

Witman Auctioneers, Inc.**ABSOLUTE
PUBLIC AUCTION****"This property to be sold to the highest bidder"
NO RESERVE NO MINIMUM****FOR: OASIS RESOURCE
MANAGEMENT GROUP INC.****Friday, April 12, 2002****Time: 1:00 P.M.****Location: 645 Coatesville Road, West Grove,
PA 19390, Chester County****Dir: Take Rt. 1 (PA) to 41 (Lanc. Pk). Go north
on 41 to 841 (Coatesville Rd). Continue north
to auction site. (Short distance from Longwood
Gardens, Winterthur Museum, Philadelphia,
and Delaware's Three Little Bakers)***This is an exciting opportunity to purchase an
approximate 12-1/2 acre property for
church/retreat use. This property is zoned agri-
cultural or for church use. It has a rolling terrain,
trees, and a large pond that could offer the poten-
tial of fishing, boating, or youth water activities.
It also has a very large 2-story concrete block
building with a fireplace. This building is in vari-
ous stages of construction but offers the potential
of becoming an activity center, or a large recep-
tion hall.***Must be seen to be appreciated!****Real Estate Broker Participation Offered****Terms: 15% Down Day of Auction,
Balance Within 45 Days**

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**Terms: Cash, Approved Check, Bank Letter of
Guarantee with Check.****AUCTION CONDUCTED BY:
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www.witmanauctioneers.com****FARM EQUIPMENT
AUCTION****TRACTORS * COMBINE
TRUCKS * EQUIPMENT
SAT., MARCH 30, 2002
10:00 A.M. (rain or shine)****Location: Denton, MD., 8951 New Bridge Rd.
(Rt. 328) approx. 5 miles from Denton.****COMBINE:** JD 6600 diesel, Hydro-Stat (4000
hrs.), JD 216 grain head.**TRACTORS:** JD 4020 diesel (side console, 4900
hrs.), John Deere 620, John Deere B.**EQUIPMENT:** JD 8200 grain drill 21 tine, AC
600 no-till planter 9 row, JD 494A planter, JD
flail chopper 14', JD 5x16 mounted plow, JD
5x16 semi-mount plow, Brillion chisel plow 12',
Case 5x16 semi-mount plow, AC disk 13', AC
field cultivator 13' pull type, Brillion 15' crows-
foot cultipacker, NH 56 hay rake, rotary mower
5', spring tooth, NI sickle mower 7' pull type,
funnel body wagon, flat body wagon, rear mount
bale carrier, plow packer, front mount 4 row
cultivator, JD blade 7', rotary hoe pull type, and
other items.**TRUCKS:** 1965 Ford 700 w/14' grain body,
1965 Ford 700 w/16' grain body.**MISC.:** Seed cleaner, platform scales, grain
auger w/electric motor, pipe tiles, Lincoln welder,
Incubator, white cedar poles, Pine & Poplar lum-
ber, used tin, Corn Sheller, grinding wheel insula-
tion, alum. Extension ladders, and small items.**OWNER: JAMES WILLIAMS
410-479-1411****Selling for neighbors:** NI manure spreader, JD
wagon w/hyd. Dump, Arps 8' scrape blade,
Brillion 21' folding crowsfoot cultipacker, Int.
510 6x16 semi-mount plow, Chattanooga 18'
crowsfoot cultipacker, cultipacker carrier, JD 494
planter, FB 24x6 grain drill, spring tooth 12', Int.
10' disk, Int. Sickle mower, AC 12 row bean
planter, 5' Bush hog, hay elevator, flat bed trailer,
(2) 200 gal. Chem Farm tanks & pumps.**TERMS:** Cash or approved check with current
letter from your bank guaranteeing funds, unless
you are known by the auctioneer. All items sold
"AS IS" - "WHERE IS" with no guarantee.**A. CURTIS ANDREW AUCTION, INC.
Auctioneers: Curtis Andrew - Mike Roe, CAI
410-754-8826 or 410-479-0756
www.acurtisandrewauction.com****National Feeder Cattle
Weekly Summary**

St. Joseph, Mo.

March 8, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

NATIONAL FEEDER CATTLE SUMMARY for week
ending Mar. 8. Receipts: 157,800 head, last week 158,200,
year ago 196,300. This week's reported volume included 54
percent weighing over 600 lbs. Compared to last week; feeder
steers and heifers sold steady to 2.00 higher, instances 3.00 to
5.00 higher, according to the USDA Livestock Market News
Service. The feeder market received strong support from the
finished trade. Direct feedlot sales, slaughter steers and heifers.
2.00 to 2.50 higher at 73.00-73.50 live and 4.00 higher in
the beef at 116.00-117.00. Boxed beef cutouts up 3.00 with
light Choice late in the week at 120.31. This helped packer
margins. However, another week of meager cattle slaughter
of only 637,000 head. April futures closed at 75.87 but June
is down to 70.50. Continued drought conditions in many
areas becoming more serious as we get nearer the spring
grazing and planting season. The dry, very mild open winter
made for a very good calving year, many 95 percent or better
savings. Winter maintenance feeding was usually low and
feedlot cattle made efficient daily gains instead of fighting
the usual winter weather elements. Economists predicted the
recession is drawing to a close and the Dow Jones up nearly
500 points for this week. Prospects for strong consumer beef
demand improving.**PUBLIC AUCTION****TRACTORS, FARM MACHINERY,
DAIRY EQUIPMENT,
TOOLS, ANTIQUES****SAT., APRIL 20, 2002
9:00 A.M.****Location:** 435 Churchtown Rd. Honey Brook,
Pa. From Blue Ball take Rt. 322 E. 4 mi. to
Churchtown Rd. turn right follow Churchtown
Rd. 3 mi to sale. (Or from White Horse take Rt.
340 E. 2 mi. to Churchtown Rd. turn left follow
Churchtown Rd. 3 mi. to sale.)**Farm Machinery:** 706 Farmall Tractor, 1020
J.D. Tractor, I.H. BN Tractor, (good rubber,
runs good), I.H. McCormick Farmall Cub
w/Harrow, Cultivator, Plow, Disc, Snowblade,
Sickle-Bar Mower, Weights, Chains, Potato
Digger Plow, N.H. 520 Manure Spreader, N.H.
325 Baler, N.H. 479 Haybine, N.H. 258
Hayrake, I.H. 710 16" 4B Auto Reset Plow, New
Idea Compicker (1 row), 9' Pitts. Disc, J.D. 1240
4 row Cornplanter w/fert. & insecticide attach.
(good), J.D. 10' Cultimulcher, J.D. VanBrunt
Grain Drill, Stoltzfus Bale Elevator (elec.), 4 Flat
Wagons, 2 Bin Wagons, Grain Elevator (elec.),
Oliver 3pt. Cultivator, Sickle-Bar Mower, Grimm
Hay Tedder, Sauder Loader w/Bucket, Blade
Scraper, I.H. Tractor Weights,**Dairy Equipment:** Girton Bulk Tank (500 gal.),
Tank Compressor, 3 DeLaval Milker Units, 4
DeLaval Buckets, Vacuum Lines and Pump, S.S.
Sink Tubs, Water Heater, Jamesway Barn
Cleaner, 2 Feed Carts, Bunk Feeder, Jamesway
Silo Unloader, Gates.**Shop Tools:** Forney Welder, Air Compressor,
Bolt Bin w/Bolts, Shop Bench, Bench Grinder,
Martin Electric Generator 65amp. 15kw. PTO
Driven, Vises, Ropes, Log Chains, Lumber +
Firewood, Gilson Rototiller, H.E. Mower,
Ladders, Row Maker, Hand Tools, Garden Tools,
Pipe Wrenches, plus much more.**Antiques and Collectibles:** Wire Egg Baskets,
Chicken Crates, Chicken Waterers, Chicken
Feeders, 3 Nest Boxes, Cast Iron Dinner Bell,
Yard Gates, Old Wooden Shutters, Old Pump and
Trough (green), Lg. Iron Kettle w/lid, Apple
Butter Stirrer, Old Pitcher Pump, Old Metal Sign
(Kasco Feed), Platform Scale, Troughs, Milk
Cans, Wooden Barrels, Oil Cans, 3 Sleds, Hoosier
Style Cabinet (rough), 3 Prong Hay Fork,
Wooden Hay Rake**Household Items:** 100's canning jars, White Mt.
Ice Cream Freezer, 2 Lg. Canners, Freezer Boxes,
Baskets, Pans, Elec. Typewriter, Bird Cage, Old
Roller Skates, Books, Adding Machine, Bikes,
Bentwood Rocker, Computer Desk, plus much
more not listed.**1984 Dodge Caravan (200k)****TERMS BY:****WILMER E. & ESTHER M. MARTIN**

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Auction Conducted By:

Michael J. Martin

Auctioneer & Assoc.

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Auctioneers Note: Sale to begin w/small items
and tools on wagons followed by dairy equip. &
farm machinery. Food Stand. Terms are Cash or
PA. Check.**Eastern Cornbelt Direct
Sheep Weekly Summary**

Springfield, Ill.

March 8, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

**Eastern Cornbelt Direct Sheep
Weekly Report** (includes lambs sold in
IL., IN., OH., MI.) — Compared to last
week, slaughter lambs over 100 lbs were
steady to weak, under 100 lbs sold firm.
Slaughter ewes were steady. Demand for
lambs was moderate for a moderate run.
Carcass lamb prices were 1.00-3.50
higher for weights 45-75 lbs., with the
price spread fairly narrow for those
weight groups averaging 142.31-145.60.
Prices for heavier carcasses are still dis-
counted, with the 75-85 lb. averaging
135.57, and carcasses over 85 lbs averag-
ing 114.86. Confirmed sales this week
about 72% lambs and 28% slaughter
ewes, with an additional 625 head of
goats. Total sheep and lambs sales: 1150
Last week: 1125 Last year: 1200.**SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice Shorn
2-3, 125-140 lbs 68.00-69.25; Woolled
110-130 lbs mostly 65.00; few 60-70 lbs
81.00-83.00; few lots 90-100 lbs 75.00-
80.00. **SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility to
Good 32.00-37.00, few 40.00; Cull to
Utility 30.00-35.00; Cull 20.00-25.00.**SLAUGHTER GOATS (cwt.):** Kids-
Selection 2. 40-60 lbs 97.00-104.00 Sele-
ction 3. 20-60 lbs 60.00-64.00 Nannies and
Bilbies: 90-120 lbs 55.00-63.00 This
report covers sheep and lambs sold
direct off the farm through local country
stations Note: receipts do not cover total
movement in the area.**North Carolina
Livestock Sales**

Raleigh, N.C.

March 13, 2002

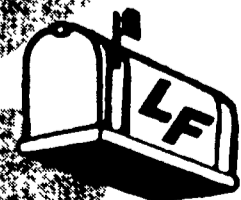
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Mount Airy Livestock Auction: Cattle
and Calves: Receipts: 1,216, last week
740. Slaughter cows were 1.00 higher;
bulls were steady. Feeder calves were
mostly steady with some higher and
some lower. Slaughter cows and bulls 14
percent. Replacement pairs and feeder
cows 4 percent. Feeder steers and bulls
under 600 lbs 35 percent, over 600 lbs 12
percent; feeder heifers under 600 lbs 31
percent, over 600 lbs 4 percent.**SLAUGHTER COWS:** Breakers 75-
80 percent lean 850-1500 lbs 39.00-43.50,
high dressing 44.00-48.50; Boners 80-85
percent 850-1400 lbs 38.00-42.50, high
dressing 43.00-53.50; Lean 85-90 percent
850-1300 lbs 35.00-41.00, high dressing
few 41.50-47.50.**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** Yield Grade 1
1000-1500 lbs 54.00-60.50, with one at
64.50; 1500 lbs and up 61.50-63.50, with
one at 65.00.**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium and
Large 1 and 2 250-300 lbs 107.00-
120.00; 300-350 lbs 100.00-130.00; 350-
400 lbs 100.00-121.00, 400-450 lbs 97.00-
116.00; 450-500 lbs 90.00-104.00; 500-
600 lbs 86.00-96.00; 600-700 lbs 77.00-
85.00. Small 1 and 2: 200-250 lbs few
98.00-104.00; 250-300 lbs few 85.00-
104.00; 300-350 lbs 79.00-95.00; 350-400
lbs 80.00-99.00; 400-450 lbs few 80.00-
91.00; 500-600 lbs fe 82.00-93.00; 600-
700 lbs few 70.00-75.00. Medium and
Large 3: 400-450 lbs few 77.00-86.00;
500-600 lbs few 69.00-78.00. Large Hol-
stein 200-250 lbs 81.00-90.00; 250-300 lbs
71.50-101.00; 300-350 lbs few 75.00-
86.50; 350-400 lbs 76.00-87.00; 400-450
lbs 72.00-87.00; 500-600 lbs 64.00-79.00;
600-700 lbs 66.00-72.00; 700-800 lbs
58.00-66.50; 800 lbs and up 54.50-60.00.**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium and
Large 1 and 2: 200-250 lbs few 100.00-
103.00; 250-300 lbs few 90.00-94.00; 300-
350 lbs 88.00-98.00; 350-400 lbs 89.00-
98.00; 400-450 lbs 87.00-99.00; 450-500
lbs 85.00-98.00; 500-600 lbs 72.00-90.00;
600-700 lbs 66.00-78.00; 700-800 lbs few
61.00-69.00. Small 1 and 2: 200-250 lbs
few 86.00-98.00; 250-300 lbs few 64.00-
74.00; 300-350 lbs 74.00-86.00; 350-400
lbs 74.00-89.00; 400-450 lbs 70.00-84.00,
450-500 lbs 70.00-82.00; 500-600 lbs
65.00-80.00. Medium and Large 3: 300-
350 lbs few 75.00-83.00; 350-400 lbs
73.00-85.00; 400-450 lbs 70.00-84.00;
450-500 lbs 65.00-81.00; 500-600 lbs
60.00-69.50; 600-700 lbs 50.00-65.00.
Small 3: 400-450 lbs few 67.00-68.00;
500-600 lbs few 47.00-60.00; 600-700 lbs
few 37.50-43.00.**FEEDER BULLS:** Medium and Large
1 and 2: 400-450 lbs 92.00-107.00; 450-
500 lbs 93.00-100.00, 500-600 lbs 83.00-
94.50; 600-700 lbs 65.00-81.00; 700 lbs
and up few 61.00-73.00. Small 1 and 2:
400-450 lbs 80.00-90.00, 450-500 lbs
75.00-91.00; 500-600 lbs 75.00-85.00.
Medium and Large 3: 400-450 lbs few
73.00-90.00; 450-500 lbs few 73.00-85.00;
500-600 lbs few 59.0-66.00. Large Hol-
stein 600-700 lbs 74.50.**FEEDER COWS:** Small 1 700-1020
lbs middle age few 42.50-46.50. Medium
and Large 2 675-1080 lbs middle age few
37.00-48.00.**STOCK COWS:** Medium 1 1100-1400
lbs middle age cows bred 4-8 months
540.00-650.00 per head.**COW/CALF PAIRS:** Medium 1 1075-
1250 lbs middle age cows with calves
100-300 lbs 560.00-860.00 per pair.**BABY CALVES,** per head: Holstein
Small 42.50-75.00; Large 77.50-127.50.**GOATS,** per head. Good-Kids 10 00-
22.50, Nannies 27.50-45.00, Medium Bil-
lies 32.50-42.50, Choice-Kid 32.50-40.00,
Yearlings few 30.00-47.50, Nannies
47.50-120.00.

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**What could be better than using
Lancaster Farming's Mailbox
Markets once a month?****Using Mailbox Markets
2 TIMES* a month!!****March and April
you can
2 Markets*****Ads must be different each time.**