Mercer Livestock Mercer, PA September 7, 1999 Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE 367. [PDA]. Compared to last week's sale...sl steers weaker, cows steady to weak.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1200-1500 lbs 63.00-67.75 mostly 63.00-64 00, Select 1-3 56 00-62.00, Standard 45.00-55.50

HOLSTEINS few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1400-1685 lbs 56.00-59 00, few Choice 2-3 1300-1350 lbs 52 00-53.00, few Standard 1-2 42 00-45.50

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1100-1325 lbs 61 50-65.50, few Select 1-3 52.00-60.50, Standard 1-2 45 00-51 50.

COWS. Breakers 75-80% lean 37.00-40.00, one 42 50, Boners 80-85% lean 34 00-38.50, Lean 85-90% lean 32 00-36 25, couple 37.50. Shells down to 20 00

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1100-1975 lbs 45 00-51 25, Yield Grade 2 860-1660 lbs 30 00-45 50.

STEERS: **FEEDER** CATTLE: Medium and Large 1 350-650 lbs 69.00and Large 2 500-825 82 00. Medium lbs 55 00-61.00; HEIFERS: Large 1 350-61.00-66.00, Medium 1 300-650 lbs 620 lbs 65 00-74.00, few Large 2 540-800

49.00-59.00, Medium 2 350-675 lbs 49.00-63.00; BULLS: Medium 1 300-625 60.00-78.00, Small 1 375-500 lbs 50.00-56 00, Medium 2 550-725 lbs 46 50-56.00

CALVES 149 .VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-105 lbs 20.00-35.00, Utility lbs 10 00-20 00

FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 95 00-125.00, one 130.00, 80lbs 55 00-80.00, No 2 85-110 lbs 35.00-90 00, couple No 1 Holstein heifers 90 & 110 lbs 305 00-325 00, No 2 70-130 lbs 165 00-230 00 Few beef type bulls and heifers 95-115 lbs 75 00-125 00

HOGS 39 .. Barrows and gilts 600 to 8 00 higher one small supply

BARROWS AND GILTS. 49-54% lean 230-280 lbs 40 00-43 50

SOWS: couple US 1-3 475 & 555 lbs 24 00 & 24 50

BOARS: one 640 lbs 7 00 FEEDER PIGS 1 Few US 1-3 30-35

lbs 11 00. --- per head. SHEEP 29 .SLAUGHTER LAMBS.

Choice 65-90 lbs 62.00-63.00. GOATS 3 Few Small Billies 25.00-

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Leesport Livestock

Leesport, Pa. September 8, 1999 Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE 276 [Supply included 107 sl. steers and heifers, 109 cows, 11 bulls and 49 feeder cattle] Compared with last week's sale isl steers uneven. 50 lower to 100 higher, cows steady, bulls steady to spots .50 higher

SLAUGHTER STEERS Choice 2-3 1100-1445 lbs 59.50-66 00, Select 1-3 58 00-62.50, Standard 1-2 49 25-55 75

HOLSTEIN STEERS. few High Choice and Prime 1455-1555 lbs 57 50-59 50, Choice 2-3 1140-1575 lbs 52 00-57 25, Select 1-2 45.00-53 75, few Standard 1-2 44 00-45 00

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1065-1295 lbs 58 00-61 75, Select 1-3 55.50-60 00, Standard 1-2 50 00-54 25.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 38 00-41 75, few low dressing down to 36 00, Boners 80-85% lean 35 00-39 50, low dressing 33.25-34.75, Lean 85-90% 25.00-34 50 Shells down to 20 00

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1250-1610 lbs 46 75-49.25 with one 53 75, Grade 2 860-1970 lbs 42 00-45 00

FEEDER CATTLE. STEERS: one Medium 1 210 lbs 80 00, couple Large 2 & 920 lbs 40.50 & 47.50; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 230-430 61.00-72 50, Medium and Large 2 270-465 lbs 47.50-65 00, 585-905 lbs 40.00-52 00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 270-405 lbs 70.00-80 00, 810-970 47.50-53.50, Medium and Large 2 290lbs 40.00-60.00, 775-880 lbs 42 00-45.50.

CALVES 154 VEALERS Good 135-205 lbs 55 00-75 00, Standard and Good 70-105 lbs 20 00-30 00, Utility 60-90 lbs 10 00-22 50

FARM CALVES Holstein bulls 5 00 to 7 00 higher No 1 Holstein bulls 95-130 lbs 92 50-135 00 bulk of sales 105 00-125 00, No 2 80-120 lbs 30 00-77 50. No 1 Holstein heifers 95-120 lbs 200 00-300 00, No 2 80-130 lbs 110 00-Beef type bulls and heifers 90-100 lbs 90 00-112 50

HOGS 99 Barrows and gilts steady to 1 00 lower

BARROWS AND GILTS 49-54% lean 230-275 lbs 32 75-33 50, 45-50% 220-250 lbs 31 00-32 25, 40-45% lean 250-275 lbs 29 25-30 00

SOWS US 1-3 395-490 lbs 13 00-20 00, 555-675 lbs 24 75-25 75

BOARS couple 390 & 585 lbs 6 50, 220-265 lbs 14 00-14 50

FEEDER PIGS 62 US 1-3 20-30 lbs 60 00-75 00, 40-50 lbs 50 00-55 00

SHEEP 16 .SLAUGHTER LAMBS few Choice 50-85 lbs 86 00-97 00, 95-140 75.00-77.50

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 26 00-37 00 GOATS 16 One Large Billy 100 00, one Medium 67 00, couple Large Nannies 45 00 & 67.50, Large Kids 35 00-42 50, couple Small 12 50 & 22 50 --- per

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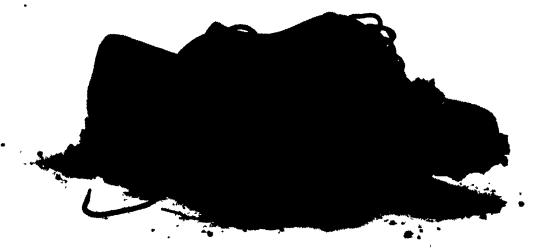
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