### **Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection**

Wednesday, September 12, 2001

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Wednesday (est)	126,000	4,000	359,000	16,000
Week ago (est)	130,000	4,000	374,000	14,000
Year ago (act)	130,000	5,000	381,000	12,000
Week to date (est)	376,000	13,000	1,089,000	39,000
Same Period Last Week (est)	263,000	8,000	752,000	28,000
Same Period Last Year (act)	390,000	14,000	1,146,000	38,000

## Middleburg **Livestock Auction**

Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, September 11, 2001 Report Supplied By USDA

CATTLE 388.. (PDA) (Supply in cluded 139 steers and heifers, 146 cows 15 bulls and 90 feeder cattle) Compared with last week's sale, steers 2.00 lower cows steady with spots to 1.00 higher heifers 1.00 lower, bulls steady

STEERS: few High Choice 2-4 1400-1450 lbs 70.75-71.00, Choice 2-3 1150-1480 lbs 67.25-70.50, 1505-1600 lbs 64 00-67 75, Select 1-3 63 75-66 75, Standard 1-2 50.50-62.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1380-1565 lbs 65.75-66.00, Choice 2-3 1155-1685 lbs 58.00-63.75, Select 1-2 55 00-59.25, few Standard 1-2 48.00-53.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1100-1420 lbs 66.00-70 50, few Select 1-3 63.50-67 25, Standard 1-2 50.00-61.75.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 40 75-46 25, Boners 80-85% lean 39.25-44 50, low dressing down to 37.25, Lean 85-90% lean 35.00-41 50 Shells 33 00 and

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1410-1995 lbs 54.00-58 00, Yield Grade 2 1100-2390 lbs 44 00-52.25.

FEEDER CATTLE STEERS Medium and Large 1 335-490 lbs 92 00-103 00, Medium and Large 2 425-525 lbs 78 50-88 00, 650-700 lbs 67.50-71 50, Medium and Large 3 450-505 lbs 66 50-69.00, HEIFERS one Large 1 450 lbs 87 00, few Medium and Large 3 475-650 lbs 69 00-69 50, 735-865 lbs 50 00-57 50, BULLS Medium and Large 2 420-485 lbs 74 00-82 00, few Medium and Large 3 320-540 lbs 64 00-75.00, 570-695 lbs 50 00-57 50

CALVES 240...VEALERS Standard and Good 70-125 lbs 40.00-50.00, Utility 50-70 lbs 12.00-30 00.

FARM CALVES Holstein bulls 5.00 higher, Holstein heifers 50 00 to 60.00

National Feeder Cattle

> St. Joseph, Mo. September 7, 2001

CATTLE SUMMARY -Week ending Sept 7, 2001.

Receipts this week 169,800,

last week 160,200; year ago

139,000. Feeder steers and

heifers sold mostly steady

again this week, according

to USDA Livestock and

Grain Market News Service.

A few more numbers sold on

the plus side than lower as

calf country of the Southeast

was steady to 200 higher.

Their marketings were

sharply under a year ago as

late summer rains put some

life in the nastures in the

Southeast and Southwest. However, some other places

showing seasonally increased receipts even with the holiday this week The slaughter market was a little

weaker this week but still

mostly 70.00 live and 111 00

in the beef Box beef cutouts

made a comeback and

closed on top of 118.00. Def-

initely, best demand for

Choice and this grade sell-

ing at an 8.50 premium to

Select. The good news in the

wholesale beef trade this

week was the huge volume

that moved. Consumer beef

demand remains healthy, despite further losses in the

financial markets. Nearby

futures at a 2.50 premium to

the live trade and February

at 75.75 does not hedge out

at current yearling prices. Supply this week 47 percent

over 600 lbs.

higher..No 1 Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 120.00-157.00, 75-85 lbs 90.00-132.00, No 2 75-120 lbs 70.00-125.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 85-110 lbs 500 00-645.00, No 2 70-100 lbs 190.00-380.00

Beef type bulls and heifers 80-90 lbs 125.00-180.00.

HOGS 74...Barrows and gilts 2.00 to 3.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS. couple 45-50% lean 215 & 220 lbs 48.50 & 49.00, 45-50% lean 230-275 lbs 41.00-

SOWS: one 1-3 475 lbs 34.00.

BOARS: one 595 lbs 20.50, 250-255 lbs

FEEDER PIGS 53.. 1-3 30-50 lbs 34.00-44.00 —- per head.

SHEEP 101...Slaughter lambs 10.00 higher. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: few High Choice and Prime 50-65 lbs 99.00-110 00, Choice 50-65 lbs 80.00-96.00, 70-90 lbs 67.00-79.00, 90-145 lbs 54.00-64.00, Good and Choice 70-75 lbs 63.00-

SLAUGHTER SHEEP 3100-40.00 with one lot 3 head 21.00.

GOATS 21 (All sold by the head) Medium Billies 57 00-74.00, Large Nannies 45.00-69.00, few Large Kids 53 00-

### **Greencastle Livestock**

Greencastle, Pa.

Report Supplied By USDA September 10, 2001

CATTLE 470 (PDA) (Supply included 121 slaughter steers and heifers, 225 cows, 24 bulls and 100 feeder cattle)

STEERS Choice 2-3 1170-1345 lbs 66 25-71 25, 1525-1565 lbs 64 75-65 50, Select 1-3 63 25-65.00, few Standard 1-2 55 75-61 50

HOLSTEIN STEERS Choice 2-3 1285-1680 lbs 59 25-62.50, few Select 1-2 54 25-58 00, Standard 1-2 46 25-52 00.

HEIFERS few High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1255 lbs 46 25-52 00, Choice 2-4 1050-1410 lbs 65.00-70 75, Select 1-3 63.00-65 75, Standard 1-2 50 00-61.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 43 75-47.75 with one high yielding 49.50, Boners 80-85% lean 40 50-45.25, Lean 85-90% lean 36.00-43.25. Shells 35.50 and down.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1410-1915 lbs 58.00-62.25, Yield Grade 2 1000-2160 lbs 54.00-58 00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS. Medium and Large 1 300-440 lbs 90.00-105.00, 530-595 lbs 81.00-85.00, 870-925 lbs 64 00-70.00, Medium and Large 2 300-565 lbs 76.00-87.50, Medium and Large 3 235-400 lbs 71.00-89.00, 575-895 lbs 55.00-69.00; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 230-295 lbs 107.50-112.50, 300-535 lbs 86.00-91.00, 615-715 lbs 80.00-84.00, 900-950 lbs 65.00-65.50, Medium and Large 2 320-450 lbs 74.00-83.50, 500-670 lbs 71.00-78.00, 750-950 lbs 56.50-60.00. Medium and Large 3 220-485 lbs 62.50-87.50, 730-850 lbs 51.00-67.00, BULLS: Medium and Large 1 350-450 lbs 81.50-85.00, one 740 lbs 71.00, Medium and Large 2 400-485 lbs 79.00-82.50, 500-670 lbs 71.00-79.00, few Medium and Large 3 535-610 lbs 57.00-76.00.

CALVES 499...VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-100 lbs 40 00-70.00, Utility 50-95 lbs 10.00-35.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls active, strong demand, Holstein heifers strong demand for light supply...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 120.00-156.00 mostly 125.00-147.50, 80-90 lbs 100.00-125.00, No 2 75-120 lbs 60.00-125.00, No 1 Holstein heifers 80-105 lbs 440.00-650.00, few No 2 75-85 lbs 150.00-210.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 85-110 lbs

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HOGS 37...BARROWS AND GILTS. one 45-50% lean 205 lbs 47.00.

SOWS: 1-3 310-475 lbs 31.50-37.00 few 500-585 lbs 30.00-37.00.

BOARS: 685-760 lbs 15.50-17.50, one lot 225 lbs 29.00.

FEEDER PIGS 14...SLAUGHTER: Utility 70-115 lbs 60.00-72.50. --- per

SHEEP 104...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 50-60 lbs 115.00-130.00, few Choice 30-50 lbs 105.00-112 50, 50-60 lbs 88.00-102 50, 70-90 lbs 69.00-82.00, 100-135 lbs 57.00-67.00, few Good and Choice 65-85 lbs 60.00-72.50.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 46.00-52.50 with Yearlings to 62.50.

GOATS 48. (All sold by the head) Large Billies 95 00-137.50, Wethers 67.50-97.50, couple Medium 70.00, Large Nannies 69.00-85.00, Medium 52.50-77.50, Large Kids 32.50-55.00. per head.

## Morrison's Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa. Report Supplied by Auction Monday, September 10, 2001 CATTLE: 126 HEAD.

STEERS: CHOICE 69.00-72.00, GOOD 63.00-68.00.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 68.00-71.00, GOOD 60.00-65.00.

COWS: UTILITY AND COMMER-CIAL 39.50-52.00, CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 22.00-38.00.

**BULLOCKS: GOOD & CHOICE** 57.00-65.00.

BULLS: 44.00-56.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS 58.00-81.00, BULLS 47.00-77.00; HEIFERS 53.00-79.00.

CALVES: 109. PRIME, NO MKT. TEST, CHOICE 84.00-97.00, GOOD 62.00-82.00. STANDARD 25.00-55.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 80.00-125.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS, 180.00-430.00.

HOGS: 204. US#1-2, 44.00-45.00; US # 1-3, 38.00-43.00.

SOWS: US #1-3 30.00-37.00.

BOARS: 19.50-32.00. FEEDER PIGS: 54. US #1-3 20-50 LBS. 10.00-70.00.

SHEEP: 48 HEAD. CHOICE LAMBS 70.00-103.00, GOOD 60.00-80.00, **SLAUGHTER EWES 28.00-45.00.** GOATS: 16.00-79.00.

#### **Dewart Livestock**

Dewart, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction Monday, September 10, 2001 STEERS: 50.00-72.50. HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE.

GOOD COWS: 38.00-45.00. CANNERS AND CUTTERS: 25.00-38.00.

BULLS: 1 AT 49.75.

VEAL: 90-190 LBS. 100.00-460.00; 70-90 LBS, 60.00-100.00.

HOGS: 41.00-43.25. SOWS: 28.00-31.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 30.00-38.00 PER

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