Mercer **Livestock Auction** Mercer, Pa.

Tuesday, July 18, 2000 Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE 254...(PDA)Cows stronger. SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1150-1450 lbs 70.00-71.00, few Select 1-3 62.50-68.00, few Standard 1-2 55.00-

HOLSTEINS: few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1345-1445 lbs 59.00-64.25, Choice 2-3 1215-1695 lbs 57.00-60.75, few Select 1-2 54.00-57.50, few Standard 1-2 49.00-52.50.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1050-1200 lbs 64.50-68.50, few Standard 1-2 50.00-53.50.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 41.00-46.50, few to 50.50, Boners 80-85% lean 40.00-44.00, Lean 85-90% lean 35.00-42.00. Shells down to 30.00.

BULLOCKS: few Select 1-3 1190-1360 lbs 58.50-61.75.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1150-1965 lbs 53.00-55.75, Yield Grade 2 1070-1930 lbs 46,50-52,50.

FEEDER CATTLE: HEIFERS: few Medium 1 360-550 lbs 84.00-91.00, Medium and Large 2 425-700 lbs 79.00-88.00; BULLS: few Large 1 700-975 lbs 60.00-67.50, few Large 2 344 lbs 78.00, few Medium 1 375-525 lbs 88.00-94.00, few Medium 1-2 250-295 lbs 84.00-126.00, Medium 2 550-725 lbs 68.00-80.00. CALVES 156...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-100 lbs 27.50-50.00, Utility 60-80 lbs 10.00-25.00.

FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 90.00-115.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 49.00-100.00; few No 1 Holstein heifers 80-115 lbs 270.00-325.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 100.00-230.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 70-110 lbs 105.00-135.00.

HOGS 67...BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 250-270 lbs 47.25-48.50, one 50.25, 45-50% lean 230-270 lbs 45.35-

46.50, 40-45% lean 230-280 lbs 44.00-46.00.

SOWS: few US 1-3 375-600 lbs 33.50-36.00, one 550 lbs 25.00.

BOARS: few 585-715 lbs 16.50-17.00. FEEDER PIGS 0...NO MARKET

SHEEP 4...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: few Choice 74 lbs 60.00.

GOATS 2...NO MARKET TEST!

Friend's Stockyard, Inc.

Accident, Md. Report Supplied by Auction

Monday, July 17, 2000 STOCK STEERS AND BULLS 200-

500 LBS. 50.00-109.00. STOCK HEIFERS 200-500 LBS.

36.00-97.00. SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE 66.00-72.00, MEDIUM TO

GOOD 52.00-65.50, HEAVY CHOICE OVER 1450 LBS, 61,00-69,00. HOLSTEIN STEERS HEAVY

CHOICE 56.00-62.00, LIGHT 45.00-

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 68.00-74.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-66.50.

BULLS HEAVY 45.00-58.50, LIGHT 40.00-55.50.

COWS UTILITY (HOLSTEINS) 40.50-44.50, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 30.00-38.50, CULL COWS 30.00 AND DOWN.

VEALS GOOD TO CHOICE 50.00-75.00, MED. TO GOOD 50.00-67.00.

BOB CALVES 40.00 AND DOWN. HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. UP TO 124.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. UP TO 310.00; BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 150.00.

HOGS, TOP QUALITY, UP TO

SOWS UP TO 32.00. LAMBS, CHOICE, UP TO 84.00. LIVESTOCK PRICES ARE ALL GIVEN PER HUNDRED WEIGHTS.

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland Report Supplied by Auction Saturday, July 15, 2000

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS 200-500 LBS. 50.00-112.00.

STOCK HEIFERS 45.00-965.00. SLAUGHTER STEERS UP TO 70.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-60.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS GOOD 36.00-53.50, LIGHT 35.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 56.00-68.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-55.50.

BULLS HEAVY 44.00-56.00, LIGHT 35.00-61.50.

COWS UTILITY HOLSTEINS 32.00-45.00, CANNERS 25.00-35.00, **CULLS 22.00 AND DOWN.**

BOB CALVES 40.00 AND DOWN. HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. UP TO 105.00.

HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 265.00. BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN

TO FARM UP TO 120.00. HOGS TOP QUALITY UP TO 47.00, HEAVY UP TO 46.00, LIGHT 20.00-45.00, FEEDER PIGS BY HEAD UP TO 55.00.

SOWS 20.00-36.00. MALE HOGS 12.00-30.00.

LAMBS 70-85 LBS. UP TO 100.00, 85-125 LBS. UP TO 85.00, 30-60 LBS. UP TO 95.00, CULLS UP TO 65.00.

SHEEP UP TO 32.00. GOATS LARGE 60.00-100.00. MEDIUM 40.00-60.00, SMALL 20.00-40.00, ALL BY THE HEAD.

Pennsylvania Livestock Auction Waynesburg, Pa.

Thursday, July 20, 2000 Report Supplied By Auction Cattle: SLAUGHTER COWS: Utility & Commercial 37.00-45.00 Canner & Boning Utility 34.00-41.00 Canner & Low Cutter 34.00-34.50 Shells 30.00 &

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-2000# 47.00-62.50 YIELD GRADE 2 1000#-1400# Fat 50.00-76.00

FEEDER STEERS: M & L 1 300-500# 65.00-124.00; 250-280# 54.00-127.00; M 600-900# 40.00-82.00;

HEIFERS M 1 & L 1 300-500# 62.00-98.00; L 1 400-650#62.00-90.00;

BULLS M & L 1 300-620# 65.00-

CALVES: Veal Prime 85.00-111.00; Choice 55.00-112.00; Good 35.00-70.00; Farm Calves #1 Holstein Bulls 90-120# Few 35.00-90.00; #2 Holstein Bulls 80-100# Few 12.50-50.00; Beef X Bull&Hfrs./HD. 20.00-110.00

HOGS: Barrows & Gilts #1-2 210-255# 42.00-47.50; #2-3 255-280# 38.00-44.00; Sows #1-3 300-500# 22.00-40.00; Feeder Pigs; 1-3 15-20# 5.00-17.00/HD. 1-3 25-35# 10.00-21.00/HD

LAMBS: High Choice 80-100# 80.00-95.00; Choice 40-75# 80.00-105.00; Feeder Lambs Good 60.00-102.00; Sheep 20.00-31.00; Fat Sheep 59.00 and down;

GOATS: Large 35.00-92.00/HD.; Medium 30.00-70.00/HD.; Small 20.00-48.00/HD.;

HORSES: Horses 35.00-64.00; Ponies 20.00-55.00

Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc.

Jersey Shore, Pa. Report Supplied By Auction Thursday, July 20, 2000 RETURN TO FARM CALF: 100.00290.00. GOOD VEAL: 70.00-99.00. COMMON VEAL: 20.00-69.00. CHOICE STEERS: 68.00-70.00. **SELECT STEERS: 63.00-67.00.** COMMON STEERS: 53.00-62.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 37.00-

Greencastle Livestock

Greencastle, Pa. Report Supplied by PDA Thursday, July 20, 2000

CATTLE: 143. COWS: STEADY TO SPOTS 1.00 HIGHER. STEERS: SELECT 1-3 COUPLE 54.50, 55.75. HOLSTEIN STEERS: SELECT 1-2 COUPLE 54.50, 55.75. STANDARD 1-2: 43.50, 49.75.

COWS: BREAKERS 75-80% LEAN 39.75-45.00 WITH A FEW UP TO 47.00. BONERS: 80-85% LEAN 37.00-42.75. LEAN 85-90% LEAN 33.00-41.75. SHELLS DOWN TO 28.00. **BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1: 1075 &** 1650 LBS. COUPLE 50.75 & 57.00 YIELD GRADE 2 1315 & 1645 LBS COUPLE 47.50 & 48.25, FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: L2 ONE 505 64.00. HEIFERS: L2 HOLSTEINS (FEW) 700/760, 63.00-75.00. BULLS: L1, COUPLE 950 & 1050, 64.00, 67,00, L2 FEW 485/610, 61.00-63.50.

CALVES: 283. STANDARD & GOOD: 75/105, LBS. 30.00-55.00, UTIL-ITY 50/75, LBS. 10.00-27.00, FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS STEADY WITH LIGHTER WEIGHTS 10.00-12.00 HIGHER. NO. 1: 90/120, LBS. 90.00-120.00 WITH A FEW DOWN TO 80.00, 80/90, 60.00-82.50. NO. 2 90/125, LBS. 50.00-85.00, 75/90, 43.00-57.50. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS. STEADY. NO. 1: FEW 95/100 LBS., 270-335.00. NO. 2 70/100 LBS. 100.00-240.00, BEEF TYPE BULLS & HEIF-ERS: 80/95 LBS. FEW 80.00-185.00.

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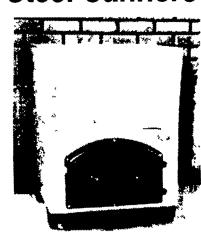
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