

Livestock market and auction news

Chambersburg Auction

June 30, 1977

CATTLE 290. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers steady to 75 cents higher. Slaughter cows steady to 75 cents lower. Few High Choice & Prime No. 3-4 1160-1320 lbs. slaughter steers 39.10-39.75, few Choice No. 3-4 1150-1300 lbs. 38.00-38.50, Good 35.00-37.85, Standard 32.00-35.50, few Utility 28.00-31.00. Few Choice 872-1030 lbs. slaughter heifers 32.50-37.00, few Good 30.25-31.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 26.50-29.60, one at 30.00, Cutters 25.00-26.60, Canners 23.00-24.75. Few Good slaughter bullocks 35.75-39.00, few Standard 33.10-35.85, few Utility 30.25-32.75. Few Yield Grade No. 2 1270-1655 lbs. 34.50-35.10. Few Good feeder steers 480-565 lbs. 36.50-37.00, few Medium 350-600 lbs. 25.00-31.00; few Good 300-650 lbs. feeder heifers 26.00-30.00; few Good 350-500 lbs. feeder bulls 25.50-31.50.

CALVES 741. Vealers grading Good & Choice \$2 to \$5 higher; Standard & Low

Good steady. Few Prime vealers 56.00-64.50, one at 66.00, Choice 47.50-57.50, Good 44.50-52.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 38.50-48.50, 90-110 lbs. 33.50-40.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 29.00-34.50, Utility 60-90 lbs. 15.00-30.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 95-115 lbs. 35.00-46.00; slaughter calves, grading Good & Choice 160-260 lbs. 35.00-40.00.

HOGS 122. Barrows & Gilts fully 50 cents to \$1 higher. Few US No. 1-2 210 lbs. barrows & gilts 47.60-48.10, No. 1-3 225-240 lbs. 45.60-45.85, No. 2-3 230-255 lbs. 44.00-45.25, few No. 2-4 265-275 lbs. 41.00-43.85, No. 1-3 175-190 lbs. 38.75-44.10. Few US No. 2-3 300-415 lbs. sows 25.00-28.50. Few Boars 24.25-26.00.

FEEDER PIGS 72. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 17.00-18.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. (few) 23.50-33.00, Utility 25-40 lbs. 14.50-18.00 per head.

SHEEP 41. Choice 709-95 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 46.00, one 47.50, Good 50-80 lbs. 36.50-40.00. Few Slaughter ewes 12.50-14.50.

Pa. Auction Summary

July 1, 1977

CATTLE 10,151. Compared with 8915 head last week, and 7952 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers and heifers steady to 75 cents higher. Slaughter cows \$1.50 to \$2 higher. Slaughter cullocks steady to \$1 higher. Slaughter bulls unevenly steady. **STEERS:** High Choice & Prime 39.00-42.00, Choice 38.00-41.75, Good 34.25-38.50, Standard 31.75-35.00, few Utility 25.00-32.00. **HEIFERS:** Choice 34.00-39.00, Good 31.00-36.00, Standard 28.00-33.00, few Utility 25.00-29.00. **COWS:** Utility and High Dressing Cutter 26.50-31.25, Cutters 24.75-28.50, Canners 22.00-26.50, Shells down to 17.00. **BULLOCKS:** Choice 34.75-38.75, Good 33.00-35.50, few Standard 30.00-33.25, few Utility 28.00-31.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-2100 lbs. 33.00-37.75, few No. 2, 900-1600 lbs. 28.00-34.50. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Good 400-700 lbs. steers 32.50-40.00, few to 43.50, Medium 300-750 lbs. 27.00-34.00. Few Good 300-650 lbs. heifers 26.00-31.50. Good 350-800 lbs. 25.00-38.00.

CALVES 5015. Compared with 4578 head last week, and 4589 head a year ago. Vealers steady to \$4 lower. **VEALERS:** Few Prime 56.00-64.50, Choice 45.00-60.00, Good 37.50-52.00, Standard and Good 110-130 lbs. 32.50-45.00, 90-110 lbs. 25.00-40.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 22.00-35.00, Utility 50-90

lbs. 20.00-30.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 34.00-46.50; few Holstein heifers 80-110 lbs. 33.50-44.00.

HOGS 8005. Compared with 7376 head last week, and 7262 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts steady to 50 cents lower. **BARROWS & GILTS:** US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. 45.75-48.00, few to 48.50, No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 43.50-47.00, No. 2-3 190-250 lbs. 42.00-46.00, No. 2-4 250-290 lbs. 35.00-41.25, No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 35.00-44.00. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 30.00-37.00, No. 2-3 350-650 lbs. 25.00-32.00. **BOARS** 20.00-29.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1859. Compared with 1938 head last week, and 1508 head a year ago. Feeder pigs were \$2 to \$3 higher. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. 17.00-30.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 25.00-38.00 per head. **GRADED FEEDER PIGS** 2599. Compared with 3181 head last week. Feeder pigs were uneven, mostly steady to \$10 higher. US No. 1-2 30-50 lbs. 72.00-90.00, few to 99.50, 50-75 lbs. 60.00-71.00; No. 2-3 30-50 lbs. 60.00-90.00, few to 94.50, 50-75 lbs. 60.00-78.00; Utility 30-50 lbs. 48.00-65.00. (ALL SALES ON PER HUNDREDWEIGHT BASIS).

SHEEP 1137. Compared with 948 head last week, and 1097 head a year ago. Lambs \$1 to \$2 lower.

LAMBS: Choice 70-110 lbs. 44.00-54.00, Good 60-100 lbs. 36.00-45.00. Slaughter ewes 7.25-23.00.

Middleburg Cattle

Middleburg, Pa. July 5, 1977

CATTLE 202. Compared with last Tuesday's market; Choice slaughter steers 39.00-40.60, Good 37.00-39.50, Standard 35.00-37.00, Utility 32.00-34.50. Good slaughter heifers 34.00-36.25, Standard 31.75-33.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 28.00-30.85, Cutters 26.00-28.10, Canners 24.50-26.00. Shells down to 21.75. Good slaughter bullocks 34.00-36.25. Yield Grade No. 2 900-1400 lbs. slaughter bulls 29.00-34.50. Medium 400-600 lbs. feeder steers 30.00-36.75.

CALVES 242. Choice vealers 51.00-55.00, Good 43.00-49.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 38.00-42.00, 85-100

lbs. 35.00-38.00, Standard 75-85 lbs. 32.00-35.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 100-115 lbs. 40.00-51.00.

HOGS 306. (Monday, July 4, 1977). US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 47.50-48.90, No. 1-3 190-240 lbs. 46.70-47.20, few No. 2-3 250-300 lbs. 41.00. US No. 1-3 380-600 lbs. sows 31.00-37.25. Boars 350-775 lbs. 24.25-29.50.

FEEDER PIGS 268. US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-21.00 per head, No. 1-3 20-30 lbs. 20.00-32.00, No. 1-3 30-40 lbs. 32.00-40.00, No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 39.00-48.00 per head.

SHEEP 7. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

Lebanon Valley

Fredericksburg, Pa. July 5, 1977

CATTLE 267. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers grading Good & Choice steady to 50 cents lower. Slaughter cows uneven, 25 cents higher to 75 cents lower. Choice No. 2-4 1000-1250 lbs. slaughter steers 38.10-40.10, Good 35.00-38.25, few Standard 32.00-34.85. Choice slaughter heifers 33.75-36.50, few 37.75, Good 30.50-34.00, Standard 29.00-31.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 28.00-29.60, couple to 31.10, Cutters 26.25-28.75, Canners 23.00-26.00, Shells down to 20.75. Few Good slaughter bullocks 34.50-37.10, few Utility 27.10-30.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1200-2600 lbs. slaughter bulls 34.50-38.85.

CALVES 200. Vealers grading Standard & Good 70-110 lbs. steady to \$3 higher.

Choice vealers 50.00-55.00, Good 43.00-48.00, Standard 38.00-45.00, 90-110 lbs. 34.00-40.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 34.50, Utility 50-85 lbs. 25.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 36.00-46.00, holstein heifers 90-120 lbs. 46.00-68.00.

HOGS 535. Barrows & Gilts 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows 49.50-49.75, one lot 215-255 lbs. 49.60, No. 2-3 240-255 lbs. 47.00-48.35, No. 1-3 260-300 lbs. 46.60-47.85. US No. 300-650 lbs. sows 30.00-35.00. Boars 24.00-27.00.

FEEDER PIGS 35. Lots US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 25.00-30.00 per head.

SHEEP 21. Choice spring slaughter lambs 49.00-50.00, few Good 40.00-45.00. Slaughter ewes 6.00-

Carlisle Auction

July 5, 1977

CATTLE 278. Compared with last Tuesday's market; Choice slaughter steers 39.35-40.85, Good 34.75-39.00, Standard 32.75-35.00, Utility 28.60-31.75. Good slaughter heifers 34.25-35.50, Standard 31.00-32.75, Utility 28.00-29.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 26.50-28.85, Cutters 23.85-26.50, Canners 21.50-24.00. Good slaughter bullocks 32.50-36.35, Standard 29.00-31.75.

CALVES 176. Choice vealers 45.50-55.00, Good

34.00-46.00, Standard & Low 110-130 lbs. 27.00-34.50, 85-110 lbs. 21.00-29.00.

HOGS 224. US No. 1-3 230 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.50, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 42.75-48.00, No. 2-3 240 lbs. 41.00-43.00, No. 2-4 300 lbs. 32.85-35.00. US No. 300-500 lbs. sows 32.00-33.00. Few Boars 22.00-24.00.

FEEDER PIGS 267. No. 1-3 30-40 lbs. feeder pigs 21.00-27.00 per head, No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 26.00-31.00 per head.

SHEEP 11. Good spring slaughter lambs 43.50-

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