

**Dewart Livestock**

Dewart, Pa.  
Report Supplied By Auction  
Monday, November 24, 2003

STEERS: 79.00-104.50.  
HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE.  
GOOD COWS: 40.00-54.75.  
CANNERS AND CUTTERS: 30.00-40.00.  
BULLS: 52.00-58.00.  
VEAL: 90-190 LBS. 100.00-520.00; 70-90 LBS. 60.00-100.00.  
HOGS: 30.00-37.00.  
SOWS: 32.00-34.75.  
FEEDER PIGS: 19.00-30.00 EA.

**Mercer Livestock Auction**

Mercer, Pa.  
November 25, 2003  
Report Supplied By PDA  
CATTLE 318...(SUPPLIED BY THE AUCTION)...al. steers active, cows strong, heifers and bulls steady.  
STEERS: Choice 1-3 1050-1500 lbs 95.00-110.00, one 114.00, Select 1-2 65.00-84.00, Standard 1-2 50.00-57.00.  
HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3 1260-1660 lbs 87.00-98.00, Select 1-2 59.00-74.00, Standard 1-2 48.00-56.00.  
HEIFERS: Choice 1-3 1000-1170 lbs 90.00-110.00, Select 1-2 74.00-84.50, Standard

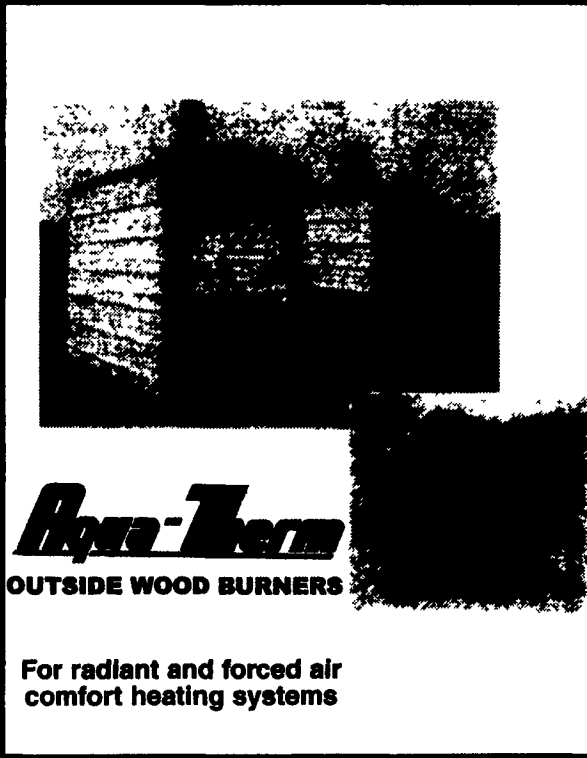
1-2 50.00-65.00.  
COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 57.00-68.00, one 70.50, Boners 80-85% lean 50.00-55.00, Lean 85-90% lean 44.00-50.00. Shells 35.00 and down.  
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium 1 250-400 lbs 80.00-94.00, 400-800 lbs 60.00-78.00; HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs 60.00-80.00, 550-750 lbs 55.00-75.00; BULLS: Medium 1 300-700 lbs 60.00-77.00, 400-800 lbs 50.00-64.00.  
CALVES 58...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-100 lbs 60.00-80.00, Utility 50-80 lbs 30.00-50.00. FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 95-120 lbs 100.00-125.00, No 2 85-110 lbs 60.00-85.00; No 2 80-130 lbs 70.00-190.00.  
Beef cross bulls and heifers 80-110 lbs 100.00-120.00.  
HOGS 41...BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-240 lbs 37.00-43.50.  
SOWS: one 1-3 440 lbs 23.00.  
FEEDER PIGS 0...NO MARKET TEST!  
SHEEP 0...NO MARKET TEST!  
GOATS 1...(All by the head with weights estimated). Yearlings: Selection 1 39.00.

**Eighty-Four Livestock Auction**

Eighty-Four, Pa.  
Monday, November 24, 2003  
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CATTLE 361.  
TEERS: Select 1-2 70.00.  
HOLSTEIN STEERS: one Choice 2-3 1365 lbs 65.00, Standard 1-2 47.00-53.00.  
HEIFERS: Select 1-2 61.00-79.00.  
COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 55.00-61.00, Boners 80-85% lean 46.00-54.00, Lean 85-90% lean 37.50-46.00. Shells 35.50 and down.  
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1230-1900 lbs 56.00-60.00, Yield Grade 2 1440-2100 lbs 47.00-56.00.  
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 300-455 lbs 92.00-113.00, 505-740 lbs 84.00-99.00, Medium and Large 2 350-460 lbs 73.00-90.00, 600-960 lbs 70.00-84.00; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 320-500 lbs 79.00-90.00, 505-650 lbs 74.00-86.00, Medium and Large 2 315-460 lbs 66.00-78.00, 550-730 lbs 66.00-71.00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 90.00-115.00, 525-700 lbs 80.00-88.00, Medium and Large 2 350-475 lbs 64.00-86.00, 550-735 lbs 67.00-80.00.  
CALVES 189...(All calves sold per cwt).  
VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-100 lbs 37.00-80.00, Utility 55-90 lbs 24.00-40.00. FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 90-115 lbs 110.00-135.00, 80-85 lbs 110.00-120.00, No 2 85-125 lbs 75.00-110.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 85-120 lbs 300.00-485.00, one No 2 95 lbs 210.00.  
Beef cross bulls and heifers 80-115 lbs 110.00-150.00, 170-295 lbs 75.00-117.50.  
HOGS 29...BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-280 lbs 39.00-42.00.  
SOWS: 1-3 415-490 lbs 35.00-38.00, 500-700 lbs 30.00-32.50.  
BOARS: 330-570 lbs 8.00-16.00.  
FEEDER PIGS 5...1-3 16.00 per head.  
SHEEP 57...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 105-135 lbs 105.00-112.00, couple Choice 40-45 lbs 145.00, 55-75 lbs 110.00-132.50, 80-100 lbs 102.50-114.00, Good and Choice 65-95 lbs 75.00-95.00.  
SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 30.00-54.00, Yearlings 47.50-60.00.  
GOATS 55...(All goats sold by the head with weights estimated). Kids: Selection 1 20-40 lbs 40.00-49.00, 40-60 lbs 55.00-70.00, 60-80 lbs 68.00-80.00. Selection 2 20-40 lbs 20.00-40.00, Nannies: 70-100 lbs 57.00-68.00, 100 lbs and over 78.00-113.00. Billies: 70-100 lbs 57.00-75.00, 100 lbs and over 85.00-129.00.

**Pa. Weekly**

13 Livestock Auctions  
Friday, November 21, 2003  
Report Supplied By PDA  
14 LIVESTOCK AUCTIONS  
CATTLE 5994...Compared with 5476 head last week and 5654 head a year ago. Compared with last week's summary; slaughter steers and heifers sold mixed. Choice steers and heifers trended near steady, while the majority of the run sold 2.00 to 3.00 lower. Holstein steers sold fully 2.00 to 3.00 lower on a limited supply. Slaughter cows sold 4.00 to 5.00 higher while slaughter bulls sold 2.00 to 3.00 higher.  
STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 105.00-114.00, Choice 1-3 99.00-107.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 96.25-101.00, Select 1-3 88.00-98.50, Standard 1-2 73.00-89.00.  
HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 89.25-97.50, Choice 2-3 82.00-91.00, Select 1-2 76.00-85.00, Standard 1-2 62.50-75.50.  
HEIFERS: Choice few Prime 2-4 95.50-106.50, few to 110.00, Select 1-3 80.00-95.00, Standard 1-2 65.00-79.00.  
COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 54.00-63.00, few sales to 69.50, Boners 80-85% lean 47.00-57.00, mostly 50.00-55.00, Lean 85-90% 37.00-51.50, mostly 42.00- 47.00. Shells 36.50 and down.  
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1000-2500 lbs 58.50-68.00, Yield Grade 2 900-2400 lbs 49.00-59.00.  
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 90.00-108.50, 500-700 lbs 84.00-99.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 72.00-89.00, 500-700 lbs 68.00-83.00, Large 3 Holsteins 350-500 lbs 55.00-69.00; HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 76.00-90.00, 500-700 lbs 74.00-81.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 70.00-84.00, 500-700 lbs 65.00-78.00; BULLS: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 88.00-114.00, 500-700 lbs 74.00-89.00, Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 69.00-85.00.  
CALVES 3796...Compared with 3461 head last week and 3672 head a year ago. Vealers sold mostly steady to firm. VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-120 lbs 60.00-80.00, Utility 50-100 lbs 20.00-55.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein bull calves sold steady to 10.00 lower while Holstein heifers sold steady to 50.00 higher. No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 110.00-145.00, 80-90 lbs 90.00-115.00, No 2 Holstein bulls 80-120 lbs 80.00-115.00, weaker calves to 70.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 80-125 lbs 370.00-570.00, No 2 80-120 lbs 110.00-350.00.  
Beef type bulls and heifers 75-110 lbs 80.00-175.00.  
HOGS 863...Compared with 653 head last week and 1135 head a year ago. Barrows and



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gilt sold 1.00 to 3.00 higher while sows sold 1.00 to 2.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: 49-54% lean 220-275 lbs 40.00-48.00, 45-50% lean 225-280 lbs 36.00-40.25, 40-45% lean 240-300 lbs 33.00-37.00.  
SOWS: 1-3 300-500 lbs 28.00-33.00, 500-700 lbs 31.00-36.00.  
BOARS: 7.00-15.00.  
FEEDER PIGS 246...Compared with 121 head last week and 206 head a year ago. US 1-3 20-40 lbs 12.00-28.00, 40-60 lbs 21.00-37.00. — per head.  
SHEEP 2297...Compared with 1861 head last week and 1742 head a year ago. Slaughter lambs sold firm to 10.00 higher while ewes sold mostly steady. SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 40-60 lbs 125.00-160.00, 60-90 lbs 118.00-142.00, 90-100 lbs 112.00-129.00, 100-125 lbs 99.00-123.00, Good and Choice 60-85 lbs 102.00-112.00.  
SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 25.00-60.00, Yearlings to 94.00.  
TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES 1238...Compared with 295 head last week and 1238 head a year ago...Feeder and Slaughter pigs sold mixed. US 1-2 40-60 lbs 80.00-87.00, 70-80 lbs 64.00-70.00, 80-100 lbs 54.00-58.00. Slaughter Pigs: 20-30 lbs 141.00-170.00, few to 225.00, 30-40 lbs 170.00-190.00, 40-60 lbs 80.00-115.00.

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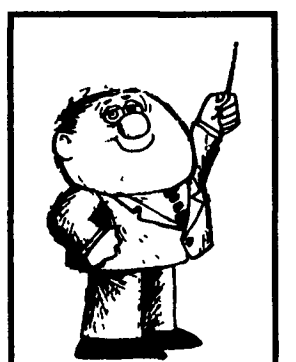
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