

Chambersburg

Chambersburg, PA
October 29, 1975
CATTLE 362. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter cows mostly \$2 to \$3 lower. Choice slaughter steers 42.50-46.35, Good 41.50-42.00, Standard 36.50-39.00, Utility 32.00-33.50. Choice slaughter heifers 38.50-42.00, Good 32.50-37.00, Standard 28.00-30.00, few Utility 15.00-25.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 22.00-24.75, few to 26.00, Cutters 19.00-21.50, Canners 16.00-18.50, Shells down to 12.00. Yield Grade No. 1, slaughter bulls 28.00-32.00, Yield Grade No. 2, 22.00-

26.00- Medium and Good 400-550 lbs. feeder steers 22.00-25.50. Medium and Good 400-550 lbs. feeder heifers 15.00-18.50. Medium and Good 400-550 lbs. feeder bulls 20.00-24.00.

CALVES 537. Vealers mostly \$2 to \$4 lower. Few Prime vealers 66.00-67.50, Choice 55.00-65.00, Good 40.00-55.00, Standard 35.00-40.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 25.00-30.00, 90-110 lbs. 18.00-22.00.

HOGS 80. Barrows and gilts \$5 lower. US No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.00-53.00. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. sows 42.00-44.00. Boars 36.00-38.10.

FEEDER PIGS 73. US No. 1-3 20-25 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-26.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-40 lbs. 35.00-45.00 per head.

More health tests required for Canadian cattle imports

WASHINGTON - The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has been notified that Canada has changed its anaplasmosis and bluetongue regulations for non-slaughter cattle exported from the United States into Canada. The new requirements on the two diseases became effective Oct. 27.

Officials of USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service emphasized that the new Canadian regulations do not affect cattle shipped to

Canada for immediate slaughter.

The new import rules require all cattle in the herd of origin to be inspected within 30 days before importation and found free of these two communicable livestock diseases. Examining veterinarians will also have to certify that to the best of their knowledge neither anaplasmosis nor bluetongue has existed in the herd for two years before export to Canada.

Exported animals must be shown free of anaplasmosis by a negative complement-fixation test within 30 days before export.

Freedom from bluetongue must be shown by two such tests - the first one being made not less than 30 days nor more than 90 days before export, and the second within 30 days. Animals being tested must be isolated

from other animals that have not been tested.

The requirements are modified to some extent if the herds of origin have been tested and found free of these diseases within the preceding year, including prescribed tests on the animals being shipped.

Canadian import regulations previously had required veterinarians to certify herd-of-origin freedom only for anaplasmosis, and had required only one test for bluetongue.

Additional information on Canadian cattle import regulations may be obtained from offices of APHIS' Veterinary Service, and from the Import-Export staff, APHIS, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Hyattsville, Md. 20872.

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When Dan Reeves, star halfback for the Dallas Cowboys, went to the hospital a few years back to see his wife and newborn son for the first time, he was thrown for a big loss. Rushing into the hospital room, he asked to hold his son, Michael. "Not on your life," his wife said emphatically.

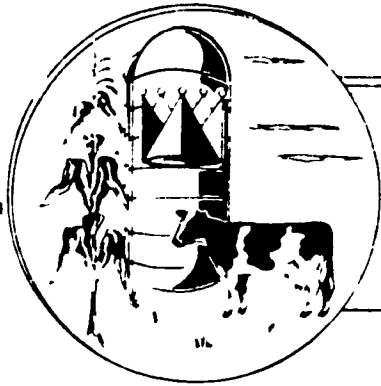
Reeves looked as if a blitzing linebacker had just nailed him in the backfield. "Why not?" he asked.

"You fumble too much," his wife replied.

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