

Livestock market and auction news

Pa. Auction Summary

January 18, 1977

CATTLE 7524. Compared with 6037 head last week, and 5992 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers steady. Slaughter heifers steady to \$1 lower. Slaughter cows 50 cents to \$2 lower, most decline at end of week. Slaughter bullocks steady to \$1 lower. Slaughter bulls unevenly steady.

STEERS: High Choice & Prime 40.25-42.00, Choice 37.50-41.25, Good 33.50-38.00, Standard 30.00-35.00, Utility 26.00-31.00. **HEIFERS:** Choice 34.00-38.75, Good 30.00-35.75, Standard 27.00-31.00, Utility 23.00-28.00.

COWS: Utility & High Dressing Cutter 24.50-29.60, Cutters 23.25-27.50, Canners 20.50-24.75, Shells down to 15.00. **BULLOCKS:** Few Coice 35.60-41.50, Good 32.50-37.50, few Standard 29.00-34.00, few Utility 24.35-29.85.

BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1100-2000 lbs. 30.00-38.25; few yield grade No. 2 900-1500 lbs. 27.00-33.00. **FEEDER CATTLE** Few Choice 500-875 lbs. feeder steers 33.50-37.75, Good 300-700 lbs. 29.00-34.00; Good & Choice 350-600 lbs. feeder heifers 24.50-33.00, Medium 300-700 lbs 18.00-26.50; Good & Choice 400-700 lbs. feeder bulls 25.00-35.00.

CALVES 4987. Compared with 4251 head last week, and 4209 head a year ago.

Vealers steady to \$5 lower

VEALERS Prime 72.00-78.00, Choice 59.00-74.00, Good 45.00-67.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 38.00-55.00, 90-110 lbs. 30.00-45.00, Standard 70-90 lbs 22.00-36.00, Utility 60-100 lbs. 10.00-26.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-115 lbs 36.00-53.00.

HOGS 6656. Compared with 6220 head last week, and 6299 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts 75 cents to \$2.50 lower.

BARROWS & GILTS: US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 40.00-43.25, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 38.50-42.25, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 38.00-41.50, few No. 2-4 220-300 lbs. 33.00-40.00, No. 1-3 125-180 lbs. 25.75-36.00. US No. 1-3 285-600 lbs. sows 29.00-38.50, No. 2-3 270-700 lbs. 27.00-32.50. Boars 16.50-24.50.

FEEDER PIGS 1394. Compared with 985 head last week, and 1067 head a year ago. (1109 head in graded sales). US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-22.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 10.50-36.50, No. 1-3 50-100 lbs. 21.00-32.00, Utility 25-40 lbs. 5.00-18.00 per head.

SHEEP 453. Compaed with 328 head last week, and 427 head a year ago. Woolled slaughter lambs uneven. Choice 70-110 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 46.00-59.00, few Good 60-100 lbs. 37.50-48.00. Slaughter ewes 9.00-18.00.

Martinsburg

Martinsburg, Pa.
January 31, 1977

CATTLE 294. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers 25 cents to 50 cents lower, spots \$2 lower. Slaughter heifers 50 cents to \$2 lower. Slaughter cows \$2 to \$3 lower, Canner \$4 to \$6 lower. Slaughter bullocks \$1.50 to \$3 lower. Slaughter bulls 50 cents to \$2 higher. Choice slaughter steers 37.00-40.00, Good 34.00-36.00, Standard 32.00-35.00, Utility 27.00-31.00. Good slaughter heifers 32.50-35.00, Standard 29.50-33.00, Utility 23.00-26.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaaughter cows 25.50-28.00, Cutters 22.00-25.00, Canners 18.00-22.00, Shells down to 15.00. Good slaughter bullocks 33.00-36.00, Standard 29.00-32.00, Utility 24.50-28.00. Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2000 lbs. slaughter bulls 34.00-36.75; yield grade No. 2 900-1500 lbs. 31.00-34.00. Few Medium & Good 500-650 lbs. feeder steers 23.00-30.00; few

Medium & Good 500-650 lbs. feeder heifers 21.00-24.00.

CALVES 292. Vealers \$1.50 to \$3 higher. Choice vealers 66.50-75.00, Good 56.00-65.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 42.00-55.00, 90-110 lbs. 29.50-43.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 24.00-31.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 37.00-44.00.

HOGS 350. Barrows & Gilts \$1.50 higher, spots \$6 higher. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 42.70-43.70, No. 1-3 190-240 lbs. 41.50-43.25, No. 2-3 200-240 lbs. 41.00-42.50, No. 1-3 150-185 lbs. 34.00-39.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 27.50-34.00. Boars 17.00-20.00.

FEEDER PIGS 31. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

SHEEP 0. No sales on offer.



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February 1, 1977

CATTLE 257. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers steady to 75 cents lower. Slaughter cows uneven, \$1 lower to 75 cents higher. One Prime No. 4 slaughter steer at 41.35, Choice No. 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 37.85-40.00, one at 41.00, Good 34.00-37.35, Standard 31.60-33.85, Utility 28.50-31.50. Few Choice slaughter heifers 33.25-38.25, few Good 31.50-34.85, few Utility & Standard 26.50-29.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.60-27.85, Couple to 29.00, Cutters 24.85-26.50, Canners 22.75-24.75, few Shells down to 20.50. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 33.00-34.10, few Utility 27.60-30.60. Few yield Grade No. 1 1300-1600 slaughter bulls 30.60-34.60.

CALVES 223. Vealers grading Good & Choice \$2 to \$5 lower; Standard & Good

70-110 lbs. steady to \$1 lower.

One Prime vealer at 73.00, Choice 60.00-67.00, Good 43.50-53.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 38.00-43.00, 90-110 lbs. 34.50-38.50, 70-85 lbs 30.00-34.50, few Utility 65-90 lbs. 15.00-25.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 100-125 lbs. 38.00-47.00.

HOGS 427. Barrows & Gilts \$3 to \$3.75 higher. US No. 1-2 200-225 lbs. barrows & gilts 43.50-44.10, No. 1-3 190-225 lbs. 42.50-43.25, No. 2-3 220-275 lbs. 42.35-42.60, No. 1-3 175-195 lbs. 37.35-41.25. US No. 1-3 350-500 lbs. sows 25.50-27.50, few No. 2-3 350-600 lbs. 22.00-24.50. Few Boars 18.00-25.75.

FEEDER PIGS 23. Few lots US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 13.50-19.50 per head, lot No. 1-3 60 lbs. 29.50.

SHEEP 12. One Choice 105 lbs. woolled slaughter lamb at 59.00. Few Slaughter ewes 11.50-30.00.

Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.

January 31, 1977

CATTLE 190. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers grading Good and Choice \$1 higher to \$1 lower. Slaughter cows \$1 to \$2 lower. Choice 2-4, 1000-1250 lbs. 37.25-39.25, Good 35.50-37.25, Standard 31.50-34.50, few Utility 29.75-31.50. Individual Good slaughter heifer at 28.50, Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.35-28.60, one at 29.00, Cutters 23.25-25.25, Canners 21.75-23.50. Few Utility slaughter bullocks 29.50-31.25. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1300-1800 lbs. slaughter bulls 32.75-33.50. Few Good 450-700 lbs. feeder steers and bulls 27.50-36.75.

CALVES 168. Vealers 50 cents to \$3 lower. Few Prime

vealers 69.00-74.50, Choice 56.00-64.00, Good 40.50-53.00, Standard and Good 110-130 lbs. 40.00-42.00, 90-110 lbs. 35.00-39.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 31.00-34.50. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 100-115 lbs. 35.50-42.00.

HOGS 204. Barrows and gilts \$4 higher. US No. 1-2 200-225 lbs. barrows and gilts 44.80-45.60, No. 1-3 190-235 lbs. 44.50-45.00, few lots No. 2-3 245-260 lbs. 41.25-43.40. Few US No. 1-3 300-675 lbs. sows 27.00-33.00. Few Boars 17.00-26.25.

FEEDER PIGS 99. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-26.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 23.00-33.00 per head.

SHEEP 16. Few Mixed Good & Choice 70-115 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 48.50-64.00.

Chambersburg

Chambersburg, Pa.

January 27, 1977

CATTLE 467. Compared with last Thursday's market slaughter steers \$1.50 to \$1.75 lower. Slaughter cows \$1.50 to \$2 lower. Choice slaughter steers 36.00-37.50, Good 33.00-35.00, Standard 30.00-32.00. Good slaughter heifers 32.00-34.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.50-27.35, one at 29.60, Cutters 24.00-25.50, Canners 21.00-24.00, Shells down to 18.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 36.50-38.00, Good 33.00-35.00, Standard 30.00-32.00. Yield Grade No. 1, slaughter bulls 34.50-35.00, few Yield Grade No. 2, 30.00-33.00. Good 450-600 lbs. feeder steers 29.00-34.00; Good and Choice 450-550 lbs. 25.00-29.00. Good and Choice 450-550 lbs. feeder bulls 27.00-35.00.

CALVES 606. Few Prime vealers 76.00-77.00, Choice 65.00-74.00, Good 48.00-62.00, Standard and Good 110-130 lbs. 40.00-48.00, 90-110 lbs. 36.00-40.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 30.00-36.00, Utility 60-80 lbs. 20.00-28.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 45.00-55.00.

HOGS 104. Barrows and gilts 50 cents to \$1 higher. US No. 1 200-220 lbs. barrows and gilts 41.50-42.00, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 40.50-41.50, one lot No. 1-3 130 lbs. at 35.50. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 31.50-34.00. Few Boars 17.00-19.00.

FEEDER PIGS 32. US No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. feeder pigs 12.00-18.00 per head.

SHEEP 20. One Lot Choice 80 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs at 52.00, Utility and Good 85-110 lbs. at 45.00. Few Slaughter ewes 14.00-18.00.

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