CATTLE 208, CALVES 337, HOGS 84, SHEEP 5, GOATS 40. LAST MON. CATTLE 383, CALVES 411, HOGS 38. SHEEP 63, GOATS 137.

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday's auction, Slaughter steers sold 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter cows were 2.00-3.00 lower. Other classes not well tested. **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-3

1350-1495 lbs 77.00-80.00, individual up to 82.25; 1525-1745 lbs 75.00-78.50. Select 1-3 couple 77.50-78.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1350-1435 lbs 70.25-72.75. Choice 2-3 1200-1690 lbs 63.75-69.25. Select 1-2 53.25-59.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1025-1560 lbs 73.50-79.00, individual up to 82.00. Select 1-3 few 75.00-76.25.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80 percent lean 42.50-49.75, mostly 43.75-48.75. Boners 80-85 percent lean

40.25-46.50, few low dressing down to 37.00. Lean 85-90 percent lean 34.75-44.00, mostly 36.00-42.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield grade 1 couple 1680-1885 lbs 60 50-62.25. Yield Grade 2 few 1175-1750 lbs 52.50-56.00. FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large

1 few 475-480 lbs 76.00-81.00. Large 2 couple 260 lbs 82.50-96.00; individual 685 lbs 55.00.

CALVES: Compared to last week's auction, Holstein bull returning to the farm sold 10.00-15.00 lower.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-110 ibs 40.00-60.00. Utility 50-70 lbs 16.00-32.50.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls Number 1 85-120 lbs 125.00-170.00, mostly 135.00-160.00. Number 2 70-120 lbs 70.00-135.00. Holstein heifers Number 2 few 70-95 lbs 145.00-245.00. Beef type bulls and heifer 75-110 lbs 100.00-185.00.

BARROWS AND GILTS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT PRICE 40-45 Few 250-320 lbs 35.50-41.00

SOWS: US 1-3 325-490 lbs 27.50-34.50 500-655 lbs 30.50-36.50 Medium 365-420 lbs 22.250-23.50

BOARS: 320-645 lbs 13.00-14.00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice couple 40-45 lbs 142.50-145 00; individual 75 lbs 122.50; individual 135 lbs 80.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: Utility 1-3 individual 34.00.

GOATS: All sold per head. Billies: Large 100.00-160.00. Small and Medium 38.00-62 00 Nannies: Large 70.00-108.00. Medium individual 49.00. Kids: Large 27.00-43 00. Small 7.00-25.00.

Leesport **Livestock Auction** Leesport, Pa. March 7, 2001 **Report Supplied By PDA**

CATTLE 174.. (PDA)..(Supply included 57 steers and heifers, 103 cows, 6 bulls and 12 feeder cattle)...Compared with last week's sale..steers 1.00 to 2.00

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STEERS: few Choice 2-3 1100-1260 lbs 77.00-79.75, few Select 1-3 67.00-74.00, HOLSTEIN STEERS: few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1570-1615 lbs 71.00-72.50, Choice 2-3 1175-1675 lbs 65.50-70.75, Select 1-2 58.00-63.00, few

Standard 1-2 45.00-56.50. HEIFERS: few Choice 2-4 1090-1295 lbs 76.50-77.75, few Select 1-3 73.00-77.50, one Standard 265.00.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 46.00-51.00 one at 53.75, few low dressing down to 43.50, Boners 80-85% lean 42.00-48.00, mostly 44.00-47.75, Lean 85-90% lean 37.25-45.75 mostly 39.00-44.50. Shells 34.75 and down.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade 1 1260 140 lbs 60.75 5.75, few Yield Grade 2 1305-1555 lbs 54.25-56.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Large 3 1000-1075 lbs Holsteins 65.50-66.50, Medium And Large 1 930-1010 lbs 69.00-76.00; HEIFERS: couple Medium 2 835 lbs 59.50; BULLS: one Medium 1 800 lbs 56.00, Medium 2 185-225 lbs 65.00-70.00.

CALVES 149...VEALERS: Standard and Good 80-105 lbs 30.00-40.00, Utility 40-70 lbs 5.00-10.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein 20.00 to 25.00 higher, Holstein steady to 20.00 higher. No 1 Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs 150.00-185.00 mostly 165.00-180.00, 80-85 lbs 140.00-165.00. No 2 75-125 lbs 75.00-162.50; No 1 Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 290.00-345.00, No 2 75-95 lbs 125.00-230.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 70-120 lbs 125.00-182.50.

HOGS 20...BARROWS AND GILTS: 45-50% lean 255-2875 lbs 43.25-48.00.

- SOWS. few US 1-3 435-475 lbs 22.00-29.00, US 1-3 515-800 lbs 25.50-35.50. BOARS: few 285 lbs 29.75
- FEEDER PIGS 55...Couple US 1-3 50-85 lbs 50.00-72.50, Utility for slaugh-

ter 120-175 lbs 10.00-30.00 per cwt. SHEEP 15...Slaughter lambs 25.00 lower. NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 15 lbs 210.00. 30-50 lbs 150.00-165.00. WOOLED LAMBS: 90-120 lbs 99.00-135.00.

Mercer **Livestock Auction** Mercer, Pa.

March 7, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA CATTLE 263, CALVES 107, HOGS 33, SHEEP 4, GOATS 1. LAST WEEK CATTLE 333, CALVES 134, HOGS 40, SHEEP 2. GOATS 7

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday's auction, slaughter cows sold steady, instances 2.00 lower. Other classes were not well tested.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2 individual 1250 lbs 82.0. Select 1-3 few 65.00- 79.50. Standard 1-2 few 56.50-60.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3 1560-1625 lbs 69.00-71.00. Standard 1-2 few 55.00-62.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4" 1175-1330 lbs 77.00-81.25. Standard 1-2 few 56.50-65.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80 percent lean 43.00-49.50. Boners 80-85 percent lean 42.00-47.25. Lean 85-90 percent lean 36.25-42.75.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium 1-2 400-535 lbs 79.00-90.00; few 775-840 lbs 67.00- 71.00. Large 2 few 400-535 lbs 58.00-60.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium 1-2 310-485 lbs 83.00-88.00. FEEDER BULLS. Medium 1-2 480-675 lbs 75.00-94 00; few 775-1000 lbs 48.00- 63.00.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 80-100 lbs 25.00-50.00. Utility 70-80 lbs 10.00-25.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls Number 1 90-115 lbs 100.00-110 00 few up to 125.00. Number 2 80-115 lbs 60.00-100.0. Holstein heifers Number 1 one head 100 lbs 330.00. Beef type bulls and heifers 65-125 lbs 80.00-135.00.

BARROWS AND GILTS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT PRICE 49-54 240-280 lbs 45 25-46.25 45-50 220-270 lbs 42.50-44.00 40-45 few 220-300 lbs 38.00-41.00

SOWS: US 1-3 Individual 365 lbs 35.00 Medium Individual 245 lbs 30.00 SHEEP: No market test.

GOATS: No market test.



