♦ HAY MARKETS ♦



New Holland Hog Auction NEW HOLLAND, PA October 14, 2002 **Report Supplied By Auction**

HOG RECEIPTS: 696 head, last Monday 552; last year 1236.

Compared to last Monday, barrows and gilts sold fully 1.00-3.00 higher on a very good run. Bidding started out moderate to good as buyers tested the waters, however, as the quality increased buyers through caution to the wind and dove right in. Bidding was very active right up to the end, especially on the fancy straight hogs. The Western terminal hog markets are moving hogs .50 lower to kick off the week, from 31.00-32.50; with the Eastern pork buyers beginning to pay a little more so they can stock up for the quickly approaching holiday season

PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT PRICE 49-54 220-260 lbs 34.75-37.75, few 38.00-38.25 230-265 lbs 32.50-35.25, string late 35.75 45-50 220-280 lbs 32.00-34.25 40-45 230-290 lbs 30.00-32.75 290-370 lbs 25.25-29.00

SOWS: Sows sold fully steady to firm on a good run. U.S. 1-3 400-500 lbs 22.00-24.00 500-650 lbs 23.00-25.00

BOARS: Boars sold fully steady. 300-400 lbs 17.00-22.00 300-700 lbs 7.00-8.00

GRAIN BANK

Prices may vary by

feed mill location.

Prices Week Of 10/21/02

PENNFIELD

New Holland Feeder Pig Auction NEW HOLLAND, PA October 16, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA FEEDER PIGS WEDNESDAY 246, LAST WEEK 395, LAST YEAR 409.

Compared to last week, a feeder pig trend was not established as 100 percent of the run went to slaughter. Bidding was very sporad-tc, as lighter weight number one pigs sold weak to sharply lower; with heavier number ones holding about steady on the compara-ble weights. However, the number two pigs steady to firm on the comparable weights. The recent pseudo-rabies outbreaks still has the state locked down, which translates into no out of state feeder buyers. Therefore, the slaughter buyers were able to procure them a little cheaper as they begin to stock up for the holiday season. Receipts were hampered by the first Nor'easter of the eason, which brought heavy rains into the area turning most low lying areas into small ponds. Most farmers are not complaining about the recent increase in moisture, as the county was well behind its usual precipitation. All pigs were weighed and graded on arrival and sold by the hundred weights. HEAD WEIGHT PRICE U.S. 1-2 37

22-28 lbs 50.00, package 112.00 23 30-33 lbs 115.00-130.00 18 38 lbs 52.00-80.00 27 41-45 lbs 43.00-45.00 13 46-48 lbs 42.00-45.00 7 56 lbs 42.00 6 71 lbs 35.00 U.S. 2 19 22-25 lbs 40.00-64.00 18 31-35 lbs 44.00-85.00 5 53 lbs 27.00 4 63 lbs 12.00 U.S. 2-3 13 22 lbs 54.00 23 34 lbs 44.00 No Grade 6 21 lbs 65.00 6 30

lbs 90.00 6 37 lbs 42.00 ALL PIGS CON-SIGNED TO WEDNESDAY FEED-DAIRY FEEDS ER PIG SALE MUST ORIGINATE FROM A QUALIFIED NEGA-TIVE OR MONI-TORED HERD.

Diffenbach **Auction Center** New Holland, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction**

Monday, October 14, 2002 TOTAL LOADS: 148. ALFALFA' HIGH 180.00, AVG. 158 00. STUBBLE HAY: HIGH AND AVG. 100.00. MIXED HAY: HIGH 260.00, AVG. 143.00, 85.00 LOAD. TIMOTHY SEED: 14 BU. AT 20.00, HIGH AND AVG. TIMOTHY: HIGH 175.00, AVG. 152.00. RYE: 3.35 HIGH, AVG. 2.11. BROMEGRASS: 135.00.

ORCHARDGRASS: HIGH 160.00, AVG. 110.00. STRAW: HIGH 125.00, AVG. 104.00.

EAR CORN: HIGH 130.00, AVG. 125.00. OATS: HIGH 3.10, AVG. 3.03.

Green Dragon Hay

Ephrata, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Friday, October 11, 2002 Hay-Straw-Grain 20 LOTS TOTAL. MIXED HAY: 4 LOTS, 70.00-160.00. ALFALFA: 165.00. TIMOTHY: 3 LOTS, 127.00-220.00. STRAW: 5 LOTS, 80.00-115.00. EAR CORN: 135.00. **ORCHARDGRASS: 4 LOTS,** 55.00-160.00.

Dewart Hay

Dewart, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Monday, October 14, 2002 HAY: 14 LOADS, 47.50-175.00. STRAW: 2 LOADS, 75.00. WOOD: 2 LOADS, 40.00 AND

CORN. 3 LOADS, 90.00-95 00 OATS: 3 LOADS, 1 95-2.10 BU

Kirkwood, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Tuesday, October 15 2002 **59 LOTS** MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 140.00-145 00, 2ND 145.00-157.00. TIMOTHY: 142 00-195 00. ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 127.00-180.00, 2ND 135.00-172.00, 3RD 150.00-220.00. GRASS: 112.00-205.00 WHEAT STRAW: 65.00-125.00 BARLEY STRAW: 95.00-117.00. **RYE STRAW: 80.00. RYE SEED: 4.00 BU.** FIREWOOD: 50.00-85.00 PICK-UP LOAD. SALE DAY TUES. 10 A.M.

Kirkwood Hay

Westminster Hay Westminster, Maryland **Report Supplied By Auction** Tuesday, October 15, 2002 Hay-Straw-Grain ALFALFA: 2.00-4.00 BALE. TIMOTHY: 1.60-3.60 BALE. MIXED HAY: 1.80-3.20 BALE. GRASS: 1.50-3.00 BALE, 15.00-22.00 LARGE ROUND. STRAW: .25-2.60 BALE. MULCH: .70 BALE.

Shippensburg Hay Auction Shippensburg, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Oct. 12 and 15, 2002 Hay-Straw-Grain 57 LOADS. ALFALFA: 77.50-190.00. MIXED HAY: 84.00-160.00. TIMOTHY. 65.00-136.00. BROMEGRASS: 105.00-130 00. ORCHARDGRASS: 48.00-120 00 STRAW: 65.00-90.00 EAR CORN, 105.00-117 00

OATS. 1 95-2.00 BU

Regional Hay 14, 2002

Report Supplied By PDA HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR FASTERN PA — (All Hay Good grade & better prices paid by dealers at the farm & per ton) — Hay and Straw steady. AL-FALFA 100.00-130.00 few to 150.00; MIXED HAY 100.00-120.00; TIMOTHY 90.00-110.00 few to 130.00; STRAW 70.00-90.00; MULCH 25.00-45.00.

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS -- For week ending 10/11/02. Prices per ton: 132 loads Hay, 45 Straw & 4 Ear Corn. ALFALFA 107-170.00; MIXED HAY 92.00-205.00; TIMOTHY 110.00-185.00; STRAW: 77.00-137.00; EAR CORN 120.00-132.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA. HAY AUCTIONS - For week ending 10/11/02. Prices per ton: 124 loads Hay, 16 Straw & 17 Ear Corn. ALFALFA 100.00-165.00; MIXED HAY 80.00-170.00; TIMOTHY 80.00-126.00; STRAW 50.00-85.00; EAR CORN 95.00-150.00.

Wolgemuth Hay

Leola, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Wednesday, October 16, 2002

Hay-Straw-Grain 5 LOTS.

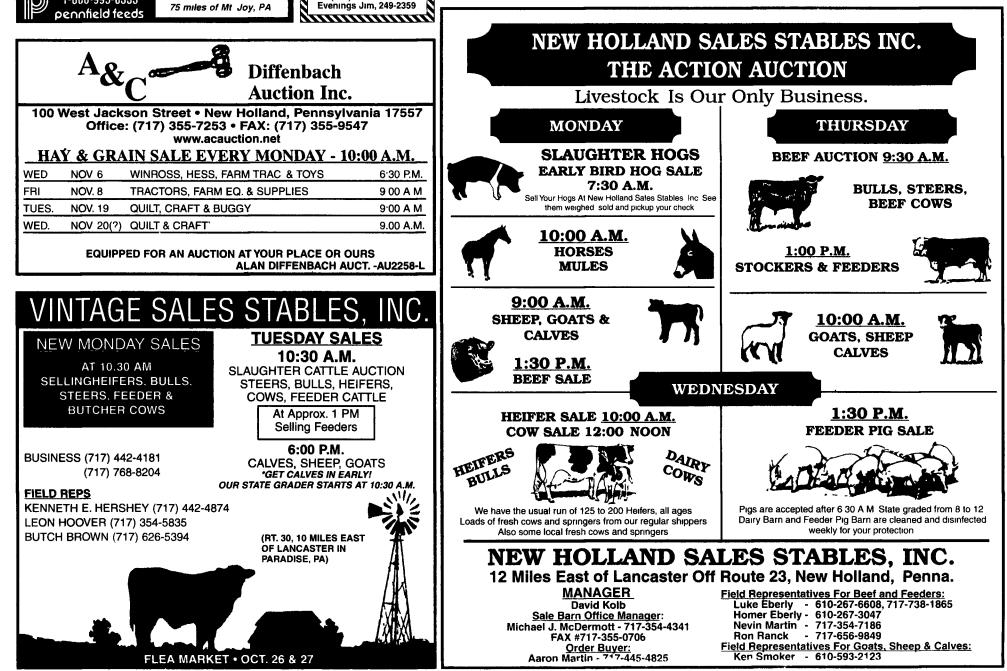
MIXED HAY: HIGH 152.00, AVG. 106.00.

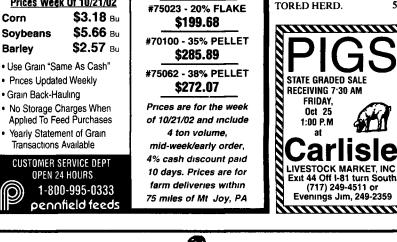
TIMOTHY: HIGH and avg. 136.00. GRASS: HIGH AND AVG. 122.00. STRAW: HIGH and avg. 77 00

Belleville Hay Belleville, Pa. **Report Supplied By Auction** Wednesday, October 16, 2002 Hav-Straw-Grain ALFALFA HAY: 130.00. MIXED HAY: 70.00-152 50

Vintage Hay Vintage, Pa. **Report Supplied by Auction** Thursday, October 17, 2002 Hay---Straw-Grain TIMOTHY. 130.00-147.00.

GRASS: 165.00 MIXFD HAY· 72 00-120.00 STRAW: 104 00-150 00





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