Mercer **Livestock Auction** Mercer, Pa.

October 31, 2000 Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE 311...(PDA)...Compared with last week's sale...sl. steers strong on small supply, cows mostly .50 to 1.00

SLAUGHTER STEERS: few High Choice and Prime 2-4 1265-1295 lbs 70.25-72.50, Choice 2-3 1175-1375 lbs 65.00-69.00, Select 1-3 58.00-65.00, few Standard 1-2 50.00-58.50.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1200-1560 lbs 60.00-64.00, Choice 2-3 1325-1560 lbs 58.00-60.00, few Select 1-2 52.00-53.50, few Standard 1-2 45.00-47.00.

HEIFERS: one High Choice and Prime 2-4 1340 lbs 69.25, Choice 2-4 875-1430 lbs 63.00-66.50, few Select 1-3 59.75-62.00, few Standard 1-2 47.50-

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 39.00-43.00, few to 44.75, Boners 80-85% lean 36.50-41.00, Lean 85-90% lean 30.00-37.00. Shells down to 20.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1260-1735 lbs 46.50-51.75, Yield Grade 2 1200-2300 lbs 39.00-45.75

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: few Medium 1 500-575 lbs 76.00-87.00; HEIFERS: Large 1 425-700 lbs 72.00-84.00, few Large 2 535-875 lbs 61.50-71.50, Medium 1 325-550 lbs 65.00-83.00, Medium 2 350-600 lbs 59.00-68.00; BULLS: Large 1 325-600 lbs 72.00-91.00, Medium 1 475-675 lbs 66.00-87.00, Medium 2 325-550 lbs 60.00-73.00.

CALVES 115...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-100 lbs 15.00-30.00, Utility 55-75 lbs 10.00-15.00.

FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls

85-120 lbs 120.00-175.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 55.00-110.00; few No 1 Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs 270.00-310.00, No 2 70-110 lbs 100.00-260.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 80-100 lbs 80.00-170.00.

HOGS 58...Barrows and gilts active. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 240-260 lbs 45.50-47.00, 45-50% lean 220-270 lbs 33.50-37.50, 40-45% lean 260-280 lbs 28.75-32.25.

FEEDER PIGS 0...NO MARKET

SHEEP 6...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: few Choice 70-100 lbs 52.50.

GOATS 1...(All sold by the head). One Large Billy 40.00.

Belleville **Livestock Auction**

Belleville, Pa. Thursday, Nov. 1, 2000

Report Supplied By PDA CATTLE 426...(PDA)..(Supply included 323 cows and heifers in the Dairy sale)..Compared with last week's sale..sl. cows .50 lower.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: couple Choice 2-3 1525 & 1705 lbs 53.00 & 55.25, couple Select 1-2 43.25 & 49.25.

COWS: few Breakers 75-80% lean 35.50-41.25, Boners 80-85% lean 33.00-38.00, Lean 85-90% lean 28.50-34.25. Shells 26,50 and down

BULLS: couple Yield Grade 1 1795 & 1885 lbs 44.75 & 45.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Large 2 200-485 lbs 53.00-66.00, 600-770 lbs 51.50-57.50; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 520-570 lbs 61.00-66.50, few Large 2 440-770 lbs 41.00-51.50; BULLS: Medium and Large 2 240-310 lbs 62.00-77.00, 445-590 lbs 64.50-70.50.

CALVES 102...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-90 lbs 30.00-40.00, few Utility 60-70 lbs 15.00-25.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls steady to 5.00 lower...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 100.00-137.50 bulk of sales 110.00-135.00, 80-90 lbs 90.00-100.00, No 2 85-120 lbs 50.00-102.50, 70-80 lbs 42.50-70.00; couple No 1 Holstein heifers 90 & 95 lbs 355.00 & 365.00, No 2 60-95 lbs 130.00-250.00.

HOGS 7...BARROWS AND GILTS: one 40-45% lean 3805 lbs 32.00.

SOWS: few US 1-3 340-455 lbs 25.00-

BOARS: couple 535 & 545 lbs 6.00 &

7.00, one 285 lbs 12.00.

FEEDER PIGS 47...US 1-3 25-45 lbs 11.00-23.00, 50-75 lbs 25.00-57.50 per

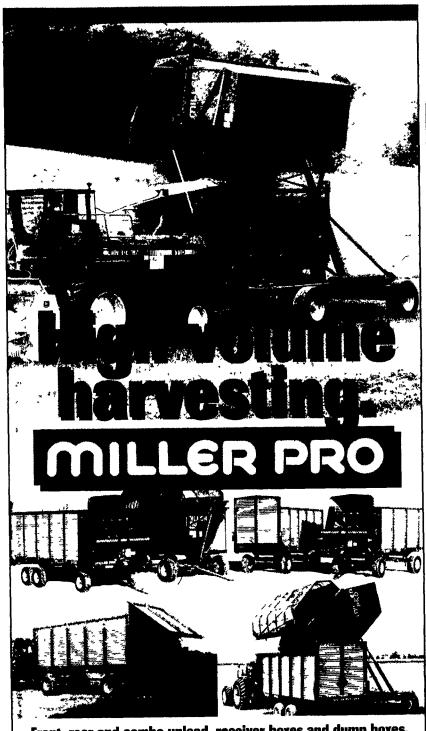
SHEEP 8...SLAUGHTER LAMBS few Choice 90-135 lbs 65.00-84.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: few 39 00-48.00, one Yearling 52.00.

GOATS 7...(All goats sold by the head). Couple Large Billies 69.00 & 70.00, couple Medium 56.00 & 66.00, one Large Nanny 52.00, couple Large Kids 41.00 & 42.00.

HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS 725.00-1525.00 per head.





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