# Leesport Livestock Auction

Leesport, Pennsylvania December 19, 1974

CATTLE 190. Supply in-cluded 52 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers 25 cents to \$1.75 lower. Slaughter cows \$1 to \$2.50 higher. Good slaughter steers 33.75-38.60, Standard 28.00-34.25, few Utility 24.50-25.25. Couple Choice slaughter heifers 34.00 and 25.25. 35.00, few Good 28.00-32.85, few Standard 26.00-26.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 21.85-23.75, individual at 25.00, Cutters 19.60-22.10, Canners 17.50-20.10. Couple Good slaughter bullocks 34.00-35.75, few Standard 26.00-28.00, Couple Utility 22.50 and 23.75. Few Yield Grade

No. 1 1260-1855 lbs. 26.25-29.35. Few Good & Choice 675-895 lbs. feeder steers 25.00-29.00, Medium 265-600 lbs. 18.50-22.00; Good 340-600 lbs. feeder heifers 21.50-24.50, Medium 400-670 lbs. 12.00-19.50; Good 400-800 lbs. feeder bulls 22.50-25.50, Medium 235-980 lbs. 16.00-23.00.

CALVES 138. Vealers grading Utility mostly \$2.50 to \$3 higher. Few Choice vealers 55.00-59.00, few Good 45.00-51.00, Standard 28.00-42.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 20.00-28.00, few 70-85 lbs. 15.00-21.50. Farm calves active, holstein bulls 95-125 lbs. 24.00-33.50; few beef cross bulls & heifers 70-120 lbs. 22.00-50.00.

HOGS 189. Barrows & Gilts strong to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-3 195-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 43.00-43.50, lot 12 head at 44.00, No. 2-3 185-210 lbs. 42.00-43.00, few no. 2-4 260-285 lbs. 39.00-42.25. US No. 1-3

### Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa. December 12, 1974

CATTLE 316. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter cows \$2 to \$2.75 lower. Good slaughter steers 35.00-37.25, Standard 29.50-35.50, Utility 27.50-29.75. Choice slaughter heifers 38.00-40.00, Good 32.75-36.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 19.50-21.35, individual 22.00, Cutters 18.00-20.25, Canners 16.75-18.25, Shells down to 14.25. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 25.00-29.00, few Utility 21.00-26.25. Individual Yield Grade No. 1 1200 lbs. slaughter bull at 29.85.

CALVES 348. Vealers grading Choice about steady. Utility to Good \$2 to \$4 lower. Choice vealers 48.00-56.00,

300-550 lbs. sows 32.50-37.50. Couple Boars 25.50 and 27.00, few lights weights 29.75-32.50.

FEEDER PIGS 56. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs Utility 25.25-31.60. Few 15.00-23.00 per head, No. 1-3 Standard slaughter heifers 40 lbs. 25.00, lot No. 1-3 55 lbs. 23.75-28.85, few Utility 22.00-27.50, Utility 20 lbs. 7.00-10.50 24.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter per head.

SHEEP 4. Few Good & cows 22.00-23.00, Cutters Choice 75-135 lbs. wooled 20.50-22.35, few Canners slaughter lambs 35.00-38.00. 19.00-20.50, Shells down to

Good 43.00-47.00, Standard 33.00-43.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 22.00-30.00, 70-85 lbs. 19.00-23.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls & heifers 90-125 lbs. 26.00-29.00.

HOGS 117. Barrows & Gilts about steady. US No. 1-3 210-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 41.00-42.10, one lot No. 2-3 270 lbs. 39.75. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. upturn on Utility and Commerical. Bulls strong to sows 33.00-37.00, No. 2-3 350-600 lbs. 30.00-31.75. Few Boars 21.50-22.50.

FEEDER PIGS 37. US No. compared 22,300 previous 1-3 50-85 lbs. feeder pigs 20.50-31.00 per head.

Slaughter Steers ap-SHEEP 19. One lot Good 80 proximately 36 percent of lbs. wooled slaughter lambs weeks total, Heifers 25 percent. At Midweek, a 36.50, one lot Utility 70 lbs. 26.50. Few Slaughter ewes situation that has generally 4.00-8.00.

#### **Carlisle Livestock Auction**

CATTLE 167. Compared 16.00. Individual Utility with last Tuesday's market, slaughter bullock at 21.60. slaughter cows strong to Individual Yield Grade No. 1 \$1.75 higher. Good & Choice ~ 1320 and 1715 lbs. slaughter slaughter steers 35.00-37.75, bulls 23.85 and 27.75; infew Standard 30.25-34.75, few dividual Yield Grade No. 2 1145 and 1570 lbs. 22.00 and 29.25. Few Medium 395-425 lbs. feeder Steers 22.00-25.00; few Medium 515-765 lbs. feeder bulls 16.75-20.75.

CALVES 124. Vealers grading Utility & Standard \$1 to \$5 lower. Few Choice

Omaha

Cattle

Thursday, December 19

Closing prices on slaughter

Steers and Heifers steady.

Cows 1.50-2.50 higher, most

Four day receipts 18,800 as

week and 19,700 a year ago.

calves.

1.00 higher.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, Dec. 21, 1974-7

prevailed over the past several weeks.

STEERS: Load High-Choice and Prime 1140 lbs. yield grade 3-4 38.50 late, Weekly 51 - Cattle and modest supplyhigh-Choice and Prime 1031-1259 lbs. Compared with the yield grade 3-4 37.25-38.25 previous week's close: during week with none above 37.50 at low time Tuesday. Load 1370 lbs. yield grade 4 36.75 Monday. Choice 975-1300 lbs. yield grade 2-4 closed 36.75-38.00. Several Loads 1390-1535 lbs. yield grade 3-5 32.50-35.50 during week and load 1599 lbs. yeidl grade 5 30.00. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1250 lbs. 36.00-37.00. Good 33.50-36.00. Standard and low-Good 32.00-33.00, some Standard 1000-1100 lbs. 31.00-31.50.

> Average cost Slaughter Steers first three days 36.49. Average weight 1131 lbs. as compared 36.76 and 1132 lbs. previous week and 39.52 and 1173 lbs. a year ago.

HEIFERS: High-Choice and Prime 950-1189 lbs. yield Grade 3-4 37.00-38.00 during week, the outside price for part load early. Choice 850-1050 lbs. yield grade 2-4 closed 36.00-37.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-1000 lbs. 35.00-36.00. Good 32.00-35.00. Small lots Standard and Good 31.00-32.00.

COWS: Utility and Commerical 17.50-20.00, a few 20.50. Canner and Cutter 13.50-17.50, Mixed Cutter and low-Utility 17.75-18.25. Shelly Canner 12.00-13.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 & 2 1400-1800 lbs. 21.00-24.00, a few yield grade 1 24.50.

vealers 54.00-59.00, two Good at 43.00, Standard 33.00-41.00, Utility 90-115 lbs. 21.00-27.00, 70-85 lbs. 18.00-21.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 22.00-36.00.

HOGS 207. Barrows & Gilts mostly steady. US No. 1-3 205-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 42.10-42.60, No. 2-3 185-270 lbs. 41.00-42.10, few No. 2-4 260-270 Ibs. 41.25-41.35, lot No. 4 560 lbs. 27.25, few No. 2-4 160-165 lbs. 30.25-35.60. Few US No. 1-3 325-470 lbs. sows 31.00-34.50, few No. 2-3 335-565 lbs. 27.00-31.75, few Utility 210-300 lbs. 20.00-27.75. Boars 25.75-27.25.

FEEDER PIGS 143. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 8.00-10.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 11.00-14.50, No. 1-3 50-60 lbs. 16.50-18.50. Utility 15-45 lbs. 5.00-16.50 per head. SHEEP 11. Few Choice 85-





105 lbs. wooled slaughter lams 38.00-40.50, few Utility 65-70 lbs. 25.00-29.00.

## **New Holland Dairy Auction**

Wednesday, December 18 Reported receipts of 156 cows and 3 bulls. Market steady with last week.

Load of Franklin Co. cows, fresh 535-700, springers 425-730; load of Wisconsin cows, fresh 500-690; load of Vermont cows fresh 540-590; load of Pa. cows fresh 445-825, springers 580-800 and load of Delaware cows fresh 315-450 and springers 450-570.

Locally consigned cows 350-940, heifers 255-365 and springing heifers 410-475.

St. Francis Of Assissi St Francis of Assissi is recognized as the originator of Christmas Carols as we know them meant a dance with singing St. Francis, in thirteenth century Italy, also introduced the famous Nativity Scene which depicts the baby Jesus in the manger.

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mas season filled with joy and

happiness, and express our sin-

cere gratitude for their patronage.