIFERS 195 730 ew Medium and Large 2 395 700 lbs 15 00 47 50

CALVES 170 VEALERS few Good 105-135 lbs 40 00-60 00, Standard and 75-105 lbs 26 00-30 00. Utilty 60-100 lbs 17 50-26 00

FARM CALVES Holstein bulls mostly teady. No 1 Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs 10 00-82 50, No 2 90-120 lbs 32 50-5 00, 80-90 lbs 28 00-37 50, No 1 Holstein heifer 80-115 lbs 120 00-'02 50, No 2 70-85 lbs 35 00-85 00 Beef Type Bulls and Heiters 80-105 lbs 0 00-75 00 HOGS 36

BARROWS AND GILTS 40-45% lean 30-325 lbs 23 25-25 00

SOWS few US 1-3 435-635 lbs 15 00-

BOARS tew 190-210 lbs 12 00-15 50 TEEDER PIGS 227 US 1-3 20-40 lbs 0 00 47 50 one lot 75 00, 45-65 lbs 42 00 45 00, 90-165 lbs 30 00-45 00 --- per cwt

SHEEP 18 SLAUGHTER LAMBS few Choice 55-75 lbs 85 00 87 50, 80-110 70 00-82 00 One Slaughter sheep 30 00

GOATS 14 few Medium Billies 35 00-56 00, few Large Nannies 40 00-60 00, Large Kids 31 00-47 50 --- per head

### EIGHTY-FOUR LIVESTOCK SALES, INC. EIGHTY-FOUR, PA **AUGUST 31, 1998**

CATTLE 294 [PDA] Compared to last Monday's sale sl cows steady to 1 00 nigher, bulls steady

SLAUGHTER STEERS few Choice 2-3 935-1180 lbs 55 00-57 50 few Select 51 00-55 00, few Standard 1-2 40 00-44 50

HOLSTEINS few Standard 1-2 36 50

41 75 HEIFERS Select 1-3 45 50-50 00. Standard 1-2 38 50-43 50

COWS Breakers 75-80% lean 36 00-70-75% 30 00-34 00, Boners lean 33 00-37 00, Lean 85-80-85% 90% lean 26 00-33 00 Shells 17 00-

BULLS Yield Grade I 1260-1840 lbs 44 50-50 50, Yield Grade 2 915-1890 lbs 35 00-45 50

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Medium and Large I 300-400 lbs 67 00-79 00, 525lbs 58 00-66 00. Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 44 00-63.00, 605-965 lbs 43.00-58 50, HEIFERS. Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 57.00-65 00, 530-895 lbs 56 00-64.50. Medium and Large 2 435-850 lbs 45 00-57 50, few to 35 00; BULLS Medium and Large 1 325-625 lbs 62.00-79 00, Medium and Large 2 325-835 lbs 41 00-57 00

CALVES 215 [All calves sold per

VEALERS few Choice 140-300 lbs 62 00-75 00, Good 210-260 lbs 52.00-Standard and Good 90-125 lbs 28 00-34 00, 70-85 lbs 22 50-32 50, 55-90 lbs 10 00-23 00 Utility FARM CALVES Holstein bulls steady

to 1000 lower No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 67 50-90 00 mostly 75 00-85 00, No 2 85-120 lbs 35 00-65 00, No 1 Holstein beifers 80-115 lbs 120 00-190 00, few No 2 85-90 lbs 52 50-90 00

Beef type bulls and heifers 65-110 lbs 35 00-76 00, 195-275 lbs 65 00 81.00

HOGS 11 BARROWS AND GILTS couple 49-54% lean 250-255 lbs 33 75-40-45% lean 245-310 lbs 34 25. 30 00-32 50

SOWS one US 1-3 725 lbs 20 00 BOARS one 985 lbs 12 00 FEEDER PIGS 9 Two US 1-3 33 lbs 15 00, 60 85 lbs 26 00-36 00 --- per

SHEEP 322 Slaughter lambs steady SLAUGHTER LAMBS 4-H High Choice and Prime 100 125 lbs 72 00-80 75, Choice 40-55 lbs 77 00-85 00, 60-75 lbs 75 00-86 50, 80 100 lbs 73 00-

and Choice 80-110 lbs

55 00-70 00 FEEDER LAMBS Good and Choice 55-75 lbs 61 00-71 00

86 00. Good

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 28 00-46 00 GOATS 43 Large Billies 130-160 lbs 51 00-63 00 - per cwt Medium Billies

35 00-45 00, Medium Nannies 31 00-41 00, Large Kids 20 00-30 00, 4-H Goats 39 00-64 00 --- per Market head

### BELLEVILLE LIVESTOCK **AUCTION** BELLEVILLE, PA AUGUST 26, 1998

CATTLE 296. [SUPPLIED BY THE AUCTIONI SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and

Prime 1200-1400 lbs 61 50-62 00. HEIFERS Standard 43 50-49 00 COWS Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 34 00-38 50, Cutter and Boning Utilty 1-3 31 00-34 50, Canner and Low

Cutter 1-2 28 00-32 00 Shells down to 10 00 BULLS one Yield Grade 2 1500 lbs

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS 58 00

70 00, HEIFERS 45 00-62 00, BULLS 40 00-54 00 CALVES 80 VEALERS Standard and

Good 85-100 lbs 18 00-22 00, Utility lbs 12 00-17 00 FARM CALVES No 1 Holstein bulls

95-110 lbs 60 00-85 00. No 2 90-120 42 00-80 00 HOGS 0 NO MARKET TEST'

FEEDER PIGS 97 US 1-3 19 00 30 00 --- per head SHEEP 31 SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice 30-50 lbs 130 00-160 00, 50

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 25 00-45 00 GOATS 57 Large Nannies 55 00 70 00, Medium 44 00-60 00, Large Kids 40 00-52 00, Small 18 00-35 00 per head

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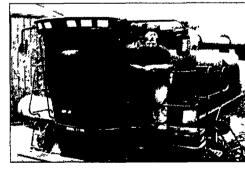
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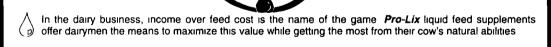
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