

# Livestock market and auction news

## Leesport Auction

Leesport, Pa.  
Nov. 19, 1975

**CATTLE 271.** Supply included 53 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers uneven, about steady. Slaughter cows steady to \$1 higher. Few Good and Choice slaughter steers 45.00-46.85, Good 41.50-45.10, Standard 32.00-41.50, Utility 28.00-31.50. Choice slaughter heifers 40.25-46.50, Good 34.00-38.25, few Standard 28.00-30.75, few Utility 20.00-22.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 23.00-25.00, Cutters 21.25-23.35, Canners 19.35-21.25, Shells down to 13.25. Few Good slaughter bullocks 35.50-38.50, one Standard at 27.75. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1485-1835 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.00-29.50, individual Yield Grade No. 2, 1460 lbs. at 22.35. Few Choice 600-900 lbs. feeder steers 35.25-36.50, Good 500-800 lbs. 31.00-34.25, Lot Medium 575 lbs. at 22.25. Medium 350-680 lbs. feeder heifers 14.50-18.00. Good 200-700 lbs. feeder bulls 23.25-28.00, few Medium 500-600 lbs. 19.50-21.75.

**CALVES 141.** Vealers uneven, mostly steady to \$1 higher. Good vealers 41.50-45.00, Standard 30.00-39.50, Utility 110-125 lbs. 26.00-29.50, 90-110 lbs. 20.00-26.00, 75-85 lbs. 16.00-20.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 95-115 lbs. 23.00-31.50.

**HOGS 249.** Barrows and gilts \$1 to \$1.25 higher. US No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 54.00-54.60, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 53.25-54.10, No. 1-3 150-185 lbs. 45.00-51.20. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 41.00-46.00. Boars 35.00-45.75.

**FEEDER PIGS 157.** US No. 1-3 30-35 lbs. feeder pigs 27.00-43.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 37.00-54.00 per head, No. 1-3 60-80 lbs. 48.00-54.00 per head.

## New Holland Horse

Monday, Nov. 17

Reported receipts of 521; market steady with last week.

Load of Tennessee riding horses 180-400; load of New York driving 200-400; local consigned work horses 295-510; mules 170-250; better horses 255-375; driving horses 150-470; riding horses 140-230; lightweight killers 17-20; heavyweight killers 23-25; mares 15-35; colts 5-15; geldings 15-30; larger ponies 50-90.

## St. Louis Auction

Nov. 20  
Fed. State  
Weekly Cattle  
Review:

Receipts this week 9,200; week ago 9,000; year ago 8,100. Compared to Tuesday last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers 50-1.00 lower, Slaughter Heifers fully 1.00 lower. Cows 1.00-2.00 lower compared to late last week. Bulls mostly 2.00 higher. Supply Good and Choice 950-1200 lb. steers YG 2-4 with near 25 percent heifers, 30 percent cows and balance largely feeder cattle.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Several part loads Choice, including Prime, 1075-1150 lbs. YG 2-4 45.50-45.75. Choice 950-1200 lbs. YG 2-4 43.00-45.00, closing mostly 43.00-44.50. Mixed Good and Choice 900-1200 lbs. 41.00-43.00. Good 38.00-42.00. Standard and good holsteins 1000 to 1400 lbs. 35.00-38.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 800-1000 lbs. YG 2-4 42.00-44.25, closing mostly 42.00-43.50. Mixed Good and Choice closing 39.00-42.00. Good 36.00-39.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial closing 20.00-23.00, few early 23.50-24.00. Cutter 17.50-20.50. Canner and low Cutter 13.00-17.50.

**BULLS:** YG 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 24.00-28.50, individual holstein YG 1 2300 lbs. 27.00.

## Greencastle Auction

Greencastle, PA  
November 17, 1975

**CATTLE 168.** Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows steady to strong. One Good slaughter steer at 39.00, few Standard 30.50-38.85, few Utility 23.10-26.25. Few Utility slaughter heifers 24.00-26.25. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 23.50-24.85, few 26.25, Cutters 21.00-23.10, few Canners 18.85-20.75, Shells down to 16.60. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1400-1450 lbs. slaughter bulls 25.85-29.85, couple yield grade No. 2 980 and 1330 lbs. 21.75 and 23.75. Few Good & Choice 450-615 lbs. feeder steers 23.00-34.50.

**CALVES 206.** Vealers grading Utility steady to \$3 higher. Few Choice vealers 50.00-63.50, few Good 40.00-44.00, Standard 27.50-34.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 22.50-26.50, 70-85 lbs. 17.50-22.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 23.00-28.00.

**HOGS 40.** US No. 1-3 215-225 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.00-52.50, No. 2-3 215-250 lbs. 50.00-51.00. Few US No. 1-3 285-450 lbs. sows 45.00-48.50.

**FEEDER PIGS 43.** US No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-28.00 per head, few Utility 25-30 lbs. 14.50-15.00 per head.

**SHEEP 12.** Few Utility & Good 70-90 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 28.00-37.50.

## Omaha Auction

Nov. 20, 1975  
Thursday Feeder  
Cattle Auction

Estimated Receipts 5,900  
Same day last week 10,491  
Trade fairly active, feeder cattle uneven; feeder steers under 500 lb. mostly 1.00-2.00 lower, steers over 500 lb. steady to firm. Feeder heifers under 500 lb. mostly steady to weak, weights over 500 lb. steady to firm. Majority receipts mixed good and choice and choice 300-700 lb. feeder cattle. Moderate attendance buyers.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Choice 300-400 lb. 35.00-40.00, bulk 36.00-37.50; 400-500 lb. 36.00-39.50, part load 412 lb. 41.20; 500-600 lb. 37.00-41.50, mostly 38.00-41.00; 600-750 lb. 36.00-41.00; mixed Good and Choice 300-500 lb. 31.25-35.50, bulk 33.00-35.00; 500-887 lb. 33.00-37.50; Good 300-500 lb. 27.75-31.00.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Choice 300-400 lb. 24.00-29.00, bulk 26.00-28.50; 400-500 lb. 25.50-28.25, couple package 477-498 lb. 30.20-30.80; 500-750 lb. 28.00-33.25, largely 30.75-33.00; mixed Good and Choice 300-500 lb. 23.00-25.50, 500-625 lb. 24.50-26.50; Good 300-500 lb. 19.00-23.75, bulk 22.00-23.00.

## Peoria Cattle

November 20  
Weekly Summary  
Cattle

Receipts This Week 6000  
Last Week 5400  
Year Ago 4800  
Compared with last week's close slaughter steers closed firm to 50 higher. Slaughter heifers steady to 50 lower. Cows 50-1.50 lower. Bulls weak to instances 1.00 lower. Receipts about 65 percent slaughter steers, 25 percent slaughter heifers, balance mostly cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Three loads choice and prime 1135-1295 lbs. yield grade 3-4 48.00-49.00; choice 1000-1200 lbs. yield grade 2-4 44.50-47.75; load 1625 lbs. yield grade 4 44.00; choice 950-1000 lbs. 43.00-44.50; mixed good and choice 900-1200 lbs. 42.00-44.50; good 37.00-43.00; few mostly good holsteins 37.50-39.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice and prime 900-1000 lbs. yield grade 3-4 44.50-44.75, near load 45.00-45.50; choice 850-1000 lbs. yield grade 2-4 42.50-44.00; 750-850 lbs. 41.00-43.00; mixed good and choice 750-1000 lbs. 35.00-41.50; good 29.00-36.00.

**COWS:** Utility and commercial 18.00-21.00, high-dressing utility 22.50-23.00; cutter 15.00-20.00; canner 12.00-15.00.

## USDA Report

Nov. 17, 1975

**CATTLE 400.** Slaughter steers & heifers firm to \$1 higher. Cows 50 cents to \$1 higher. Bulls \$1 to \$2 higher. **STEERS:** Several Choice yield grade 3-4 1040-1085 lbs. 46.00-46.50, few Good & Choice 1070-1270 lbs. 44.75-45.50, Good yield grade 2-4 1075-1340 lbs. 39.25-43.00, several Good holsteins 38.00-38.50, Standard & Low Good 30.00-35.00.

**HEIFERS:** Good & Choice yield grade 2-4 900-1000 lbs. 40.00-42.00, few Good 750-1000 lbs. 34.25-35.50. **COWS:** Utility & Commercial 23.00-27.10, Cutters 19.00-23.35, Canner & Low Cutters 16.00-19.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 1250-1770 lbs. 27.00-32.75, one at 34.75; yield grade No. 2 1000-1335 lbs. 24.00-27.25. **FEEDER**

**CATTLE:** Few Choice steers 850-1090 lbs. 38.00-38.75, package 450 lbs. at 36.00, Good & Choice 740-875 lbs. 34.00-37.00; Good & Choice heifers 300-500 lbs. 22.50-24.75, few 500 lbs. 26.00-27.00; Good & Choice bulls calves 350-500 lbs. 24.00-27.00.

**HOGS 650.** Barrows & Gilts steady. US No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. mostly 52.00, 100 head 52.25, 85 head 52.50, No. 2-3 230-260 lbs. 51.50-52.00, No. 2-4 250-280 lbs. 50.50-51.50.

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