

North Carolina Livestock Sales

Raleigh, N.C.

February 20, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Mount Airy Livestock Auction: Cattle and Calves Receipts. Cattle and Calves Receipts: 1,209, last week 803. Slaughter cows were 1.00-6.00 lower; bulls were 4.00-6.00 lower. Feeder calves were mostly 2.00-4.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls 13 percent. Replacement pairs and feeder cows 7 percent. Feeder steers and bulls under 600 lbs 26 percent, over 600 lbs 10 percent; feeder heifers under 600 lbs 38 percent, over 600 lbs 6 percent

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80 percent lean 850-1500 lbs 34.50-41.00; Boners 80-85 percent 850-1400 lbs 36.00-42.50, high dressing 43.00-47.00; Lean 85-90 percent 850-1300 lbs few 30.00-38.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1, 1000-1500 lbs 49.00-57.50; 1500 lbs and up 54.00-61.00, with one at 61.50.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1 and 2: 200-250 lbs few 111.00-136.00; 250-300 lbs 112.50-140.00; 300-350 lbs 104.00-135.00; 350-400 lbs 100.00-133.00; 400-450 lbs 100.00-112.00; 450-500 lbs 91.00-109.00; 500-600 lbs few 94.00-102.00; 600-700 lbs

80.00-89.00, 700-800 lbs few 69.50-78.00; 800 lbs and up few 60.00-66.00. Small 1 and 2: 250-300 lbs 90.00-107.00; 300-350 lbs 81.00-102.00; 350-400 lbs 83.00-100.00; 500-600 lbs 83.00-90.00. Medium and Large 3: 350-400 lbs few 80.00-84.00; 400-450 lbs few 75.00-90.00. Small 3 350-400 lbs few 69.00-78.00. Large Holstein 200-250 lbs few 73.00-85.00; 250-300 lbs 73.50-82.50; 300-350 lbs 70.00-86.00; 350-400 lbs 71.00-74.50; 400-450 lbs 73.50-74.00; 500-600 lbs 60.00-68.00; 700-800 lbs few 58.00-58.50, 800 lbs and up 48.50-52.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 and 2: 250-300 lbs 88.00-102.00; 300-350 lbs 89.00-106.00; 350-400 lbs 87.00-103.00; 400-450 lbs 83.00-98.00; 450-500 lbs 83.00-97.00; 500-600 lbs 73.00-92.50; 600-700 lbs 72.00-77.00; 700-800 lbs 58.00-68.00; 800 lbs and up few 57.00-65.50. Small 1 and 2: 300-350 lbs 75.00-88.00; 350-400 lbs 74.00-85.00; 400-450 lbs 70.00-80.00; 450-500 lbs 70.00-82.00, 500-600 lbs 58.00-70.00; 600-700 lbs few 61.00-62.00 Medium and Large 3. 250-300 lbs few 79.00-87.00; 300-350 lbs few 76.00-85.00; 350-400 lbs 76.00-85.00; 400-450 lb 66.00-83.00; 450-500 lbs 68.00-82.00; 600-700 lbs 63.00-70.50. Small 3: 350-400 lbs few 64.00-70.00; 600-700 lbs 45.00-56.00.

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500 lbs 91.00-103.00; 500-600 lbs 84.50-101.00; 600-700 lbs few 74.50-83.00; 700 lbs and up 60.00-71.50. Small 1 and 2: 400-450 lbs 77.00-90.00; 450-500 lbs 74.00-90.00; 500-600 lbs 71.00-85.00; 600-700 lbs 60.00-74.50; 700 lbs and up 45.00-59.50. Medium and Large 3: 400-450 lbs few 78.00-91.00; 450-500 lbs 72.00-89.00; 500-600 lbs 68.00-80.00; 600-700 lbs few 61.00-70.50; 700 lbs few 44.00-55.00. Small 3, 500-600 lbs few 60.00-68.00.

STOCK COWS: Small 1, 925-1050 lbs middle age cows bred 3-7 months 340.00-490.00 per head. Medium and Large 1, 1050-1250 lbs middle age cows bred 1-8 months 510.00-680.00 per head.

COW/CALF PAIRS: Small 1, 850-1050 lbs middle age cows with calves 75-275 lbs 520.00-670.00 per pair Medium and Large 1, 985-1300 lbs middle age cows with calves 100-200 lbs 650.00-855.00 per pair.

BABY CALVES, per head: Holstein Small 45.00-57.50; Large 70.00-105.00.

GOATS, per head: Choice Kids few 27.50-50.00; Nannies few 55.00-85.00; Medium Billies 72.50-80.00.

LIVESTOCK FUTURES MARKET

Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Wednesday, February 20, 2002

	Choice Steers Today 02/13/02	Choice Feeders Today 02/13/02	Live Hogs Lean Value Today 02/13/02	Frozen Pork Bellies Today 02/13/02
F 02	73.475 73.675	-----	-----	78.300 76.025
Mr 02	-----	82.200 82.925	-----	77.525 76.175
Ap 02	75.650 75.925	82.825 83.500	60.075 60.275	-----
My 02	-----	83.300 83.650	66.600 66.600	79.450 77.650
Jn 02	70.800 71.050	-----	66.650 66.550	-----
Jl 02	-----	-----	63.400 63.400	79.800 77.600
Au 02	71.550 70.775	84.850 85.250	60.800 60.900	77.000 76.500
S 02	-----	84.750 85.275	-----	-----
O 02	72.150 72.325	85.300 85.300	51.900 52.400	-----
N 02	-----	85.200 85.750	-----	-----
D 02	72.450 73.000	-----	49.450 49.950	-----
J 02	-----	85.150 85.750	-----	-----
F 03	73.500 74.000	-----	50.875 51.325	68.500
Mr03	-----	-----	-----	68.500

East Coast and North Central Veal Report

Des Moines, Iowa

February 20, 2002

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CARLOT VEAL CARCASS REPORT: Northeast and North Central Basis: Compared to trading last week Northeast special fed veal steady on light to moderate offerings and a moderate demand. North Central steady to \$2.00 higher with offerings mostly light to moderate and demand moderate to good

VEAL CARCASS, SPECIAL FED, HOT BASIS, FOB PRODUCTION POINTS Hide-On, 240-300 lb Northeast 70 head North Central 180 Hide-Off, 215-275 lb North East 221.00, North Central 219-222.00

CONTRACT INFORMATION Hot Basis, Hide-Off, as of Feb 20, 2002 - Contract calves slaughtered this week 208-219.00 many 210-216.00 Packers calling market 210-215.00 Future contracts offered: Firm Bottom 205-210.00, Firm Top 220-225.00 Firm Bottom, Split Top 202-220.00 Firm Bottom, Open top 205-208.00

•North Central - OH, IN, IL, MI & WI
•Northeast - MA, MD, PA, NY, NJ, DE, CT & VT

WEEKLY DISTRIBUTIVE, LESS THAN CARLOT, EAST COAST AREA VEAL CUTS TRADE, SPECIAL FED Market for Tues Feb 19 - Compared to last week Distributive special fed veal cuts steady with hides steady to higher Offerings light to moderate with demand moderate to good.

Prices per hundredweight: Carcass, hide off, 200-250 lb 220-260.00; Foresaddles 85-110 lb 165-190.00; Koster Foresaddles 90-110 lb 185-200.00. Hind-saddles 85-115 lb 300-330.00, Loins, regular 17-25 lb 250-320.00; Loins, 4x4 trmd 12-18 lb 400-485.00, Hotel Racks, 8 rib 15-21 lb 400-450.00, 7 rib 14-20 lb 400-490.00, 6 rib 13-17 lb 475-550.00; Chuck, square cut 36-47 lb 120-160.00; Shoulder, full 14-20 lb 140-195.00, Legs, double 70-90 lb 305-335.00, TBS 3-piece 24-32 lb 550-660.00, BHS heel-out 27-35 lb 425-525.00; Top Round, trmd, cap-off

8-10 lb 900-990.00, Breast 10-12 lb 80-105.00, Necks, bone-in 24-28 lb 110-140.00, Stew Meat, regular 175-250.00, Boneless Trimmings 75-80% lean 70-81.00, Heavv Nature Green Hides, per piece 30-34.00

Four States Livestock Monday Sale

Hagerstown, Md.

Report Supplied By Auction

February 18, 2002

SLAUGHTER COWS 68 HEAD, STEADY TO 100 LOWER BREAKERS 40.00-44.75, 1 AT 46.25, BONERS 39.00-43.00, LEAN 37.00-40.00, THIN 37.00 DOWN

BULLS 3 HEAD YG#1 1794 LBS AT 58.00, YG#2 1344 LBS AT 47.25

FED STEERS NO BEEF BREEDS LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1500-1800 LBS 54.00-57.75, 1 CHOICE 1700 LBS AT 59.75

FED HEIFERS HOLSTEINS 1300-1450 LBS TO 47.25

CAIVES 105 HEAD, GOOD SLAUGHTER 80-120 LBS 57.00-70.00, YOUNG AND WEAK 70-110 LBS 50.00 DOWN, HOLSTEIN BULLS RETURNING TO FARM 5.00 LOWER #1 90-120 LBS 140.00-154.00, 80-90 LBS 110.00-137.00, #2 90-120 LBS 110.00-140.00, 80-90 LBS 80.00-110.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 13 HEAD #1 110 LBS TO 560.00, #2 80-110 LBS 320.00, 60-80 LBS 125.00-240.00, BEEF X BULLS AND HEIFERS 70-90 LBS TO 137.00

BUTCHER HOGS 16 HEAD 2.00-4.00 LOWER #1 AND 2 220-270 LBS 37.75-38.25, #2 AND 3 260-350 LBS 30.00-34.00

SOWS 7 HEAD 500-600 LBS TO 28.00, 1 THIN 300-550 LBS 22.00-25.00

BOARS 1516 LBS AT 12.75

STOCK CATTLE 20 HEAD STEERS, NO LIGHTWEIGHTS 500-600 LBS 75.00-88.00, 600-700 LBS TO 80.00

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS, 5 HEAD 1 LARGE FRESH HEIFERS 1300.00, HOLSTEIN COWS MILKING TO 785.00, JERSEY COWS TO 400.00

GOATS: LARGE BILLY AT 116.00 PIGS 19 HEAD CULLS BY THE HEAD 10-15 LBS. TO 4.50.

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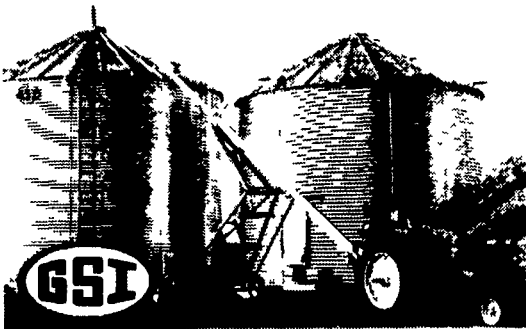
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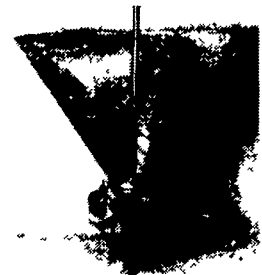


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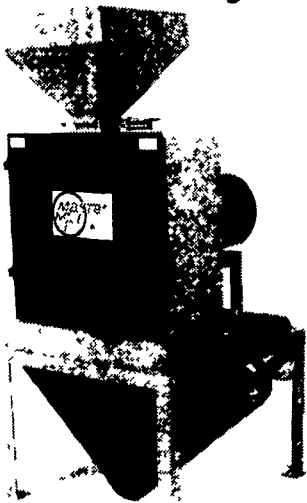
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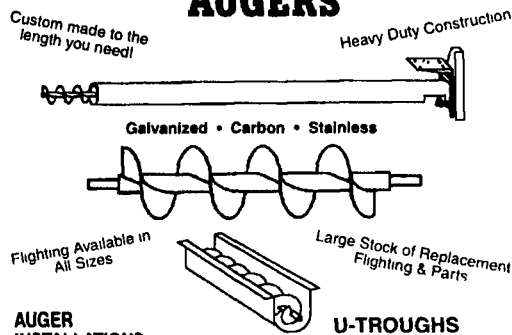
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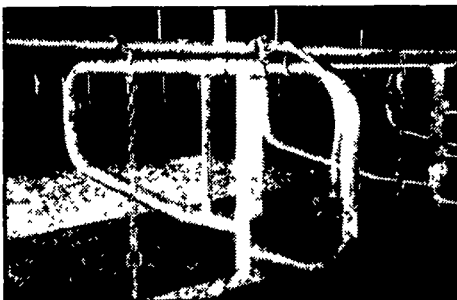
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