LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

Lancaster Livestock January 17, 2000

Report Supplied By PDA CATTLE CALVES HOGS SHEEP GOA'S

MONDA	Y			
168	24	0	327	240
LAST W	EEK			
151	31	0	779	341
LAST YE	EAR			
578	57	0	203	325

Vintage Livestock Vintage, Pa.

January 17 &18, 2000 Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE	CALVES	SHEEP	GUAT
THIS WEI	EK		
808	721	0	3
LAST WE	EK		

786 895 LAST YEAR 914 12 654

CATTLE Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers sold 50 higher Trading was active and demand was outstanding on all weights and grades Holstein steer prices were steady to 50 higher Slaughter cows sold mostly 1 00, instances 1 50 higher and slaughter bulls were not fully tested Supply included 38 percent slaughter steers and 43 percent slaughter cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1185-1485 lbs 71 75-75 00, few singles up to 77 50 Choice 2-3 1210-1485 lbs 70 00-73 00, 1490-1575 lbs 66 00-70 10 Select and low Choice 2-3 1200-1455 lbs 67 25-70 25, 1505-1735lbs 62 25-65 50 Select 1-3 1270-1485 lbs 63 25-68 00

HOLSTEIN STEERS Choice, few Prime 2-3 1405-1590 lbs 59 50-63 85 Select and low Choice 2-3 1125-1630 lbs 54 85-58 50 Select 1-2 1085-1405 lbs 52 00-55 50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Few Choice 2-4 1175-1340 lbs 69 75-71 25, pkg low dressing 3-5 1200 lbs 66 75, few 1520-1580 lbs 63 75-66 00 Select and low Choice 2-3 995-1470 lbs 63 75-67 75

SLAUGHTER COWS PERCENT WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING

75-80 pct lean over-Breakers 1400 lbs 40 75-45 00 38 25-41 75 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 38 50-42 25 35 50-38 75

Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 37 50-41 50 34 75-37 75

88-90 pct lean over-Lean 1000 lbs 33 75-38 25 31 75-34 75 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750

-1000 lbs 32 00-35 25 30 00-33 25 SLAUGHTER BULLS Individual Yield Grade 1 1905 lbs 53 25 Yield Grade

2 1515-2355 lbs 45 50-47 25 Bullocks Few Choice 2-3 1415-1605 lbs 59 00-62 00 Select 1-3 1275-1565 lbs 48 00-57 00

CALVES Compared to last week, vealers sold weak to 5 00 lower in a light Buyers showed good demand, despite the bitter cold weather, for fresh Holstein bulls to be placed in special-fed veal barns Bull calves sold 28 00-30 00 higher in active trading Holstein heifer demand was lighter and prices were steady to 1000 lower Supply included 575 head in the State graded sale and 93 percent returned to feed

VEALERS Few Good and Choice 70-110 lbs 15 00-30 00 Standard and low Good 60-90 lbs 10 00-20 00

RETURNED TO FARM Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 145 00-177 00 Plainertype bulls 85-115 lbs 107 00-162 00. weaker calves 75-100 lbs 20 00-40 00 Holstein heifers 80-115 lbs 295 00-322 00 Plainer heifers 80-105 lbs 260 00-295 00, 70-80 lbs 105 00-120 00

New Holland Livestock Auction New Holland, Pa.

Report Supplied By USDA Thursday, January 20, 2000 Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

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THURSDAY				
984	512	129	80	
LAST WEEK				
1159	655	249	247	
LAST YEAR				
1229	690	321	481	
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CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers .50-1.00 lower. Holstein steers mostly steady. Slaughter heifers steady to weak. Slaughter cows fully steady. Small supply slaughter bulls near steady. Supply included 41 percent slaughter steers and 40 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1250-1425 lbs 72.00-73.75. Couple Choice 2 1250 lbs 74.00. Choice 2-3 1165-1450 lbs 68.75-72.50, couple lots 72.50-73.0; 1450-1550 lbs 65.50-68.35; one lot 1590 lbs 64.60. Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lbs 65.75-68.50. Select 1-3 1100-1500 lbs

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Few High Choice and Prime 23 1400-1610 lbs 61.25-62.50. Choice 2-3 1300-1650 lbs 56.00-61.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 1200-1550 lbs 54.50-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1120-1390 lbs 67.50-70.50. Select 2-3 1035-1250 lbs 63.00-67.75; couple 870-920 lbs 50.00-55.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESS-ING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 41.00-45.00 38.50-41.00 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 39.00-43.00 35.50-43.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 38.00-41.75 35.00-38.00 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 33.00-38.50 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750 -1000 lbs 32.00-35.25 28.00-32.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1710-2350 lbs 49.75-54.00. Yield Grade 2 1275-1720 lbs 44.50-48.00, individual 2640 lbs 45.00. Individual Yield Grade 3 2255 lbs 38.50. Bullocks: Couple Select 2-3 1165-1415 lbs 49.00-55.00.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, small supply vealers traded steady. Slaughter calves not tested. Demand good for Holstein bull calves suitable for special-fed veal barns sold 20.00-30.00 higher, with Number 2 bulls as much as 50.00 higher. Holstein heifers mostly steady. Supply included 279 head in the State graded sale and 93 percent returned to feed.

VEALERS: Few Choice 190-320 lbs 84.00-93.00. Good 160-270 lbs 47.00-75.00. Good and Choice 70-110 lbs 20.00-30.00. Standard and low Good 60-90 lbs 11.00-20.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 80-125 lbs 137.00-172.00, one 8 head lot 90 lbs 180.00. Few Plainer bulls 80-130 lbs 85.00-130.00. Holstein heifers 80- 115 lbs 290.00-352.00. Plainer heifers 80-110 lbs 180.00-245.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, insufficient volume to establish trends.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Few Choice 2-3 85-110 lbs 95.00-102.00; 45-80 lbs 102.00-112.00.

GOATS: Insufficient volume for a market test.

Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, Pa. Report Supplied By USDA Friday, January 21, 2000

CATTLE CALVES THIS WEEK 1881 1430 LAST WEEK 2096 1855 LAST YEAR 1890 2461

CATTLE: Compared to last week's close, slaughter steers uneven, Tuesday sale steady to .50 higher, but even with a short supply this advance lost and price closed weak to mostly .50 lower. Holstein steers remained strong through the week and closed mostly .50 higher. Slaughter heifers steady to 50 higher. Cows mostly 1.00 higher, extremes 1.50 higher. Small supply bulls near steady. Supply included 27 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 50 percent slaughter cows, 5 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

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Due to technical difficulties, some Pets and Miscellaneous classifieds were missed in section D. These classifieds appear on page A-34.

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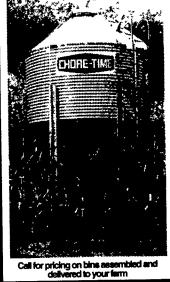
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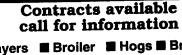






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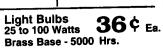


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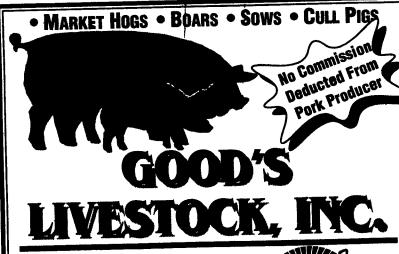
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