

# Local Livestock Market, Auction News

## Leesport Livestock

Leesport, PA  
July 23, 1975

**CATTLE 327.** Supply included 93 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers mostly steady. Slaughter cows 50c to \$2 higher. Few Good and Choice slaughter steers 47.00-48.25, Good 38.25-45.35, Standard 28.00-38.35, Utility 21.00-27.75. Few Choice slaughter heifers 37.00-38.00, Good 30.00-35.00, Standard 23.00-28.10. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 21.85-25.00, Cutters 19.85-22.10, Canners 17.75-19.75, Shells down to 12.00. Couple Choice slaughter bullocks 33.75 and 34.25, Good 27.85-31.00, Standard 25.00-27.85. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1015-1815 lbs. slaughter bulls 25.85-30.10, couple Yield Grade No. 2, 1120 and 1230 lbs. 23.00 and 25.00. Choice 550-700 lbs. feeder steers 35.00-38.50, Good 35.00-65.00 lbs. 25.25-30.50, Medium 380-840 lbs. 17.75-23.00. Medium 370-595 lbs. feeder heifers 17.00-21.25. Few Good 400-585 lbs. feeder bulls 21.75-25.75.

**CALVES 119.** Vealers steady to \$2 higher. One Prime vealer at 59.00, few Choice 48.00-55.00, Good 27.50-45.00, Standard 28.00-37.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 22.00-28.00, 90-110 lbs. 18.00-22.00, 70-85 lbs. 16.00-18.00, few 50-60 lbs. 14.00-15.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 21.00-32.00.

**HOGS 213.** Barrows and gilts strong to 75c higher.

Few US No. 1-2 220-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 60.25-60.35, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 59.75-60.00, No. 2-3 180-245 lbs. 56.75-59.50, few No. 2-4 260-265 lbs. 59.35-59.75, No. 1-3 100-170 lbs. 45.50-51.50. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 42.75-48.75. Boars 33.00-47.00.

**FEEDER PIGS 150.** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 20.00-34.00 per head, lot No. 1-3 15 lbs. at 18.00, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 33.00-40.50 per head.

**SHEEP 44.** Choice 80-110 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 45.00-48.00, Good and Choice 60-85 lbs. 35.00-41.00, Utility 40-70 lbs. 30.00-33.00. Slaughter ewes 12.00-19.00.

## LANCASTER FEEDER CATTLE

Friday, July 18  
Feeder Cattle  
Today 668  
Last Friday 514

**TREND:** Few sales Choice feeder steers 630-955 lb. 50-1.00 lower, standard and Good mostly steady.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Choice 840-955 lb. 35.00-37.50, 650-785 lb. 34.75-35.25; mixed Good and Choice 400-700 lb. 29.00-32.50; one lot Good 1010 lb. 32.00, Good 600-900 lb. 26.50-29.50, 350-600 lb. 23.75-27.00; few lots Standard 720-920 lb. Holsteins 20.50-23.25.

**FEEDER BULLS:** Good 400-700 lb. 18.75-21.50; few head Choice 360-650 lb. 23.00-23.00.

## Omaha Auction

July 24

Weekly 51 - cattle - compared with previous week's close.

Slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower, some good and low-choice 950-1000 lbs. 1.25-1.50 off. Heifers mostly 1.00 lower, 750-850 lbs. 1.25-1.75 lower. Cows 1.00-1.50 higher and bulls firm.

Four day receipts 14,700 as compared 15,300 previous week and 18,900 a year ago. Steers approximately 44 pct., heifers 33 pct and cows 20 pct.

**STEERS:** Early load choice with end prime 1182 lbs. yield grade 3-4 54.00, two loads high-choice 1114 lbs. yield grade 3 53.00. At midweek, load choice with few prime 1141 lbs. yield grade 3 53.75, load choice and prime 1208 lbs. yield grade 3-4 53.00. Choice 1125-1200 lbs. yield grade 2-4 closed 51.00-52.00, these mainly low to average-choice; choice 950-1125 lbs. yield grade 3 48.00-52.00, occasionally 51.25-51.50 on 1100-1125 lbs. mixed good and choice 950-1200 lbs. 47.00-50.50. Good 39.50-46.50. Standard and low-good 36.00-39.00.

The average of 1s 214 detailed quotations for choice 900-1100 lb. steers this week was 49.92; choice 1100-1300 lbs. 51.18.

**HEIFERS:** A few loads and part loads choice and prime 916-1034 lbs. yield grade 3-4 49.50-50.50. Choice 900-1025 lbs. yield grade 2-4 48.00-49.50; Choice 800-900

lbs. yield grade 2-3 46.00-48.00. Mixed good and choice 750-975 lbs. 43.00-47.00. Good 36.50-43.50. Small lots standard and good 34.00-35.50.

**COWS:** Utility and commercial 20.00-23.00, few 23.25-23.50. Heiferette types 26.00-30.00. Canner and cutter 16.50-20.00, mixed cutter and utility 20.25-21.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1-2 1400-1900 lbs. 22.00-25.00, yield grade 1 26.00.

## York Livestock

Thomasville, PA  
July 23, 1975

**CATTLE 55.** Compared with last Wednesday's market: Few Choice slaughter 1020-1350 lbs. slaughter steers 44.85-48.00, few Good 36.00-44.50, couple Standard 35.00 and 35.50, couple Utility 21.50 and 23.60. Few Standard and Good slaughter heifers 25.00-33.50. Few Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 18.85-20.50, few Cutters 17.00-18.60, few Canners 14.85-17.35. One Standard slaughter bullock at 25.25. One Yield Grade No. 1, 1470 lbs. slaughter bull at 24.00.

**CALVES 74.** One Choice vealer at 45.00, few Good 32.00-37.00, few Standard 25.00-27.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 18.00-22.00, 70-85 lbs. 15.00-19.00. Farm Calves: Few Holstein bulls 95-110 lbs. 21.00-23.00.

**HOGS 22.** US No. 1-3 200-220 lbs. barrows and gilts 58.10-58.50. Few US No. 1-3 340-460 lbs. sows 44.00-45.00.

**FEEDER PIGS 67.** Few US No. 1-3 40-45 lbs. feeder pigs 25.50-32.50 per head, No. 1-3 50-60 lbs. 33.00-34.50, Utility 10-20 lbs. 12.00-20.00 per head.

**SHEEP 11.** Few Good 55-80 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 28.00-31.00, few Utility 45-50 lbs. 19.00-27.00.

## New York Dressed Meats

July 24, 1975

**DAILY DISTRIBUTIVE - LESS THAN CARLOT MEAT TRADE.**

Compared with Wednesday: general price structure weak throughout for fresh meats. Wholesale houses struggling to hold dollars together and avoid severe dollar losses as bulk carcass sales along with primal cuts of rail stocks and pork going at low quote for week so far. Pork loins, lamb legs continue extremely slow.

**Steer Beef**  
Prime 600-900 lb. 85.50 only; Choice 600-700 lb. 84.50 only, 700-800 lb. 85.00 only, 800-900 lb. 86.00 only, 500-800 lb. 73.00 only.

**Heifer Beef**  
Choice 500-700 84.00 only.  
**Calf (Skin off)**  
Choice 150-350 lb. 63.00-67.00; Good 150-350 55.00-62.00; Standard 150-350 50.00-57.00.

**Veal (Skin off)**  
Choice 90-150 lb. 85.00-94.00; Good 60-90 76.00-85.00;

Standard 60-120 72.00-75.00.  
**Lamb**  
Choice & Prime Spring 30-55 lb. 103.00-105.00, 55-65 103.00-105.00.

**Choice Beef Cuts**  
Hinds (Steer) 145-190 lb. 97.00-100.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 66.00-69.00; Ribs (7-rib) 34-40 110.00-115.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 135.00-140.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 90.00-96.00; Full Plates 50.00-52.00; Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 97.00-99.00.

**Pork Cuts (Fresh)**  
Loins (Regular) 8-14 lb. 107.00-109.00, 14-17 107.00-109.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 73.00-76.00; Boston Butts 4-8 99.00-102.00; Spareribs 3 lb. down 145.00-148.00; Hams (Skinned) 17-20 85.00-88.00.

**Kosher Steer Beef**  
Choice and Prime forequarters 76.00-79.00.

## RIDDLES

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## Baltimore USDA Report

July 21, 1975

Cattle 400 with slaughter steers and heifers steady. Early sales cows were 50 lower but by closing were steady to 50 higher.

Bulls firm. Supply included 30 percent slaughter steer and heifers, 50 percent cows and balance few feeders and bulls.

Steers: few choice 2-4 1005-1280 lbs. 48.00-51.60; good to choice 18.50-47.50; good 875-1150 lbs. 39.50-43.00; standard to low good 29.00-35.00.

Heifers: good 2-4 910-1075 lbs. 34.00-38.00; cows 20.50-24; cutters 17-20.50; cannors 14-17. Few cannors at 11.75-14. Bulls yield grade 1 24.75-29.10.

Feeder cattle 40.00.  
Hogs: 700 Barrows and gilts 50-75 cents higher. 1-3 2-240 lbs. 58.50-59.00; 2-3 230-260 lbs. 58.00-58.50; 2-4 57-58; sows 50 cents lower 1-3 43.50-45.50.

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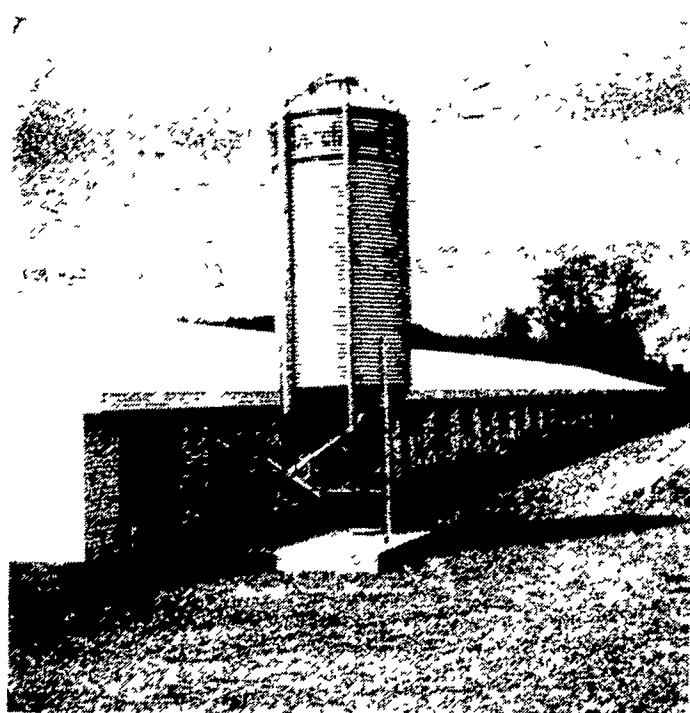
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