Leesport Auction

Leesport, PA

Jan. 14, 1976 CATTLE 315. Supply included 68 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers \$1 to \$1.50 lower. Slaughter cows weak to \$2 lower. Choice slaughter steers 42.75-46.00, Good 38.75-43.25, Standard 31.00-39.00, Utility & Low Standard 25.75-30.75. Few Good slaughter heifers 35.00-37.75, few Standard 32.00-34.00, one Utility at 27.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.00-27.00, one at 27.60, Cutters 23.10-24.50, Canners 20.00-22.35, Shells down to 16.50. One Good slaughter bullocks at 37.25, few Standard 28.75-31.25, few Utility 25.85-27.25. One Yield Grade No. 1 1290 lbs. slaughter bull at 29.00. Choice 300-850 lbs. feeder steers 35.25-40.50, Good & Choice 280-700 lbs. 30.00-33.00, few Medium 400-860 lbs. 25.75-29.75; one lot Choice 300 lbs. feeder bulls

CALVES 145. Vealers grading Standard & Good \$1 to \$5 higher, Utility uneven. One Prime Vealer at 70.00, few Choice 58.00-65.00, Good 50.00-60.00, Standard 41.00-54.00, Utility & Low Standard 110-130 lbs. 30.00-45.00, 90-110 lbs. 20.00-26.50, 70-85 lbs. 18.00-22.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-110 lbs. 25.00-33.00.

HOGS 248. Barrows & Gilts weak to \$1 lower. US No. 1-3 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.00-52.35, No. 2-3 190-250 lbs. 50.85-51.85, No. 2-4 250-300 lbs. 50.00-51.10, No. 1-3 170-185 lbs. 49.75-50.50. US No. 1-2 300-500 lbs. sows 45.75-50.50, No. 1-3 300-550

Thomasville

Thomasville, Pa. Jan. 14, 1976

CATTLE 118. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows steady to strong. Few Good slaughter steers 39.60-41.75, few Standard 33.10-39.00, couple Utility 30.00 and 30.25. Few Choice 850-1150 lbs. slaughter heifers 34.35-36.50, few Good 29.60-32.75, one Standard at 27.85. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.60-26.10, one at 26.60, few Cutters 23.25-24.25, few Canners 21.85-22.35, Shells down to 19.85. One Standard slaughter bullock at 29.50. One Yield Grade No. 1 1260 lbs. slaughter bull at 33.10. Few good 350-850 lbs. feeder steers 29.85-34.25, few Medium 325-340 lbs. 29.50-29.60; few Medium 320-700 lbs. feeder heifers 22.25-24.00.

CALVES 63. Vealers 50 cents to \$2 lower. Few Choice vealers 56.00-62.50, few good 39.50-46.00, few Standard 26.00-28.50, Utility 90-110 lbs. 21.00-24.50, 70-85 lbs. 18.50-21.50.

HOGS 25. Lot US No. 1-3 240 lbs. barrows & gilts 51.00, lot No. 2-3 225 lbs. 51.75, few No. 2-4 280-360 lbs. 46.75-55.50, lot No. 2-4 180 lbs. 50.00. Few US No. 1-3 325-420 lbs. sows 38.25-45.50.

FEEDER PIGS 23. Lot Utility 23 lbs. feeder pigs 27.50 per head, few 50-70 lbs. 30.50-39.00 per head.

SHEEP 2. Lot Good 100 lbs wooled slaughter lambs 47.50.

East Coast Carlot Meats

January 14, 1978
Compared to Tuesday's close: beef trade slow, demand modest. Choice steer beef steady to 1.00 lower, instances 1.50 off. Good steer beef 1.00 lower. No comparison heifer beef. Canner & Cutter cow beef steady. Lamb steady to 2.00 higher than late last week. Fresh pork trade slow; compared to Monday loins 1.50-6.00 lower; picnics 4.50-5.50 lower; hams 3.00-4.00 lower. Other cuts poorly tested.

Steer Beef Choice 600-900 lb. YG 3 71.50-72.00, mostly 72.00 1.00 lwr, instances 1.50 lower; Good 600-900 lb. YG 4 69.50-70.00 Steady, 600-800 lb. YG 3 Lmtd. 69.50 1.00 lower.

Heifer Beef Good 500-700 lb. YG 3 68.50. Cow Beef

Utility (Brkg) 350-700 lb. lbs. 40.00-44.25. Boars 36.00-

42.00, one 300 lbs. at 48.50. FEEDER PIGS 197. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 20.00-32.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 30.00-45.00, few Utility 10-15 lbs. 3.00-11.00 per head.

SHEEP 2. Two Choice 95-100 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 51.00 and 52.00.

50.00-51.00; Utility (Bng) 350-700 lb. 50.50-51.00; Canner & Cutter 350-700 lb. 50.00-51.00

> Lamb Compared to Last Thursday

Choice & Prime 2&3 35-50 lb. 102.00-106.00, mostly 103.-104.00 1-2.00 hgh; 50-55 lb. 101.00-103.00, mostly 102.-103.00 Stdy-1 hghr; 55-65 lb. 98.00-100.00 Steady; 65-75 lb. 96.00-97.00 Steady-1.00 higher.

Choice Primal Beef Cuts Yld Gr 3&4

Fores 135-210 lb. 62.50-63.00; Armchucks 80-130 lb. 60.50-61.00 50 higher; Rounds (Steer) 60-95 lb. 86.50 50.

> **Domestic Boneless Beef-Trimmings**

90 Pct Chem Lean 67.00-69.00 Steady - 1.50 lower; 85 Pct Chem Lean 65.00-66.00 1.50-2.50 lower.

Fresh Pork Cuts Loins (Reg.) 8-14 lb. 103.00-104.00 5.00 lowr than Monday, 14-17 lb. 102.00-103.00 6.00 lowr than Monday, 17-20 lb. 94.50-95.00 1.50-5.00 Lwr than Monday; Picnics (Reg.) 4-8 lb. 63.00 4.50-5.50 Lwr than Monday; Hams (Sknd) 14-17 lb. 87.50-88.00 3.50-4.00 Lwr than Monday, 17-20 lb. 79.00-79.50 3-3.50 Lwr than Monday, 20-26 lb. 75.00-76.00 4.00 Lower than Monday; Bellies (Sdls Skin

On) No Sales.

Omaha Cattle

Jan. 15 Weekly - 51 - Cattle -Compared with the previous weeks close

Average - Good to Prime slaughter steers 2.50-3.00 lower, standard and low good 50-1.00 off. Heifers 2.00-2.50 lower, and cows also 2.00-2 50 lower. Bulls weak to 1.00 lower.

Four Day Receipts 19,000 as compared 16,900 previous week and 19,200 a year ago. Steers approximately 38 pct. weeks supply, heifers 33 pct., cows 15 pct., and feeders for Friday auction 12 pct.

STEERS: The forepart of Prime 1224-1228 lbs. Yield 29.00-30.00. MGI. Grade 3-4 44.50-44.75. At midweek low time, load High-Choice and Prime 1277 lbs. Yield Grade 4 and load Choice 1175 lbs. Yield Grade 3-4 43.00. Choice 975-1250 lbs. Yield Grade 2-4 closed 41.00-42.50, many at inside price carrying moderate amount of mud. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1200 lbs. 39.50-41.00. Good 900-1225 lbs. 37.00-40.00. Standard and Low-Good 34.00-36.50.

Average of LS-214, detailed quotations, for Choice 900-1100 lbs. steers this week 42.25, Choice 1100-1300 lbs. 42.62.

HEIFERS: Early, Choice 850-1100 lbs. Yield Grade 2-4 41.50-42.75. Closing Prices Choice 850-1050 lbs. Yield New Holland Horse

Special Horse Sale New Holland Sales Jan. 9, 1976

Horses: 230; work horses

Grade 2-4 40.50-41.50, some 800-850 lbs. Yield Grade 3 40,00-40.25. Mixed Good and Choice 750-975 lbs. 38.00-40.00. Good 32.00-37.50. Small lots Standard and Good 27.00-30.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 20.50-22.50, few 22.75-23.00. Canner and Cutter 16.00-20.50, mixed Cutter and low - Utility 20.75-21.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 & 2 1400-2200 lbs. 24.00-28.00, week, four loads Choice and individual Yield Grade 1

from Kentucky 525-850 f singles; Pa. driving - 27 420; New York driving 22 410; Tenn. work horses pair 1325-2075; singles 610-100 Tenn. mules pairs 1130-1800 singles 390-890; Tenn. was horses singles 450-515; No. Carolina work horses pan 950-1450 and singles 425-550 local work horse pairs 1175 1900 and mule pairs 850-1275

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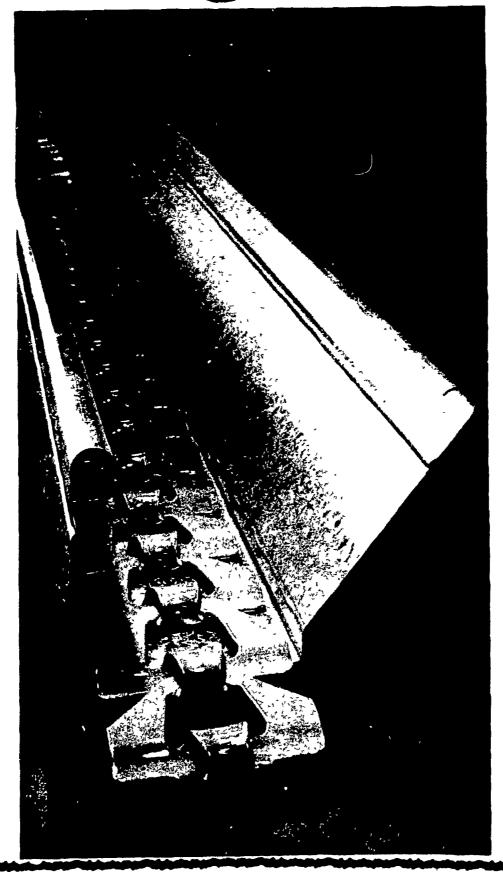
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