Four States Livestock Wednesday Sale

Hagerstown, Md.
Report Supplied By Auction
Wed., Nov. 13, 2002

SLAUGHTER COWS: 113 HEAD, 2.00-3.00 HIGHER. BREAKERS 36.00-40.00, 2 AT 41.50 AND 42.75, BONERS 34.00-37.75, LEAN 29.00-33.00, THIN 29.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 8 HEAD. YG+N1 44.00-48.00, YG+N2 39.00-44.00.

FED STEERS: HIGH CHOICE TO PRIME 1300-1500 LBS. 66.75-68.50, CHOICE 2-3 1100-1400 LBS. 63.75-65.25, LOW CHOICE 60 00-62.25.

FED HEIFERS: HIGH CHOICE 1200-1450 LBS. 66.00-67.75, YG+N4 DOWN TO 62.25.

CALVES: 167 HEAD. GOOD 80-110 LBS. 30.00-39.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS RETURNING TO FARM, STEADY PRICES. +N1 94-120 LBS. 85.00-104.00, +N2 55.00-85.00, 82-92 LBS. 45.00-60.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS +N1 90-110 LBS. TO 450.00, +N2 200.00-360.00; BEEF X BULLS AND HEIFERS +N2 95-135 LBS. 70.00-90.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: +N1 AND 2 225-260 LBS. 28.00-32.50.

SOWS: 37 HEAD. 300-700 LBS. 15.00-20.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 287 HEAD, INCLUDES 69 STOCK COWS. STEERS MED. AND LARGE FRAME 400-500 LBS. 71.00-81.00, 500-600 LBS. 67.00-75.50, 600-700 LBS. 64.00-68.50, 700-900 LBS. 60.00-66.00.

HEIFERS: MED. AND LARGE FRAME 300-500 LBS. 65.00-72.50, 500-600 LBS. 60.00-70.50, 600-800 LBS. 60.00-66.50.

BULLS: MED. AND LARGE FRAME 200-300 LBS. 78.00-81.00, 350-500 LBS. 65.00-72.00, 2 AT 79.50.

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS: 10 HEAD. LARGE SPRINGERS 1050.00-1275.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 45 HEAD, MAINLY CULLS BY THE HEAD, 11 HEAD 45 LBS. AT 10.00; BY THE LB. CULLS 80-120 LBS. 20.00-32.00.

NEXT WED., NOV. 20: SPECIAL DAIRY CATTLE CONSIGNMENT SALE AT 7:30 P.M.

Friend's Stockyard

Accident, Md.
Report Supplied by Auction
Monday, November 11, 2002

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS: 200-500 lbs. 55.00-90.00.

STOCK HEIFERS: 200-500 lbs. 51.00-72.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Good to Choice 63.00-68.00, medium to good 56.00-62.50, heavy Choice over 1450 lbs. 50.00-57.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: heavy Choice 40.00-54.50, light 39.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good to Choice 64.00-67.85, Medium to Good 60.00-63.50.

BULLS: heavy 38.00-44.50, light 40.00-49.00.

COWS: Utility (Holsteins) 34.50-40.00, Commercial to Good 31.00-35.00, cull cows 30.50 and down.

VEALS: Good to Choice 50.00-75.00, Med. to Good 50.00-67.00.

BOB CALVES: 40.00 and down.

HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES, RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. up to 108.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES, RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. up to 425.00, BEEF X CALVES return to farm up to 135.00.

HOGS: top quality, up to 38.00.

SOWS: up to 22.00.

LAMBS, Choice up to 82.00.

GOATS: Choice up to 85.00.

Livestock prices are all given per hundred weights.

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland
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Saturday, November 9, 2002

STOCK STEERS AND BULLS: 200-500 lbs. 45.00-89.00.

STOCK HEIFERS: 35.00-79.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Good to Choice, none available, Medium to Good 42.00-60.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Good 38.00-44.50, Light 35.00-42.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good to Choice, none available, Medium to Good 50.00-61.50.

BULLS: Heavy 33.00-43.00, Light 40.00-47.00.

COWS: Utility Holsteins 32.00-39.00, Canners 28.00-36.00, Culls 28.00 and down.

BOB CALVES: 50.00 and down.

HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. Up to 100.00.

HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM: Up to 200.00.

BEEF CROSS CALVES RETURN TO FARM: Up to 125.00.

HOGS: Top Quality up to 40.00, Heavy up to 39.00, Light 25.00-42.00; FEEDER PIGS, BY HEAD: Up to 23.00.

SOWS: 20.00-28.00.

MALE HOGS: 3.00-15.00.

LAMBS: 70-85 lbs. up to 100.00, 85-125 lbs. up to 92.00, 30-60 lbs. up to 114.00, Culls up to 60.00.

SHEEP: Up to 32.00.

GOATS: Large 55.00-115.00, Medium 25.00-70.00, Small 10.00-30.00, all by the head.

Feeder sale every second Sat. per month.

Pa. Weekly

14 Livestock Auctions
Friday, November 8, 2002
Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE 5914...Compared with 5654 head last week and 4947 head a year ago. Slaughter steers steady to firm with later sales 1.00 higher, Holstein steers 1.00 to spots 2.00 higher, heifers steady to 1.00 higher, cows mostly 1.00-2.00 lower, bulls 1.00-2.00 lower.

STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 66.00-69.50, late sales 71.25, Choice 1-3 62.00-68.50, Select and Low Choice 2-3 62.25-65.10, Select 1-3 57.50-64.00, Standard 1-2 48.00-57.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 56.00-59.25, Choice 2-3 52.50-55.50, late sales to 58.00, Select 1-2 47.75-52.00, Standard 1-2 42.00-47.50.

HEIFERS: Choice few Prime 2-4 61.00-65.00, few to 68.00, Select 1-3 54.50-62.75, Standard 1-2 48.00-56.00.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 33.50-38.00, few to 40.00, Boners 80-85% lean 31.00-36.25, Lean 85-90% 26.00-31.50. Shells 25.50 and down.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1000-2500 lbs 43.00-51.00, Yield Grade 2 900-2400 lbs 36.00-43.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 70.00-89.00, 500-700 lbs 65.00-72.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 56.00-66.00, 500-700 lbs 52.00-64.00; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 62.00-75.00, 500-700 lbs 60.00-73.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 51.00-67.00, 500-700 lbs 46.00- 59.00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 70.00-88.00, 500-700 lbs 64.00- 74.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 58.00-69.00.

CALVES 3593...Compared with 3781 head last week and 3084 head a year ago. Vealers steady. VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-115 lbs 25 00-40.00, Utility 50-100 lbs 10.00-27.50.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bull calves weak to 5.00 lower, Holstein heifers sharply lower...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 72.00-102.50, No 2 80-120 lbs 40.00-77.50; No 1 Holstein heifers 80-120 lbs 240.00-475.00, No 2 75-120 lbs 90.00-265.00.

Beef type bulls and heifers 75-140 lbs 60.00-140.00

HOGS 961...Compared with 922 head last week and 1656 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts 3.00 to 5.00 higher, sows steady to firm. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-270 lbs 29.00-31.00, few to 36.00, 45-50% lean 220-275 lbs 26.50-28.25, 40-45% lean 240-300 lbs 25.00-28.50.

SOWS: 1-3 300-500 lbs 17.00-22.00, 500-700 lbs 20.00-24.00, Medium 250-550 lbs 17.00-22.00.

BOARS: 3.00-7.00.

FEEDER PIGS 370...Compared with 318 head last week and 268 head a year ago. US 1-3 30-50 lbs 9.00-13.00, 50-80 lbs 12.00-20.00. — per head.

SHEEP 1760...Compared with 1499 head last week and 1217 head a year ago. Slaughter lambs firm to 10.00 higher. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 50-70 lbs 110.00-125.00, 75-120 lbs 84.00-105.00, Good and Choice 40-85 lbs 55.00-86.00. NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 35-50 lbs 100.00-140.00, SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 15.50-45.00.

ONE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE 560...Compared with 879 head last week and 378 head a year ago. Feeder pigs not fully tested, but a lower undertone. Slaughter pigs sharply lower...1-2 35-40 lbs 40.00-52.00, 90 lbs 45.00; US 2 25-45 lbs 25.00-48.00; Slaughter: 30-40 lbs 50.00-80.00, 40-50 lbs 30.00-55.00, 50-75 lbs 25.00-42.00, few to 65.00 per cwt.

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