

Livestock market and auction news

Baltimore USDA

February 6, 1978

CATTLE 375: Slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher, heifers 50 higher or limited test of market, cows 50-1.00 higher, bulls firm to 50 higher, few feeders steady. Supply 35 per cent slaughter steers and heifers, 40 per cent cows, 20 per cent feeders, balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1050-1260 lbs. 44.00-47.10; Good & Choice 2-4 1015-1200 lbs. 42.50-44.00; Good 2-3 950-1100 lbs. 38.00-42.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: package high Good and Choice 3-4 1060 lbs. 40.00 few low Standard and Good 2-3 785-950 lbs. 34.10-37.00.

COWS: Utility 2-3 & Commercial 3-4 30.00-33.85; Cutter 28.00-32.10; Canner & low Cutter 24.50-28.00.

BULLS: G 1-2 1000-1790 lbs. 34.00-39.35; Individual Choice Bullock 1110 lbs. 42.10; Good 1110 lbs. 36.50; Standard 715-900 lbs. 30.50-35.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: Choice steers 650-840 lbs. 36.50-39.00; Individual 930 lbs. 40.25; few Good 570-860 lbs. 35.00-38.00; lot Choice heifers 750 lbs. 34.50; few Good 825-935 lbs. 28.00-29.00.

HOGS: 700: Compared to last Wednesday Barrows and Gilts steady to 50 higher.

US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 48.25-48.50, near 35 head 49.00; US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 47.25-48.25.

SOWS: Steady. US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 37.00-38.25.

VEAL & CALF AUCTION 35: Several high Choice & Prime Vealers 235-275 lbs. 64.00-65.00; few Good 215-245 lbs. 37.50-49.00; Good 100-135 lbs. 30.50-40.50; Standard & Good Holsteins 70-100 lbs. 24.50-34.50.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales
Stables

Wednesday, February 8
Reported receipts of 30 cows and 6 heifers.

Load of N.Y., fresh 675-875, springers 660-900; load of N.Y. purebreds, fresh 590-1100; local cows 535-570; springing heifers 425-570.

Peoria Auction

Peoria, Illinois
February 9, 1978

CATTLE: Receipts this week: 3800 Last week: 4300 Year Ago: 5400.

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers steady to 50 higher. Slaughter heifers fully steady. Cows 1.00-2.00 higher. Bulls firm. Receipts about 65 per cent slaughter steers, 25 per cent slaughter heifers balance mainly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1250 lbs. 46.00-46.50; Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 44.50-45.50; couple loads 45.75; 900-1050 lbs. 44.00-44.50; mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1300 lbs. 41.50-44.50; Good 2-3 40.00-41.50; Couple loads Good and Choice 2-3 Holsteins 39.00-39.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 900-1075 lbs. 43.50-44.25; Choice 2-4 850-1050 lbs. 42.50-43.50; 800-900 lbs. 42.00-42.50; mixed Good and Choice 2-4 750-1000 lbs. 40.50-42.50; Good 2-3 38.00-40.50; Standard and Good 2-3 34.00-38.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 2-4 28.00-31.00; High-dressing Utility 32.00-33.00; Few 34.00; Cutter 1-2 27.00-30.50; Canner 23.00-27.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 26.50-33.00; couple Yield Grade 1 35.00.

Lancaster Feeder Cattle

Lancaster, Pa.
Friday, Feb. 3, 1978
Feeder Cattle

Today 243
Last Friday 278

TREND: Small supply feeder steers and heifers 2.00-2.50 higher, although bulk of supply sold in lots of three or less.

FEEDER STEERS: Couple lots Choice 525-585 lb. 44.00-44.75, couple lots 850-910 lbs. 41.35-42.35; couple lots Good 875-900 lbs. 37.25-38.75.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 425-730 lbs. 34.25-36.00; one lot mixed Good and Choice 765 lbs. 32.75.

FEEDER BULLS: Couple lots Choice 550-900 lbs. 38.50-40.50.

G & M Livestock Market

Duncanville, Pa.
February 6, 1978

STEERS: High Choice and Prime None; Good to Choice 38.00-42.50; Good 36.00-38.00; Standard 32.00-36.00.

HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime None; Good to Choice 34.00-37.25; Other 30.00-34.00.

FEEDERSTEERS: Good to Choice 300 to 700 lbs. 38.00-42.00; Standard to Good 32.00-38.00; Other 28.00-32.00.

DAIRYCOWS: 350.00 to 750.00; Market report Higher.

BULLS: 1200 to 2110 lbs. 36.00-39.85; 900 to 1200 32.00-36.00.

COWS: High Choice to Prime 32.00-33.50; Good to Standard 30.00-32.25; Cutters 24.00-30.00; Canners 22.00-24.00.

CALVES: High Choice 80.00-83.00; Good to Choice 60.00-70.00; Standard to Good 40.00-60.00; Utility 20.00-40.00.

HOGS: 200 to 240 49.00-50.35; 160 to 200 38.00-46.00.

SOWS: 30.00-39.75.

BOARS: 23.00-35.00.

SHEEP: Lambs 80 to 110 lbs. 61.50-64.00; 60 to 80 lbs. 50.00-57.50.

New Holland Horse

New Holland Sales
Stables

Monday, Feb. 6

Reported receipts of 146 head of horses, mules and ponies. Market stronger than last week's market.

Local driving horses 175-450; riding horses 175-300; better horses 325-500; lightweight killers 28-32; heavyweight killers 38-43; mares 15-50; colts 10-20; geldings 15-115; larger ponies 65-175.

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Belleville Auction

Belleville, Pa.
February 8, 1978

CATTLE 197. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1 higher. Few Good slaughter steers 39.25-41.75, few Standard 33.50-36.10.

Individual Good slaughter heifer at 34.35, few Standard 29.00-32.75. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 31.00-34.50, one at 34.85, Cutters 29.00-31.85, Canner & Low Cutter 25.00-29.25, few shells down to 17.10. Yield Grade No. 1, 1250-1950 lbs. slaughter bulls 35.75-39.60.

CALVES 239. Vealers fully steady. Couple Prime vealers 83.00 and 87.00, Choice 70.00-82.00, Good 56.00-70.00, Standard and Good 110-130 lbs. 41.00-56.00, 90-110 lbs. 34.00-41.50, Standard 65-85 lbs. 28.00-36.00, few Utility 50-90 lbs. 15.00-26.50. Farm Calves:

Holstein bulls 95-120 lbs. 40.00-61.50.

HOGS 450. Barrows and gilts 25 cents to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 49.60-50.30, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 48.20-49.70, No. 2-3 195-255 lbs. 46.00-48.20, No. 1-3 185-195 lbs. 42.30-45.00. Sows steady. US No. 1-3. 1-3 255-665 lbs. sows 35.00-42.00, one at

43.25, few Utility 220-375 lbs. 25.00-31.50. Boars 22.00-28.00.

FEEDER PIGS 266. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 10.50-23.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. 23.00-35.50 per head, No. 1-3 160-185 lbs. 35.50-40.00 per hundredweight.

SHEEP 5. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

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