

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter

Under Federal Inspection

Dec. 6, 2000

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Wednesday 2000-08-02 (est)	128,000	4,000	383,000	16,000
Week ago (est)	132,000	4,000	388,000	14,000
Year ago (act)	126,000	5,000	389,000	15,000
Week to date (est)	392,000	14,000	1,119,000	46,000
Same Period Last Week (est)	391,000	12,000	1,152,000	41,000
Same Period Last Year (act)	380,000	15,000	1,164,000	46,000

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland
Report Supplied by Auction
Saturday, Dec. 2

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS 200-500 LBS. 50.00-118.00.
STOCK HEIFERS 45.00-94.50.
SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE UP TO 68.50, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-60.50.
HOLSTEIN STEERS GOOD 36.00-54.00, LIGHT 35.00-55.00.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 56.00-66.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-55.50.
BULLS HEAVY 44.00-52.50, LIGHT 35.00-61.50.
COWS UTILITY HOLSTEINS 32.00-41.50, CANNERS 25.00-35.00, CULLS 22.00 AND DOWN.
BOB CALVES 50.00 AND DOWN.

HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM 90-120 LBS. UP TO 118.00.

HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 270.00.

BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 140.00.

HOGS TOP QUALITY UP TO 47.50, HEAVY UP TO 45.00, LIGHT 20.00-43.00, FEEDER PIGS BY HEAD UP TO 30.00.

SOWS 20.00-38.00.
MALE HOGS 6.00-30.00.

LAMBS 70-85 LBS. UP TO 108.00, 85-125 LBS. UP TO 100.00, 30-60 LBS. UP TO 129.00, CULLS UP TO 72.00.

SHEEP UP TO 40.00.
GOATS LARGE 60.00-110.00, MEDIUM 40.00-80.00, SMALL 20.00-50.00, ALL BY THE HEAD.

LAMB AND GOAT SALE DEC. 9 IN CONJUNCTION WITH REGULAR SALE.

Frederick Livestock

Frederick, Maryland

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December 4, 2000

SLAUGHTER COWS: 72 HEAD, 2.00 LOWER. UTILITY 36.00-40.00, HIGH DRESSING TO 41.00, HEIFER TYPES TO 44.00, CANNERS 32.00-36.00, SHELLY 32.00 DOWN.

BULLS: YG#1 1050-1600 LBS. 49.50-52.50, YG#2 1660 LBS. AT 46.00.

FED STEERS: SELECT HOLSTEINS 1260 LBS. AT 52.00.

CALVES: 207 HEAD, GOOD SLAUGHTER. 90-120 LBS. 55.00-70.00, CULLS 40.00-55.00, 70-90 LBS. 30.00-40.00; H90LSTEIN BULLS RETURNING TO FARM 20.00 LOWER.

#1 95-120 LBS. 125.00-147.00, BULK OF SALES 125.00-137.00, 85-95 LBS. 97.00-127.00, #2 95-120 LBS. 97.00-122.00, 80-95 LBS. 65.00-95.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 30.00-40.00 LOWER.

#1 90-120 LBS. 295.00-370.00, 80-90 LBS. 250.00-300.00; #2 90-120 LBS. 200.00-280.00, 70-90 LBS. 150.00-250.00; BEEF X BULLS AND HEIFERS #1 80-115 LBS. 150.00-195.00, #2 65-100 LBS. 117.00-140.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: FEW OFFERED 250-350 LBS. 35.00-38.50, 1 LOT 208 LBS. AT 38.50.

SHOATS: 11 HEAD. 130-180 LBS. 33.00-40.00.

BOARS: 1 300 LBS. AT 18.00; 2 375-400 LBS. 12.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 33 HEAD.

STEERS, FEW OFFERED. HEIFERS MED. AND LRGE. FRAME 300-500 LBS. 70.00-82.50, 500-700 LBS. 62.00-76.00; 4 HOLSTEINS 130-180 LBS. 127.00-147.00; 800-1000 LBS. 44.00-50.00.

BULLS: MED. AND LRGE. FRAME 200-400 LBS. 80.00-90.00, 400-500 LBS. 70.00-78.00, 500-700 LBS. TO 74.00, 700-800 LB. HOLSTEINS 46.00-51.00.

GOATS: 5 HEAD. ONE LRGE. BILLY 129.00, MED. NANNIES 44.00-72.00.

Belleville

Livestock Auction

Belleville, Pa.

Dec. 6, 2000

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CATTLE 232...(PDA)..(Supply included 255 cows and heifers in the Dairy Sale). STEERS: one Select 1-3 63.50, one Standard 1-2 52.50. HOLSTEIN STEERS: one Select 1-2 50.00, few Standard 1-2 38.50-43.50. HEIFERS: few Standard 1-2 43.00-56.50.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 34.00-37.50, Boners 80-85% lean 31.00-35.25, Lean 85-90% lean 24.50-33.75. Shells 20.25 and down.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade 2 1315 & 1725 lbs 36.00 & 39.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: one Large 1 935 lbs 52.50; HEIFERS: few

Medium and Large 1 690-800 lbs 50.00-55.00; BULLS: one Medium 1 380 lbs 74.50, couple 1070 & 1130 lbs 42.50 & 45.50.

CALVES 91...VEALERS: Standard and Good 90-115 lbs 40.00-62.50, Utility 60-110 10.00-20.00.

FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 117.50-160.00 bulk of sales 125.00-160.00, No 2 75-125 lbs 60.00-122.50; No 2 Holstein heifers 75-105 lbs 120.00-225.00. Few beef type bulls and heifers 95 lbs 95.00-150.00.

HOGS 8...BARROWS AND GILTS: one 40-45% lean 290 lbs 30.50.

SOWS: US 1-3 365-420 lbs 28.50-35.00.

FEEDER PIGS 76...US 1-3 30-45 lbs 8.00-21.00, 50-70 lbs 25.00-38.00 per head.

SHEEP 9...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: one Choice 60 lbs 83.00, few 85-95 lbs 60.00-68.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: few 30.00-52.00.

GOATS 23...(All goats sold by the head). Large Billies 65.00-90.00, Medium 40.00-48.00, Large Nannies 47.00-50.00, couple Medium 47.00 & 50.00, couple Large Kids 45.00 & 57.00, Small 3.00-24.00.

DAIRY COWS: 800.00-1410.00 per head.

New Wilmington Livestock Auction

New Wilmington, Pa.

Monday, Dec. 4, 2000

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CATTLE 110...(SUPPLIED BY THE AUCTION). STEERS: Choice 2-3 55.00-63.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 35.00-37.00. BULLS: Yield Grade 1 36.50-43.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: 62.00-93.00; HEIFERS: 55.00-71.00; BULLS: 37.00-64.00.

CALVES 152...FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 85-130 lbs 145.00-155.00, No 2 85-115 lbs 120.00-150.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 105 lbs 300.00-325.00, No 2 85 lbs 150.00-250.00.

HOGS 176...BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 36.00-39.25.

SOWS: US 1-3 325-590 lbs 30.00-33.25.

BOARS: one 245 lbs 30.00, 580-615 lbs 13.50.

FEEDER PIGS 30...US 1-3 42-80 lbs 23.00-30.00. — per head.

SHEEP 142...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 60-100 lbs 72.00-120.00.

GOATS 9...(All sold by the head). One Medium Billy 51.00, one Large Nanny 100.00, Medium Nannies 23.00-41.00.

Greencastle Livestock Special Monthly Feeder Cattle Sale

Greencastle, Pa.

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Friday, Dec. 1, 2000

588 HEAD.

STEERS: 200-300 LBS. 80.00-100.00, 300-500 LBS. 87.00-118.00, 500-700 LBS. 85.00-104.00, 700-900 LBS. 75.00-86.00, 900-1000 LBS. 62.00-71.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: 200-400 LBS. 77.00-86.00, 400-500 LBS. 65.00-78.00, 500-700 LBS. 62.00-74.00.

HEIFERS: 200-300 LBS. 70.00-92.00, 300-500 LBS. 76.00-102.00, 500-700 LBS. 73.00-85.00, 700-900 LBS. 67.00-81.00, 900-1000 LBS. 55.00-66.50.

BULLS: 200-300 LBS. 72.00-101.00, 300-500 LBS. 85.00-115.00, 500-700 LBS. 69.00-88.00, 700-900 LBS. 58.00-72.50, 900-1000 LBS. 46.00-59.00.

HOLSTEIN BULLS: 450-650 LBS. 56.00-64.00.

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STAMPEDE	5.31	4.76
Haymate	4.24	4.39
Alpine	4.11	4.66
Pennlate	4.28	4.21

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