

**Middleburg Livestock Auction**

Middleburg, Pa.  
Tuesday, September 9, 2003  
Report Supplied By PDA

**CATTLE** 300...(PDA)...(Supply included 107 steers and heifers, 102 cows, 12 bulls and 79 feeder cattle). Compared with last week's sale..sl. steers 5.00 to 6.00 higher, Holsteins were 1.50 higher, sl. cows 1.50 to 3.00 higher, heifers 6.00 higher, bulls 1.00 to 2.00 higher.

**STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 2-3 1135-1290 lbs 92.25-94.25, one 97.50, average 93.75, Choice 1-3 1090-1365 lbs 84.50-92.75, average 88.40, Select 1-2 73.50-84.25, few Standard 1-2 60.00-65.50.

**HOLSTEIN STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 2-3 1175-1495 lbs 77.25-81.00, average 79.15, Choice 2-3 1080-1415 lbs 68.00-75.25, average 71.50, Select 1-2 58.50-68.25, few Standard 1-2 49.00-55.00.

**HEIFERS:** Choice 1-3 980-1285 lbs 84.00-92.75, average 89.30, few Prime 95.00-97.25, Select 1-2 75.00-84.50, few Standard 1-2 56.50-65.00.

**COWS:** Breakers 75-80% lean 45.00-50.25, high yielding 55.00-59.00, average 50.20, Boners 80-85% lean 41.00-48.00, one 50.25, average 44.15, Lean 85-90% lean 35.25-44.50 mostly 37.00-42.50, average 39.05. Shells 34.00 and down.

**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1 1120-1845 lbs 55.00-62.50, average 57.40, Yield Grade 2 1100-2425 lbs 48.00-54.75, average 51.10.

**FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS:** Medium and Large 1 310-390 lbs 70.00-86.00, couple 535 lbs 80.00, one 795 lbs 71.00, Medium and Large 2 325-435 lbs 68.00-77.00, one 655 lbs 61.50, Medium and Large 3 295-395 lbs 50.50-71.00, 510-660 lbs 49.00-63.50, 850-980 lbs 44.00-52.50; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 345-495 lbs 78.50-81.00, 600-680 lbs 63.00-73.00, Medium and Large 2 395-405 lbs 73.00-77.00, Medium and Large 3 555-775 lbs 49.00-56.00; BULLS: few Medium and Large 1 430-580 lbs 72.00-80.00, few 655-780 lbs 60.50-62.00, few Medium and Large 2 440-475 lbs 66.00-68.00, Medium and Large 3 340-545 lbs 46.50-66.00.

**CALVES** 157...VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-100 lbs 40.00-65.00, Utility 65-85 lbs 15.00-35.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls steady to 5.00 higher, Holstein heifers were steady...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 120.00-177.00 mostly 130.00-165.00, average 146.15, 80-90 lbs 100.00-135.00, No 2 80-125 lbs 60.00-125.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 90-100 lbs 325.00-595.00, No 2 70-95 lbs 100.00-300.00.

Few beef cross bulls and heifers 80-85 lbs 80.00-130.00.

**HOGS** 15...BARROWS AND GILTS: few 45-50% lean 270-285 lbs 33.50-36.50, few 40-45% lean 285-330 lbs 23.00-30.50.

**SOWS:** few 1-3 275-440 lbs 22.50-28.50, few 615-720 lbs 15.00-25.50.

**BOARS:** one 445 lbs 6.50.

**FEEDER PIGS** 8...Few 1-3 lbs 40-55 lbs 28.00-36.00. — per head.

**SHEEP** 56...Slaughter lambs 7.00 to 10.00 higher.

**SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** one Choice 35 lbs 82.00, 45-75 lbs 90.00-107.00, 80-115 lbs 90.00-101.00.

**SLAUGHTER SHEEP:** 10.00-35.00, Yearlings 60.00-65.00.

**GOATS** 15...(All goats sold by the head with weights estimated). Kids: Selection 2 20-40 lbs 15.00-22.00, 40-60 lbs 59.00-64.00. Billies: 50-70 lbs 37.00-44.00. Wethers: 50-70 lbs 50.00-75.00.

**Livestock Cooperative Auction Market Of North Jersey**

Hackettstown, N.J.  
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Tuesday, September 9, 2003

**CALVES** .10-.3.70.  
**COWS** .29½-.57.  
**EASY COWS** .06½-.43¼.  
**FEEDERS** 300-600 LBS. .16-1.27½.  
**HEIFERS** .50-.65.  
**BULLS** .45-.71.  
**STEERS** .34½-.88.

**H O G S** .02-.46.

**ROASTING PIGS** EACH 41.00.

**B O A R S**, NONE.

**S O W S** .25-.27.

**S H E E P** .41-.66.

**LAMBS** EA. 11.00-59.00.

**L A M B S** PER LB. .58-1.53.

**GOATS** EA. 40.00-107.50.

**KIDS** EA. 10.00-85.00.

**T O T A L**: 534.

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**Grantsville Livestock**

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**STOCK STEERS AND BULLS:** 200-500 lbs. 57.00-110.00.

**STOCK HEIFERS:** 50.00-100.00.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Good to Choice, none available, Medium to Good 52.00-75.50.

**HOLSTEIN STEERS:** Good 50.00-61.00, Light 46.00-52.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Good to Choice, none available, Medium to Good 50.00-72.50.

**BULLS:** Heavy 45.00-51.00, Light 40.00-47.00.

**COWS:** Utility Holsteins 40.00-44.00, Canners 38.50-39.50, Culls 37.00 and down.

**BOB CALVES:** 40.00 and down.

**HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES** RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 lbs. Up to 130.00.

**HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES** RETURN TO FARM: Up to 165.00.

**BEEF CROSS CALVES** RETURN TO FARM: Up to 150.00.

**HOGS:** Top Quality up to 40.00, Heavy up to 39.00, Light 25.00-36.00; FEEDER PIGS, BY HEAD: Up to 40.00.

**SOWS:** 15.00-28.00.

**MALE HOGS:** 4.75-21.00.

**LAMBS:** 70-85 lbs. up to 138.00, 85-125 lbs. up to 110.00, 30-60 lbs. up to 110.00, Culls up to 60.00.

**SHEEP:** Up to 41.00, FAT UP TO 25.00.

**GOATS:** Large 55.00-140.00, Medium 25.00-65.00, Small

10.00-51.00, all by the head, kid 3.00-70.00.

Feeder sale every second Sat. per month.

**Mineral Wells Livestock Exchange**

Mineral Wells, WV  
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September 6, 2003

950 HEAD.

**STOCK STEERS** GRADE M-L 300-UNDER .95-1.21, 300-500 .85-1.23, 500-700 .80-1.03, 800-OVER .79-.81.

**STOCK HEIFERS** GRADE M-L 300-UNDER .72-1.00, 300-500 .75-1.01, 500-700 .72-.87, 800-OVER .64-.76.

**STOCK BULLS** GRADE M-L 300-UNDER, NONE, 300-500 .78-.90, 500-700 .74-.89.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS:** .47-.59, COWS AND CALVES BY THE HEAD 495.00-890.00; BRED COWS BY THE HEAD 415.00-645.00, BY THE LB., NONE.

**SLAUGHTER COWS:** HIGH DRESS .43½-.58, UTILITY .39-.54, CANNER 20-.37.

**SHEEP:** FEEDERS .72-.83.

**BABY CALVES:** .89-1.14.

**HOGS:** 200-250 41, 300-500 .22½-.32, MALE HOGS .19; PIGS BY THE HEAD 20-.27½.

**GOATS:** .28-.68 HEAD.

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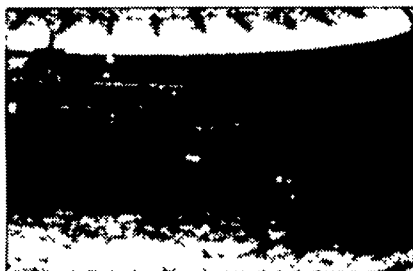
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