

Livestock market and auction news

Pa. Auction Summary

April 22, 1977
CATTLE 9309. Compared with 8313 head last week, and 9161 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers 50 cents to \$1, spots \$2 higher. Slaughter heifers strong to \$1 higher. Slaughter cows mostly 25 cents to \$1 higher. Slaughter bullocks unevenly steady. Slaughter bulls uneven, mostly steady to \$1.50 higher. Feeder Cattle

some unevenness, mostly strong to \$2 higher.
STEERS: High Choice & Prime No. 3-4 39.50-41.85, Choice No. 2-4 1000-1350 lbs. 38.75-41.75, Good 34.50-38.25, Standard 32.00-35.00, few Utility 27.00-32.00.
HEIFERS: Choice No. 2-3 35.00-38.50, Good 32.00-36.00, Standard 30.00-33.00, few Utility 24.00-30.00.
COWS: Utility & High Dressing Cutter 29.50-32.50, few to

33.00, Commercial 28.00-31.00, few to 32.50, Cutters 27.75-31.00, Canners 24.75-28.85, Shells down to 20.00.
BULLOCKS: Choice 35.00-39.50, Good 33.00-37.50, few Standard 31.50-35.00, few Utility 30.00-33.00.
BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2200 lbs. 34.50-38.50; yield grade No. 2 900-1700 lbs. 29.50-36.00.
FEEDER CATTLE: Good & Choice 300-700 lbs. feeder steers 33.00-41.75, Medium & Good 300-700 lbs. 29.00-37.50; Good & Choice 300-800 lbs. feeder heifers 28.00-37.00, few to 45.00, Medium & Good 300-600 lbs. 23.00-33.00; Good & Choice 400-700 lbs. feeder bulls 30.00-38.00, Medium & Good 300-700 lbs. 26.00-36.00.
CALVES 4130. Compared with 3886 head last week, and 4418 head a year ago. Vealers steady to \$3 higher, spots \$5 higher.
VEALERS: Prime 66.00-76.50, few to 84.00, Choice 59.00-72.00, Good 48.00-65.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 38.00-54.00, 90-110 lbs. 33.00-42.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 25.00-36.00, Utility 50-85 lbs. 19.00-30.00. Farm Calves, holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 35.00-52.00; holstein heifers 90-115 lbs. 31.00-50.00.
HOGS 7683. Compared with 6589 head last week, and 6671 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts highly uneven, extremes 50 cents higher to \$1 lower.

BARROWS & GILTS: US No. 1-2, 200-240 lbs. 37.50-39.50, few to 40.00, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 36.00-38.00, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 34.50-37.50, No. 2-4 250-300 lbs. 30.50-35.00, No. 1-3 140-185 lbs. 30.00-35.00. Sows mostly steady to \$1 higher. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 29.00-33.00, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 26.00-29.00. Boars 16.00-24.00, few to 26.25.

FEEDER PIGS 1480. Compared with 1563 head last week, and 1499 head a year ago. Feeder pigs unevenly steady to \$2 higher, spots \$4 higher. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 18.00-31.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 27.00-37.00, few No. 1-3 50-100 lbs. 33.00-49.00, Utility 15-45 lbs. 13.00-25.00 per head.

GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES 1250. Compared with 2244 head last week, feeder pigs were mostly strong to \$10 higher cwt. US No. 1-3 30-45 lbs. 98.00-116.00, 45-60 lbs. 88.00-98.00, No. 2-3 25-40 lbs. 93.00-112.00, 40-60 lbs. 80.00-95.00, Utility 35-55 lbs. 44.00-57.00.

SHEEP 619. Compared with 399 head last week, and 1369 head a year ago. Spring slaughter lambs steady to \$5 higher. Choice 30-50 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 62.00-79.50, 50-90 lbs. 55.00-64.00; Choice 60-110 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 50.00-59.00, Good 65-95 lbs. 40.00-54.00. Slaughter ewes 5.00-17.00.

New Holland Horse

Monday, April 25, 1977
 Reported receipts of 396 head sold stronger than last week.

Load of Riding out of Iowa, 400-800; 2 loads of Riding, Driving and Work horses out of Tenn. work single 800-1125, driving 425-960, riding 350-675.

Local work horses 500-1000; Mules 450-650, better horses 300-890; driving horses 150-685; riding horses 175-300; lightweight killers 24-26; Heavyweight killers 33-35; mare ponies 25-55, colts 10-25; geldings 20-50, and larger ponies 65-140.

New Holland Dairy

Wednesday, April 27
 Reported receipts of 107 cows, 20 heifers and 8 bulls sold stronger than last week.

Load of Penna. cows, fresh 475-610; Load of Penna. cows, fresh 605-665; Load of

Maryland, springers 550-690; Load of New York, fresh 740-1400; springers 725-800; Load of Wisconsin, fresh 630-880. Local consigned cows 450-975; Spring heifers 510-660; Bulls 325-400.

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