Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

Wednesday, Aug. 30, 2000

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	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Wednesday 2000-08-02 (est)	130,000	4,000	367,000	13.000
Week ago (est)	128,000	4,000	372,000	13,000
Year ago (act)	132,000	4,000	378,000	15,000
Week to date (est)	514,000	19,000	1.489.000	49,000
Same Period Last Week (est)	515,000	17,000	1,482,000	47,000
Same Period Last Year (act)	526,000	21.000	1.518.000	56,000

Middleburg Livestock Auction Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, August 29, 2000 Report Supplied By USDA

CATTLE 387...(PDA)...sl. steers 1.00 to 1.50 lower, heifers 1.00 lower, bulls 1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1150-1475 lbs 64.00-68.25, Select 1-3 61.00-66.00, Standard 1-2 55.00-61.00.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1390-1590 lbs 62.25-63.25 with one 64.25, Choice 2-3 1200-1550 lbs 57.25-61.50, Select 1-2 52.00-57.50, Standard 1-2 41.75-49.75.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1020-1390 lbs 62.75-66.75, few Select 1-3 60.00-63.50, few Standard 1-2 55.00-57.50.

COWS: (early sales)Breakers 75-80% lean 40.00-43.50, Boners 80-85% lean

37.00-41.50, Lean 85-90% lean 32.00-39.75. Shells down to 23.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1050-1955 lbs 49.75-54.50, Yield Grade 2 950-2445 lbs 44.75-50.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 290-480 lbs 91.00-101.00, 500-610 lbs 79.00-86.00, 865-1000 lbs 66.50-69.00, few Medium and Large 2 410-475 lbs 66.50-84.00, 530-735 lbs 53.50-66.00; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 275-470 lbs 81.50-89.00, 500-640 lbs 63.50-75.00, 720-960 lbs 56.00-61.50, Medium and Large 2 430-585 lbs 64.00-76.00, 680-890 lbs 54.50-60.00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 315-440 lbs 88.00-97.00, 680-710 lbs 66.50-68.00, Medium and Large 2 420-540 lbs 56.00-65.00.

CALVES 308...VEALERS: one Good 150 lbs 90.00, Standard and Good 75-95 lbs 30.00-45.00, Utility 60-115 lbs 14.0030.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 5.00 to 10.00 lower, Holstein heifers steady to 30.00 higher...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs 100.00-140.00, bulk of sales 110.00-135.00, 80-90 lbs 92.00-110.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 50.00-105.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 80-105 lbs 300.00-410.00, No 2 75-110 lbs 120.00-275.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 75-100 lbs 140.00-210.00.

HOGS 171...(81/48 & 290)...Bulk of supply sold on Monday and reported by the auction. Barrows and gilts steady, sows uneven, 1.00 higher to 1.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: 45-50% lean 230-275 lbs 38.00-40.50, 40-45% lean 290-340 lbs 33.00-36.00.

SOWS: US 1-3 410-485 lbs 30.00-35.00, 525-680 lbs 34.25-38.75.

BOARS: one 375 lbs 13.50, one 290 lbs 26.00.

FEEDER PIGS 148...US 1-3 20-35 lbs 17.00-29.00, 40-55 lbs 30.00-51.00. - per head. Slaughter: Utility 90-165 lbs 48.00-59.00. - per cwt.

SHEEP 67...Slaughter lambs 20.00 to 25.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 40-55 lbs 78.00-84.00, 60-85 lbs 79.00-90.00, one 104.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 29.00-36.00. GOATS 18...(All sold by the head). One Large Billy and Wether 80.00, few Medium 39.00-60.00, Large Nannies 45.00-60.00, few Large Kids 35.00-50.00, Small 20.00-22.00.

Friend's Stockyard, Inc. Accident, Md.

Report Supplied by Auction Monday, Aug. 28, 2000 STOCK STEERS AND BULLS 200-500 LBS. 50.00-110.00.

STOCK HEIFERS 200-500 LBS. 36.00-96.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE 65.00-67.50, MEDIUM TO GOOD 52.00-64.50, HEAVY CHOICE OVER 1450 LBS, 61.00-64.50

HOLSTEIN STEERS HEAVY CHOICE 56.00-62.00, LIGHT 45.00-55.50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 65.00-67.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-64.50.

BULLS HEAVY 45.00-61.10, LIGHT 40.00-55.50.

COWS UTILITY (HOLSTEINS) 40.50-47.00, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 30.00-40.00, 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 134.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFER
CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120
LBS. UP TO 335.00; BEEF CROSS
CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO
150.00.

HOGS, TOP QUALITY, UP TO

SOWS UP TO 32.00.

LAMBS, CHOICE, UP TO 74.00.

LIVESTOCK PRICES ARE ALL

GIVEN PER HUNDRED WEIGHTS.

Carlisle Livestock Carlisle, Pa.

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SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS CHOICE 2 AND 3 1050-1450 LBS. 66.50-68.25; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 64.50-66.25; COWS BREAKERS 40.00-44.00, BONERS 38.50-43.50, LEAN 32.50-42.00, BIG MIDDLE 35.00-39.75, SHELLY 30.00 AND DOWN; BULLS, YG#2 49.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS, HEREFORDS-HOLSTEINS 400-800 LBS. 66.00-75.00; BULLS, HOL-STEINS-DAIRY TYPES 400-600 LBS. 58.00-61.00; CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, HOL-**STEINS BULLS #1 85-125** LBS. 82.50-131.00; HOL-**STEIN HEIFERS #1 95-120** LBS. 260.00-365.00: HOL-**STEIN HEIFERS #2 75-110** LBS. 140.00-230.00; BEEF X BULLS 90-105 LBS. 100.00-117.50.

SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 36.00, 300-310 LBS. 33.00; BOARS 475-750 LBS. 13.00-13.50; SOWS US#1-3 350-600 LBS. 31.50-35.50; FEEDER PIGS BY THE POUND, 15-40 LBS. 105.00-165.00.

GOATS: LARGE NAN-NIES AND BILLIES 55 00-75.00; FANCY KIDS 47.00-60.00; FLESHY KIDS 32.50-45.00; SMALL THIN KIDS 30.00-34.00.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 45-60 LBS. 95.00-110.00, 65-100 LBS 70.00-100.00, 110-150 LBS. 67.00-72.00

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 33 00-38.00.

SALE EVERY TUES., 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS; 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVE-STOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES, SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALES TUES., SEPT. 5; SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALF TUES., SEPT. 5; PEN LOTS OF CATTLE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED: STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRI., SEPT. 8. EARLYBIRD PENS CLOSE TUES., 2 P.M.



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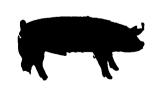
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