

# Livestock market and auction news

## Pa. Auction Summary

Week Ending November 14, 1975

**CATTLE 5503.** Compared with 5453 head last week, and 4900 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers uneven, spots \$1.50 higher to \$1 lower. Slaughter heifers strong to \$1 higher. Slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1.50 higher. Slaughter bullocks unevenly steady to weak. Slaughter bulls steady to strong.

**STEERS:** Few High Choice & Prime 48.25-49.85, Choice 44.00-48.75, Good 39.75-46.00, Standard 31.50-39.00, Utility 27.00-33.00. **HEIFERS:** Choice 40.25-44.50, Good 32.25-40.75, Standard 25.00-33.00, few Utility 22.50-27.00. **COWS:** Utility & High Dressing Cutter 23.00-25.75, Cutters 21.00-23.50, Canners 18.00-21.75, Shells down to 14.00. **BULLOCKS:** Choice 37.75-40.75, Good 30.00-38.00, few Standard 25.00-30.50, few Utility 20.00-26.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2000 lbs. 26.00-31.75; yield grade No. 2 900-1600 lbs. 21.00-30.00. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Choice 400-850 lbs. feeder steers 28.00-35.50, Good 300-850 lbs. 23.50-32.00, Medium 300-700 lbs. 18.00-25.00; Good 300-800 lbs. feeder heifers 20.00-27.00, Medium 300-650 lbs. 15.00-22.00; Good 300-650 lbs. feeder bulls 22.00-24.00, Medium 15.00-23.00.

**CALVES 4219.** Compared with 4432 head last week, and 3199 head a year ago. Vealers unevenly steady, spots \$1 higher to \$1 lower. **VEALERS:** Prime 62.00-72.00, Choice 50.00-62.00, Good 40.00-55.00, Standard 28.00-42.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 23.00-30.00, 90-115 lbs. 19.00-28.00, 65-85 lbs. 15.00-21.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 21.00-34.00; few holstein heifers 90-115 lbs. 20.00-31.50; few beef cross bulls & heifers 60-110 lbs. 20.00-30.00. **HOGS 5768.** Compared with 5284 head last week, and 5465 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts 75 cents to \$3 higher. **BARROWS & GILTS:** US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 54.00-55.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 52.75-54.25, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 51.25-52.75, few No. 2-4 250-300 lbs. 49.00-53.00, few No. 1-3 130-190 lbs. 46.00-51.50. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 42.00-51.75, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 38.50-42.75. Boars 32.00-40.00. **FEEDER PIGS 1127.** Compared with 1546 head last week, and 914 head a year ago. Feeder Pigs mostly \$2 to \$4 higher. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 16.00-34.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 28.00-47.00, few No. 1-3 50-100 lbs. 43.00-58.00, Utility 20-50 lbs. 13.00-24.00 per head. **SHEEP 463.** Compared with 711 head last week, and 576 head a year ago. Woolled slaughter lambs steady to \$1 higher. Choice 70-105 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 40.00-48.00, Good 60-100 lbs. 33.00-40.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-19.00.

### Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, PA November 17, 1975

**CATTLE 244.** Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows steady, spots 50 cents higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 43.35-44.75, Good 38.00-42.50, few Standard 30.00-38.75, Utility 22.25-28.00. Couple Choice slaughter heifers 38.00 and 39.10, one Good 30.25, two Standard 27.25 and 29.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 22.85-25.35, few Commercial 27.25-30.00, Cutters 19.50-22.85, Canners 17.25-19.75, Shells down to 13.35. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 29.10-30.00, few Utility 23.00-26.00. Yield Grade No. 1 1185-1945 lbs. slaughter bulls 26.00-31.00; one yield grade No. 2 1265 lbs. at 22.75. Few Good 300-800 lbs. feeder steers 25.50-29.50; Good 300-600 lbs. feeder heifers 20.00-27.50; Good 260-500 lbs. feeder bulls 20.50-25.50. **CALVES 401.** Vealers

mostly steady to \$1 lower. Few Choice vealers 55.00-62.00, few Good 40.00-55.00, Standard 30.00-40.50, Utility 90-110 lbs. 18.50-23.00, 70-85 lbs. 14.00-18.50, 50-65 lbs. 5.00-13.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-110 lbs. 22.00-33.50; few holstein heifers 90-110 lbs. 20.50-25.00. **HOGS 318.** Barrows & Gilts fully \$1 lower. Lot US No. 1-2 220 lbs. barrows & gilts 53.70, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 52.50-52.85, No. 2-3 190-250 lbs. 51.40-52.50, No. 2-4 250-300 lbs. 47.00-51.00, No. 1-3 100-180 lbs. 42.50-49.50. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 42.50-46.75, No. 2-3 300-560 lbs. 40.00-40.25. Boars 30.00-35.00, one at 51.00. **FEEDER PIGS 110.** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 14.50-26.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 28.00-41.50, No. 1-3 50-75 lbs. 36.00-45.00 per head. **SHEEP 1.** Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

### East coast carlot meats

Wednesday, Nov. 19

Compared to Tuesday's close: Trading active this session, supply moderate, outlet broad for good and choice beef. Choice steers YG 3, 600-900 steady to 1.00 higher; good steers YG 3's 600-800's 1.00-1.50 higher. Cow and bull beef steady. Lamb quoted steady to 4.00 lower. Fresh pork loins 1.00-4.75 lower, picnics steady to 1.00 lower, spareribs steady, hams steady to 2.50 higher, bellies steady to 1.00 higher, butts 1.00 higher.

**Steer Beef**  
Choice YG 3 6-900's 75.50-76.00, steady -1.00 higher; Choice YG 4's 6-800's 71.00-72.50; Good YG 3 6-900's 71.00-72.00, 1.00-1.50 higher; Good YG 3&4 6-800's 70.00.

**Heifer Beef**  
Choice YG 3 5-700's 74.00-74.50; Good 5-700's 68.00-69.50.

**Cow Beef**  
Utility (Brkg.) 350-700's 45.00-46.00 steady; Utility (Bong.) 350-700's 45.00-46.00, steady; Canner & Cutter 350-700's 45.00-46.00 steady.

**Bull Beef**  
Yld Gr 1&2 500-1000's 49.00-49.50 steady -50 lower.

Lamb

Ch & Pr YG 2&3 35-55's 98.00 steady -2.00 lower; 55-65's 96.00 2.00-4.00 lower; 65-75's 94.00.

**Choice Primal Beef**  
Cuts - Yld Gr 3&4  
Steer Hinds 120-190's 88.00-90.00; Heifer Hinds 120-165's 82.50; Armchucks 80-130's 58.00-60.00; Ribs 24-32's 113.-115.00; 32-43's 113.-115.00.

**Domestic Boneless Beef - Trimmings**  
90 pct. Visual Lean 64.00-65.00 steady; 85 pct. Visual Lean 63.00-64.00 steady; 50 pct. Visual Lean 41.00-42.00 steady.

**Fresh Pork Cuts**  
Loins (Reg.) 8-14's 96.50 4.75-6.00 lower; 14-17's 93.50-94.50 3.75-4.75 lower; 17-20's 81.25 1.00 lower.

**Picnics (Reg.) 4-8's 65.50** 1.00 lower; 8's & up 59.25 stdy. at low quote.

**Boston butts 4-8's 88.00** 1.00 higher.

**Spareribs 1½-3's 96.50** steady; 3-5's 81.50 steady.

**Hams (Skid.) 14-17's 107.00** stdy. at high quote; 17-20's 99.50 2.-2.50 higher; 20-26's 90.00-90.50 1.50-2.00 higher.

**Bellies (Sdls. skin on) 10-12's 83.50-84.00** steady; 12-

### Local Grain

Thursday, Nov. 20

These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by a number of participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer or broker handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn which is per ton.

14's 87.00-87.50 50-1.00 higher; 14-16's 85.50 steady; 16-18's 82.50-85.00 higher; 18-20's 78.50 50-1.00 higher.

**C T Butts (froz. Bnls.) 1½-7's 119.50** steady.

**Pork Trngs. 50 pct. in fr** 53.50 steady; 80 pct. in fr 71.50 steady.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, Nov. 20, 1975 are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn		
New	48.00	54.00
Old	67.50	78.00
Shelled Corn	2.39	2.60½
Oats		
Local	1.39½	1.60½
Western	1.77¼	1.95
Barley	1.86¼	2.03
Wheat		
Millers	2.79	2.93
Feed	1.75	1.85
Soybeans	4.05	4.25

+Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.

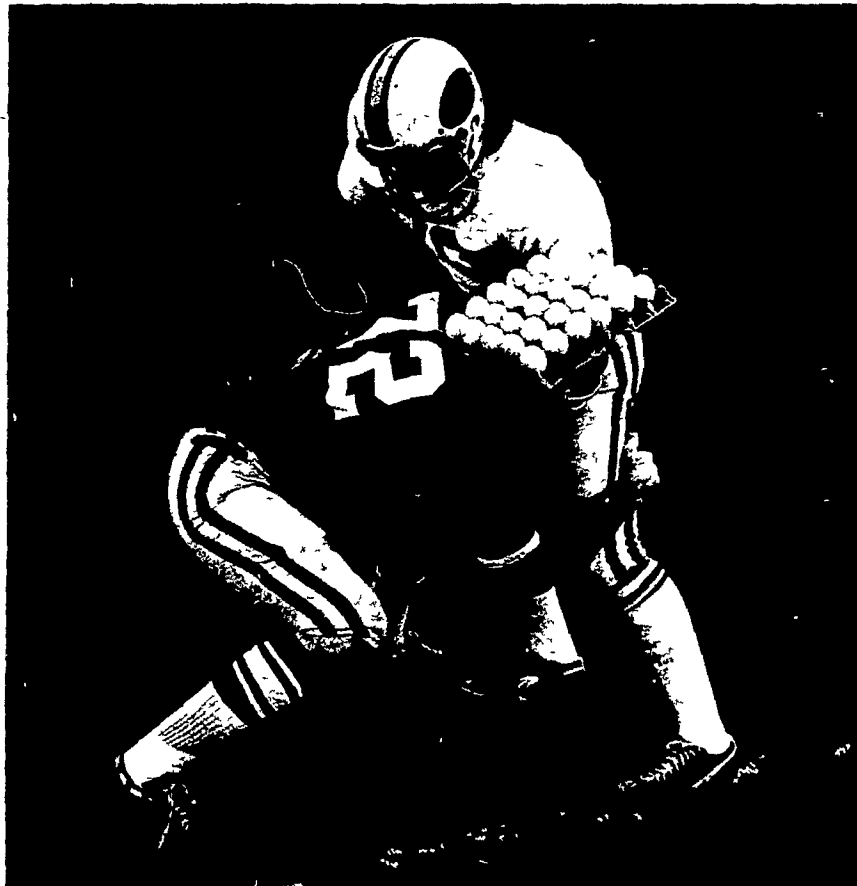
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