

Local Livestock Market, Auction News

Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.
July 21, 1975

CATTLE 323. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers grading Standard & Good \$1.75 to \$3 lower. Slaughter cows grading Cutter & Utility 75 cents to \$1.50 lower, Canner steady to 50 cents lower. Good slaughter steers 34.00-39.50, one at 42.00, Standard 26.00-34.00, Utility 23.00-27.00. One Good slaughter heifer at 32.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 22.50-25.00, one at 26.00, Cutters 21.00-23.00, Canners 18.00-21.00, Shells down to 16.00. Few Utility slaughter bullocks 23.75-26.50. Yield Grade No. 1 1200-2100 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.50-30.00.

grading Utility \$1 to \$2 lower. Few Choice vealers 45.00-53.00, Good 39.00-47.00, Standard 28.00-40.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 20.00-24.00, 70-85 lbs. 16.00-19.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 22.00-34.00.

HOGS 337. Barrows & Gilts 50 cents to \$1 higher. US No. 1-2 195-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 57.90-58.60, No. 2-3 190-255 lbs. 57.30-58.10. US No. 1-3 350-550 lbs. sows 43.00-46.75, few No. 2-3 300-575 lbs. 43.00-45.50. Boars 32.75-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 155. US No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. feeder pigs 23.00-39.50 per head.

SHEEP 26. Few Good & Choice 75-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 41.00-47.00. Slaughter ewes 9.00-17.50.

Belleville, PA
July 23, 1975

CATTLE 145. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows \$1 to \$2.50 higher. One Standard slaughter steer at 35.00, Utility 24.00-27.50. Few Standard slaughter heifers 27.00-29.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 23.90-27.20, Cutters 21.50-23.80, Canners 19.00-22.25, Shells down to 12.50. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1150-1900 lbs. slaughter bulls 25.00-29.00.

CALVES 186. Vealers grading Utility about steady. Few Good and Choice vealers 41.00-56.00, Standard 32.00-42.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 19.00-24.50, 70-85 lbs. 16.00-

20.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 27.00-37.50.

HOGS 125. Barrows and gilts 75c higher. US No. 1-3 195-225 lbs. barrows and gilts 59.40-59.70, No. 2-3 185-250 lbs. 58.00-59.00. Few US No. 1-3 350-450 lbs. sows 48.00-53.00. Boars 31.25-34.75.

FEEDER PIGS 464. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 23.00-37.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 33.00-42.00, No. 1-3 50-75 lbs. 39.00-46.00, Utility 25-50 lbs. 17.50-25.00 per head.

SHEEP 28. Good and Choice 80-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 39.00-45.00, few Utility 50-80 lbs. 20.00-25.00. Slaughter ewes 6.00-16.00.

Peoria Cattle

July 24

Cattle receipts this week: 5300, Last Week: 6100, Year ago: 3900.

Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers uneven 1.50-3.00 lower. Slaughter heifers 2.00-2.50 lower. Cows firm to 1.00 higher. Bulls weak to 1.00 lower. Receipts about 65 percent slaughter steers, 20 percent slaughter heifers, balance mainly cows. Choice slaughter steers over 1100 lbs. and heifers over 900 lbs. in short supply.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Couple loads Choice and Prime 1260-1385 lbs. Yield Grade 3-4 55.50; same grade 1135-1200 lbs. yield grade 3-4 51.50-53.50; mostly 51.50-53.00; Choice 1000-1100 lbs. yield grade 2-4 48.00-52.00, Wednesday 48.00-50.50; 1100-1250 lbs yield grade 2-4 50.00-53.50; late 50.00-51.50; 900-1000 lbs. 45.00-48.00; Few 800-

900 lbs. 38.00-45.00; Mixed Good and Choice 900-1300 lbs. 42.50-48.00; Good 38.50-42.50; Standard and Good Holsteins 34.00-38.00; few Good 41.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 900-1050 lbs. yield grade 3-4 48.00-49.00, mostly 48.00-48.50. load Monday 50.00; Choice 850-1000 lbs. yield grade 2-4 45.00-48.50, at mid-week 45.00-48.00; Utility 750-850 lbs. 37.00-44.50; mixed Good and Choice 850-1100 lbs. 40.00-45.00 750-850 lbs. 35.00-40.00; Good 31.00-40.00; Standard and Good 25.00-31.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 18.00-23.00; High-Dressing Utility 23.50; Cutter 16.00-22.00; Canner 12.00-16.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 23.00-27.00, few yield grade 1 28.00.

Greencastle Auction

Greencastle, Pa.
July 21, 1975

CATTLE 121. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows steady to \$1.50 lower. Couple Standard slaughter steers 27.60 and 28.60, few Utility 20.00-25.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 21.75-23.10, one at 23.50, Cutters 19.10-21.60, few Canners 17.60-19.60, Shells down to 11.50. One Utility slaughter bullock at 21.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1340-1610 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.75-30.85.

CALVES 182. Vealers steady to \$1 lower. One Prime vealer at 44.00, few Choice 35.00-44.00, few Good

29.00-35.00, few Standard 25.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 19.00-21.50, 70-85 lbs. 17.00-19.50. Farm calves, few holstein bulls 100-120 lbs. 21.00-30.00; few holstein heifers 100-110 lbs. 19.00-23.00.

HOGS 30 Lot US No. 1-3 225 lbs. barrows & gilts 58.50, few No. 2-3 195-220 lbs. 57.00-57.50. Few US No. 1-3 335-540 lbs. sows 45.00-47.00. Couple Boars 39.00 and 39.25.

FEEDER PIGS 5 Lot US No. 1-3 55 lbs. feeder pigs 30.00 per head.

SHEEP 0. No sales on offer.

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