

Top Elizabethtown Hereford



Winning the Hereford division of the Elizabethtown Kiwanis Community Farm Fair baby beef show was Christ Miller, with his steer "Butch." This was Mr. Miller's fourth championship at Elizabethtown. Christ also placed first in the fitting contest and in the showing contest. (Lancaster Farming Staff Photo).

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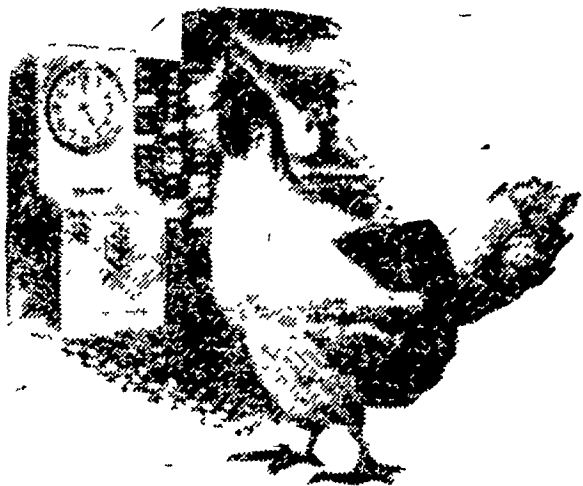
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Lancaster Livestock; Steers This Week Score \$31.50; Bulk \$26 to \$28

By DAVID S. LORENSEN
USDA MARKET NEWS
SERVICE
WEDNESDAY TO
WEDNESDAY REVIEW

LANCASTER, Sept. 26 — (Wednesday to Wednesday Review) (USDA) — CATTLE: Three days 4,526, week ago 5,535. Compared with last Wednesday slaughter steers average choice to prime fully steady, standard and good grades weak to 50 cents lower, instances 75 cents off. Heifers steady to weak, cows unevenly 25-75 cents lower, bulls around 25 cents lower. Compared with last Wednesday feeding steers 800 lbs up grading good and low choice weak to 50 cents lower, lower grade feeders and 450-750 lb stock steers 50 to \$1.00 lower. The week's fresh receipts included around 65 per cent stocker and feeder steers, about 10 per cent cows, balance mainly good and choice slaughter steers. A few loads of prime slaughter steers also in the receipts and several loads of grass steers. Bulk choice 1000-1300 lb fed steers \$26.00-28.00, a few loads and lots of high choice and prime \$28.50-31.50, good and low choice shortfed steers including some grass kinds \$21.50-25.50, some standard and low good grass and warmed up steers \$18.00-21.25. A few small lots good to low choice heifers \$20.00-23.50; standard and low good \$16.00-19.50. Utility and commercial cows after Monday,

\$11.50-13.50; canners and cutters \$8.75-12.00. Utility and commercial bulls \$16.25-18.25; good fed bulls 800-1100 lbs \$19.00-22.00; cutter grades down to \$13.00. Bulk medium and good 800-1000 lb feeding steers 18.50-21.50; several loads early good and low choice \$22.00-22.50. Bulk medium and good 450-750 lb stock steers \$17.00-21.00; common grades 12.50-16.00.

CALVES: 869, week ago 1014. Veal calves fully steady with last Wednesday. Bully—good and choice vealers \$20.00-23.00; high choice and prime \$23.50-28.00, a few to \$30.00 Monday. Utility and commercial grades \$15.00-19.50. Culls down to \$12.00.

HOGS 1685, week ago 1391. Compared with last Wednesday barrows and gilts 50-75 cents higher, instances as much as \$1.00 up Sows scarce, strong to 50c higher. Bulk barrows and gilts 190-240 lbs U. S. mixed 1-3, in Wednesday's trade \$18.25-18.75 and at least 50 head mostly No. 1 and 2 at \$19.00. Bulk of Wednesday's offering went to local small killers. A few 240-270 lbs \$17.25-18.25; and 160-180 lbs \$17.00-18.25. Sows U. S. mixed 1-3, all weights \$13.00-15.00.

SHEEP: 403, week ago 396. Supply mainly native spring lambs. Slaughter lambs fully \$1 lower than last Wednesday. Bulk native spring lambs 70-90 lbs good and choice \$19.00-23.00, a few to \$23.50, prime grades scarce. Utility and low good grades \$15.00-18.75.

Lancaster Broilers Thursday Score 20-Cent Average; Highest at 20.25

Lancaster Poultry Exchange (Rohrerstown, Pa.) (Sales Report, sale 179, Thursday, Sept. 20, 1956) — Scoring another fractional advance, broilers Thursday last week on the Lancaster Poultry Exchange averaged an even 20 cents, compared to 19.81 cents for the previous Thursday's sale. Listed and offered were 29 lots, 62,150 birds, sold were 26 lots, 58,000, with 24 lots, 57,100 broilers bringing 18.75 to 20.25. One lot of 650 heavy fowl scored 15.75, and one lot of 250 White Rocks and Rhode Islands, 15½ weeks, brought 21.

For the corresponding sale a year ago, Thursday, Sept. 22, 1955, sale 88, offered were 43 lots, 96,245 birds, sold were 28 lots, 61,295 in a range of 21.75 to 25.25, averaging 23.30 on 60,295 broilers. For the corresponding week a year ago, 39 lots, 74,115 birds were sold in two sales, with the Tuesday average of 23.68 bring the week's average a year ago to 23.49. Only one sale was held last week here.

Here are Thursday, Sept. 20 sales listed by lot number (each preceded by 20-), seller with grower indicated in parentheses, amount and breed, age by weeks and days, buyer and price.

1, Benjamin Brubaker, 700 Red and White Vantress, 10-11 wks, to Roy E. Ream, 19.5; 2, Robert Neff, 550 White Mountains, 9-6, to Daniel K. Good, 18.75, 3, Miller & Bushong (Roy B. Martin), 4500 Indian Rivers, 9-3, to S. E. Davis, 21.25; 4, Miller & Bushong (Naomi J. Blessing), 500 White Vantress, 11 wks, to C. F. Manbeck, Inc., 20; 5, Millport Roller Mills (George Warfel), 2000 Indian Rivers, 10-2, to Producers Cooperative Exchange, 19.75; 6, Jay Landis & Wm. Dean, 400 White Vantress pullet capped, 17-5, no sale, 25 bid; 7, Daniel G. Forry, 1250 White Vantress, 10-2, to Walter B. Lehman, 20; 8, Miller & Bushong (Joseph Olesh), 2000 Red Vantress, 9-3, to Grimes & Hauer, 20; 9, Miller & Bushong (Frank Destafano), 2300 White Vantress, 9 wks, to Producers Cooperative Exchange, 20; 10, Miller & Bushong (Clair Bomberg-

er), 4500 Meatpackers, 9-2, to Mandata Poultry, 20; 11, Miller & Bushong (Christ M. Smith), 4000 White Vantress, 9 wks to Victor F. Weaver, Inc., 20; 12, Miller & Bushong (Christ M. Smith), 2000 Indian Rivers, 9 wks, to Victor F. Weaver, Inc., 20; 13, Harvey M. Zimmer-

man, 3000 Indian Rivers, and White Cornish Cross, 10 wks, to Roy E. Ream, 20; 14, Raymond Witmer, 1000 White Vantress, 9-2, to John E. Rettinger, 20; 15, A. Frank Witmer, 70 Indian Rivers, 9 wks, to John E. Rettinger, 20;

16, Joseph Lesley, 6000 White Vantress, 9 wks, to Mandata Poultry, 20; 17, Landis Sangrey, Jr., 950 White Vantress, 10-4, to Daniel K. Good, 19.75, 18, Raymond M. Zimmerman, 1000 Indian Rivers, 10 wks, to Daniel K. Good, 19.75; 19, Miller & Bushong (Lloyd Wenger), 7500 White Vantress, 9-2, to Grimes & Hauer, 20.25; 20, Warren Witmer, 425 White Vantress, 11-1, to Roy E. Ream, 19; 21, Isaac B. Hoover, 650 White Vantress, 11 wks, to Daniel K. Good, 19.75;

22, Amos L. Fisher, 650 White Rock fowl yearlings, to Producers Cooperative Exchange, 15.75; 23, Miller & Bushong (Mervin Graybill), 2200 White Cornish Cross, 10-5, to H. W.

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