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Four States Livestock Auction - Hagerstown, MD Livestock Auction Report for Wednesday, December 28, 2016

*** Special Feeder Cattle Sale every 2nd and 4th Wednesday ***
Special Stock Cow Sale every 1st Wednesday
Special Dairy Sale every 3rd Wednesday

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Feeder Pigs	Sheep	Goat
Receipts:	195	62	56	61	9	3
Last Week:	254	59	40	88	47	21

Compared to last week slaughter cows sold mostly steady. Cattle supply included 29 steers and heifers, 79 slaughter cows, 2 bulls, 71 feeder cattle, 10 stock cows and 2 dairy cows and heifers. All prices per cwt.

Slaughter Steers: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1428-1628 lbs 109.00-115.00. Choice 2-3 1622 lbs 109.00-109.00.

Slaughter Holstein Steers: Choice 2-3 1374 lbs 82.00. Select 2-3 1208-1344 lbs 74.50-76.00.

Slaughter Heifers: Choice 2-3 1406 lbs lbs 106.00-106.00.

Slaughter Cows:

	Percent Lean	Avg. Dressing	High Dressing	Low Dressing
Premium White	65-75			
Breakers	75-80	55.00-58.50	60.00-63.00	
Boners	80-85	55.00-58.00	62.00-65.00	
Lean	85-90	50.00-55.00	56.00-57.00	40.00-48.00

Slaughter Bulls: Average Dress 2276 lbs 76.00.

Feeder Cattle: All prices per cwt.

Steers: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 117.00-120.00; 500-700 lbs 115.00-115.00; 700-900 lbs 92.00-106.00.

Holstein Steers: No Market Test.

Heifers: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 90.00-105.00; 500-700 lbs 82.00-99.00; 700-900 lbs 77.00-86.00. Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 89.00-95.00; 500-700 lbs 77.00-81.00; 700-900 lbs 71.00-71.00.

Bulls: Medium and Large 1 300-500 lbs 112.50-119.00; 500-700 lbs 95.00-97.00; 700-900 lbs 80.00-95.00. Medium and Large 2 300-500 lbs 94.00-106.00; 500-700 lbs 86.00-87.00.

Dairy Cows: Sold By the Head.

Fresh Cows: No Market Test.

Short Bred: (1-3 months): No Market Test.

Bred Cows: (4-6 months): No Market Test.

Springing Cows: (7-9 months): No Market Test.

Springing Heifers: (7-9 months): No Market Test.

Bred Heifers: (4-6 months): No Market Test.

Short Bred Heifers: (1-3 months): No Market Test.

Open Heifers: No Market Test.

Beef Stock Cows: Sold By the Pound.

Short Bred Cows: (1-3 months): Red 884-1212 lbs 65.00-77.00. Black 950-1178 lbs 61.00-73.00.

Bred Cows: (4-7 months): No Market Test.

Springing Cows: (7-9 months): No Market Test.

Cow/Calf: Price: No Market Test.

Stock Bulls: sold by the pound.

Black: 860 lbs 85.00.

Return to Farm Calves: Compared to last week's sale Holstein bull calves sold steady. All prices per cwt.

Holstein Bull Calves: Number 1 96-120 lbs 79.00-90.00; 75-94 lbs 60.00-75.00. Number 2 96-120 lbs 65.0-79.00. Utility 75-120 lbs 5.00-40.00.

Holstein Heifer Calves: Selection 1 70-100 lbs 190.00-190.00.

Cross Bred Calves: No Market Test.

Beef Calves: Bull 75-120 lbs 100.00-180.00.

Jerseys: No Market Test.

Slaughter Hogs: All Prices per cwt.

Barrows and Gilts: 52-58 percent lean: 250-350 lbs 50.00-54.00, few to 59.00.

48-52 percent lean: 250-350 lbs 37.00-50.00.

Roasters: 115-200 lbs 50.00-69.00.

Sows: US 1-3 300-500 lbs 31.00-36.00; 500-700 lbs 26.00-36.50.

Boars: No Market Test.

Feeder Pig: sold per head.

US 1-2 30-50 lbs 34.00-50.00; 70-90 lbs 35.00-35.00.

Slaughter Sheep: All prices per cwt.

Lambs: Choice 2-3 90-120 lbs 140.00-150.00.

Yearlings: No Market Test.

Ewes: No Market Test.

Rams: No Market Test.

Slaughter Goats: All goats are sold per head with estimated weights.

Kids: Selection 1 80-100 lbs 185.00-185.00.

Nannies: No Market Test.

Billies: Selection 1 50-100 lbs 180.00-180.00.

Wethers: No Market Test.

Price and grade information is reported by the Maryland Department of Agriculture-USDA Market News Service. While market reports reflect the majority of livestock sold at each sale, there are instances where animals do not fit reporting categories and are not included in this report.

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