

# Livestock market and auction news

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 pared with 2624 head last week, and 604 head a year ago. All sales cwt. Feeder pigs mostly \$7 to \$10 higher on small supply as a result of snow storm. US No. 1-2 30-40 lbs. 82.00-90.00, 40-50 lbs. 80.00-86.00, 50-60 lbs. 72.00-85.00; No. 2-3 45-60 lbs. 87.00-92.00, 65-85 lbs. 55.00-68.00; No. 3 35-50 lbs. 43.00-56.00; Utility 35-60 lbs. 55.00-58.00.  
**SHEEP** 265. Compared with 388 head last week, and 402 head a year ago. Woolled slaughter lambs steady to 50 cents lower. Choice 70-115 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 59.00-65.00, Good 70-100 lbs.

\$4.00-59.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-26.00.

## Leesport Auction

Leesport, Pa.  
 February 15, 1978  
**CATTLE** 280. Supply included 18 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers active, steady to strong. Slaughter cows grading Utility & Commercial \$1 to \$1.50 higher, Canner & Cutter about steady. Few High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 46.50-

49.50, Choice No. 2-4 900-1225 lbs. 45.00-46.60, High Good to Low Choice 44.00-45.50, Good 39.00-44.00, few Standard 35.00-40.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 43.85-46.60, few Good 38.75-42.75, few Standard 36.00-38.75. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 32.00-35.75, few to 36.35, Cutters 29.35-32.75, Canner & Low Cutter 26.00-29.25, Shells down to 24.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 41.75-43.50. Yield Grade #1 1200-2100 lbs. slaughter bulls 36.75-43.75.

**CALVES** 189. Vealers steady, mostly \$2 to \$4 lower. Choice vealers 65.00-75.00,

Good 50.00-60.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 42.00-50.00, 90-110 lbs. 36.00-41.00, Standard 70-85 lbs. 28.00-35.00, Utility 50-100 lbs. 15.00-25.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 40.00-63.50.

**HOGS** 551. Barrows & gilts 75 cents to \$1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-260 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.85-51.10, No. 1-3 190-260 lbs. 48.50-50.00, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 45.00-47.50, few lots No. 1-3 160-170 lbs. 40.00-42.50. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 35.50-40.50, few to 43.50, No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 33.00-38.50. Boars 28.00-38.00.

**FEEDER PIGS** 274. All prices cwt. US No. 1-3 20-45

lbs. feeder pigs 75.00-103.00, No. 1-3 50-70 lbs. 64.00-70.00, Utility 60-90 lbs. 35.00-43.00 cwt.

**SHEEP** 35. Choice 75-115 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 64.00-72.00. Slaughter ewes 15.00-24.00.

## Oklahoma Cattle

Oklahoma City, Okla.  
 February 16, 1978  
 Thursday feeder cattle auction.  
 Estimated Receipts 6600  
 Same Day Last Week 1463  
 Active, feeder cattle and

calves firm to .50 higher, instances \$1.00 higher on offerings of feeder steers over 550 lb. majority of receipts choice 400-800 lb. feeder steers and 400-700 lbs. feeder heifers; moderate attendance of buyers.

**FEEDER STEERS:**  
 Choice 300-400 lb. 52.25-56.75; 400-500 lb. 52.25-55.50; 500-600 lb. 48.50-52.75, part load 570 lb. at 53.25; 600-700 lb. 47.75-50.75, small lot 600 lb. at 41.70; 700-800 lb. 47.75-50.25; 800-950 lb. 45.50-48.25, package 828 lb. at 48.90; mixed good and choice 300-500 lb. 47.25-50.25; 500-700 lb. 43.25-47.00; part load 729 lb. at 44.90; small lot good 689 lb. at 42.00; few good 385-1102 lb. holstein steers 39.25-41.00.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:**  
 Choice 300-500 lb. 43.50-45.75; 500-600 lb. 42.50-45.25; 600-700 lb. 42.50-44.50; few 700-810 lb. 40.50-42.50; part load 705 lb. at 44.60; mixed good and choice 400-700 lb. 41.00-42.50; small lot 706 lb. at 39.75; few good 300-750 lb. 39.00-40.00.

**FOR THE WEEK:**  
 Compared to late last week feeder cattle and calves closed \$1.00-2.00 higher, instances \$2.50 higher on feeder steers over 550 lb. slaughter cows closed \$3.00-4.00 higher, late sales utility and commercial 2-3 33.50-36.75, cutter 1-3 29.25-33.25; bulls closed \$2.50-3.50 higher late sales yield grade 1-2 1000-1600 lb. 39.50-45.00; salable receipts near 14,900 head, compared to 6321 head last week and 14,111 head the comparable week a year ago. Cows and bulls near 7 per cent of cattle receipts, feeders near 93 per cent of the total.

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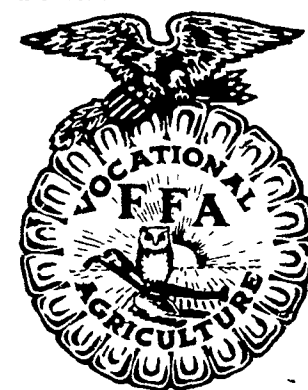
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