

# Livestock market and auction news

## East Coast Carlot Meats

Princeton, New Jersey  
July 13, 1977

Compared to Tuesday: Demand moderate for beef, however, commitments light early as reported by the USDA. Choice 3 steer beef in limited test .50 higher. Canner and cutter cows beef 1.00-3.00 lower to limited comparison. Boneless beef steady to firm. Prime special fed veal weak to 2.00 lower. Good and Choice boning veal steady to 2.00 lower. Spring Lamb steady to 1.00 higher. No comparison on fresh pork lions.

**STEER BEEF**  
(3 Loads Confirmed)  
Choice 3 selected 600-700 lbs. 6750 .50 higher; Choice 4 600-900 lbs. loads 6400.

**COW BEEF**  
(5 Loads Confirmed)  
Canner-Cutter 1-2 350 lbs. up Northern 5400-5600, 1.00-3.00 lower; 350 lbs. down Northern part load 5150.

**CHOICES**  
Primal Beef Cuts (13 Loads Confirmed)  
Steer Hinds 145-190 lbs.

8200-8250, steady to .50 higher.

Fores 130-210 lbs. Couple loads 5100.

Full Plates 3200-3275.  
Short Plates 3200.

Flanks untrimmed 3000-3100.

**VEAL CARCASS - HIDE ON**  
Prime (Special Fed) 180-250 lbs. 110.00-114.00, few 115.00, weak to 2.00 lower.

**GOOD AND CHOICE BONING TYPE**  
Northern Suppliers, all 1.00-2.00 lower; 65-75 lbs. 5300-5400; 55-64 lbs. 5100-5200; 45-54 lbs. 4900-5000; 35-44 lbs. 4700-4800; 34 lbs. down 4500-4600.

**MIDWEST AND WEST COAST SUPPLIERS**

All steady 70-80 lbs. 5400-5600; 60-70 lbs. 5200-5400; 50-60 lbs. 500-5200; 40-50 lbs. 4800-5000; 30-40 lbs. 4600-4800.

**SPRING LAMB, CHOICE AND PRIME**  
3-4 (7 Loads Confirmed)

All steady to 1.00 higher 55 lbs. down 108.00-110.00; 55-65 lbs. 108-110.00; 65-75 lbs. 108.00-110.00.

**FRESH PORK CUTS**  
Lions 14 lbs. down 9550-9625; 14-17 lbs. 9500-9525.  
Trimmed Lions 14-17 lbs.

load 100.00.

Butts 4-8 lbs. load 7800.  
Skinned Hams 16-19 lbs. 7300-7500.

Semi Boneless hams 14-17 lbs. 9400.

1 lb. sliced bacon vacuum pack 116.00.

Franks 70 beef, 30 pork 1 lb. pack 6400. Bologna 70 beef, 30 pork 1 lb pack 6600.

**BONELESS BEEF**  
(14 Loads Confirmed)  
90 PCT Chem lean, fresh 7650, limited 7500 firm.  
85 PCT Chem lean, fresh limited 6950, generally steady.

**BEEF TRIMMINGS**  
(3 Loads Confirmed)  
50 PCT Chem lean. Fresh 3050-3300.

## Baltimore USDA

Baltimore, Md.  
July 11, 1977

**CATTLE 400:** Slaughter steers steady to 75c higher, slaughter heifers steady to \$1.50 higher, cows steady, bulls \$2.00 higher.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 38.00-40.00; one load Choice 1300 lbs. 41.00; mixed Good & Choice 36.75-37.75; Good 2-3 33.00-36.75; few Good Holsteins 1175-1450 lbs. 32-34.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-4 780-900 lbs. 35.10-36.00; Individual 920 lbs. 37.25; Good & Choice 2-4 780-1000 lbs. 27.50-30.75.

**COWS:** Utility 2-3 23.85-28.75; Individual 1895 lbs. 33.10; Cutter 22.85-25.50.

**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1-2 1000-1650 lbs. 32.25-37.75.

**HOGS 800:** Receipts exceed early estimates by 400. Compared with Thursday barrows & gilts 25c lower.  
US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 47.75-48.00.

US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 47.50-47.75.

**SOWS:** Steady to 50c higher.

US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 34.00-35.00.

**VEAL & CALF AUCTION**  
100: Prime Vealers 200-310 lbs. 55.00-64.00; Choice 120-300 lbs. 40.00-49.00; Good & Choice 75-90 lbs. 21.50-27.50; 90-125 lbs. 27.00-33.50.

**SHEEP AUCTION:** Prime & Choice spring slaughter lambs 79-86 lbs. 48.00-49.00.

## Middleburg Cattle

Middleburg, Pa.  
July 12, 1977

**CATTLE 329:** Compared with last Tuesday's market; High Choice & Prime No. 2-4 1050-1300 lbs. slaughter steers 39.25-41.00, one at 42.00, Choice No. 2-4 950-1200 lbs. 37.85-40.00, Good 35.00-37.60, Standard 32.25-34.85.

Few High Choice & Prime slaughter heifers 35.25-37.60, few Good 35.25-36.00, few Standard 30.00-33.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.50-26.75, couple to 27.75, Cutters 23.75-25.25, Canners 22.00-24.50, Shells down to 19.60. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 36.25-39.25, Good 34.25-36.50.

Few Yield Grade No. 1 1200-1600 lbs. slaughter bulls 30.00-33.00, one at 40.10. Few Good 350-650 lbs. feeder

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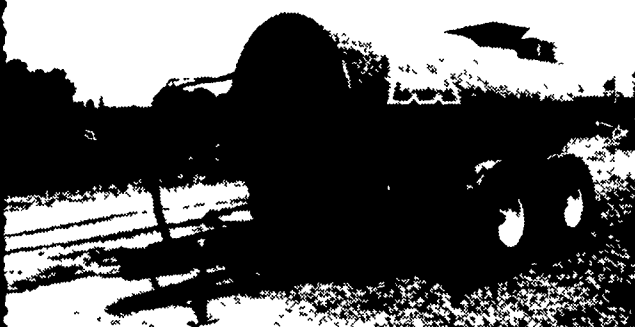
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**CALVES 290.** Choice vealers 49.00-57.00, few to 64.00, Good 44.00-50.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 37.00-42.00, 90-110 lbs. 35.00-39.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 29.00-36.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 35.00-44.00; slaughter calves, grading Choice 150-275 lbs. 42.00-53.00, Good 35.00-40.00.

**HOGS 593.** (Monday, July 11, 1977). Barrows & Gilts strong to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows &

gilts 48.00-49.00, No. 1-3 190-240 lbs. 47.00-48.00, No. 2-3 240-280 lbs. 45.25-47.00. US No. 1-3 325-625 lbs. sows 33.00-36.75. Boars 24.50-28.00.

**FEEDER PIGS 276.** US No. 1-3 12-15 lbs. feeder pigs 13.50-16.50 per head, No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 19.50-30.00, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 27.00-40.50, one lot No. 1-3 85 lbs. 41.00, Utility 50-65 lbs. 20.50-30.00 per head.

**SHEEP 2.** Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

## Des Moines

July 13, 1977

Compared to Tuesday's close, fresh pork cut trade moderate; demand best for fresh loins and hams. Fresh loins steady to 75 higher. Boston butts 50 lower. Spareribs steady. Skinned hams 50-1.50 higher on 17-26 lbs., 26 lbs. and up 2.00-3.50 lower. No sales reported on fresh picnics and bellies.

**FRESH PORK CUTS**  
**LOINS:** 14-DN lbs. 92.50-92.75 Friday shipment 75 higher; 14-17 lbs. 91.50-91.75 Friday shipment 75 higher; 14-17 lbs. 94.00-97.50 next week shipment; 17-20 lbs. 87.50 steady.

**PICNIC:** No sales reported.

**BOSTON BUTT:** 4-8 lbs. 74.50 50 lower.

**SPARERIBS:** 3-5 lbs. 94.50-95.00 steady.

**SKINNED HAMS:** 14-17 lbs. 71.00; 17-20 lbs. 70.00-70.50-1.00 higher; 20-26 lbs. 70.50 1.50 higher; 26-30 lbs. 66.50 3.50 lower; 26 & up lbs. 65.00-67.00, mostly 65.00 2.00 lower.

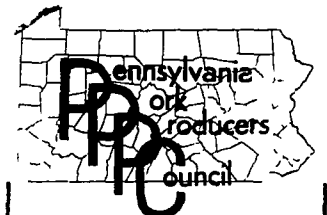
**BELLIES, SDLS:** 12-14 lbs. 57.50-58.00, load 60.00 frozen.

**BONELESS CT BUTT:** 1 1/2-4 lbs. 109.50; 3-6 lbs. 108.50.

**PORK TRIM:** 50 lean 44.00 fresh; 40.50-41.00 frozen; 80 lean 70.00 frozen.

**BONELESS PICNICS:** 70.50 fresh, 72.50 frozen.  
**OFFAL AND VARIETY:** Livers 13.75, 14.75 export;

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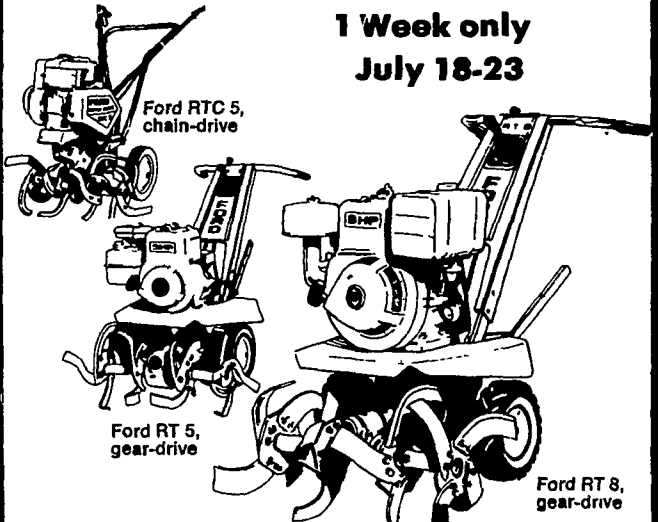
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## MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE

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July 18-23



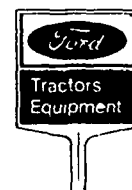
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