

Virginia Feeder Sales Richmond, VA Mon Mar 6, 2000

USDA-VA Dept of Ag Market News Summary of Northern Virginia Livestock Auctions

Front Royal, Marshall, Orange, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Staunton Union and Winchester Virginia for the week of Feb 28

thru Mar 4, 2000 Feeder Cattle 2551 Head

Steers Med&Lge 1 Small 1 Med&Lge 2 200-300 110.00- 125.00 89.00 - 110.00 ----- 300-400 101.00- 119.00 96.00 - 105.00 85.00 - 102.00 400-500 93.50 - 111.50 77.00 - 103.50 91.50 - 104.00 500-600 84.00 - 102.50 75.50 - 80.00 84.00 - 100.00 600-700 80.00 - 92.50 74.50 82.00 - 85.00 700-800 70.25 - 88.75 74.00 85.75 800-900 72.00 - 79.00 66.00 69.50 - 70.50 900-1000 64,50 - 66.00 -

Holstein Steer Med&Lge 2 200-300 84.00 300-500 74.00 - 81.00 500-700

Heifers Med&Lge 1 Small 1 Med&Lge 2 200-300 100.00- 107.00 70.50 85.00 -105.00 300-400 90.00 - 110.00 ---- 79.00 Few 86.50 - ---- 107.00 400-500 88.00 -107.50 72.00 - 90.50 84.50 - 99.00 500-600 75.00 - 96.00 66.00 - 70.00 73.00 84.00 600-700 72.00 - 83.25 60.00 -66.00 69.00 - 74.00 700-800 68.00 - 74.50 63.50 - 70.00 800-900 65.00 - 71.00 --61.00 - 62.00

Buils Med&Lge 1 Small 1 Med&Lge 2 200-300 116.00- 120.00 ----- 102.00-114.00 300-400 100.00- 117.25 82.00 94.00 - 115.00 400-500 92.00 - 110.00 75.00 - 94.00 82.00 - 103.50 500-600 84.00 - 96.75 74.50 - 84.00 71.50 - 90.50 600-700 78.50 - 86.50 64.50 - 76.50 68.50 - 80.00 700-900 61.00 - 72.00 66.00 48.00

50.00 Few ---- 63.00 - 68.00 Slaughter Cattle 486 Head

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Slaughter Cows 448 Head Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 33.75 - 43.25 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 30.75 - 42.00 Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 25.00 - 35.00

Slaughter Bulls 38 Head Yg 1-2 900-1300 lbs 45.00 - 47.00 Yg 1-2 1300-1600 lbs 41.25 - 46.00 Yg 1-2 1600 lbs and Over 43.50 - 50.00

Lambs Total Receipts 108 Head Slaughter Lambs 50 Head New Crop Choice Few Prime 1-2 Few 3 92 lbs 111.00 Wooled Choice Few Prime 1-2 Few 3 97 lbs 106.50 Choice Few Prime 1-2 Few 3 100 lbs 97.50 Good and Few Choice 1-2 93 lbs 101.50 Feeder Lambs 21 Head Medium and Large Frame 1-2 70-85 lbs 112.50 Medium and Large Frame 1-2 50-60 lbs 120.00 Medium and Large Frame 1-2 40 lbs 118.00 Slaughter Ewes and Rams 37 Head Ewes Choice 2-4 45.00 Utility and Good 1-3 35.00 -49.75 Cull and Low Utility 1-2 52.00 -

Cows returned to farms 50 head - Dairy Replacement Cows 2-5 yrs old; 53 lbs of milk per day herd average 1000.00-1925.00.

Baby Calves Returned to Farms 101 head newborn to 4 weeks 22.50-130.00 per head. Over 100 ibs 48.00-124.00 per cwt.

Slaughter Hogs 33 Head Barrows and Gilts US 1-3 200-250 lbs 33.50 US 2-4 250-300 lbs 31.00 - 37.00 Sows US 1-3 300-500 lbs 34.00 US 1-3 500 lbs and over 35.00 - 38.25 Boars 300-600 lbs 5.00

Central Carlot **Beef Report** Des Moines, IA Wed Mar 8 ,2000

USDA Market News USDA NATIONAL CARLOT BEEF REPORT (includes major production areas in the Midwest and TX) as of 3:00 PM COW & BULL CARCASS FOB OMA-HA Loads Reported. Compared to Tuesday's 3:00 P.M. report: Cow and buil car-

casses not established. UT,brk 2-4 450#/up unq UT,bng 1-3 400#/up unq Cutter 1-2 350#/up unq Bulls

YG 1 500#/up unq COW & BULL CARCASS CAF WEST COAST Loads Reported. Compared to last

Market for Week Ended: March 3, 2000 Lds Price Range UT,brk 2-4 450#/up UT,bng 1-3 400#/up 72.00 Cutter 1-2 350#/up 72.00 Bulls YG 1 500#/up

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/ BEEF TRIMMINGS 207.0 Loads Reported. Lean boneless beef in Omaha steady to 3.00 higher, Texas firm to 2.50 higher; 85% 1.00 to 4.00 higher; 75% steady to 2.00 higher; 65% generally steady. Demand moderate to good for light to moderate offerings. Beef trimmings higher on moderate demand and light offerings. FOB OMAHA BASIS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 28 105.0 - 108.0 106.57 90% fz unq 85% fr 13 97.0 - 101.0 99.00 85% fz 75% fr 4 73.0 - 75.0 74.00 75% fz 65% fr 15 60.0 - 62.0 61.33 65 % fz 50 % fr 84 40.00 - 42.00 40.96 50 % fz 20 44.00 - 48.00 44.90 50% bx unq Bull 92-94 130.00 130.00 D

FOB EAST TEXAS AND OKLAHO-MA: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 20 105.0 - 108.0 106.73 90% fz unq 85% fr 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz 65% fr 65% fz

CAF NORTHEAST AREAS: Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% i'r 23 108.0 -111.0 109.43 90% fz 85% fr 85% fz 75% fr 75% fz

65% fr 65% fz

CAF WEST COAST BASIS Market for Week Ended: 3/3/2000 Chm Ln Lds Price Range Wtavg 90% fr 105.00 -106.50 106.31 90% fz unq 85% fr 96.50 - 98.00 97.35 85% fz unq 75% fr 78.00 78.00 75% fz unq 65% fr 57.00 - 58.00 57.28 65% fz unq 50% fr 33.00 - 37.50 35.69 50% fz unq

**ABCDE after quotes represents days since last actual market test. Ouotes are dropped after 5 days of no test or before if they no longer reflect current market conditions,*

Livestock Cooperative Auction Market Of North Jersey

Hackettstown, N.J.

Report Supplied by Auction Tuesday, March 7, 2000

698 HEAD. CALVES .10-2.95. COWS .181/2-.45. EASY COWS .10-.39%. FEEDERS 300-600 LBS. .47-1.05. HEIFERS .30-.74. BULLS .44-.71. STEERS .48-.651/2. HOGS .34. **ROASTING PIGS EA. 20.00-44.00.** BOARS.09-.46. SOWS .30-.401/2. SHEEP .03-.73. LAMBS EA. 38.00-88.00. LAMBS PER LB. .63-1.60. GOATS EA. 52.00-152.50. KIDS EA. 24.00-79.00. HIDES EA. 13.00-22.00. 698 HEAD TOTAL.







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