

# Livestock market and auction news

## Omaha Cattle

Omaha  
June 24, 1976

Weekly 51 - Cattle - compared with the previous week's close -

Closing prices on slaughter steers were 50-150 lower with yield grade 4-5 1225-1400 lbs. and 2-3, holsteins fully 1.00-1.50 off. Heifers were mostly 1.00 lower. Utility and commercial cows were steady, canner and cutter weak to 50 cents lower in dull late trade. Bulls were steady.

Four day receipts this week 18,500, 20,100 previous week and 17,400 a year ago.

**STEERS:** The forepart of week, several loads Choice 2-3 1025-1175 lbs. 41.25-41.50, with Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1228 lbs. 40.50-41.00. At the close, few loads Choice and Prime 3-4 1225-1275 lbs. 38.25-39.00 and during the week numerous loads same grade 4 1225-1452 lbs. 37.00-38.00, with 4-5 35.00-36.50. Choice 2-4 1000-1225 lbs. closed 39.00-40.00, 1225-1275 lbs. 3-4 38.00-39.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 975-1225 lbs. 38.50-39.50. Good 2-3 950-1325 lbs. 35.00-38.00. Holsteins mainly 35.00-36.50. Standard and low-Good 2-3 34.50-35.50.

Average of LS-214, detailed quotations for Choice 900-1100 lb. steers this week 39.88; Choice 1100-1300 lbs. 38.90. Average weight of steers this week 1137 lbs. as compared 1147 lbs. previous week. Average weight of heifers this week 987 lbs. as compared 971 lbs. previous week.

**HEIFERS:** Few loads Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1075 lbs. 40.50-41.25 forepart of week, same grade 39.50-40.00 late. Choice 2-4 875-1150 lbs. closed 38.00-39.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 37.00-38.25, occasionally to 38.50. Good 2-3 35.50-37.00. Small lots standard and low-good 2-3 33.50-35.00.

## Greencastle

Greencastle, Pa.  
June 21, 1976

**CATTLE 201.** Compared with 2 week's ago market; few Choice slaughter steers 36.10-37.35, few Standard 33.85-35.00. Few Good slaughter heifers 36.75-37.60, few Standard 29.00-33.60, few Utility 25.00-27.25. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 28.00-30.25, Cutters 25.60-27.85, Canners 22.25-24.50, Shells down to 18.00. One Good slaughter bullock at 36.10, Standard 33.00-35.85. Yield Grade No. 2 1050-1380 lbs. slaughter bulls 33.00-37.10. Good 575-820 lbs. feeder steers 37.00-39.25, Medium 390-770 lbs. 30.00-36.50; Medium & Good 300-780 lbs. feeder heifers 25.00-33.75; few Good 300-675 lbs. feeder bulls 32.00-39.00.

**CALVES 223.** Couple Choice vealers 52.50 and 54.00, couple Good 48.00 and 49.00, few Standard 42.00-42.50, few Utility 110-130 lbs. 34.00-38.50, 90-110 31.50-34.00, 60-85 lbs. 26.50-32.00.

**HOGS 35.** US No. 2-3 195-220 lbs. barrows & gilts 50.50-51.85. One Boar at 33.75.

**FEEDER PIGS 50.** US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 32.00-38.00 per head, No. 1-3 40-55 lbs. 40.00-44.00 per head, one lot 20 lbs. 20.00 per head.

**SHEEP 16.** Good 85-90 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 40.50-43.00, Couple Slaughter ewes 11.50 and 14.00.



**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 2-4 25.00-28.00. Canner and Cutter 21.00-25.00, mixed Cutter and Utility 25.25-25.50.

**BULLS:** 1-2 1400-1800 lbs. 32.00-36.00, individual 1 36.50-37.00, couple high dressing 38.00.

## Leb. Valley

Fredericksburg, Pa.  
June 22, 1976

**CATTLE 315.** Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers and cows 50 cents to \$1 lower. Slaughter bullocks 50 cents to \$1.50 lower. Choice slaughter steers 37.60-39.50, one High Choice at 40.50, Good 36.25-38.00, Standard 32.00-36.50, Utility 29.75-32.00. Choice slaughter heifers 36.00-37.35, Good 34.35-36.35, Standard 31.60-33.85. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 29.85-32.00, three head 32.60-32.85, Cutters 28.00-30.75, Canners 23.10-27.75, Shells down to 16.75. Few Good and Choice slaughter bullocks 37.00-38.10, Good 34.50-36.35, Standard 31.10-35.50. Yield Grade No. 1, 1300-1800 lbs. slaughter bulls 34.85-38.25, Yield Grade No. 2, 1100-1500 lbs. 31.60-34.50. Good 350-800 lbs. feeder steers 33.00-35.60; Medium 400-625 lbs. feeder heifers 25.00-29.35; Good 480-830 lbs. feeder bulls 30.10-36.85.

## Dewart

Dewart, Pa.  
June 21, 1976

**CATTLE 229.** Compared with 2 week's ago market, One High Choice No. 1 slaughter steer at 40.00, Choice No. 2-4 950-1300 lbs. 36.85-38.85, Good 35.00-37.00, Standard 33.00-35.00; few Utility 29.50-32.00. Few Good slaughter heifers 35.10-35.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 29.00-31.25, one at 31.85, Cutters 26.85-28.85, Canners 23.85-27.00, few Shells down to 19.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 35.75-37.75, few Utility 28.25-31.75. Few Choice 400-500 lbs. feeder bulls 33.00-35.75.

**CALVES 190.** One Prime vealer at 57.00, Choice 45.00-50.00, Good 37.00-44.50, few Standard 34.00-38.00, Utility

**CALVES 201.** Vealers \$5 to \$6 lower. One Choice vealer at 55.00, few Good 46.50-50.00, Standard 32.00-38.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 28.00-32.00, 70-85 lbs. 22.00-29.50. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 95-115 lbs. 30.50-35.50; Holstein heifers 95-125 lbs. 30.00-36.50.

90-105 lbs. 30.00-33.00; few 70-85 lbs. 27.50-31.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 32.00-37.00.

**HOGS 341.** US No. 1-2 190-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.90-53.50, No. 1-3 195-240 lbs. 51.80-52.80, No. 2-3 235-255 lbs. 50.40-51.40. US No. 2-3 400-575 lbs. sows 32.25-37.00. Few Boars 32.25-36.25.

**FEEDER PIGS 167.** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 24.00-38.00 per head, No. 1-3 40-45 lbs. 37.00-42.50, few lots No. 1-3 60-75 lbs. 49.00-49.50 per head.

**SHEEP 16.** Choice 85-120 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 50.00-52.50. Few Slaughter ewes 9.50-17.00.



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