WEEKLY LIVESTOCK SUMMARY MAY 21, 1999 **12 LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS**

CATTLE 4909...Compared with 4604 head last week and 4209 head a year ago. Slaughter steers steady to 75 lower with Holsteins steady to .50 higher, sl. heifers steady to 1.00 lower, sl. cows active, 1.50 to 300 higher, bulls steady to 1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 63.75-68.00 Choice 1-3 61.00-65.25, Select and Low Choice 2-3 57.75-63.00, Select 1-3 55.00 61.00, Standard 1-2 50 00-54.75.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 57.00- 60.00, Choice 2-3 53 50-56 75, Select 1-2 46.75-52.00, Standard 1-2 44.00-46 50

HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 59.00-64.00, Select 1-3 55.00-58 75, Standard, 1 46 75-52.00. COWS. Breakers 75-80% lean 39 00-47.00. Boners 80-85% lean 36 50- 43.00, Lean 85-90% lean 33 00-40 00 Shells down to 20 00

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 56 50-57 50, Select 1-3 49 50-50.75.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1000-2500 lbs 45 00-55.75, Yield Grade 2 900-2100 lbs 42 75-46.75

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 72 00-80.00, 500-800lbs 63.00-71.00. Medium and

Large 2 300-500 lbs 52 00-68.00; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 60.00-78.00, 500-700 lbs 59.50-68.50, Medium and Large 2 300-600 lbs 55.00-64.00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 300-650 lbs 63.00-80.00, Medium and Large 2 350-500 lbs 56 00-59.00.

CALVES 2979...Compared with 2654 head last week and 2727 head a year ago Vealers steady to weak.

VEALERS: Choice 150-350 lbs 70 00-88.00, Good 140-275 lbs 52.50-70.00, Standard and Good 75-120 lbs 20.00-35.00, Utility 50-100 lbs 10.00-25 00

FARM CALVES: Holstein buils mostly steady, herfers steady to 30 00 higher...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 90.00-139.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 60.00-110 00, No 1 Holstein heifers 80-120 lbs 200.00-252.00, several to 330.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 125.00-226.00

Beef type bulls and heifers 80-150 lbs 65.00-130.00.

HOGS 1603 .Compared with 1748 head last week and 2579 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts steady to 1.00 higher, sows steady to 1.00 higher.. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean

220-265 lbs 38.50-39.75, 45-50% lean 230-275 lbs 37.00-38 60, 40-45% lean 250-300 lbs 35.00-37 75.

SOWS: US 1-3 300-500 lbs 24.00-27.00, 500-700 lbs 26.00-30.00, Medum 300-600 lbs 15.00-17.00.

BOARS: 13.00-18.00.

FEEDER PIGS 449...Compared with 339 head last week and 285 head a year ago. US 1-3 30-50 lbs 22.00-26.00, 50-75 lbs 25.00-39.00. --- per head.

SHEEP 2183...Compared with 1805 head last week and 2267 head a year ago Slaughter lambs 5.00-10.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 25-60 lbs 105.00-120.00, 60-90 lbs 92 00-105.00, 90-120 lbs 82.00-95 00, Good and Choice 20-40 lbs 80.00-100 00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP. 202.00-50 00 TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES 1339. Compared with 895 head last week and 858 head a year ago Feeder pigs steady to 2000 higher. US 1-2 30-50 lbs 70.00-100 00, 50-70 lbs 75 00-91.00, 70-80 lbs 60.00-87.00, 2-3 30-50 lbs 58 00-68 00, SLAUGHTER: 25-35 lbs 90.00-125 00, 35-50 lbs 70 00-85 00. --- per cwt

MIDDLEBURG LIVESTOCK AUCTION MIDDLEBURG, PA

MAY 25, 1999

CATTLE 442 . [PDA] .. Compared with last week's sale .. slaughter steers unevenly steady, sl. cows mostly steady with spots to 2 00 lower, bulls 1 00 to 1 50 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1115-1380 lbs 65.50-67.75, Choice 2-3 1030-1475 lbs 59.75-65.00, Select 1-3 55.75-61 25, Standard 1-2 46.75-54.75

HOLSTEIN STEERS: few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1650-1465 lbs 57 00-58.75, Choice 2-3 1150-1595 lbs 52 00-57 00, Select 1-2 45.50-52.50, Standard 1-2 41.00-46.00

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1060-1360 lbs 59.50-62.75, Select 1-3 54.75-60.75, Standard 1-2 43.00-52.75.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean (early sales) 41.00-45.00, Boners 80-85% lean 36 50-42.00, Lean 85-90% lean 30.00-40.00. Shells down to 25 00

BULLS. Yield Grade 1 1465-2120 lbs 47.25-50.75, Yield Grade 2 970-1580 lbs 41 00-46 25.

FEEDER CATTLE. STEERS Medium and Large 1 340-500 lbs 58 00-69 00, 650-775 lbs 57 00-63 00, Medium and Large 2 325-470 lbs 48 00-58 00, 500-650 lbs 51 00-55 00, 700-1000 lbs 49 50-55.00; HEIFERS Medium and Large 1 400-600 lbs 61 00-73 00, 700-925 lbs 54 00-61 00, Medium and Large 2 300-600 lbs 43 00-62.00, 700-975 lbs 38 00-54 00, BULLS Medium and Large 1 300-700 lbs 53 00-69 00, Medum and Large 2 500-900 lbs 45 00-

CALVES 261 .VEALERS few Good 130-140 lbs 55 00-70 00, Standard and Good 75-105 lbs 20 00-32 50, Utility

65-90 lbs 10.00-19.00.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, May 29, 1999-A17

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 3.00 to 4 00 higher...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs 100.00-130 00 with a few down to 90.00, No 2 85-120 lbs 40 00-100.00 with a few up to 110 00; No 1 Holstein heifers 80-135 lbs 195 00-282.00, No 2 90-120 lbs 130 00-185 00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 85-150 lbs 65 00-110 00

HOGS 340. (05/24 & 25/99) Bulk of supply sold on Monday and reported by the auction. Barrows and gilts 1 50 to 2 00 lower

BARROWS AND GILTS' 49-54% lean 225-265 lbs 36 00-37 50, 45-50% 230-270 lbs 33 00-35 50

SOWS US 1-3 300-485 lbs 25 00-31 25, 490-650 lbs 29 00-34 50

BOARS 345-830 lbs 11 50-14 00 FEEDER PIGS 33 US 1-3 40-55 lbs

23 00-27 00 --- per head SHEEP 51 Slaughter lambs 5 00

higher SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice 30-45 lbs 89 00-97 00, 50-70 lbs 91 00-98 00

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 26 00-38 00, GOATS 57 Few Large Billies 71 00-100 00, couple Medium 48 00, Large Nannies

39 00-60 00, Medium 29 00-51 00, Large Kids 26 00-50 00, Small 12 50-20 00 --- per head.

Aberdeen Sales

Company, Inc. Complete Auction & Appraisal Service Churchville, Md.

Report Supplied by Auction Wednesday, May 26

SLAUGHTER STEERS: 1.00 HIGHER. CHOICE 2-4 1100-1400 LBS. 65.00-69.00; SELECT & LOW CHOICE 1000-1500 LBS. 59.00-64.00; HOL. STEERS HI CHOICE & PRIME 1250-1400 LBS. 56.00-59.00; CHOICE 1200-1500 LBS. 55.00-57.50; SELECT, ALL WEIGHTS 47.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: STEADY. CHOICE & PRIME 950-1300 LBS. 64.00-66.00; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 900-1400 LBS. 54.00-59.00.

COWS: STEADY. BRK. UT. & COMM. 2-4 BULK 39.00-41.00; HI DRESSING 42.00-46.00; CUTTER & BON. UT. 35.00-39.00; HI DRESSING 39.00-41.00; CANNER & CUTTERS 32.00-37.00; LOW DRESS-ING 27.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 1.00 HIGHER. ALL WEIGHTS 1100-1900 LBS. 46.00-59.00.

VEAL CALVES: STEADY. CHOICE AND PRIME 200-400 LBS. 74.00-83.00; HI GOOD AND LOW CHOICE ALL WEIGHTS 59.00-68.00.

FARM CALVES: STEADY. HOL. BULLS 100-125 LBS. 105.00-130.00; HOL. BULLS 85-95 LBS. 80.00-97.00; HOL. HEIFER CALVES 100-120 LBS. 240.00-265.00; SMALL FRAME 70-105 LBS. 145.00-205.00; SLAUGH-TER CALVES ALL WEIGHTS 24.00-30.00. FEEDER CATTLE:

STEADY. BULLS & STEERS 400-900 LBS. 66.00-84.00; HEIFERS 300-700 LBS. 52.00-64.00. LAMBS: 10.00 LOWER.

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LARGE 90.00-110.00. HOGS: 1.00 LOWER. 210-250 LBS. 35.00-37.00; 255-300 LBS. 34.00-37.00; SOWS HEAVY • 31.00-36.00; SOWS-LIGHT 27.00-34.00; BOARS ALL WEIGHTS 9.00-11.00.

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