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Calves Going Into Special-fed Veal Barns: Graded Number One Holstein bull calves 120-125 lbs 95.00; 90-120 lbs 112.00-145.00; 80-90 lbs 95.00-110.00. Graded Number Two Holstein bull calves 120-125 lbs 80.00; 95-120 lbs 105.00-137.00; 85-95 lbs 95.00-100.00; 80-90 lbs 80.00. Graded Number Three Holstein bull calves (few packages went to slaughter) 75-130 lbs 69.00-73.00. Graded Utility Holstein bull calves (100 percent went to slaughter) 80-110 lbs 70.00-75.00; 60-80 lbs 60.00. Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs 410.00-500.00; couple 85 lbs 385.00-460.00. Plainer-type heifers 90-110 lbs 310.00-375.00; one 80 lbs 375.00; 70-80 lbs 110.00-160.00.

Lancaster County Weekly Cattle

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied by USDA
Friday, Sept. 12, 2003

	CATTLE	CALVES
THIS WEEK	2867	1915
LAST WEEK	2115	1719
LAST YEAR	1943	1654

This week in Lancaster County, slaughter steers sold 1.00-2.00 higher early in the week. At the Thursday sale, there were over 750 head of finished steers on offer. High Choice and Prime slaughter steers sold 3.00-5.00 higher, with Choice steers from 4.00-6.00 higher. Prices continue to climb in the County, as well as across the country. The western direct feedyards moved the bulk of their live cattle several dollars higher from mostly 88.00-91.00 early this week, with dressed sales from 140.00-145.00. This week in Lancaster County there was a few head of steers that sold for 100.00, but what is even more impressive is when the 1400-1490 pounders bring from 96.00-98.00; or up to 1460.00 per head. The spot September feeder cattle contract at the CME closed at 100.37 on Thursday, with feeder contracts through August of 2004 in the 90's and high 80's. The September live cattle contract closed at 90.65 on Thursday, with both nearby and future contracts both predicting a continued bullish run. The Choice cutout value is ranging from around 157.00-158.00, with the Select cutout at mostly 139.00 as it holds a 18.00-19.00 discount to the Choice cuts. Local slaughter Holstein steers sold as much as 5.00 higher, with a good test of slaughter heifers late in the week trading 3.00-5.00 higher. Lean slaughter cows sold mostly steady to 3.00 higher, with late week

sales trending with a weaker undertone at times. Fleshier cows sold steady to 1.00 lower early in the week, trading with a firmer undertone on Thursday. Slaughter bulls sold mostly steady. The reported supply this week in Lancaster County included 1075 head of slaughter steers, 207 head of slaughter heifers, 1173 head of slaughter cows, 151 head of slaughter bulls, and 261 head of feeder cattle.

Slaughter Steers: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1135-1490 lbs 92.75-96.00, bulk from 90.00-94.00 early in the week, majority of the packages from 93.00-95.75 on Thursday, fancier singles 96.50-100.00. Choice 2-3 1090-1475 lbs 90.00-93.25, as high as 94.50 at times, from 86.00-90.50 early in the week, couple heavyweights 1505-1515 lbs 90.00-90.75, Charolais-crosses 1240-1460 lbs 92.00-98.00. High yielding Choice 1-2 1160-1310 lbs 94.50-99.00. Choice 4 1010-1400 lbs 82.25-90.00. High Select and low Choice 2-3 1110-1465 lbs 86.50-90.75, bulk 88.00-90.00, from 83.00-87.25 early in the week, Charolais-crosses 1160-1370 lbs 87.75-92.00. Select 1-2 1040-1400 84.50-88.75, from 79.25-82.75 early in the week.

Slaughter Heifers: High Choice and Prime 2-3, mostly 4 1035-1270 lbs 86.25-91.00, individual 93.50. Choice 2-3 980-1310 lbs 89.50-92.50, few Yield Grade 4 82.75-86.25. High Select and low Choice 2-3 940-1350 lbs 86.50-89.75, few from 78.25-82.75 early in the week. Select 1-2 1080-1220 lbs 82.75-85.50, from 77.25-80.00 early in the week.

Slaughter Cows: Percent Lean, Weight, Bulk, Low Dressing, Premium White, 65-70, Over 1600 lbs, 52.00-59.00, High dressing 59.00-62.00. Breakers, 75-80, Over 1400 lbs, 48.50-53.25, 43.00-49.00, High dressing up to 55.00. Boners, 80-85, Over 1200 lbs, 43.50-48.75, 38.00-43.00, High dressing 48.75-51.00. Lean (Hi-Yield), 85-88, Over 1200 lbs, 40.25-45.25, 38.25-41.00. Lean, 88-90, Over 1000 lbs, 35.00-41.75, 30.50-36.50. Lean (Light-Wt), 85-90, 750-1000 lbs, 32.00-37.50, 27.50-32.75.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1 1020-2085 lbs 53.00-60.00, nice supply of high dressing bulls from 61.00-72.00. Yield Grade 2 1160-2005 lbs 50.50-57.50.

Calf Summary: For the week, slaughter calves sold mostly steady. Holstein bull calves suitable for special-fed veal barns sold steady to as much as 30.00 higher early in the week, with the Thursday run trending steady to 12.00 lower. Holstein heifer calves sold near steady all week. Local producers continue to receive as much as 340.00 for their finished calves, on a dressed basis. This week the PA department of Agriculture graded 1396 head of calves at the two graded sales, compared to 1316 head the prior week.

Slaughter Calves: Standard and Utility 60-135 lbs 35.00-71.00, up to 75.00 late in the week, weaker 10.00-35.00.

Calves Going Into Special-fed Veal Barns: Monday- Holstein Bulls 95-125 lbs 145.00-169.00; 75-95 lbs 130.00-145.00. Plainer-type Holstein Bulls 95-125 lbs 100.00-142.00; 75-95 lbs 90.00-125.00. Weaker Holstein Bulls 95-125 lbs 62.00-97.00; 75-95 lbs 40.00-85.00.

Tuesday- Graded Number One Holstein Bulls 121 lbs 127.00; 100-115 lbs 160.00-162.00; 85-95 lbs 140.00-145.00; package 74 lbs 55.00. Graded Number Two Holstein Bulls 100-115 lbs 130.00-140.00; 90-95 lbs 125.00-130.00; package 90 lbs 100.00; several packages at 83 lbs 85.00-90.00; package 74 lbs 50.00. Graded Number Three Holstein Bulls 95-110 lbs 72.00-77.00; 80-95 lbs 60.00-70.00. Graded Utility Holstein Bull Calves (not going to slaughter) package 104 lbs 73.00; package 72 lbs 43.00; package 58 lbs 28.00. Graded Number One Heifers package 113 lbs 385.00; 95-105 lbs 480.00-490.00; package 83 lbs 400.00. Graded Number Two Holstein Heifers 95-105 lbs 420.00-430.00; 80-85 lbs 270.00-300.00; package 72 lbs 160.00; package 61 lbs 75.00.

Thursday- Graded Number One Holstein bull calves 120-125 lbs 95.00; 90-120 lbs 112.00-145.00; 80-90 lbs 95.00-110.00. Graded Number Two Holstein bull calves 120-125 lbs 80.00; 95-120 lbs 105.00-137.00; 85-95 lbs 95.00-100.00; 80-90 lbs 80.00. Graded Number Three Holstein bull calves (few packages went to slaughter) 75-130 lbs 69.00-73.00. Graded Utility Holstein bull calves (100 percent went to slaughter) 80-110 lbs 70.00-75.00; 60-80 lbs 60.00. Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs 410.00-500.00; couple 85 lbs 385.00-460.00. Plainer-type heifers 90-110 lbs 310.00-375.00; one 80 lbs 375.00; 70-80 lbs 110.00-160.00.

Pennsylvania Livestock Auction

Waynesburg, Pa.

Thursday, Sept. 11, 2003

Report Supplied by Auction
CATTLE: STOCK COWS: 37.00-55.00. SLAUGHTER COWS: Utility & Commercial 42.00-54.25; Boner & Boning Utility 36.00-48.50; Cutter & Boning Utility 35.00-43.00; Canner & Low Cutter 35.00-40.50; Shells 30.00 & down.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-2000# 45.00-58.75; YIELD GRADE 2 1000#-1400# 38.00-68.00.

FEEDER STEERS: M & L 1 300-500# 80.00-117.00. 250-280# 80.00-124.00; M 600-900# 70.00-103.00.

HEIFERS: M & L 1 300-500# 78.00-107.00; L 1 400-650# 60.00-94.00.

BULLS: M & L 1 300-620# 70.00-102.00. CALVES: Veal Prime 70.00-85.00; Choice 60.00-84.00; Good 35.00-70.00; Farm Calves #1 Holstein Bulls 90-120# Few 35.00-95.00; #2 Holstein Bulls 80-100# Few 10.00-50.00; #2 Bull & Hfrs./Hd. 35.00-90.00.

HOGS: Barrows & Gilts #1-2 210-255# 37.50-40.50; #2-3 255-280# 35.00-40.00; Sows #1-3 300-500# 24.50-30.00; Feeder Pigs 1-3 15-20# 5.00-22.00/Hd. 1-3 25-35# 10.00-23.00/Hd.

LAMBS: High Choice 80-100# 80.00-100.00; Choice 40-75# 90.00-116.00; Feeder Lambs Good 65.00-94.00; Sheep 15.00-45.00; Fat Sheep 25.00 and down.

GOATS: Large 45.00-115.00/Hd.; Medium 30.00-67.00/Hd.; Small 10.00-30.00/Hd. HORSES: Horses 19.00-51.50; Ponies 20.00-48.00.

Indiana Livestock Auction

Homer City, Pa.

Thursday, Sept. 11, 2003

Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 113. SLAUGHTER STEERS STEADY TO 4.00 HIGHER. COWS STEADY. STEERS: CHOICE 1-3 1110/1235 LBS. 84.00-89.00. SELECT 1-2 75.00-80.25. STANDARD 1-2 60.00-71.00.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 1-3 1188 LBS. ONE AT 90.00. STANDARD 1-2 55.00-59.50. COWS: BREAKERS 75-80% LEAN COUPLE 53.50 & 59.00. BONERS 80-85% LEAN 42.00-46.00. LEAN 85-90% LEAN 36.00-42.75. SHELLS 34.25 AND DOWN.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1415/2070 LBS. 53.75-60.00. YIELD GRADE 2 905/1040 LBS. 40.00-49.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: NO MARKET TEST.

CALVES: 80. VEALERS: STANDARD & GOOD 70/115 LBS. 22.50-42.50. UTILITY 60/80 LBS. 7.50-20.00. FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS STEADY. NO. 1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 95/120 LBS. 92.50-150.00. NO. 2 BULLS 80/100 LBS. 45.00-75.00. NO. 2 HEIFERS 85/115 LBS. 110.00-150.00. BEEF CROSS BULLS AND HEIFERS 140/270 LBS. 80.00-100.00.

HOGS: 13. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% LEAN 250/265 LBS. ALL AT 43.50. 45-50% LEAN 220/320 LBS. 37.00-40.50. BOARS: 500/605 LBS. 10.00-10.50.

FEEDER PIGS: US 3 20/25 LBS 5.00-8.00. 1-3 LBS. 50/75 LBS. 28.00-40.00.

SHEEP: 9. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: CHOICE 65/85 LBS. 105.00-120.00.

GOATS: 6. NANNIES: 50/70 LBS 40.00-55.00. BILLIES: 70/100 LBS 45.00-65.00, 100 LBS. ONE AT 107.50.

Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc.

Jersey Shore, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction

Thursday, Sept. 11, 2003

RETURN TO FARM CALF: 100-550. GOOD VEAL: 70.00-99.00.

COMMON VEAL: 10.00-69.00. CHOICE STEERS: 90.00-95.00. SELECT STEERS: 80.00-89.00.

COMMON STEERS: 58.00-79.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 45.00-59.75.

CANNERS/CUTTERS: 36.00-50.00. SHELLS: 22.00-35.00.

CHOICE HEIFERS: 90.00-97.25. SELECT HEIFERS: 80.00-89.00.

COMMON HEIFERS: 55.00-79.00. GOOD FEEDERS: 85.00-106.00.

COMMON FEEDERS: 40.00-84.00. BULLS: 52.00-64.00.

SOWS: NONE. LAMBS: NONE.

Robert Fulton Fire Co. Hay Market

Wakefield, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction

Thursday, September 11, 2003

19 LOADS. ALFALFA HAY: 110.00-205.00. TIMOTHY: 120.00-137.00.

EAR CORN: 100.00. STRAW: 137.00-142.00. SALE EVERY THURSDAY, 10 A.M.

Virginia Livestock Auction Summary

Richmond, Va.

September 9, 2003

Report Supplied by USDA

NORTHERN VIRGINIA LIVESTOCK — Fredericksburg, Front Royal, Marshall, Rockingham, Shenandoah, Staunton, and Winchester for Sept. 1-6. All prices per hundred pounds liveweight, except where noted.

FEEDER CATTLE: 2,062 head (692 steers, 112 Holstein steers, 795 heifers, 463 bulls).

FEEDER STEERS: Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 90-122.00; few low as 80.00; 300-400 lb 90-113.00; 400-500 lb 90-111.00; 500-600 lb 87-108.00; 600-700 lb 85-100.00; 700-800 lb 78-93.25; 800-900 lb 83-90.00; 900-1000 lb 79-90.00. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 84-98.00; 400-500 lb 87-99.00; 500-600 lb 76-90.00; 600-700 lb 80-84.00; 700-800 lb 77-82.00; 800-900 lb 55-77.00; 900-1000 lb 72.50. Med./Lge. 3: 500-600 lb 70.00; 700-800 lb 59.50. Small 1: 340-500 lb 76-81.00; 700-800 lb 53.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Lge. 2-3: 40-0500 lb 55-74.50; 500-600 lb 70.50-72.75; 600-700 lb 66-68.00; 800-900 lb 55-67.25; 900-1000 lb 68.00; 1000-1100 lb 65.00; 1100/up 58-63.85.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 85-95.00; 300-400 lb 80-96.50; 400-500 lb 82-95.00; few low as 77.00; 500-600 lb 80-94.00; 600-700 lb 77-89.00; 700-800 lb 76-82.00; 800-900 lb 73-82.00. Med./Lge. 2: 200-300 lb 86-99.00; 300-400 lb 75.50-91.75; few as low as 70.00; 400-500 lb 74-90.00; 500-600 lb 73-85.00; 600-700 lb 69-84.00; 700-800 lb 72.00; 800-900 lb 59-71.50. Med./Lge. 3: 300-400 lb 56.00; 400-500 lb 52.00; 800-900 lb 50.00. Small 1: 300-400 lb 68.50; 400-500 lb 75-82.00; few low as 59.00.

FEEDER BULLS: Med./Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 102.50-116.00; few 90-100.00; 400-500 lb 90-106.50; 500-600 lb 80-93.00; 600-700 lb 79.50-90.00; 700-800 lb 70-78.00; 800-900 lb 72-74.00. Med./Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 83-103.50; 400-500 lb 85-95.00; few 74.00; 500-600 lb 75-82.00; 600-700 lb 70-78.50; 700-800 lb 68-76.00; 800-900 lb 60.50-62.00.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: 617 head (539 cows and 78 bulls).

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 850-1200 lb 32.00-44.50, 1200-1600 lbs 31-46.00, high yielding 40.50-49.25. Boners 80-85% lean 850-1500 lb 34-44.00, 1200-2000 lb 31.50-46.00, high yielding 42-49.75. Lean 85-90% lean 850 lbs/under 26.00-36.00; 850 lbs/over 28-41.50 few as low as 24.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: YG 1-2, 1000-1500 lb 41-55.00; 1500-2500 lbs 43.50-56.50, high yielding 54-59.50.

COWS RETURNED TO FARMS: 97 head. 835-1378 lb Med./Lge. 1 few 2, 5 years to aged, bred 2-8 months 390.00-735.00.

COWS WITH CALVES AT SIDE: 55 head. 975-1125 lb. Med./Lge. 1, 3 years old with 150-275 lb calves, 990-1350.00 per pair. 850-1325 lb. Med./Lge. 1 few 2, 5 years to aged with 100 325 lb calves, 400-900.00 per pair.

BABy CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS: 145 head. Holsteins. BULLS: 70-100 lbs 15.00-109.00 per head few as low as 1.00; 100-200 lbs 43-120.00 per cwt BABY CALVES: Small 10-35.00 per head; Large 40-70.00 per head.

SHEEP: 124 head (48 slaughter lambs, 56 feeder lambs, 20 slaughter ewes). SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Spring Woolled: Choice and Prime 1-2, 60-80 lb 82.50, 80-110 lbs 780-85.00, 110-125 lb 82-85.00. Good and Choice 1-2, 60-90 lbs 80.00. FEEDER LAMBS: Spring Woolled: Med./Lge. 1-2, 60-90 lbs 84-85.00; 90-110 lb 70.00; Sm./Med. 40-60 lb 80.00, 60-90 lb 70-87.50, 90-110 lb 88.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Choice 2-4, 29-31.00; Good 2-4, 32-36.00. Utility 1-3, 30.00. RAMS: All grades 29.00.

HOGS: 7 head. SOWS: US 1-3, 300-500 lb 27-28.00.

Staunton Weekly Feeder Cattle Sale

Richmond, Va.

September 8, 2003

Report Supplied by USDA

WEEKLY AUCTION at Staunton, Sept. 5 — FEEDER CATTLE:

675 head (280 steers, 85 Holstein steers, 225 heifers, 85 bulls). Feeder steers, steady and heifers 2.00-3.00 higher. Prices per cwt. based on in weights.

FEEDER STEERS: Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 80-122.00 300-400 lb 90-113.00; 400-500 lb 90-106.00; 500-600 lb 90-105.00; 600-700 lb 86-100.00; 700-800 lb 85-93.25; 800-900 lb 86-90.00; 900-1000 lb 82-89.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Lge. 2-3: 400-500 lb 74.50; 500-600 lb 70.50-72.75; 600-700 lb 69.00; 700-800 lb 66-68.00; 800-900 lb 67.25; 900-1000 lb 68.00; 1000-1100 lb 65.00; 1100/up 63.85.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Med./Lge. 1: 200-300 lb 85-95.00; 300-400 lb 85-95.00; 400-500 lb 82-95.00; 500-600 lb 85-94.00; 600-700 lb 80-87.00; 700-800 lb 76-82.00; 800-900 lb 73-78.00. Med./Lge. 2: 400-500 lb 80-90.00; 500-600 lb 78-95.00, 600-700 lb 62-77.00. Small 1: 400-500 lb 75-83.00; 500-600 lb 75-82.00; 600-700 lb 70-76.00.

FEEDER BULLS: Med./Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 90-100.00; 400-500 lb 90-104.00; 500-600 lb 86-93.00; 600-700 lb 80-90.00; 700-800 lb 72-77.00.

CONSIGNMENT AUCTION
SAT. OCTOBER 4, 2003
9:00 AM
TURNERS UNLIMITED
31395 Jim Davis Rd.
Galena, MD 21635
(Just South of Galena on 313)
410-648-5443
(Please No Old Tires Or Chain Link Fence)
Items arriving daily!

WD 45 tractor, 17 Allis Chalmers tractor, also for an Allis Chalmers, 3 pt hitch conversion Allis Chalmers scraper, 3 bottom Allis Chalmers plows. Doors, windows, lumber and surplus tools, Board of Education surplus tools include Rockwell table saw 10", 14" Rockwell band saw, Rockwell wood lathe, Rockwell uniplane, Rockwell 15" drill press, 4 maple top work benches and much more arriving daily.

AUCTION
GOVERNMENT SURPLUS
SUN., SEPT. 21, 2003
@ 10 AM
ROCKLAND COUNTY SURPLUS
EQUIPMENT TRUCKS & VEHICLES
INCLUDING SURROUNDING
CITIES, TOWNS AND VILLAGES
Dr. R.L. Yeager Health Center, Building L
Sanitorium Rd., Pomona, NY 10970
PARTIAL LIST

Vehicles: '99 Ford Taurus, '97 & '90 Dodge Intrepid, '97 Ford Taurus Wagon, '93 Crown Victoria, '95 Caprice, '95 Caprice Wagon (2), '94 Taurus, '93 Ford Taurus Wagon, '93 Dodge Dynasty, '93 Mazda AWD MPV, '92 Honda Accord, '91 Chevrolet Lumina, '91 Infiniti, '90 Chevrolet Celebrity Wagon, '89 Chevrolet Celebrity (2), Trucks: '00 Ford Windstar, '95 Ford Pickup, '94 Jeep Cherokee 4x4, '94 & '88 Ford Van (15 Passenger) '94 Ford Pickup, '94 Chevrolet P/U Utility, '93 Ford Van, '90 Dodge Van, '89 & '85 GMC 2500 P/U, '88 Dodge 600, '86 Dodge Pickup, '81 Ford Van Truck, Equipment: '88 GMC 7000 Dump (2), '86 Ford Tanker, '87 Champion Grader 730A, New Holland L-785 Skidsteer w/Attachments, Bomag Roller, '86 Crane Garbage Packer, Miscellaneous: Cement Mixer, Office Furniture and Equipment.