#### **Greencastle Livestock** Greencastle, Pa.

Report Supplied By USDA

CATTLE CALVES HOGS SHEEP GOATS MONDAY 442

32 58 LAST MONDAY 329 79 47

CATTLE Compared to last Monday's auction, slaughter steers and slaughter heifers steady to 1 00 lower Slaughter cows were 75-150 lower Slaughter bulls trended steady on a light supply

SLAUGHTER STEERS Choice 2-3 1065-1475 lbs 68 00-73 75, 1530-1675 lbs 66 00-69 00 Select 1-3 62 50-67 75 Standard 1-2 few 52 00-59 75

HOLSTEIN STEERS Choice 2-3 few 1400-1445 lbs 60 00-62 50 Select 1-2 52 50-55 00 Standard 1-2 few 45 00-

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-4 1070-1505 lbs 67 75-73 50 Select 1-3 few 62 00-67 50 Standard 1-2 few 52 00-

SLAUGHTER COWS Breakers 75-80 pct lean 39 00-44 75, few high dressing 46 50-48 00 Boners 80-85 pct lean 38 00-43 00, low dressing down to 36 00 Lean85-90 pct lean 34 00-40 50 Shells

SLAUGHTER BULLS Yield Grade

1 1385-2000 lbs 53 25-55 00, individual 62 50 Yield Grade 2 few 1170-1196 lbs

FEEDER STEERS Medium and Large 1 325-375 lbs 89 00-116 00, individual 585 lbs96 00 Medium and Large 2 few 300-400 lbs 78 00-86 50

FEEDER HEIFERS Medium and Large 1 335-490 lbs 80 00-110 00, 530-650 lbs 74 00-93 00, few 725-850 lbs 69 00-75 00 Medium and Large 2 275-450 lbs 73 00-85 00, 520-675 lbs 63 00-

FEEDER BULLS Medium and Large 1 335-470 lbs 104 00-114 00, 530-650 lbs 77 00-95 00. 700-865 lbs 70 00-77 50 Medium and Large 2 640-700 lbs

CALVES Compared to last week's auction Holstein bulls returning to the farm sold 20 00 lower Holstein heifers

VEALERS Standard and Good few 70-85 lbs 30 00-55 00 Utility few 50-65 lbs 20 00 27 00

RETURNED TO FARM Holstein bulls Number 1 90-130 lbs 170 00-195 00, late sales down to 160 00, 80-90 lbs 167 50-190 00 Number 2 85-130 lbs 140 00-180 00 75-85 lbs 100 00-135 00 Holstein heifers Number 1 few 85-105 lbs 305 00-345 00 Number 2 65-85 lbs 150 00-230 00 Beef type bulls and heifers 70-125 lbs 120 00-185 00

BARROWS AND GILTS 40-45 pct

lean Few 225-285 lbs 43 00-43 50

SOWS Prices 1 00 lower than last 300-495 lbs US 1-3 Monday 500-595 lbs 53 00-40 00 38 00-47 00

415-595 lbs **BOARS** Couple 1150 Individual 300 lbs 25 00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice 45-65 lbs 125 00-137 50 Good and Choice

65-110 lbs 72 00-80 00 SLAUGHTER SHEEP Utility 1-3

33 00-45 00 GOATS All sold per head

Billies Large 74 00-115 00 Medium 48 00-76 00 Nannies Large 45 00-75 00 Medium 39 00-57 50 Kids 26 00-50 00 Small 13 00-24 00

#### **New Holland** Calves, Sheep, Goats May 15, 2000

Report Supplied By USDA CALVES SHEEP GOATS

MONDAY 697 1153 LAST WEEK 126 LAST YEAR

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CALVES Compared to Thursday's auction, there were not lightweight calves sold for slaughter to test the vealer market Larger slaughter calves sold steady to 500 higher Demand was outstanding for Holstein bulls returning to feed and prices were 12 00-25 00 higher Holstein heifers sold 10 00-15 00

**VEALERS** Not test

SLAUGHTER CALVES Few Good and Choice 200-350 lbs 80 00-105 00

RETURNED TO FARM Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 182 00-222 00 Plainer type bulls 80-115 lbs 140 00-207 00 weaker calves 70-100 lbs 90 00-170 00 Holstein heifers 80-120 lbs 260 00-360 00 Plainer heifers 70-100 lbs 210 00-280 00

SHEEP Compared to Thursday slaughter lambs sold 5 00-15 00 lower with all weight groups selling for about the same price per pound Slaughter ewes sold steady to 5 00 lower

SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice and Prime 2-3 40 60 lbs 110 00-140 00 60 80 lbs 110 00-130 00 80-110 lbs 105 00

SLAUGHTER EWES Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year olds 40 00-70 00 Utility and Good 1 3 20 00-45 00

GOATS (All sold by the head) Billies Large 125 00-150 00 Medium 100 00 125 00 Thin 75 00-100 00 Mutton Choice and Prime 75 00 95 00 Nannies Large 60 00-88 00 Medium 40 00 60 00 Yearlings Choice and Prime 60 00-90 00 Choice and Prime 40 00 70 00 Good 20 00 40 00

#### St. Louis Feeder Cattle

Springfield, IL Thu May 18, 2000

USDA-IL Market News Service Farmers Livestock Marketing Assn auction at Greenville, IL Wed May

17,2000

Cattle and calves. 820 head. Compared to last week, slaughter steers and heifers firm to 1.00 higher, full advance on Choice and below grades of both classes. Holstein steers steady. Supply mainly Choice slaughter steers and heifers, with several lots of Prime blacks. Moderate supply of holstein steers.

Total Receipts this week: 820 Last week: 995 Last year: n/r

**SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4** 975-1450 lbs 70.00-73.00, 1450-1700 lbs 67.00-70.00; Yield Grade 2-3 and Fancy 2-4 1025-1475 lbs 73.00-75.00, Several Prime, mostly black, 1100-1450 lbs 74.00-77.00, few up to 77 25, Select and Choice 2-3 1000-1600 lbs 66.00-70.00. Select 2-3 1000-1600 lbs 62.00-66 00.

**HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3** 1300-1700 lbs 63.00-66.00. Few lot Prime 2-3 1500-1900 lbs 65.50-66.25, Select and Choice 2-3 1100-1600 lbs 60.00-63.00; Select 2-3 1150-1450 lbs 54.00-60.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4** 950-1350 lbs 70.00-73.00, YG 2-3 and Fancy 2-4 1100-1375 lbs 73.00-75.00: Prime 2-4, mostly black, 1100-1325 lbs 74.00-76.00. Select and Choice 2-3 875-1275 lbs 66.00-70.00. Select 2-3 900-1225 ibs 62.00-66.00.

HEIFERETTFS: Few Medium and Large Frame 900-1250 lbs 45.00-56.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Compared with last week, feeder steers and heifers weak to 2.00 lower. Overall quality below last weeks level. Moderate buyer attendance.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large Frame 1: Thin 150-200 lbs 109.00-118.00 200-300 lbs 105.00-110.00 300-400 lbs 97.00-106.00, fancy 106.00-110.00 400-500 lbs 92.00- 98.00 500-600 lbs 86.00- 94.00 600-700 lbs 82.00- 88.00 Moderately Fleshy:300-400 lbs 88.00-97.00 400-500 lbs 85.00-92.00 500-600 lbs 81.00-87.00 600-700 lbs 77.00-83.00 Large Frame 2 Holsteins: 500-700 lbs 73.00-81.00

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large Frame 1: Thin: 300-400 lbs 90.00-98 00 400-500 lbs 86.00- 93.00 500-600 lbs 82.00- 88 00 Moderately Fleshy 300-400 lbs 82.00- 90.00 400-600 lbs 75 00-

Cow/Calf Pairs: Large Frame 7-10 yrs old with calf at side 600 00-700 00/pr Medium to Large Frame 9-10 yrs old 520.00-625.00/pr.

Bred Cows: Large Frame 4-10 yrs old in 2nd and 3rd stage 475.00-560.00/hd. Medium to Large Frame 9-10 yrs old 375.00-475.00/hd.

Slaughter Cows and Bulis: 125 head. Compared to last week, slaughter cows fully steady. Bulls firm to 1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER COWS: % Lean Weight Price Breakers 75-80 % 850-1200 lbs 38.00-42.00 Boners 80-85 % 850-1200 lbs 40.00-44.00 High Yielding 80-85 % over 1100 lbs 42.00-45.00 Lean 85-90 % 850-1200 lbs 37.00-40.00 85-90 % 750-850 lbs 33.00-37.00 85-90 % under 750 lbs 28.00-33.00

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1150-2125 lbs 46.00-51.00. Low Yield 45.00-46.00. Yield Gr 1 1500-1800 lbs 51.00-52.00.

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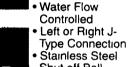


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