

Livestock market and auction news

Pa. Auction Summary

Harrisburg, Pa.
JULY 8, 1977

CATTLE 6785. Compared with 10,151 head last week, and 7031 head last week. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers, slaughter heifers and slaughter bullocks steady to \$1 higher. Slaughter cows weak to \$1 lower. Slaughter bulls unevenly steady. **STEERS:** High Choice & Prime 40.00-42.25, Choice 39.00-41.90, Good 34.50-38.90, Standard 32.00-35.00, Utility 28.35-31.75. **HEIFERS:** Choice 35.00-39.00, Good 34.00-37.00, Standard 29.00-32.75, few Utility 26.30-30.00. **COWS:** Utility & High Dressing Cutter 26.50-30.00, Cutters 25.00-28.00, Canners 21.85-26.00. Shells down to 18.75. **BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 35.75-39.00, Good 33.00-37.25, few Standard 31.00-32.75, Utility 27.50-31.75. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2000 lbs. 32.00-38.85; yield grade No. 2 800-1600 lbs. 30.50-35.00. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Good 350-700 lbs. feeder steers 30.00-41.50; few Medium & Good 300-600 lbs. feeder heifers 25.50-31.50; Medium & Good 300-650 lbs. feeder bulls 24.00-32.50.

CALVES 3845. Compared with 5015 head last week, and 4712 head a year ago. Vealers \$1 to \$5 higher. **VEALERS:** Few Prime 62.00-76.00, Choice 48.00-62.00, Good 42.00-54.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 37.00-46.00, 90-110 lbs. 32.00-

41.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 25.00-35.00, Utility 50-100 lbs. 15.00-28.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 37.00-53.00.

HOGS 4629. Compared with 8005 head last week, and 5063 head a year ago. Barrows & gilts \$1.75 to \$2.50 higher. **BARROWS & GILTS:** US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 48.25-50.25, No. 1-3 195-240 lbs. 47.00-49.25, No. 2-3 195-250 lbs. 43.60-47.25, few No. 2-4 260-300 lbs. 38.00-45.10, few No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 36.00-46.00. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 31.00-37.25, few No. 2-3 350-650 lbs. 28.00-31.75. Boars 22.00-30.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1513. Feeder pigs unevenly steady. Compared with 1859 head last week, and 1763 head a year ago. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 15.00-32.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 25.00-35.50, few No. 1-3 50-75 lbs. 31.00-48.00. **GRADED FEEDER PIGS** 2524. Compared with 2599 head last week. Feeder pigs steady to \$10 higher per hundredweight. US No. 1-2 30-50 lbs. 82.00-102.50, 50-75 lbs. 61.00-84.00, No. 2-3 30-50 lbs. 68.00-88.00, 50-70 lbs. 50.00-78.00.

SHEEP 212. Compared with 1137 head last week, and 647 head a year ago. Spring slaughter lambs \$1 to \$2 lower. Choice 65-110 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 42.00-51.00, Good 60-100 lbs. 35.00-46.00. Slaughter ewes 7.50-19.50.

Valley Livestock

Valley Stockyards
Athens, Pa.

Monday, July 11

Reported receipts of 386 calves, 130 cows, 144 hogs, 44 heifers, 25 sheep, 26 bulls, 21 steers, and 6 lambs. Cattle market a little easier and calf market steady.

Veals 40.00-58.00; bobs, 90-110 lbs. 34.00-38.00; bobs 80 lbs. and down 25.00-33.00; grassers and feeders 22.00-

30.00; lambs 35.00-46.00; sheep 8.00-16.00; hogs 200-250 lbs. 44.00-47.75; sows 30.00-35.00; boars 22.00-27.00; pigs 15.00-28.00; heifers 28.00-34.50; steers, good 34.00-36.00; steers, common 26.00-30.00; bulls 28.00-35.75; cows, good 27.00-38.50; cows, medium 24.00-25.50; cows, poor or small 15.00-22.50; horses 80.00-150.00; ponies 5.00-35.00; goats 10.00-30.00.

Chambersburg Auction

Chambersburg, Pa.
July 7, 1977

CATTLE 405. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers grading Standard and Good 25 cents to 50 cents higher. Slaughter cows 50 cents to \$2 higher. Choice slaughter steers 2-4, slaughter steers 1050-1250 lbs. 38.60-41.10, Good 35.50-38.00, Standard 32.50-35.75, Few Utility 30.00-31.25. Few Choice slaughter heifers 35.00-39.00, few Good 32.75-35.85, few Standard 32.00-33.00, Utility 27.00-30.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 27.50-30.00, individual at 31.00, Cutters 26.75-28.75, Canners 23.50-26.50, Shells down to 20.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 34.50-36.35, Utility 28.75-31.00. Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1800 lbs. slaughter bulls 33.00-37.10. Few Medium and Good 400-750 lbs. feeder steers 29.00-35.00. **CALVES** 676. Vealers 50 cents to \$2.50 higher. Few Prime vealers 62.00-65.00, Choice 50.00-59.50, Good

45.00-54.00, Standard and Good 110-130 lbs. 39.00-46.00, 90-110 lbs. 34.50-40.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 30.00-35.50, Utility 50-110 lbs. 15.00-29.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 37.50-53.00, Holstein heifers 85-110 lbs. 33.00-40.00. Good and Choice 150-250 lbs. slaughter calves 33.00-39.00.

HOGS 95. Barrows and gilts \$2 and \$3 higher. US No. 1-2 195-225 lbs. barrows and Gilts 49.50-50.60, No. 1-3 200-220 lbs. 48.25-49.50. US No. 1-3 350-575 lbs. sows 32.00-36.00. Boars 24.00-28.50.

FEEDER PIGS 28. US No. 1-3 15-25 lbs. feeder pigs 12.50-22.50 per head.

SHEEP 34. Choice 75-110 lbs. slaughter lambs 42.00-48.00, few Good and Low Choice 70-90 lbs. 37.50-43.50. Few Slaughter ewes 8.00-19.50.

Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.
July 12, 1977

CATTLE: 232. Compared with last Tuesday's market; Good slaughter steers 38.25-40.10, Standard 36.00-38.75,

Utility 29.25-34.00. Good slaughter heifers 34.00-36.50, Standard 28.50-34.50, Utility 24.25-29.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 26.00-27.85, Cutters 24.75-27.00, Canners 22.00-24.50, Shells down to 19.25. Good slaughter bullocks 32.25-34.00, Standard 29.50-32.00.

CALVES: 219. Good vealers 46.50-52.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 34.00-48.00, 90-110 lbs. 29.00-37.50,

Standard 70-90 lbs. 24.00-32.00.

HOGS: 293. US No. 1-2 190-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 47.25-48.00, one lot 49.00, No. 2-3 200-240 lbs. 42.50-47.00, No. 2-3 200-250 lbs. 39.00-42.00. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 33.50-37.00, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 27.00-29.00. Boars 20.00-21.50.

SHEEP: 22. Good spring slaughter lambs 38.50-42.50, Utility 32.00-35.00.

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