

WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SUMMARY
MARCH 19, 1999

13 LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS

CATTLE 4545 Compared with 4936 head last week and 5334 head a year ago slaughter steers steady to 1 00 lower with Holsteins steady to 1 00 higher, sl heifers uneven 25 lower to 50 higher, sl cows steady to 1 00 higher, bulls steady to 2 00 higher

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-463 00-67 00, Choice 1-3 59 00-64 00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 57 00-62 00, Select 1-3 54 00-59 75, Standard 1-2 51 50-55 00

HOLSTEINS High Choice and Prime 2-3 56 25 58 75, Choice 2-3 52 50-57 00, Select 1-2 47 50-52 50, Standard 1-2 44 00 48 00

HEIFERS Choice and Prime 58 50-64 00, Select 1-3 54 50 59 00, Standard 1-2 44 00-54 00 **COWS** Breakers 75-80% lean 36 50-41 00, late sales to 43 25, Boners 80-85% lean 33 00-40 00 mostly 34 25-37 25, Lean 85-90% lean 27 00-37 25 mostly 29 00-33 50 Shells down to 20 00

BULLOCKS Select 1 3 50 00 59 00 **BULLS** Yield Grade 1 1000-2500 lbs 45 50-54 00, Yield Grade 2 900 2100 lbs 38 50-43 00

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Medium and Large 1350-500 lbs 64 00 79 00, 500-700 lbs 62 00-71 00, Medium and Large 2 400-800 lbs 50 00-64 00, **HEIFERS** Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 62 00-74 00, 500-700 lbs 58 00-68 00, Medium and Large 2 450-700 lbs 54 50-64 00, **BULLS** Medium and Large 1 400-700 lbs 59 00-68 50

CALVES 2832 Compared with 3399 head last week and 3350 head a year ago Vealers steady to strong **VEALERS** Choice 150 350 lbs 68 00-101 00, Good 125-250 lbs 50 00-72 00, Standard and Good 75-120 lbs 20 00-35 00, Utility 50-100 lbs 10 00-21 00, few to 5 00

FARM CALVES Holstein bulls mostly steady, Holstein heifers steady to strong No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 80 00-120 00, No 2 85-120 lbs 40 00-83 00, No 1 Holstein heifers 80-120 lbs 165 00-217 00, No 2 80-120 lbs 75 00-150 00 Beef type bulls and heifers 80 125 lbs 55 00-125 00

HOGS 1602 Compared with 1713 head last week and 2571 head a year ago Barrows and gilts 1 00 lower, sows uneven, 1 00 lower to 1 00 higher

BARROWS AND GILTS 49-54% lean 225-265 lbs 26 00-29 00, 45-50% lean 230-275 lbs 23 50-26 25, 40-45% lean 245-300 lbs 22 00-24 50

SOWS US 1-3 300-500 lbs 14 00-21 00, 500-700 lbs 18 75-24 25

BOARS all weights 5 25-8 50 **FEEDER PIGS** 472 Compared with

168 head last week and 258 head a year ago US 1-3 30-55 lbs 13 00 21 00, 60-75 lbs 20 00-30 00 --- per head

SHEEP 1961 Compared with 1367 head last week and 1888 head a year ago Slaughter lambs steady to 1 00 higher with the start of the Easter buy ing season **WOOLED LAMBS** Choice 80-110 lbs 90 00-115 00

NEW CROP LAMBS Choice 30-50 lbs 120 00-180 00, 50 85 lbs 95 00 130 00, 85-100 lbs 85 00-110 00, Good and Choice 30-50 lbs 90 00-115 00, 80-100 lbs 70 00-88 00

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 30 00 **TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES** 1338 Compared with 775 head last week and 1256 head a year ago Feeder pigs steady to 10 00 higher US 1-2 30-50 lbs 50 00-62 00, few to 40 00, 50-65 lbs 42 00 57 00, 70-85 lbs 30 00-44 00, 70-85 lbs 30 00-44 00, US 2-3 20-40 lbs 21 00-22 00, 45-75 lbs 25 00-34 00, **SLAUGHTER** 20 35 lbs 110 00-155 00, 40-75 lbs 35 00-60 00 - per cwt

MIDDLEBURG LIVESTOCK AUCTION
MIDDLEBURG, PA
MARCH 23, 1999

CATTLE 432 [PDA] Compared with last week's sale slaughter steers unevenly steady with spots 1 00 higher to 50 lower, sl cows mostly steady with spots 1 00 lower

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1185-1465 lbs 64 50-66 50, Choice 2-3 1150-1475 lbs 59 25-64 25, Select 1-3 55 25-60 50, Standard 1-2 46 00-54 75

HOLSTEIN STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-3 1250-1425 lbs 57 75-59 75, Choice 2-3 1160-1540 lbs 52 75-57 25, Select 1-2 45 00-52 50, Standard 1-2 42 75-45 75

HEIFERS few High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1235 lbs 64 50-65 25, Choice 2-4 1065-1250 lbs 59 25 62 75, Select 1-3 54 75-59 50, Standard 1-2 45 00-54 75

COWS Breakers 75-80% lean 37 00-40 75, Boners 80-85% lean 34 50-38 75 with a few low dressing down to 33 00, Lean 85-90% lean 28 50-38 00 Shells down to 23 50

BULLS Yield Grade 1 1130-2230 lbs 47 75-54 00, Yield Grade 2 940-2235 lbs 41 00-46 75

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Medium and Large 1 400-500 lbs 64 00-75 00, 500-700 lbs 65 00-72 00, couple 825 lbs 59 50, Medium and Large 2 395-500 lbs 43 00-55 00, 500-650 lbs 51 00-53 00, 700-1000 lbs 44 00-55 50, **HEIFERS** Medium and Large 1 225-425 lbs 64 50-78 00, 500-700 lbs 58 50-

65 00, Medium 2 225-410 lbs 45 00-59 00, 680-830 lbs 42 00 48 50, few Large 2 Holsteins 59 50-75 00, **BULLS** Medium and Large 1 360-550 lbs 59 00 70 00, 650 790 lbs 61 00-64 00, Medium 2 530-790 lbs 40 00-50 00

CALVES 207 **VEALERS** Standard and Good 80 120 lbs 20 00-29 00, Utility 60 95 lbs 10 00-18 00

FARM CALVES Holstein bulls steady No 1 Holstein bulls 85-130 lbs 80 00-117 50 with a few down to 70 00, No 2 80-115 lbs 40 00-75 00, No 1 Holstein heifers 80 125 lbs 120 00-220 00, No 2 70-140 lbs 60 00-115 00

Beef type bulls and heifers 85-110 lbs 55 00-95 00

HOGS 423 (03/22 & 23/99) Bulk of supply sold on Monday and reported by the auction Barrows and gilts 1 00 to 1 25 higher, sows steady to 1 00 higher

BARROWS AND GILTS 49-54% lean 230 270 lbs 24 00-26 50, 45-50% lean 225-275 lbs 24 00-26 50, 40-45% lean 270-310 lbs 21 00-26 00

SOWS US 1-3 330-450 lbs 16 00-21 00, 515-665 lbs 22 00-26 00

BOARS 435-760 lbs 7 00-7 25

FEEDER PIGS 29 US 1-3 40-60 lbs 10 00-22 00, Utility 50 55 lbs 5 00-10 00 --- per head

SHEEP 87 **SLAUGHTER LAMBS** Choice 80-110 lbs 65 00-76 00

NEW CROP LAMBS Choice 25-55 lbs 114 00-132 00, 65-90 lbs 77 00 95 00, one lot 103 00, few Good and Choice 50-52 lbs 90 00-92 00

GOATS 41 Large Billies 64 00-

110 00, Medium 40 00-51 00, Large Nannies 43 00 68 00, Medium 30 00 39 00, Large Kids 18 00-44 00, Small 16 00-27 00 --- per head

EIGHTY-FOUR LIVESTOCK SALES

EIGHTY-FOUR, PA
MARCH 22, 1999

CATTLE 287 [PDA] Compared with last week's sale slaughter cows steady 1 00 lower, sl bulls steady to 2 00 higher

SLAUGHTER STEERS Select 1-3 55 50-60 75, few Standard 1-2 44 00-52 00

HEIFERS few Standard 1-2 40 75 50 00 **COWS** Breakers 75-80% lean 36 00-40 50, Boners 80-85% lean 32 50-36 50, Lean 85-90% lean 24 00-32 25 Shells 16 00-24 00

BULLS Yield Grade 1 1325-1815 lbs 47 75-53 50, Yield Grade 2 950-1550 lbs 37 00-46 50

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Medium and Large 1 325-525 lbs 72 00-87 00, few Medium and Large 2 425-815 lbs 52 00-69 00, **HEIFERS** Medium and Large 1 350-500 lbs 65 00-76 00, 510-700 lbs 60 00-70 00, Medium and Large 2 325-500 lbs 51 00-60 00, 525-850 lbs 50 00-55 00, **BULLS** Medium and Large 1 325-500 lbs 72 00 82 00, 520 700 lbs 62 00-75 00, Medium and Large 2 300-825 lbs 50 00-64 00, few to 45 00

CALVES 225 [All calves sold per cwt] **VEALERS** few Choice 130-190 lbs 80 00-85 00, Good 130-215 lbs 42 50-

65 00, Standard and Good 90 115 lbs 28 00-45 00, 65-85 lbs 23 00-35 00 Utility 50 85 lbs 10 00-24 00

FARM CALVES Holsteins steady to 15 00 lower No 1 Holstein bulls 90 130 lbs 80 00-105 00, few to 115 00, No 2 85-120 lbs 45 00-82 50, few No 185-110 lbs Holstein heifers 155 00 195 00, few No 2 75-100 lbs 70 00 100 00

Beef type bulls and heifers 70-115 lbs 65 00-117 50, 130 295 lbs 62 50 92 00

HOGS 43 **BARROWS AND GILTS** 45 50% lean 220-270 lbs 28 50-29 25 40-45% lean 110-160 lbs 19 00-27 50

SOWS US 1-3 350-475 lbs 15 00 21 00, one Medium 305 lbs 15 00

BOARS 165-565 lbs 7 00-11 00 **FEEDER PIGS** 19 US 1-3 30-35 lbs 12 00-14 00, one 85 lbs 19 00 --- per head

SHEEP 908 Slaughter lambs steady to 20 00 higher

NEW CROP LAMBS High Choice and Prime 105-110 lbs 84 00-89 00, Choice 25-50 lbs 120 00-180 00, few to 200 00, 55-75 lbs 100 00-135 00, 80 100 lbs 90 00-120 00, Good and Choice 55-95 lbs 75 00-95 00

FEEDER LAMBS Good and Choice 25-50 lbs 100 00-120 00

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 25 00-47 50

GOATS 111 Large Billies 65 00 85 00, Medium 45 00-60 00, Large Nannies 42 50-57 50, Medium 31 00 40 00, Large Kids 32 50-44 00, Small 19 00-30 00 --- per head

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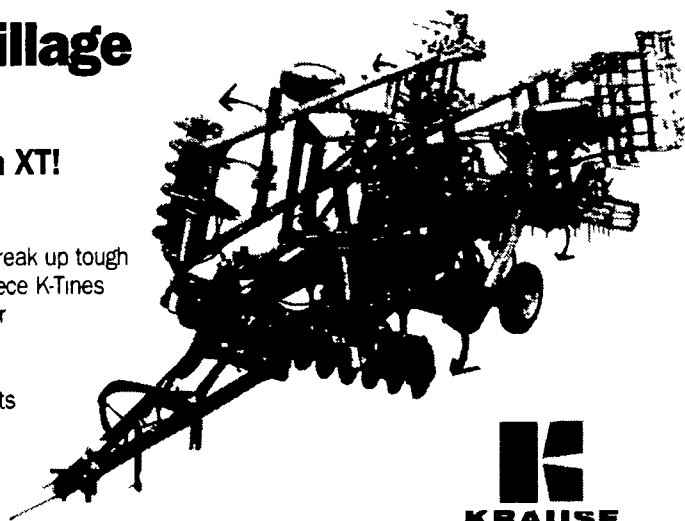
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