### A20-Lancaster Farming, Saturday, April 24, 1999

Valley Stockyards Athens, Pa. April 19, 1999 **Report Supplied By Auction** HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES: 120.00-250.00. BACK TO FARM CALVES: 95-120 LBS. 70.00-120.00, 70-95 LBS. 55.00-87.50. SLAUGHTER CALVES: 11.00-30.00. GRASSERS AND STARTED CALVES: 40.00-65.00. FEEDERS: 47.50-82.50. LAMBS: 37.50-110.00. SHEEP: 27.50-45.00. HOGS: 200-250 LBS., 19.00-25.00. SOWS: 11.00-16.50. BOARS: 10.00-11.00. PIGS, EACH: TO 26.00. HEIFERS: NONE. STEERS: 35.00-48.50. BULLS: 37.75-46.00. COWS GOOD: 33.00-38.25. COWS MEDIUM: 28.00-34.50. COWS POOR OR SMALL: 8.00-30.00. CATTLE MARKET: STEADY. CALF MARKET: STRONG. HORSES & PONIES: TO 580.00. GOATS: 20.00-70.00. GOOD CATTLE STILL BRING GOOD PRICES.

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## Pennsylvania **Livestock** Auction

Waynesburg, Pa. Thursday, April 22, 1999 **Report Supplied by Auction** CATTLE: SL. COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 32.50-38.50; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 31.00-37.00; CAN-NER & LOW CUTTER 28.00-36.00; SHELLS 28.00 & DOWN. BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-2000# 38.00-51.50; YIELD GRADE 2

1000#-1400# FAT 31.00-40.00. FEEDER STEERS: M&L-1 300-500# 55.00-88.00; 250-280# 50.00-90.00, M 600-900 LBS. 40.00-64.00. HEIFERS M 1&L-1 300-500# 38.00-78.00; L-1 400-650# 42.00-66.00. BULLS M&L-1 300-620# 42.00-80.00. CALVES: VEAL: PRIME 68.00-80.00;

CHOICE 38.00-70.00; GOOD 35.00-60.00. FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN

BULLS 90-120# FEW 35.00-75.00; #2 HOLSTEIN BULLS 80-100# FEW 20.00-40.00; BEEF X BULL&HFRS./HD. 20.00-115.00. HOGS: BARROWS & GILTS #1-2 210-255# 26.00-31.00; #2-3 255-280#

26.00-31.00; SOWS #1-3 300-500# NONE AVAILABLE. FEEDER PIGS: 1-3 15-20# 5.00-17.00/HD.; 1-3 25-35#

10.00-21.00/HD. LAMBS: HIGH CHOICE 80-100 LBS.

50.00-93.00; CHOICE 40-75 LBS. 70.00-120.00; FEEDER LAMBS GOOD 60.00-85.00; SHEEP 24.00-40.00; FAT SHEEP 20.00 & DOWN.

GOATS: LARGE 35.00-100.00/HD.; MEDIUM 20.00-41.00/HD.; SMALL 10.00-19.00/HD. HORSES: 35.00-65.00; PONIES

20.00-50.00.

## Indiana Livestock

# Homer City, PA

Thursday, April 22, 1999 **Report Supplied by Auction** CATTLE: 129. STEERS STEADY. COWS STEADY. STEERS CHOICE 2-3 1135-1530 LBS. 61.00-66.00, FEW SELECT 1-3 55.00-58.00, FEW STAN-DARD 1-2 44.50-53.00. HOLSTEIN STEERS: HI CHOICE 2-3 1400 & 1485 LBS. 54.50 & 56.50. HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-4 1140-1500 LBS. 60.75-65.00, SELECT 1-3 55.00-60.00, FEW STAN-DARD 1-2 59.75-47.00. COWS: BREAKERS 75-80% LEAN

80-85% LEAN 31.50-36.25. LEAN 85-90% LEAN 26.00-31.50, SHELLS DOWN TO 19.00-26.00. BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1365 & 1825 LBS. 42.75 & 44.50. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS ML 485 ONE AT 62.00. HEIFERS FEW M1 330-450 61.00-70.00, M&L2 450-860 LBS. 43.00-58.00. BULLS: FEW M&L2 390-800 LBS. 50.00-60.00 ONE AT 70.00.

CALVES: 45. VEALERS FEW GOOD 150-295 LBS. 45.00-65.00. STANDARD & GOOD 75-105 LBS. 27.50-37.50. UTIL-ITY 66 LBS. ONE AT 8.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS STEADY TO 8.00 LOWER. NO. 1 90-110 LBS. 80.00-115.00, NO. 2 85-90 LBS. 42.50-67.50. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS FEW NO. 1 85-100 LBS. 145.00-220.00, BEEF TYPE BULLS & HEIFERS 70-105 LBS. 55.00-120.00.

HOGS 43: BARROWS & GILTS STEADY TO 2.00 HIGHER. 49-54% LEAN 215-275 LBS. 28.00-32.00, 45-50% 250-300 LBS. 26.00-27.25.

SOWS: 1-3 410 & 540 LBS. 26.00 & 27.25. BOARS 450 & 665 LBS. BOTH AT 3.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 26 M1-3 30 LBS. 6 AT 22.50 1-3 85 LBS. 2 AT 31.00. UTILITY 20-35 LBS, 9.00-16.00.

SHEEP: 3 GOOD & CH 115 LBS. ONE AT 52.50, SLAUGHTER SHEEP 32.50 & 37.50.

GOATS: 2 MEDIUM ONE AT 35.00.

# Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc. Auction every Thursday at 4:00 p.m.

Jersey Shore, Pa. Report supplied by Auction Thursday, April 22, 1999 RETURN TO FARM CALF: 70.00-240.00.

GOOD VEAL: 30.00-69.00. COMMON VEAL: 10.00-29.00. CHOICE STEERS: 63.00-67.00. SELECT STEERS: 55.00-62.00. COMMON STEERS: 45.00-55.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 33.00-40.00 CANNERS-CUTTERS: 28.00-35.00. SHELLS: 25.00-27.00. CHOICE HEIFERS: 60.00-64.00. SELECT HEIFERS: 55.00-59.00. COMMON HEIFERS: 45.00-54.00. GOOD FEEDERS: 60.00-97.00. COMMON FEEDERS: 35.00-59.00. BULLS: 39.00-46.00. GOOD HOGS: 27.00-27.25. SOWS: 18.00-24.25.

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#### 1-3 25:00-45:00

GOATS: (All goats sold by the head) Billies: Large 100.00-140.00. Medium 75.00-100.00. Mutton: Choice and Prime 80.00-95.00. Nannies: Medium and Large 40.00-70.00. Yearlings: Choice and Prime 60.00-80.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 40.00-70.00. Good 20.00-40.00.

### Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, PA	
Fri., April 23, 1999	
Cattle	Calves

This Week	2533	1381
Last Week	2847	1525
Last Year	3583	1269

CATTLE: COMPARED TO LAST WEEK'S CLOSING PRICES, THE SLAUGHTER STEER AND HEIFER MARKET RECOVERED OPENING LOSSES LATER IN THE WEEK TO CLOSE FIRM TO .50 HIGHER, INSTANCES 1.00 HIGHER ON THE HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME CATTLE. DEMAND WAS GOOD ALL WEEK FOR THE TOP-END CATTLE, BUT TRADING WAS RATHER SLOW ON AVERAGE. CHOICE UNTIL LATE IN THE WEEK. A WEAK FUTURES MARKET HAS PRESSURED PRICES OVER THE LAST TWO WEEKS, BUT BOXED BEEF PRICES HAVE BEEN ABLE TO HOLD THEIR GROUND. THE WESTERN DIRECT CATTLE MARKET REMAINED STEADY THIS WEEK, TRADING AT 65.00-65.50 LIVE TO 103.00-104.00 DRESSED. LOCAL HOLSTEIN STEERS TRADED MOST-LY STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER THIS WEEK IN ACTIVE TRADING. **SLAUGHTER COW PRICES ENDED .50** TO MOSTLY 1.00 LOWER, WHILE SLAUGHTER BULL PRICES WERE STEADY. SUPPLY INCLUDED 44 PER-**CENT SLAUGHTER STEERS, 8 PER-**

**CENT SLAUGHTER HEIFERS, 33 PER** CENT SLAUGHTER COWS, 5 PER-CENT SLAUGHTER BULLS, WITH THE BALANCE MADE UP OF FEEDER CATTLE.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS: HIGH** CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1115-1480 LBS. 63.00-67.00, CHOICE 2-3 1105-1470 LBS. 61.50-64.50, FEW HIGH DRESSING 1-2 UP TO 67.75; 1480-1625 LBS. 59.25-62.00. SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1020-1510 LBS. 57.35-62.50; 1530-1710 LBS. 54.75-59.25. SELECT 1-3 965-1495 LBS 55.00-59.25, CONSIGNMENT RETURN-ING TO FEED 1115-1230 LBS 60.00-61.35.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: FEW HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-3 1250-1540 LBS. 57.00-59.25. CHOICE 2-3 1260-1665 LBS. 53.60-56.75; 1450-1715 LBS. 51.75-54.25, HEIFERS 1180-1555 LBS. 51.00-55.25, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1110-1600 LBS. 52.10-54.85, PACKAGE HEIFERS 1264 LBS. 51.85. SELECT 1-2 1090-1495 LBS. 47.00-52.25.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: FEW HIGH** CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1115-1406 LBS. 62.25-65.00. CHOICE 2-3 1040-1460 LBS. 60.25-63.25. SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1070-1385 LBS. 56.00-61.00. FEW SELECT 1-3 905-1200 LBS. 53.00-55.75. HEIFERETTES: COU-PLE CHOICE 3-4 1278 LBS. 56.00. COMM. AND STANDARD 2-4 905-1425 LBS. 38.00-49.50.

RETURNED TO FARM: HOLSTEIN BULLS 95-125 LBS. 72.00-162.00, LATE IN THE WEEK 115.00-162.00. PLAINER TYPE BULLS 80-120 LBS. 47.00-136.00, FEW WEAKER CALVES DOWN TO 28.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 80-120 LBS. 157.00-236.00. PLAINER HEIFERS 70-100 LBS. 135.00-190.00. FEW BEEF TYPE BULLS AND HEIFERS \$0-105 LBS. 72.00-112.00.



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