# Livestock market

# Lebanon Valley Auction

Fredericksburg, Pa.

September 27, 1977 CATTLE 347. Compared with last Tuesday's market. slaughter steers grading Good & Choice Steady to 50 cents higher. Slaughter cows 25 cents to \$2 lower. High Choice & Prime No. 2-4 slaughter steers 41.85-43.50. Choice No. 2-4 950-1200 lbs.

39.85-42.25, few to 42.60, Good 36.75-39.25, few 40.25, few Standard 35.00-36.00. Choice slaughter heifers 37.50-39.50,few 40.50, Good 33.00-36.10, few Standard 31.50-32.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 24.00-26.75, Cutters 24.00-26.00, Canner & Low Cutter 20.50-24.00, few Shells down to 15.50. Couple Choice slaughter bullocks 36.50 and 37.50. Yield Grade #1 1100-1550 lbs. slaughter bulls 32.85-35.00.

CALVES 290. Vealers grading Standard to Choice \$2 to \$5 higher. Few Prime vealers 69.00-74.00, Choice 58.00-69.00, Good 46.00-55.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 41.00-45.00, 90-110 lbs. 36.50-40.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 32.50-36.50, few Utility 60-90 lbs. 25.00-31.00. Farm calves, hostein bulls 85-120 lbs. 39.00-48.50; holstein heifers 85-110 lbs. 39.00-54.50.

HOGS 455. Barrows & Gilts 50 cents to \$1.25 higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 43.35-44.35, couple lots 44.60, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 42.25-43.60, No. 1-3 190-195 lbs. 41.60-42.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 32.00-35.00, No. 2-3 300-550 lbs. 30.00-32.50. Boars 27.00-30.50.

FEEDER PIGS 30. Few US No. 1-3 50-100 lbs. feeder pigs 31.50-44.50 per head. SHEEP 9. Few Choice 95-110 lbs. lambs 45.00-49.00.

## Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, Pa.

Sept. 26, 1977 CATTLE 383. Compared with last Monday's market; High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 40.50-42.50, Choice 39.50-41.50, Good 36.50-39.00, Standard 33.50-37.00, Utility 28.00-32.00. Choice slaughter heifers 37.00-41.00, Good 33.00-36.00, Standard 29.00-34.00, Utility 25.00-28.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 24.50-27.75, Cutters 23.00-25.00, Canner & Low Cutter 21.50-24.00, Shells down to 18.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 35.00-38.00, Good 32.00-35.50, Standard 28.50-32.50, Utility 25.00-30.00. Yield Grade #1 1000-2000 lbs. slaughter bulls 33.00-35.00; yield grade #2 900-1600 lbs. 30.00-33.00. Few Medium & Good 400-600 lbs. feeder steers 30.00-38.00; few Medium & Good 400-600 lbs. feeder heifers 23.00-32.00.

CALVES 392. Choice vealers 69.00-74.00, Good 60.00-68.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 52.00-65.00, 90-110 Ibs. 38.00-52.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 25.00-42.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 39.00-52.00.

HOGS 328 US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs barrows & gilts 41.80-43.20, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 41.50-42.50, No 2-3 190-230 lbs. 40.00-41.50, No. 1-3 150-180 lbs. 34.00-38.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 33.50-36.50, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 30.00-33.50. Boars 22.00-25.00.

FEEDER PIGS 48. US No.

1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-23.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 18.00-35.00 per

SHEEP 7. Few Choice 85-95 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 50.00-55.00.

## East Coast Carlot Meats

Princeton, New Jersey September 28, 1977 Compared to Tuesday:

Demand moderate, commitements light for beef, lamb, and veal as reported by the USDA. No recent comparison on choice steer and heifer beef, however, firm undertone indicated. Spring lamb compared to last week mostly 2.00-3.00 lower. Prime special fed veal steady. Good and Choice boning veal steady to 2.00 lower.

STEER BEEF (6 loads confirmed) Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 6700-6825: 4 600-900 lbs. 6300-6325. HEIFER BEEF (4 Loads Confirmed Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 6525-

**COW BEEF** Canner-Cutter 1-2 350 lbs. up load 5100 late yesterday. CHOICE 3, Primal

**Beef Cuts** (5 Loads Confirmed) Fores 130-210 lbs. 5550. Arm Chucks 90-130 lbs. 5100-5300, 1.00 lower.

Rounds, steer 60-85 lbs. load 7550.

**VEAL CARCASS-HIDE ON** 

Prime (special fed) Kosher 180-250 lbs. 117.00-118.00 steady; Mixed Kosher and non Kosher 180-250 lbs. 114.00-116.00, steady.

Good and Choice Boning type northeastern suppliers, all steady to 2.00 lower. 65-75 lbs. 6400-6600; 55-64 lbs. 6200-6400; 45-54 lbs. 6000-6200; 34-44 lbs. 5800-6000; 34 lbs. down 5600-5800.

Midwest and West Coast Suppliers 70-80 lbs. LTD 6800; 60-70 lbs. LTD 6600; 50-60 lbs. LTD 6400; 40-50 lbs. LTD 6200; 30-40 lbs. LTD 6000.

SPRING LAMB, CHOICE **AND PRIME 3-4** 

(25 Loads Confirmed) 55 lbs. down 103.00-106.00, 2.00-3.00 lower; 75 lbs. down 102.00-105.00; Bulk 103.00-104.00, 2.00-3.00 lower.

**BOXED SPRING LAMB** CARCASS 3-4 (5 Loads Confirmed)

FRESH PORK CUTS Loins 14-17 lbs. 8750, 2.50

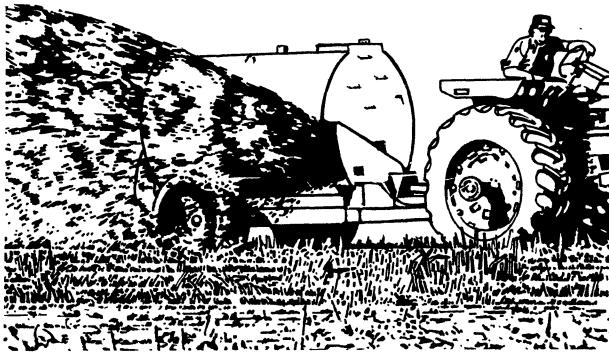
55 lbs. down 108.00.

**CURED AND PROCESSED MEATS** 

(1 Load Confirmed) Skinned hams 16-19 lbs.

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