

Pa. Auction Summary

Week Ending
Jan. 23, 1976

CATTLE 6283. Compared with 7800 head last week, and 5461 head a year ago. Compared with last week's

Chambersburg

Chambersburg, PA
Jan. 22, 1976

CATTLE 373. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers grading Utility to Good 50 cents to \$2 lower. Slaughter cows 75 cents to \$1.50 higher. One Choice slaughter steer at 42.25, Good 37.00-41.00, Standard 33.00-36.50, Utility 27.00-32.50. Good slaughter heifers 33.00-35.50, Standard 30.50-32.50, Utility 26.50-30.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.85-28.50, Cutters 24.00-26.50, Canners 22.00-24.00, Shells down to 18.75. Few Good slaughter bullocks 31.35-35.75, few Standard 30.10-33.00, few Utility 28.60-30.25. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1350-1700 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.10-32.25.

CALVES 443. Vealers grading Standard to Choice steady to \$2 higher, Utility \$6 to \$8 higher. Choice vealers 65.00-78.50, Good 49.00-65.00, Standard 38.00-52.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 30.00-35.00, 70-85 lbs. 28.00-31.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 35.00-46.00.

HOGS 68. Barrows & gilts \$1.50 to \$2 higher. US No. 1-3 205-225 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.25-51.60, one lot No. 2-3 250 lbs. at 49.85, one lot No. 2-4 360 lbs. at 42.25. US No. 1-3 360-500 lbs. sows 41.50-48.00. Few Boars 31.50-39.00.

FEEDER PIGS 18. One Lot US No. 1-3 45 lbs. feeder pigs at 38.00 per head, few No. 1-3 20-25 lbs. 22.00-27.00 per head.

SHEEP 19. Few Choice 85-90 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 48.50-50.50, one lot Good 85 lbs. at 41.50. Few slaughter ewes 10.00-13.00.

Middleburg

Middleburg, PA
January 27, 1976

CATTLE 225. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers grading Standard & Good \$1.50 to \$3.50 lower. Slaughter cows \$2 to \$2.50 higher. One Choice slaughter steer at 40.00, Good 34.75-37.25, Standard 32.00-35.00. One Good slaughter heifer at 33.00, couple Standard at 31.00, few Utility 26.35-28.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 27.00-29.60, Cutters 25.00-27.50, Canners 22.75-25.00, few Shells down to 20.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 34.25-36.50, few Standard 31.00-32.50, few Utility 27.75-29.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1200-1950 lbs. slaughter bulls 28.75-33.00. Few Medium & Good 350-600 lbs. feeder steers & bulls 20.00-27.50.

CALVES 161. Vealers \$1.50 to mostly \$4 to \$7 higher. Few Prime vealers 75.00-79.00, Choice 64.00-74.00, Good 48.00-60.00, Standard 38.00-45.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 31.00-37.00, 70-85 lbs. 27.00-31.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 33.00-41.50.

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market, slaughter steers steady to mostly \$1.25 lower. Slaughter heifers uneven, mostly weak to \$1.50 lower. Slaughter cows fully steady. Slaughter bullocks uneven. Slaughter bulls mostly steady.

STEERS: High Choice & Prime 44.00-46.10, Choice 42.00-45.00, Good 37.00-42.00, Standard 31.75-38.50, Utility 25.00-32.00. **HEIFERS:** Few Choice 39.00-42.00, Good 32.00-38.50, Standard 28.00-32.50, Utility 22.00-28.00. **COWS:** Utility & High Dressing Cutter 24.50-28.00, few to 29.00, Cutters 22.50-26.00, Canners 20.00-23.50, Shells down to 14.00. **BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 38.00-44.50, Good 31.50-37.00, few Standard 28.00-33.00, few Utility 21.50-30.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2000 lbs. 28.00-35.00; yield grade No. 2 900-1600 lbs. 25.00-31.50. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Few Choice 250-600 lbs. feeder steers 30.00-36.00, Good 300-800 lbs. 27.00-32.00, Medium 20.00-26.75; Good 300-600 lbs. feeder heifers 21.00-30.00, Medium 250-500 lbs. 18.00-25.00; Medium & Good 300-800 lbs. feeder bulls 20.00-28.50.

CALVES 3687. Compared with 4502 head last week, and 3652 head a year ago. Vealers fully \$2 higher, spots \$3 higher. Few Prime 75.00-84.00, Choice 60.00-75.00, Good 48.00-65.00, Standard 35.00-52.00, Utility 110-130 lbs. 28.00-40.00, 90-115 lbs. 22.00-30.00, 65-85 lbs. 18.00-26.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 26.00-45.00. **HOGS 7295.** Compared with 7630 head last week, and 6027 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts mostly steady to \$1 higher throughout week; although much unevenness. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 52.00-54.00, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 51.00-53.00, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 49.50-52.00, No. 2-4 240-325 lbs. 47.00-50.50, No. 1-3 150-190 lbs. 41.00-49.00. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. sows 41.50-49.00, No. 2-3 390-600 lbs. 35.00-43.00. Boars 31.50-40.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1075.



FEB. 2-8, 1976

Wintry boughs against a wintry sky.

Don't forget to feed the birds Charles Lindbergh born Feb 4, 1903 First quarter of the moon Feb 8 Groundhog Day Feb 2 (If fair and clear, two winters this year) Average length of days for the week, 10 hours, 6 minutes American Episcopal Church founded Feb 4, 1887 Shoe rationing began Feb 7, 1943 Tradition this year doth report that maidens are allowed to court



ladle (picking up the batter, likely)

Home Hints: Make sure the pan you are using is big enough when cooking rice. It swells three to four times its measure. Riddle answer: Because they lie too long in them.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Week is mostly sunny, cold and fair, except for some flurries midweek.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Early week seasonably cold, some light snow; clear and very cold through weekend.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Sunny and seasonable to start, then some light rain, very cold, some light snow latter part.

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Week begins rainy, snow inland, then sunny and cold, showers, then mostly sunny and cold at week's end.

Florida: First few days cold and rainy, possible snow in northwest, then becoming fair and continuing cold; rest of week sunny and cold, few showers in south.

Upstate N.Y.-Toronto & Montreal: Seasonable weather to start, sunny in central and east, then snow, intermittent light snow and cold latter part.

Greater Ohio Valley: Light snow and very cold all week; intensely cold latter part.

Deep South: Sunny and cold through midweek, then light rain, mixed with snow in north, latter part clear and cold, except warming by week's end.

Compared with 1275 head last week, and 1141 head a year ago. Feeder pigs mostly steady. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 18.00-32.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 31.00-45.00, few No. 1-3 50-100 lbs. 45.00-63.00, Utility 15-35 lbs. 12.00-29.00 per head.

SHEEP 640. Compared with 670 head last week, and 395 head a year ago. Wooled slaughter lambs uneven, mostly \$1 lower. Choice 75-110 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 48.00-51.00, few to 55.00, Good 60-100 lbs. 38.00-47.00, few Utility 50-90 lbs. 23.00-30.00. Slaughter ewes 7.00-15.50.

Chicago & Southern Great Lakes: Week begins with light snow, then extreme cold by midweek, partly cloudy, very cold and scattered flurries rest of week.

Northern Great Lakes: Partly sunny, light snow to start, general flurries latter part, and very cold in central and east, but moderating by week's end.

Central Great Plains: Northeast is very cold and snowy most of week, somewhat milder at week's end, mild with some flurries in west.

Texas-Oklahoma: Early week clear and colder than normal, except in west, then some rain in southeast midweek, clear and warming over weekend.

Rocky Mountain: Mostly sunny, dry, warming up in south and light rain or snow in north and west latter part.

Southwest Desert: Week begins fair and cool, then warming to above normal, clear and unseasonably warm latter part, cooler in west on weekend.

Pacific Northwest: Beginning of week is rainy, then partly cloudy and dry by midweek, drizzle latter part turns to rain by end of week.

California: Partly sunny and cool, some fog inland to start, then turning warm in south, rainy weekend, light snow in mountains.

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