

Livestock market and auction news

Pa. Auction Summary

Week Ending Dec. 19, 1975
CATTLE 6003. Compared with 7204 head last week, and 4193 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers steady to \$1 lower, instances \$2 lower. Slaughter heifers uneven, mostly steady to \$1 lower. Slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1 higher, spots to \$2 higher. Slaughter bullocks steady to mostly \$1 higher. Slaughter bulls unevenly steady. **STEERS:** Choice 43.00-49.00, Good 39.00-45.00, Standard 30.00-40.00, Utility 25.00-31.00. **HEIFERS:** Few Choice 40.00-44.00, Good 32.00-40.00, Standard 25.00-34.00, Utility 21.00-26.00. **COWS:** Utility & High Dressing Cutter 22.75-28.50, Cutters 20.75-23.50, Canners 18.00-21.50, Shells down to 11.00. **BULLOCKS:** Choice (few) 39.50-46.00, Good 30.00-40.50, few Standard 24.50-32.00, few Utility 22.00-28.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2000 lbs. 25.00-31.50, few to 34.50; yield grade No. 2 900-1600 lbs. 22.00-29.75. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Choice 400-800 lbs. feeder steers 34.00-39.00, Good 300-700 lbs. 26.00-34.00, Medium 300-800 lbs. 18.00-26.00; few Choice 300-650 lbs. feeder heifers 21.00-29.50, Good 350-750 lbs. 17.00-24.00, Medium 300-700 lbs. 14.00-22.00. **CALVES 4498.** Compared with 5313 head last week, and 3982 head a year ago. Vealers grading Standard to Choice highly uneven, spots

\$3 higher to \$2 lower. Utility \$1 to \$4 lower. **VEALERS:** Few Prime 58.00-75.00, Choice 50.00-66.00, Good 40.00-55.00, Standard 33.00-45.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 25.00-35.00, 90-120 lbs. 18.00-28.00, 70-85 lbs. 15.00-22.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 20.50-36.00. **HOGS 7495.** Compared with 8380 head last week, and 5918 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts steady to \$3 lower, with much unevenness through the week. **BARROWS & GILTS:** US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 52.50-54.00, few to 55.00, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 49.00-53.00, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 47.50-52.00, No. 2-4 240-300 lbs. 42.00-50.00, No. 1-3 135-180 lbs. 43.75-50.00. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. 37.00-46.50, No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 32.00-41.00. Boars 27.00-35.00. **FEEDER PIGS 1277.** Compared with 1736 head last week, and 1095 head a year ago. Feeder pigs mostly \$1 to \$2 lower. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 17.00-34.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 26.00-44.00, No. 1-3 50-125 lbs. 38.00-58.00, Utility 20-35 lbs. 7.50-25.00 per head. **SHEEP 680.** Compared with 709 head last week, and 639 head a year ago. Woolled slaughter lambs strong to \$1 higher, spots to \$3 higher. Choice 75-120 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 43.00-53.00, few to 57.00, Good 60-100 lbs. 34.00-45.00, few Utility 55-70 lbs. 22.00-37.50. Slaughter ewes 5.00-18.00.

Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, PA December 22, 1975
CATTLE 157. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows \$3 to \$4 higher. Good slaughter steers 40.25-43.25, Standard 30.25-38.75, few Utility 25.50-28.75. Few Good slaughter heifers 30.00-38.25, few Standard 28.75-31.50. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.50-27.60, individual at 30.00, Cutters 23.85-25.50, Canners 20.00-24.50. One Good slaughter bullock at 37.00, one Standard at 28.00, few Utility 22.85-25.00. Individual Yield Grade No. 1, 2125 lbs. slaughter bull at 29.10. Medium 300-650 lbs. feeder bulls 13.00-19.00. **CALVES 239.** Vealers uneven, averaging about steady. Few Choice vealers 53.50-58.00, Good 45.00-52.00, Standard 30.50-45.50, Utility 110-125 lbs. 23.00-29.00, 90-110 lbs. 18.50-23.50, 70-85 lbs. 11.00-19.50. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 21.00-30.00. **HOGS 280.** Barrows and gilts \$1.25 lower. Few US No. 1-2 220-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.90-52.40, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 50.50-51.40, No. 2-3 190-245 lbs. 49.90-50.60, No. 2-4 250-280 lbs. 47.75-50.10, lot No. 1-3 110 lbs. at 37.00. US No. 1-3 300-520 lbs. sows 40.35-43.25, No. 2-3 300-680 lbs. 37.75-40.25. Boars 430-660 lbs. 28.00-31.00, individual's 210 and 240 lbs. 41.75 and 44.25. **FEEDER PIGS 60.** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 18.00-24.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 28.00-40.50 per head. **SHEEP 2.** Two Slaughter ewes 15.50 and 17.50.

Fogelsville

Sale of Tuesday, December 22
 Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted.
 Hens, light type 10; Hens, heavy type 31-32; Pullets 32½-53, mostly 50-53; Roasters 15-47, mostly 45-47; Capons 68½-72, mostly 70-72; Ducks 51-59; Drakes 60; Turkey-Toms 41-42; Turkeys-Hens 45-51, mostly 50-51; Rabbits 82-95½ - mostly 90-95; Guineas 99-1.00; Pigeons (per pr.) 5.30. Total coops sold 179.
Auction Day - Tuesday
 Each Week - 11:30 A.M. 215-395-6611.
 Poultry Received - Mon. 7 P.M. to 10:30 P.M., Tues. 7 A.M. to 12 Noon.
 Directions - Take Rt. 22 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville Exit, North to stop lite in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed one block, turn left again at Cracker Barrel Restaurant. Auction right side 100 feet from your last left turn.

Oklahoma Cattle

December 23, 1975
51 and Tuesday Feeder Cattle Auction:
 Cattle and calves 500
 Same Day last week 4100
 Trade moderate, slaughter cows steady instances 50 lower on Utility; slaughter bulls steady instances instances 50 higher, not enough slaughter heifers sold to test trends. Feeder cattle and calves generally steady. Cows and bulls near 60 percent, feeders near 40 percent of total.
SLAUGHTER COWS: Utility and few commercial

Peoria Cattle

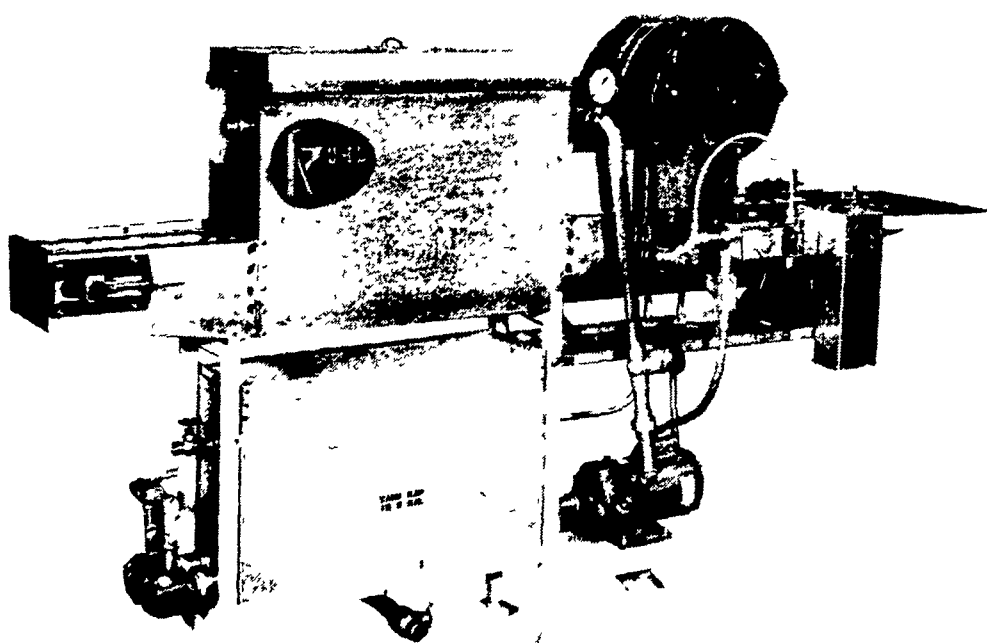
December 24
51 Cattle Weekly Receipts
 This Week (3 days) 4859
 Last Week 8257
 Last Year 3087
 Compared to last Friday, slaughter steers and heifers on Wednesday 50-1.00 higher. Cows 1.00-2.00 higher. Bulls steady.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 1200-1425 lbs. yield grade 3-4, 48.50-50.25. Choice 1050-1250 lbs. yield grade 2-4, 44.50-47.50; 950-1050 lbs. 43.50-45.00. Mixed Good and Choice 42.00-45.00. Good 35.50-42.00.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 900-1100 lbs. yield grade 3-4, 43.00-43.50. About 3 loads 44.00-44.75. Choice 850-1000 lbs. yield grade 2-4, 41.50-43.00; 700-850 lbs. 35.50-41.50. Mixed Good and Choice 750-1000 lbs. 32.50-39.50. Good 28.50-34.50.
COWS: Utility and Commercial 19.00-24.00. Few high dressing utility 25.00-26.00. Cutter 17.00-22.50. Canner 12.00-18.00.
 21.00-24.50, couple lots higher dressing utility 25.00; cutter 17.50-21.00.
SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1250-1775 lb. 26.00-31.50.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple small packages good 623-671 lb. 37.25-39.75, load 528 lb. at 40.40. Mixed Good and Choice 525-900 lb. 32.25-37.50, bulk 34.00-37.00; few good, 575-753 lb. holsteins 25.00-28.00.
FEEDER HEIFERS: Few Choice 367-500 lb. 27.50-28.50, lot 622 lb. 30.50 couple lots mixed good and choice 465-525 lb. 25.25-26.00; good 350-640 lb. 20.00-22.50.

Dewart

Dewart, PA December 22, 1975
CATTLE 224. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers grading Utility to Good uneven, mostly steady to 50 cents higher. Slaughter cows \$2.50 to \$3.50 higher. Good slaughter steers 39.50-44.75, individual at 45.50, Standard 33.00-37.50, Utility 27.50-32.50. Individual Good slaughter heifer at 37.25, few Standard 29.25-32.50, few Utility 23.50-26.50. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.00-27.50, individual at 30.25, Cu. No. 23.00-25.50, Canners 20.50-23.00, few Shells down to 18.75. Few Good slaughter bullocks 33.00-38.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1650 lbs. slaughter bulls 26.00-32.00. Few Medium and Good 300-600 lbs. feeder heifers 16.00-22.25.
CALVES 217. Vealers grading Utility \$1 to \$3 lower. Few Choice vealers 52.50-58.00, Good 40.00-48.00, few Standard 29.00-43.50, Utility 90-120 lbs. 23.00-28.00, 70-85 lbs. 18.00-23.00.
HOGS 226. Barrows and gilts 25 cents to 75 cents lower. US No. 1-2 210-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 52.10-52.40, No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. 51.50-52.00. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 38.00-46.00, few No. 2-3 500-750 lbs. 32.75-40.50. Few Boars 30.00-33.50.
FEEDER PIGS 121. US No. 1-3 15-25 lbs. feeder pigs 16.50-23.00 per head, No. 1-3 30-35 lbs. 24.00-32.00, No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 34.50-40.00 per head.
SHEEP 1. NOT ENOUGH FOR A MARKET TEST.

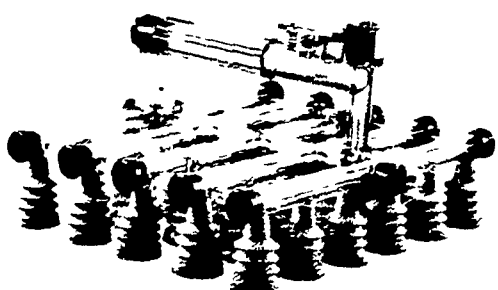
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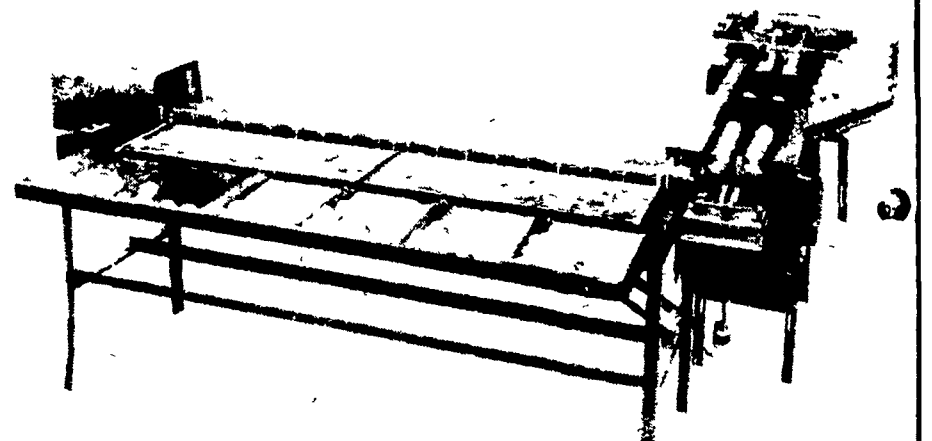
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