

East coast carlot meats

Wednesday, Jan. 7

Compared with Tuesday's close: beef trading fairly active, demand good early, fair late. Choice steer beef 1.25-2.25 higher, good steer beef 1.50 higher. Choice heifer beef not established, good 1.25-1.50 higher. Cow beef steady to 50 higher in very limited trading. Bull beef steady. Fresh pork trade fairly active although trading limited as light supplies face a good demand. Pork loins 3.50 higher, picnics steady, hams steady to 1.00 higher, no test on other cuts.

Steer Beef

Choice YG 3 600-900 lb. 74.75 1.25-2.25 higher; Good 500-600 lb. 70.50; Good 600-800 lb. 71.00 1.50 higher.

Heifer Beef

Good 500-700 lb. 70.00 1.25-1.50 higher.

Cow Beef

Utility (Brkg) 350-700 lb. Limited 51.50 Steady - 50 higher; Utility (Bong) 350-700 lb. Limited 51.50 Steady - 50 higher; Canner & Cutter 350-700 lb. Limited 52.00 Steady - 50 higher.

Bull Beef

Yield grade 1&2 500-1000 lb. 54.00-54.50 Steady.

Lamb

CH G PR YG 2&3 35-55 lb. 100.00-105.00; 55-65 lb. 98.00-100.00; 65-75 lb. 96.00.

Domestic Boneless Beef - Trimmings

90 Pct. Chem. Lean 68.00-69.00 Steady - 1.00 lower; 50 Pct. Chem. Lean 38.00 Steady - 1.00 lower.

Fresh Pork Cuts

Loins (Reg.) 8-17 lb. 102.50-103.50 3.50 higher; Picnics (Reg.) 8 lb. & up 59.00-60.00 Steady; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 lb. 91.00 Steady - 50 higher, 17-20 lb. 86.00-87.00 50 - 1.00 higher, 20-26 lb. 83.00 Steady - 50 higher.

Carlisle

Carlisle, Pa. January 6, 1976

CATTLE 278. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter cows steady to 25 cents higher. Good slaughter steers 38.75-43.25, one at 45.75, Standard 33.25-38.25, Utility 27.75-34.00. One Good slaughter heifer at 33.00, two Standard 28.10 and 28.75, few Utility 22.75-29.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.50-26.60, Cutters 23.00-24.85, Canners 20.75-23.50, Shells down to 15.00. Two Good slaughter bullocks 30.25 and 31.75, few Standard 28.75-30.50, one Utility 22.75. Two Yield Grade No. 1 11495 and 1560 lbs. slaughter bulls 30.00 and 31.00; one yield grade No. 2 1215 lbs. 29.75.

CALVES 212. Vealers mostly steady, spots \$3 higher. One prime vealer at 70.50, Choice 53.50-68.50, Good 50.00-63.00, Standard 36.00-50.00, few Utility 110-125 lbs. 28.00-36.00, 90-115 lbs. 22.00-27.50, 65-85 lbs. 15.00-22.00. Farm calves active, holstein bulls 100-120 lbs. 32.50-44.50.

HOGS 339. Barrows & Gilts mostly steady. US No. 1-2 200-225 lbs. barrows & gilts 50.50-50.85, No. 1-3 195-240 lbs. 50.10-50.75, No. 2-3 195-250 lbs. 49.00-50.10. US No. 1-3 300-510 lbs. sows 38.50-42.50, one at 44.25, few No. 2-3 510-635 lbs. 32.25-39.25. Boars 33.00-34.50.

FEEDER PIGS 187. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 25.00-28.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 32.00-37.00, No. 1-3 45-70 lbs. 45.00-49.00 per head.

SHEEP 26. Good & Choice 70-95 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 39.00-54.00, few Good 45-80 lbs. 30.00-34.00. Few Slaughter ewes 10.50-13.75.

Belleville

Belleville, PA January 7

CATTLE 174. Few Standard slaughter steers 32.75-35.75, Utility 29.00-33.10. Few Standard slaughter heifers 31.00-32.25, few Utility 24.75-28.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.85-27.10, individual at 27.75, Cutters 22.85-25.35, Canners 20.85-23.00, Shells down to 18.00. Few Utility slaughter bullocks 25.50-28.70. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1650 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.20-30.60.

CALVES 185. Choice vealers 65.00-70.00, Good 47.00-61.00, Standard 35.00-46.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 23.00-26.00, 70-85 lbs. 17.00-22.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 24.50-35.50.

HOGS 124. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.80-52.40, No. 1-3 195-230 lbs. 50.90-51.80, few lots No. 2-3 230-250 lbs. 50.50-51.00. US No. 1-3 300-525 lbs. sows 40.50-46.50. Few Boars 31.50-32.75.

FEEDER PIGS 315. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-34.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 30.00-49.00, Utility 20-25 lbs. 17.00-21.00 per head.

SHEEP 23. Mixed Good and Low Choice 70-110 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 41.00-49.00, few Utility and Good 70-100 lbs. 31.00-37.00.

Thomasville

Thomasville, Pa. January 7, 1976

CATTLE 107. Choice, individual 1390 lbs. slaughter steer at 45.00, few Standard 31.25-38.00, few Utility 28.10-29.35. Few Choice 800-950 lbs. slaughter heifers 35.35-40.00; individual Good at 31.25. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.00-26.85, Cutters 21.85-24.25, Canners 19.25-22.35, Shells down to 15.00. Individual Standard slaughter bullock

at 27.60, one Utility at 25.50. Individual Yield Grade No. 1, 1345 lbs. slaughter bull at 34.75.

CALVES 80. Few Choice vealers 56.50-57.50, few Good 39.50-49.50, few Standard 27.00-37.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 23.00-26.00, few 115 lbs at 23.50-26.50, few 75-85 lbs. 19.00-23.00.

HOGS 15. Few US No. 2-3 210-250 lbs barrows and gilts 50.00-50.35. Individual US No. 1-3 310 lbs. sows at 43.75. Individual Boars 200 lbs. at 32.75.

FEEDER PIGS 10. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

SHEEP 3. Lot Choice 100 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs at 48.50.

St. Louis Auction

January 8

FEEDERS: Including around 800 at regular Thursday auction. Feeder steers and Heifers strong to 1.00 higher, except feeder steers over 700 lbs. weak to 1.00 lower. Supply mainly choice 400-700 lb. Feeder Steers and 400-600 lb. feeder Heifers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 300-400 lbs. 26.00-31.50; 400-500 lbs. 30.00-34.25; 500-600 lbs. 33.00-36.00; 600-700 lbs. 35.00-38.25. Part load fleshy 655 lbs. at 39.00; 700-900 lbs. 35.50-37.75. Mixed good and choice 300-400 lbs. 24.00-29.00; 400-500 lbs. 26.00-30.50; 500-800 lbs. 28.00-32.00. Standard and good holsteins 600-800 lbs. 23.00-25.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 400-500 lbs. 23.00-30.00; 500-600 lbs. 26.00-31.50; 600-700 lbs. 29.00-32.00. Mixed Good and Choice 400-500 lbs. 22.00-25.00; 500-600 lbs. 22.75-27.00.

Leesport Auction

January 7, 1976

CATTLE 286. Supply included 59 head feeder cattle. Few Good and Choice slaughter steers 44.50-45.25, Good 41.50-44.75, few Utility 24.25-32.00. Individual Choice slaughter heifer at 41.50, few Good 32.00-38.25, few Standard 30.00-32.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 26.00-29.10, Cutters 24.00-27.50, Canners 20.00-22.60, Shells down to 14.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 38.00-41.00, few Good 33.25-35.25, Standard 26.00-30.00. Individual Yield Grade No. 1, 1420 and 1595 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.50-30.25; couple Yield Grade No. 2, 1175 and 1305 lbs. 26.00 and 27.75. Good and Choice 400-600 lbs. feeder steers 34.00-35.50, Good 300-1050 lbs. 30.00-34.00, Medium 380-1000 lbs. 24.00-30.25.

CALVES 139. Choice vealers 57.00-60.00, Good 49.00-55.00, Standard 38.00-48.00, Utility 110-135 lbs. 30.00-40.00, 90-110 lbs. 23.50-30.00, 70-85 lbs. 17.00-23.50.

HOGS 355. US No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 52.75-53.50, No. 2-3 190-250 lbs. 51.00-52.75, No. 2-4 200-310 lbs. 46.00-51.50, No. 1-3 130-180 lbs. 43.00-49.60. US No. 1-3 300-520 lbs. sows 40.00-43.50, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 35.00-40.00. Boars 33.00-39.00.

FEEDER PIGS 157. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-34.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 36.00-49.00, No. 1-3 50-100 lbs. 50.00-59.00, few Utility 20-35 lbs. 9.00-15.00 per head.

SHEEP 11. Few Choice 55-100 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 45.00-50.00, few Good 60-65 lbs. 35.00-41.00.

Middleburg

Middleburg, PA

January 6

CATTLE 209. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers steady to 1/2 higher. Slaughter cows mostly \$1 to \$1.75 lower. One Choice slaughter steer at 45.00, Good 39.00-42.75, Standard 33.75-38.50, few Utility 30.00-33.75. Couple Good slaughter heifers 35.00 and 36.00, Utility 26.00-31.50 Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.85-27.50, one at 29.50, Cutters 23.00-25.00, Canners 20.75-23.00, few Shells down to 19.75. Few Good slaughter bullocks 32.85-38.00, few Standard 29.25-32.50, few Utility 25.25-29.75. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1200-1700 lbs. slaughter bulls 26.50-32.75. Few Medium & Good 600-750 lbs. feeder bulls 20.50-23.00.

CALVES 140. Vealers grading Standard to Choice uneven, Utility steady to \$3 higher. Couple Prime vealers 66.00 and 72.00, Choice 57.00-68.00, Good 46.00-59.00, Standard 35.00-43.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 24.50-27.50, 70-85 lbs. 20.00-23.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 100-125 lbs. 27.00-34.50.

HOGS 392. Barrows & gilts steady to 25 cents, spots 50 cents higher. US No. 1-2 200-245 lbs. barrows & gilts 51.00-52.20, No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. 50.60-51.00, No. 2-3 240-255 lbs. 50.00-50.50. US No. 1-3 275-500 lbs. sows 39.50-46.00.

FEEDER PIGS 77. US No. 1-3 20-40 lb. feeder pigs 21.50-43.00 per head.

SHEEP 7. Few Choice 95-105 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 48.00-55.00.

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