Belknap Livestock

Belknap, Pa. Report Supplied By USDA December 12, 2001

CATTLE 108..(PDA). STEERS: couple Select 1-3 58.00 &

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Select and Standard 47.75-53.25.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 36.00-39.75, one 42.00, Boners 80-85% lean 34.00-37.00, Lean 85-90% lean 31.50-35.00. Shells 28.75 and down.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade 1 1490 & 2058 lbs 49.75 & 50.25, couple Yield Grade 2 1358 & 1672 lbs 45.50 & 47.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium 1 475-775 lbs 66.00-79.50, few Medium and Large 2 490-600 lbs 52.50-68.50; HEIFERS: Medium 1 435-685 lbs 65.50-74.50.

CALVES 112...VEALERS: few Good 200-290 lbs 76.00-93.00. Standard and Good 75-110 lbs 37.50-60.00, Utility 55-85 lbs 15.00-35.00.

FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 90-115 lbs 102.50-130.00, few 120-145 lbs 83.00-115.00, No 2 90-115 lbs 65.00-100.00, 75-85 lbs 57.50-90.00; few No 1 Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs 525.00-560.00, one No 2 80 lbs 350.00.

Few beef type bulls and heifers 65-100 lbs 130.00-190.00.

HOGS 80...BARROWS AND GILTS: 45-50% lean 220-280 lbs 33.75-36.50, 40-45% lean 230-270 lbs 29.25-33.50.

SOWS: few 330-625 lbs 32.50-39.50. BOARS: 216-300 lbs 13.00-17.00, couple 440 & 600 lbs 11.50 & 16.50.

FEEDER PIGS 27...1-3 65-75 lbs 47.50-55.00. — per head.

SHEEP 30...WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 70-130 lbs 58.00-64.00, 50-90 lbs 76.00-90.00. NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 45-70 lbs 105.00-137.50.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 22.00-36.00. GOATS 37..(All sold by the head). One Large Billy 85.00, few Medium 33.00-61.00, Large Nannies 43.00-70.00, few Medium 43.00-65.00, few Large Kids 22.00-40.00, couple Small 32.50 & 42.50.

North Carolina Livestock Sales

Raleigh, N.C.

December 12, 2001 Report Supplied By USDA

Mount Airy Livestock Auction: Cattle and Calves: 640, last week 793. Slaughter cows were steady to 3.00 lower; bulls were 2.00 lower. Feeder cattle were steady to 7.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 22 percent. Replacement pairs and feeder cows 8 percent. Feeder steers and bulls under 600 lbs 33 percent, over 600 lbs 5 percent; feeder heifers under 600 lbs 28 percent, over 600 lbs 4 percent.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80 percent lean 850-1500 lbs 34.00-38.50; Boners 80-85 percent lean 850-1400 lbs 33.00-38.50, high dressing 39.00-41.50; Lean 85-90 percent lean 850-1300 lbs 29.50-35.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1500 lbs and up 44.50-53.50.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1 and 2: 300-350 lbs few 94.0059.00: 500-600 lbs few 51.50-56.00.

Large 1 and 2: 250-300 lbs few 84.00-91.00; 300-350 lbs few 86.00-96.00; 350-400 lbs 80.00-92.00: 400-450 lbs 79.00-85.00; 450-500 lbs 75.00-87.00; 500-600 lbs 74.00-80.00; 600-700 lbs 70.00-76.00. Small 1 and 2: 300-350 lbs 65.00-80.00; 350-400 lbs few 70.00-76.00; 400-450 lbs 65.00-78.00; 450-500 lbs 66.00-75.00; 500- 600 lbs 60.00-73.50. Medium and Large 3: 400-450 lbs few 58.00-70.00: 450-500 lbs few 65.00-70.00; 500-600 lbs 65.00-72.00; 600-700 lbs few 65.00-68.00.

lbs middle age 33.00-41.50; Medium and Large 1, 1020-1425 lbs middle age 34.50-

STOCK COWS: Small 1, 950-1000 lbs middle age bred 2-7 months 330.00-490.00; Medium 1, 1100-1250 middle age bred 4-8 months 500.00-570.00.

COW/CALF PAIRS: Medium 1, 1100-

450 lbs few 94.00-108.00: 450-500 lbs 80.00-106.00; 500-600 lbs 80.00-86.00. Small 1 and 2: 300-350 lbs few 78.00-85.00; 350-400 lbs few 70.00-80.00; 500-600 lbs 65.00-76.00. Small 3: 300-350 lbs few 45.00-65.00. Holstein 400-450 lbs few 56.00- 61.00; 450-500 lbs 51.00-

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1 and 2: 400-450 lbs 80.00-107.00; 450-500 lbs 80.00-93.50; 500-600 lbs 77.00-86.00. Small 1 and 2: 450-500 lbs 69.00-80.00; 500-600 lbs 65.00-75.00; 600-700 lbs few 60.00-72.00; 700 lbs and up 54.00-62.00. Medium 3 700 lbs and up few 54.50-60.00.

FEEDER COWS: Small 1, 820-1065

1150 lbs middle age cows with 100-425.

Frozen

few 50.00-65.00.

lbs calves few 530.00-690.00

GOATS, per head: Choice-Yearlings

BABY CALVES: Holstein 30.00-

Corn Belt Feedstuff

St. Joseph, Mo. December 11, 2001

Report Supplied By USDA CORN BELT FEEDSTUFF: Wholesale Bids. Truck or Rail dollars per ton. Feedstuff prices remained steady to weak as warm winter weather continued to slow feed usage. Lower soybean trade weighed on soybean meal prices as did a lower corn board on gluten products and hominy feed. Hay by-products showed slight advances due to tight supplies.

SOYBEAN MEAL: 44 percent rail bids 5.00 to 9.00 lower at 140.00-148.00. 48 percent rail 5.00 to 7.00 lower at 150.00-156.00. Truck 44 percent 5.00 to 7.00 lower at 144.00-151.00. 48 percent 5.00 lower at 153.00-160.00 per ton.

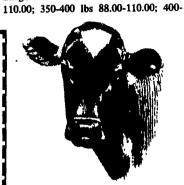
CORN BY-PRODUCTS: Gluten Feed 21 percent, Interior Points, steady at 58.00-72.00; Chicago steady at 64.00-75.00. 60 percent Gluten Meal, Interior Points, steady at 250.00-265.00; Chicago steady at 255.00-265.00 per ton. Rail Hominy Feed, Central Illinois Points, steady to 3.00 lower at 58.00-62.00; truck steady to 3.00 lower at 60.00-61.00. Crude Corn Oil steady to .50 higher at 22.50-23.00 cents per lb.

MIDDLINGS: Northwest 2.00 lower to 3.00 higher at 58.00-65.00; Buffalo 2.00 to 12.00 higher at 64.00-75.00 per

ALFALFA PELLETS: Toledo, Ohio 17 percent dehydrated, steady to 2.00 higher at 147.00-179.00; 15 percent 2.00 lower to 15.50 lower at 132.00-160.00 per

DISTILLER'S DRIED GRAINS: Central Illinois steady to 3.00 lower at 82.00- 93.00; Chicago steady to 1.00 lower at 89.00-95.00; Lawrenceburg, IL steady at 92.00. Kansas and Nebraska 5.00 lower at 75.00-95.00; Minneapolis steady at 80.00-83.00 per ton.

BREWER'S DRIED GRAINS: Newark, NJ steady at 86.00; Williamsburg, VA steady at 76.00 per ton.



LIVESTOCK FUTURES MARKET

Chicago Mercantile Exchange Wednesday, December 12, 2001

					TOTAL PROPERTY			
	Choice Steers		Choice Feeders		Lean Value		Pork Bellies	
	Today 1			12/05/01		2/05/01	Today	12/05/01
D 01	64 550				45.125			
Ja 02			82 875	85.125				
F 02	67 975	69.875			51 350	52.650	73 700	74 075
Mr 02			81 975	83 775			73 400	73.625
	71.025	72.075	81.875	83 725	55.750	56 675		
My 02			81 775	83 250	62.300	62.850	75 500	75.450
Jn 02	67.800	68.925			63.250	63.500		
JI 02			·		61.250	61 300	75 650	75 500
Au 02	67 975	68.875	83 350	84.725	59 850	60 425	75 650	75 700
S 02			83.350	84 650				
O 02	70 300	71.150	83.350	84 500	52 300	52 875		
N 02			84 250	84 850				
D 02	71 000	72 050			50 200	50 000		

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