Greencastle, Pa. December 21, 1998

CATTLE 385...PDA...SALE NOT REPORTED LAST WEEK...SUPPLY INCLUDED 66 SL. STEERS AND HEIF-ERS, 212 COWS, 23 BULLS AND 84 FEEDER CATTLE.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: CHOICE 2-3 1050-1475 LBS. 56.00-61.50, FEW YG#4 54.25-54.75, SELECT 1-3 52.75-56.00, STANDARD 1-2 44.50-51.75.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: ONE CHOICE 2-3 1535 LBS. 54.25, SELECT 1-2 44.50-50.00, STANDARD 1-2 35.00-42.00.

HEIFERS: ONE HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1210 LBS. 63.00, CHOICE 2-4 1000-1350 LBS. 57.25-61.00, FEW SELECT 1-2 53.50-56.00, FEW STAN-DARD 1-2 37.50-48.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: EARLY SALES BREAKERS 75-80% LEAN 32.00-38.00, BONERS 80-85% LEAN 29.25-36.25, LEAN 85-90% 25.00-33.75. SHELLS DOWN TO 15.00.

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BULLS: YG#1 1100-2190 LBS. 40.25-46.25, YG#2 950-1640 LBS. 36.50-41.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS MED. AND LARGE 1 300-490 LBS. 54.00-65.00, 500-610 LBS. 62.00-64.50, ONE LOT 6 HEAD 800-900 LBS. 54.50, FEW LARGE 2 640-700 LBS. 36.00-45.00; HEIFERS MED. AND LARGE 1 300-495 LBS. 51.00-64.00, 500-600 LBS. 49.00-59.00, \$50-1050 LBS. 44.00-50.50, MED. AND LARGE 2 300-500 LBS. 41.00-50.00, 600-850 LBS. 34.00-44.00; BULLS MED. AND LARGE 1 350-475 LBS. 54.00-62.00, 500-650 LBS. 49.00-61.00, MED. AND LARGE 350-400 LBS. 40.00-49.00, 500-700 LBS. 37.00-53.50, 700-900 LBS. 33.00-41.00.

CALVES: 485...VEALERS STAN-DARD AND GOOD 75-105 LBS. 21.00-26.00, UTILITY 60-95 LBS. 10.00-21.00.

FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-120 LBS. 67.50-87.50 WITH A **FEW EARLY SALES UP TO 96.00, 80-90** LBS, 60,00-72.50, #2 95-125 LBS. 30.00-65.00 WITH A FEW DOWN TO

23.00; #1 HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 80-110 LBS. 140.00-237.50, #2 70-90 LBS. 55.00-135.00.

BEEF TYPE BULLS AND HEIFERS 85-125 LBS. 60.00-107.50.

HOGS: 64...BARROWS AND GILTS 45-50% 225-275 LBS. 17.00-21.00, 40-45% 275-295 LBS. 15.00-24.00.

SOWS: US#1-3 400-490 LBS. 8.00-15.00, 500-550 LBS. 11.50-14.00. BOARS: 450-800 LBS. 1.50-2.50, ONE 375 LBS. AT 4.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 97...UTILITY 50-65 LBS. SLAUGHTER 9.00-19.00 PER

SHEEP: 68..SLAUGHTER LAMBS CHOICE 65-80 LBS. 70.00-82.50, ONE LOT AT 95.00, 85-125 LBS. 54.00-65.00. SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 32.00-43.00, YEARLINGS 45.00-50.00.

GOATS: 117...BY THE HEAD, LARGE BILLIES 70.00-167.50, MED. 42.50-75.00, LARGE NANNIES 59.00-67.50, MED, 39.00-62.00, MED. AND LARGE WETHERS 65.00-82.50, LARGE KIDS 34.00-70.00, SMALL 25.00-35.00 PER HEAD.

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Des Moines, IA Tue Dec 22, 1998 USDA Market News

USDA NATIONAL CARLOT BEEF REPORT (includes major production areas in the Midwest and TX) as of 3:00 PM

COW & BULL CARCASS FOB OMA-HA 3.0 Loads Reported. Compared to Monday's 3:00 P.M. report: Utility carcasses generally steady; Cutters not established. Demand and offerings moderate.

UT,brk 2-4 450#/up 1.0 51.00 51.00 UT,bng 1-3 400#/up 2.0 55.00 55.00 Cutter 1-2 350#/up 55.00 - 57.00 B Bulls YG 1 500#/up unq

COW & BULL CARCASS CAF WEST COAST Loads Reported. Compared to last

Market for Week Ended: December 18, 1998 Lds Price Range UT,brk 2-4 450#/up UT,bng 1-3 400#/up 60.00 Cutter 1-2 350#/up 60.00 Bulls YG 1 500#/up

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/ BEEF TRIMMINGS 90.0 Loads Reported. Lean boncless processing beef firm to 1.00 higher, 85% firm to 1.50 higher, 75% steady. Beef trimmings generally steady on light to moderate demand and offerings.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, December 26, 1998-A7

POB OMAHA BASIS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% ft 10 84.5 - 89.0 87,30 90% fz unq 85% fr 10 78.5 - 82.5 81.50 85% fz ung 75% fr 6 61.0 - 62.0 61.50 75% fz unq 65% fr 6 47.5 - 48.0 47.67 65% fz unq 50% fr 53 33.00 - 35.00 33.47 50% fz unq 50% bx unq Bull 92-94

FOB EAST TEXAS AND OKLAHO-MA: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 5 89.0 - 90.0 89.60 90% fz unq 85% fr ung 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF NORTHEAST AREAS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr unq 90% fz unq 85% fr unq 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF WEST COAST BASIS Market for Week Ended: 12/18/98 Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 86.25 - 86.50 86.32 90% fz ung 85% fr 78.50 - \$1.00 79.04 85% fz unq 75% fr unq 75% fz unq 65% fr 45.00 - 47.00 46.75 65% fz unq 50% fr 33.00 - 37.00 36.04 50% fz unq

ABCDE after quotes represents days since last actual market test. Quotes are dropped after 5 days of no test or before if they no longer reflect current market conditions.

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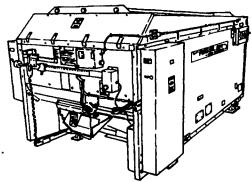
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