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**RAINING 53-59 NA—FV055**  
**MISC HERBS ---ANISE: MARKET**  
**LOWER 2/3 ctns CA 18s 12.00 24s 10.00-12.00 mostly 12.00 ---**  
**ARRUGULA: ctns bchd NJ 24s 7.00-8.00 mostly 8.00 OH 24s 8.00 ---BASIL: ctns bchd FL 15s 21.00 NJ 15s 15.00 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---CELERIC (CELERY ROOT): 20 lb crts lse CD 11.00 ---**  
**CHEVIL: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 17.00 ---**  
**CHIVES: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 18.00 ---**  
**CILANTRO: 4/5 bucrts bchd NJ 30s 8.00-10.00 mostly 9.00 4/5 bucrts lse NJ 8.00-10.00 ctns bchd OH 30s 8.00-9.00 ---**  
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**HORSERADISH: OFFERINGS INSUFFICIENT TO QUOTE ---MARJORAM: 1 kg ctns bchd IS 12s 13.00 ---MINT: crts bchd NJ 8.00 ctns bchd OH 12s 8.**

**Eighty-four Livestock**

Eighty-four, Pa.  
October 18, 1999

Auction not covered, reporter unavailable

**Middleburg Livestock**

Middleburg, Pa.  
October 19, 1999

Auction not covered, reporter unavailable

**Belleville Livestock**

Belleville, Pa.  
October 20, 1999

Auction not covered, reporter unavailable

**Leesport Livestock**

Leesport, Pa.  
October 21, 1999

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CATTLE CALVES HOGS SHEEP GOATS

WEDNESDAY	310	177	125	15	27
LAST WEDNESDAY	249	155	167	9	1

**CATTLE** Compared to last Wednesday's auction, slaughter steers sold 50-100 lower Slaughter heifers and slaughter cows were 100-200 lower Slaughter bulls trended 200-300 lower  
**SLAUGHTER STEERS** High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1470 lbs 65 50-70 75 Choice 2-3 1070-1420 lb s61 50-66 00 Select 1-3 56 00-62 00 Standard 1-2 48 00-54 25

**HOLSTEIN STEERS** High Choice and Prime 2-3 1375-1450 lbs 59 50-61 75 Choice 2-3 1305-1490 lbs 56 50-59 50 Select 1-2 48 00-54 25 Standard 1-2 39 00-48 00

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS** High Choice and Prime 2-4 few 1100-1420 lbs 63 75-66 00 Choice 2-4 1055-1255 lbs 60 25-64 50 Select 1-3 57 00-59 25 Standard 1-2 43.00-54 00

**SLAUGHTER COWS** Breakers 75-80 pct lean 38 00-41 25 Boners 80-85 pct lean 32 75-37 25 Lean 85-90 pct lean 28 50-32 75 Shells down to 18 00

**SLAUGHTER BULLS** Yield Grade 1

1130-2150 lbs 43 00-47 00 Yield Grade 2 1065-2300 lbs 36 00-43 50

**FEEDER STEERS** Medium and Large 2 900-995 lbs 54 00-59 50 Large 2 Holsteins few 785-930 lbs 51 50-55 00

**FEEDER HEIFERS** Medium and Large 2 455-510 lbs 60 00-65 00 Large 2 individual 365 lbs 72 50 Medium 2 individual 495 lbs 56 00

**FEEDER BULLS** Medium and Large 2 585-800 lbs 40 00-44 00

**CALVES** Compared to last week's auction, Holstein bulls returning to the farm were in very good demand and sold 20 00-40 00 higher Holstein heifers were steady

**VEALERS** Good 115-145 lbs 60 00 82 50 Standard and Good 95-110 lbs 27 50-50 00 Utility 60-105 lbs 5 00-25 00

**RETURNED TO FARM** Holstein bulls Number 1 95-120 lbs 120 00 157 00, 85-90 lbs 55 00-95 00 Number 2 95-115 lbs 70 00-130 00, 80-90 lbs 35 00-70 00 Holstein heifers Number 1 90-110 lbs 200 00-275 00 Number 2 few 80-110 lbs 100 00-150 00 Beef type bulls and heifers 80-95 lbs 45 00-115 00

**BARROWS AND GILTS** Prices were steady to 50 higher than last week 45-50 pct lean 240-270 lbs 32 75-34 00, 40-45 pct lean 220-280 lbs 30 00-32 75

**SOWS** US 1-3 490-515 lbs 18 50-20 00 Individual 540 lbs 22 50

**BOARS** Couple 505 lbs 6 00

**FEEDER PIGS** All sold per cwt US 1-3 20-30 lbs 80 00-120 00 40-60 lbs 57 50-70 00

**SHEEP** Slaughter lambs sold steady with last Wednesday

**SLAUGHTER LAMBS** Choice couple 65 lbs 100 00-107 00, 85-100 lbs 70 00-80 00

**SLAUGHTER SHEEP** Utility 1-3 couple 34 00

**GOATS** All sold per head Billies

Large individual 97 50 Medium 50 00 60 00 Nannies Large individual 35 00 Medium 30 00-45 00 Kids Small 25 00-30 00

**Weekly Livestock**

**Summary**

11 Livestock Auctions

October 15, 1999

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**CATTLE** 4490 Compared with 5273 head last week and 4249 head a year ago Slaughter steers 100 to 250 higher, sl heifers 100 to 300 higher, sl cows steady to mostly 200 higher, bulls 100 to 200 higher

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** High Choice and Prime 2 4 68 00-73 00 Choice 1-3 64 00 70 00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 61 00-66 00, Select 1 3 55 00-63 50, Standard 1-2 50 00 56 00  
**HOLSTEINS** High Choice and Prime 2 3 59 00 61 50, Choice 2-3 55 00-59 00, Select 1-2 50 00-55 00, Standard 1-2 46 00-49 00  
**HEIFERS** Choice few Prime 2-4 63 00-67 25, Select 1 3 54 00 61 25, Standard 1-2 47 00-52 00  
**COWS** Breakers 75-80% lean 37 00-43 00, Boners 80-85% lean 34 50-40 50, Lean 85-90% lean 30 00-36 00 Shells down to 16 50

**BULLOCKS** Select 1-3 46 00-54 50  
**BULLS** Yield Grade 1 1000 2500 lbs 48 00-53 00, Yield Grade 2 900 2400 lbs 42 75-48 00

**FEEDER CATTLE STEERS** Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 70 00-80 00, 500-700 lbs 60 50-68 50, Medium and Large 2 600-900 lbs 57 00-63 00, HEIFERS Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 61 00-72 00, Medium and Large 2 500-800 lbs 55 00-60 00, BULLS Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 61 00 72 00, Medium and Large Frame 2 500-700 lbs 50 00-60 00

**CALVES** 2541 Compared with 3380 head last week and 2572 head a year ago Vealers steady to strong VEALERS Choice 150 350 lbs 81 00-90 00, Good 120-250 lbs 69 00-80 00, Standard and

Good 75-120 lbs 20 00-35 00, Utility 50 100 lbs 10 00-22 00  
**FARM CALVES** Holstein bulls 500 to 2000 higher, Holstein heifers mostly steady No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 90 00-170 00, No 2 85-120 lbs 60 00-120 00, No 1 Holstein heifers 80-100 lbs 250 00 361 00, No 2 80-100 lbs 105 00-240 00  
**Beef type bulls and heifers** 75-130 lbs 60 00 120 00

**HOGS** 1100 Compared with 2117 head last week and 2036 head a year ago Barrows and gilts mostly 200 lower sows 100 to 400 lower  
**BARROWS AND GILTS** 49 54% lean 220 265 lbs 33 00 35 00 45 50% lean 240 275 lbs 32 00 33 50 40 45% lean 260 300 lbs 30 00 32 00  
**SOWS** US 1-3 300 500 lbs 16 00 22 00, 500-700 lbs 20 00-26 00  
**BOARS** 6 00-8 00

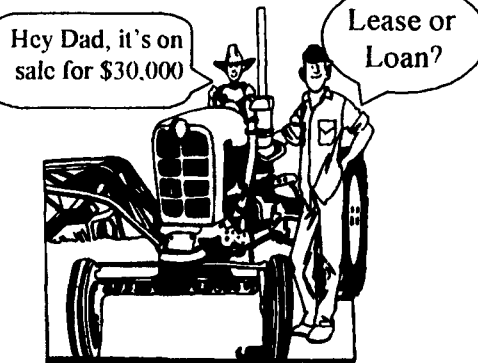
**FEEDER PIGS** 548 Compared with 412 head last week and 493 head a year ago US 1-3 20-30 lbs 8 00 13 00, 35 50 lbs 17 00-22 00 --- per head

**SHEEP** 1844 Compared with 1690 head last week and 2139 head a year ago Slaughter lambs steady to 1000 higher  
**SLAUGHTER LAMBS** Choice 40-60 lbs 97 00-125 00, 60-80 lbs 80 00-100 00, 80-100 lbs 72 00-82 00  
**SLAUGHTER SHEEP** 25 00-50 00

**TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES** 1396 Compared with 929 head last week and 1815 head a year ago Feeder pigs mostly steady to spots 500 lower US 1-2 40-50 lbs 45 00-50 00, 50-60 lbs 48 00-56 00, 60-80 lbs 35 00-42 00, US 2-3 45-70 lb 20 00 30 50, Slaughter 30-40 lbs 85 00-122 00, 40-60 lbs 38 00-51 00 --- per cwt



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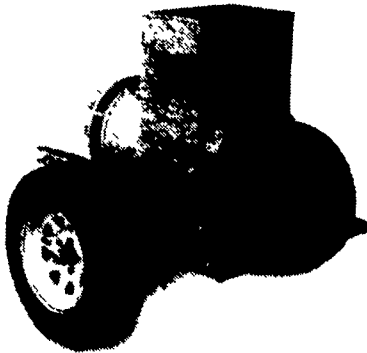
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