

## Livestock market and auction news

### Belleville Auction

Belleville, Pa.  
February 1, 1978

**CATTLE** 216. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows mostly \$1 higher. Few Good slaughter steers 36.60-40.10, Standard 32.10-35.60. Few Choice slaughter heifers 36.75-38.60, Good 34.75-35.50, few Standard 28.60-30.50. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 30.00-33.00, one at 34.35, Commercial No. 4-5 28.00-30.50, Cutters 28.75-31.00, Canner & Low Cutter 25.10-28.75. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 31.75-35.35. Few Yield Grade #1 1460-1880 lbs. slaughter bulls 36.25-40.10.

**CALVES** 210. Vealers grading Good & Choice fully steady; Utility & Standard mostly \$5 lower. Couple Prime vealers 80.00 and 81.00, Choice 70.00-80.00, Good 57.00-69.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 42.00-55.00, 90-110 lbs. 35.00-43.00, Standard 65-90 lbs. 26.00-35.00, Utility 40-120 lbs. 20.00-32.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 100-125 lbs. 42.00-57.00.

**HOGS** 238. Barrows & Gilts \$2 to \$3 higher. Few US No. 1-2 195-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.40-49.90, No. 1-3 190-240 lbs. 47.80-49.20, No. 2-3 205-240 lbs. 47.10-48.00, No. 2-4 225-285 lbs. 41.00-45.90, No. 1-3 180-190 lbs. 41.50-46.50. Sows steady to strong. US No. 1-3 275-535 lbs. sows 37.00-41.75, few No. 2-3 350-695 lbs. 34.00-37.00. Boars 21.00-30.75.

**FEEDER PIGS** 54 US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs feeder pigs 12.00-25.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 24.00-32.50, per head, No. 1-3 135-180 lbs. 35.00-40.25 cwt.

**SHEEP** 10. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

### Baltimore USDA

January 30, 1978

**CATTLE** 500: Slaughter steers steady to \$1.00 higher; heifers steady on limited test; cows steady; not enough bulls on offer for a market test.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice and Prime 2-4 900-1200m lbs. 43.00-46.00 Good and Choice 40.50-43.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Scattered sales Choice and Prime 2-4 800-1000 lbs. 40.00-40.50.

**COWS:** Utility 2-3 29.00-32.00; Cutter 1-2 24.00-28.59.

**HOGS** 800: Barrows and Gilts .25 higher. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 47.50-48.00; US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 47.00-47.50.

**SOWS:** Steady .50 higher. US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 35.00-37.00.

**VEAL AND CALF AUCTION:** 80 Prime vealers 175-250 lbs. 67.50-76.50; Choice 150-300 lbs. 49.50-61.50; Good 150-300 lbs. 34.00-44.00; Good and Choice 95-120 lbs. 39.00-43.50. Choce calves 300-400 lbs. 31.00-41.00.

### New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables

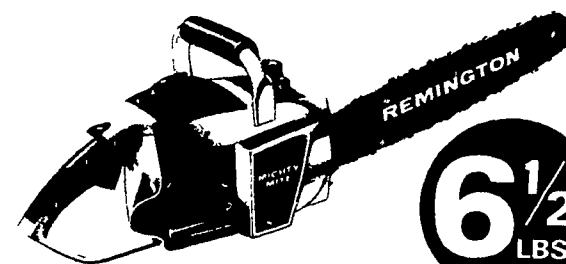
Wednesday, February 1

Reported receipts of 90 cows, 73 heifers, and 5 bulls. Market stronger than last week's market.

Load of Pa. fresh 545-775; load of Pa. fresh 680-780; load of N.Y. fresh 775-900; load of N.Y. fresh 515-960, springers 545-670; local cows 450-825; springing heifers 475-635; open heifers 150-285; bulls 335-520.

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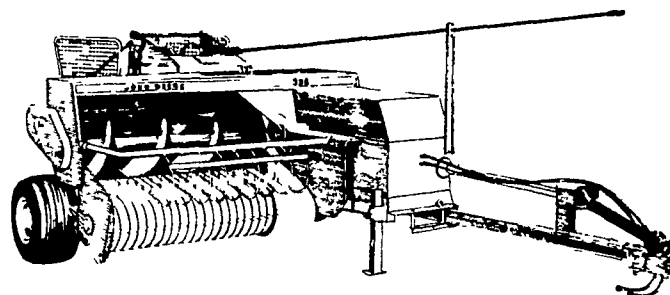
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