

Livestock market and auction news

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70-85 lb. 32.00-36.00; Low Utility 65-75 lb. 27.00-32.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 35-45 lb. \$22 to \$26 by hd.; 50-60 lb. \$36 to \$42 by hd.; 75-100 lb. \$38 to \$44 by hd.;

HOGS: 140-200 lb. 38.00-46.50.

SOWS: 36.50-40.50.

BOARS: 32.50-35.50.

SHEEP: 22.00-24.00.



Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.
March 28, 1978

CATTLE 240. Compared with last Tuesday's market; Choice slaughter steers 48.00-51.50, Good 43.50-47.25, Standard 41.10-43.00, Utility 37.00-40.00. Good slaughter heifers 45.75-48.25, Standard 41.00-45.00, Utility 33.25-38.75. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 35.85-38.50, Cutters 33.00-36.00, Canner & Low Cutter 30.00-34.50, Shells down to 28.75. Good

slaughter bullocks 42.85-44.00, Standard 34.00-40.25.

CALVES 174. Choice vealers 60.00-79.50, Good 45.00-65.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 34.00-49.00, 70-90 lbs. 28.00-39.00.

HOGS 407. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 46.85-47.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 44.75-47.00, No. 2-3 195-250 lbs. 40.50-43.50. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 40.00-45.50, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 33.00-39.00. Boars 30.00-30.50.

FEEDER PIGS 173. US No. 1-3 30-40 lbs. feeder pigs 26.00-36.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-70 lbs. 36.00-48.00 per head.

SHEEP 12. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High choice and prime 3-4 1150-1350 lbs. 52.50-53.75 Monday; 52.75-54.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1075-1200 lbs. 50.50-52.75, mostly 51.00-52.50; 2-3 950-1075 lbs. 49.00-50.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1200 lbs. 47.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High choice and prime 3-4 950-1075 lbs. Few loads 49.75-50.75 Monday; 49.75-50.75, load 51.00, load 51.25 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 875-1000 lbs. 48.50-49.75; 2-3 800-875 lbs. 46.50-48.75. Mixed good and choice 2-4 700-1000 lbs. 45.00-47.50.

COWS: Utility & commercial 1-3 33.00-35.50.

Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.
March 27, 1978

CATTLE 334. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers mostly higher. Slaughter cows uneven, mostly steady to 75 cents higher. Choice No. 2-4 985-1270 lbs. 49.60-52.50, Good 44.00-49.25, Good & Choice holsteins 41.60-43.50, Standard 37.75-41.60, few Utility & Low Standard 33.00-36.75. Few Choice slaughter

heifers 42.85-47.10, few Good 37.50-42.10, Utility & Standard 32.35-36.75. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 34.50-35.75, few to 38.50, Commercial No. 3-5 31.35-34.85, Cutters 32.60-34.35, Canner & Low Cutter 28.25-32.25, Shells down to 25.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 44.75-46.50, few Good 39.75-44.50, few Standard 36.85-39.75. Few Yield Grade #1 1250-1685 lbs. slaughter bulls 39.85-44.50; one yield grade #2 1588 lbs. 39.25. Medium & Good 300-700 lbs. feeder heifers 33.00-40.00, one at 43.00; few Medium & Good 420-720 lbs. 36.00-45.50.

CALVES 221. Vealers \$2 to \$5 lower. Choice vealers 65.00-71.50, Good 50.00-65.00, Standard & Good 110-140 lbs. 40.00-50.00, 90-110 lbs. 34.00-40.00, Standard 60-90 lbs. 32.00-37.00, few down to 30.00. Farm calves, active, Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs. 45.00-58.00, few to 60.50; holstein heifers 80-120 lbs. 40.00-58.00; few beef cross bulls & heifers 80-110 lbs. 42.00-55.00.

HOGS 347. Barrows & gilts \$2.50 to \$3 higher. US No. 1-2 200-245 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.00-49.50, No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 48.50-49.00, No. 2-3 200-260 lbs. 48.00-48.50, few down to 47.00, few No. 2-4 350-495 lbs. 33.75-37.50, No. 1-3 145-170 lbs. 33.50-39.25, few 175-

185 lbs. 45.60-48.20. Few US No. 1-3 380-430 lbs. sows 39.25-40.25, few No. 2-3 365-670 lbs. 35.25-40.00. Few Boars 31.25-32.00.

FEEDER PIGS 116. US No. 1-2 35-50 lbs. feeder pigs 40.50-55.00 per head, No. 1-3 15-25 lbs. 25.00-35.00, No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. 30.00-38.50, few No. 1-3 50-70 lbs. 36.50-43.00 per head.

SHEEP 2. One Choice 104 lbs. spring slaughter lamb at 66.00. One slaughter ewe at 18.00.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables
Wednesday, March 29

Reported receipts of 136 cows, 116 heifers, and 2 bulls. Market steady with last week's market.

Load of Pa. fresh 500-700; load of Pa. fresh 490-710; load of Pa. fresh 460-660, springers 650-900; load of Pa. fresh 610-800; load of N.Y. purebred and grade, fresh 630-1700; local cows 450-795; springing heifers 475-730; purebred springing heifers 675-800; open heifers 220-425; bred heifers 425-540; bulls 445-660; herd dispersal of 30 head in all stages of lactation 460-880.

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Joliet Cattle

March 30, 1978

CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 5,300, 5 days last week 5,654, same period last year 6,568. Even though receipts continue to be small trading moderate this week. Slaughter steers 75 to 1.25 higher than Wednesday of last week. Slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 higher than Wednesday of last week.

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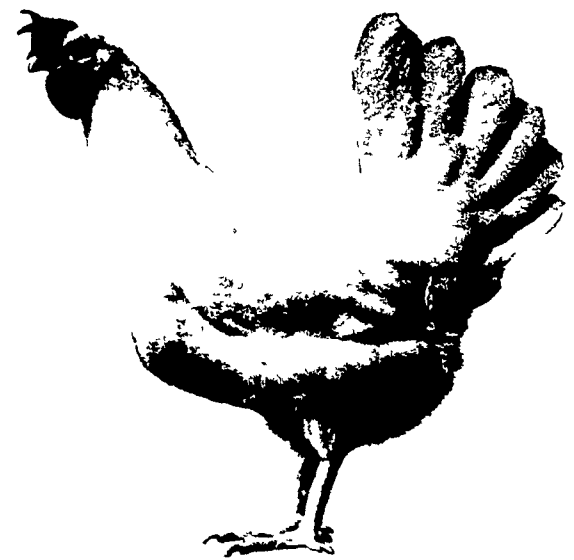
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Babcock B-300V	6.07	6.74	256.1	275.7	3.1	1.0	2.36	2.33
Shaver 288	5.52	6.27	245.5	273.1	5.2	3.0	2.44	2.44
DeKalb XL	5.85	5.96	253.3	275.7	2.1	3.0	2.43	2.59
Hisex	6.04	6.43	258.8	268.3	4.2	7.0	2.43	2.36



IMPORTANT NOTICE: We have received several questions concerning Babcock's showing in European Egg Laying tests as advertised in this paper. The Babcock B-300V was not entered in the recently completed Wissinkenke and Putten Laying Tests.

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