Livestock market and auction news

Belleville Auction

Belleville, Pa. September 20, 1978

CATTLE 136. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to mostly \$1.25 to \$1.75 higher. Couple Good slaughter steers 51.50 and 52.00. Few Standard slaughter heifers 42.00-45.75. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 39.00-44.35, couple to 46.25, Cutters 38.25-41.50, Canner & Low Cutter 34.85-38.85. Few Yield Grade #1 1200-2300 lbs. slaughter bulls 45.85-53.75.

CALVES 145. Vealers \$2 to \$6 higher. Choice vealers 74.00-86.50, Good 63.00-64.00. Standard & Good 90-110 lbs.

59.00-65.00, 70-85 lbs. 48.00-58.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 60.00-90.00; few holstein heifers 90-240 lbs. 70.00-107.00.

HOGS 195. Barrows & gilts strong, mostly \$1 to \$1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.50-53.40, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 50.85-52.50. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. sows 42.50-45.00. Few Boars 33.75-38.25.

FEEDER PIGS 485. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.50-37.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 32.00-49.50, few lots No. 1-3 65-90 lbs. 51.00-57.00 per head.

SHEEP 28. Good & Choice 55-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 55.00-59.00, one at 62.00. Slaughter ewes 20.00-36.00.

Market courtesy of PDA.

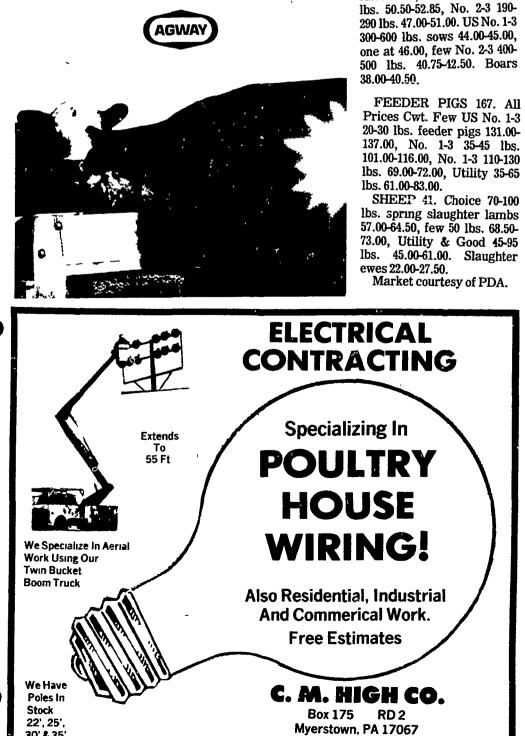
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Leesport Auction

Leesport, Pa. September 20, 1978

CATTLE 241. Supply included 39 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers steady to strong. Slaughter cows mostly steady. Choice 900-1300 lbs. slaughter steers 54.25-56.00, one at 56.75, Good 50.00-54.00, Standard 48.10-50.35, one Utility 42.85. Few Choice 800-1130 lbs. slaughter heifers 51.50-54.00, few Good 45.75-50.00, few Utility & Standard 42.00-45.10. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 41.00-42.35, Cutters 37.00-41.10, Canner & Low Cutter 36.00-38.75. Few Good & Choice slaughter bullocks 52.25-53.50, few Standard 46.00-49.00. Few Yield Grade #1 1100-1900 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.50-49.00. Good & Choice 400-700 lbs. feeder steers 55.50-63.50, one small lot at 70.00. Few Good & Choice 500-1000 lbs. feeder bulls 47.00-55.50.

CALVES 159. Few Prime vealers 86.00-91.00, Choice 78.00-85.00, Good 70.00-77.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 68.00-72.00, 90-110 lbs. 65.00-68.00, 70-85 lbs. 58.00-66.50, Utility 65-90 lbs. 49.50-59.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 100-115 lbs. 68.00-70.00; holstein heifers 90-120 lbs. 70.00-90.00, few to 115.00; few beef cross bulls & heifers 80-100 lbs. 69.00-82.00.

HOGS 301. (including 45 head 4H hogs). US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs barrows & gilts 52.75-53.25, No. 1-3 195-260 lbs. 50.50-52.85, No. 2-3 190-290 lbs. 47.00-51.00. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 44.00-45.00, one at 46.00, few No. 2-3 400-500 lbs. 40.75-42.50. Boars

Prices Cwt. Few US No. 1-3 20-30 lbs. feeder pigs 131.00-137.00, No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. 101.00-116.00, No. 1-3 110-130 lbs. 69.00-72.00, Utility 35-65

lbs. spring slaughter lambs 57.00-64.50, few 50 lbs. 68.50-Good 45-95 lbs. 45.00-61.00. Slaughter

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Baltimore USDA

September 18, 1978 CATTLE 400: Slaughter steers firm to 50 cents higher, heifers scarce, cows 25-1.00 lower, bulls steady to \$1.00 higher. Supply 30%

slaughter steers & heifers, 50% cows, 15% feeders, balance bulls. **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 965-1450 lbs. 53.00-54.50; Good 2-3 1100-1225 lbs. 48.50-51.75; Good Holsteins 48.10-50.60; Standard & low-Good 2-3 1000-1500 lbs. 45.00-47.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Package Choice 3's 945 lbs. 50.50; couple Good & Choice 2-3 770-lbs. 48.75.

COWS: Utility 2-3 & Commercial 3-4 38.35-42.75; few 43.25-43.60; Cutter 36.00-39.75; Canner & low Cutter 32.00-36.00.

BULLS: Y G 1-2 1065-2060 lbs. 45.60-50.85; Individual high Dressing 1 1600 lbs. 55.60.

HOGS 600: Barrows and Gilts firm to mostly 25 cents higher. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 49.75 to mostly 50.00, 50 head 50.25; U.S. 2-3 230-260 lbs. 49.00-50.00.

SOWS: Steady to 50 cents higher. U.S. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 40.50-42.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Choice steers 950-960 lbs. 53.50-54.00; Good & Choice 820-1000 lbs. 49.50-51.00; few Choice steer calves 230-395 lbs. **#64.00-65.50**; several Choice heifers 580-600 lbs. 52.75-53.50; package Good and Choice 400 lbs. 50.50.

VEAL & CALF AUCTION 75: Choice 175-250 lbs. Vealers 70.00-80.00; Good & Choice 150-230 lbs. 60.00-70.00; 75-115 lbs. 59.50-66.50.

Western Maryland Market

Western Maryland Stockyards, Inc. Westminster, Md.

September 19, 1978 BUTCHER CATTLE: Good run, mostly cows. Fat Steers Good demand prices higher. Top 55.50. Good-Choice 48.00-55.50, Standard 45.00-48.00, Heifer, Top 54.75, 49.00-49.50, 230-260 lbs. 48.00-49.00, 170-190 lbs. 47.00-48.50, Heavy Weights to 43.10, Sows to 42.00.

VEAL CALVES: Large run, prices 5.00 higher on light calves. Tops, to 82.00; Good-Choice 70.00-82.00, Standard 65.00-70.00, Light Calves 55.00-70.00, Weak & Rough 55.00 down. Farm heifers to 99.00, Farm bulls to 83.00.

LAMBS: Few offered. Good & Choice to 59.00.

STOCK CATTLE: Good run, very active. Stock Steers 45.00-64.25, Stock heifers 42.00-60.50, Stock bulls 40.00-68.25

PIGS AND SHOATS: Good run, prices lower. By the head 18.00-40.00, Shoats to 48.50. By the lb. to 51.00, lightweights to 86.00.

Chambersburg Auction

Chambersburg, Pa. September 21, 1978

CATTLE 260. Compared with last Thursday's market. Sl. cows \$1.00-2.50 higher, few Choice 1000-1150 lbs. sl. steers 54.75-56.10, few Good 47.50-51.10, few Standard 47.00-48.25, few Choice sl. heifers 48.00-52.10, few Good 47.10-50.00, few Standard 45.00-47.60. Utility & Commercial sl. cows 39.00-45.50, couple to 46.00, Cutters 40.25-43.75, Canner & L. Cutter 36.50-40.50, Shells down to 33.00. Sl. bullocks couple standard 47.00, 48.00, Few Yield Grade #1 1100-1850 lbs. 45.00-52.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Few Choice 450-550 lbs. steers 59.00-60.50, few Choice 400-800 lbs. heifers 45.50-51.50.

CALVES 523. Vealers \$9.00-14.00 higher. Couple Prime vealers 95.00, 98.50, Choice 78.00-89.00, Good 66.00-80.00, Standard & Good 90-115 lbs. 69.00-75.00, 70-85 lbs. 65.00-71.00, Utility 50-100 lbs. 50.00-64.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 71.00-94.00, couple to 96.50, few Holstein heifers 85-150 lbs. 72.00-116.00.

HOGS 60. Barrows and gilts \$1.00 higher. US No. 1-2 200-225 lbs. barrows & gilts

& Choice 75-100 lbs. 56.50-63.50, 1 lot Slaughter ewes at 25.25.

Market courtesy of/PDA.

Peoria Livestock

Peoria, Illinois September 21, 1978

CATTLE: Receipts this week: 5200 last week: 5700 year ago: 5000.

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers steady. Slaughter heifers 50-1.00 higher. Cows firm to 50 higher. Bulls steady. Receipts about 60 per cent slaughter steers, 35 per cent slaughter heifers, balance mostly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 1140-1285 lbs. 55.00-56.00; partload 56.50; Choice 2-4 1050-1200 lbs. 54.25-55.50; 900-1050 lbs. 53.50-54.25; mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1250 lbs. 52.50-54.25; Good 2-3 49.00-52.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 900-1030 lbs. 53.00-53.50; load 53.75; Choice 2-4 850-1000 lbs. 51.50-53.00; 800-900 lbs. 50.50-51.50; mixed Good and Choice 2-4 800-1000 lbs. 49.00-51.50; Good 2-3 46.00-49.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 38.50-40.50; high-Dressing Utility 41.00-42.00; Cutter 1-2 35.00-38.50; Canner 32.00-35.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1100-1500 lbs. 41.00-45.00; few Yield Grade 1 1600-1850 lbs. 46.00-48.00.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Carroll's Market

Felton, Del. September 15, 1978 Cows: Utility 38.50-42.50, Cutter 35.00-38.00.

Steers: Choice 54.00-55.00, Good 47.00-54.00, Standard 42.00-57.00.

Bulls: 43.00-48.50.

Veal Calves: Prime 70.00-78.00, Choice 60.00-70.00, Good 50.00-60.00, Standard 42.00-50.00, Monkeys returning to Farm - 45.00-73.00.

Lambs: 50.00-54.00. Hogs: 49.00-49.50.

Cows large run active 1.50 higher. Good Cows, to 44.75, Standard & Utility 38.00-41.00, Canners 36.00-38.50, Shelly 37.00 down, Bulls good demand, Top 47.60, bulk 45.00-47.00. BUTCHER HOGS: Light

run, mostly steady; Top Hogs 49.50. Bulk 200-225 lbs.



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50.60-51.00, 1 lot No. 1-3 230 lbs. at 49.35. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 40.00-43.25. 1 Boar at 35.00.

FEEDER PIGS 33. Few US No. 1-3 15-20 lbs. feeder pigs 19.00-22.00 per head, 1 lot No. 1-3 40 lbs. at 39.00.

SHEEP 72. Spring or wooled sl. lambs high Good

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76.00; Standard to Good 90-110 lbs. 55.00-69.00; Utility 70-85 lbs. 57.00-62.00; Low Utility 65-75 lbs. 38.00-46.00. FEEDER PIGS: 35-40 lbs. 29-36 by hd.; 25-30 lbs. 22-27

by hd.; 75-85 lbs. 44-52 by hd.

SOWS: 37.00-44.00.

BOARS: 38.00-41.00.

Sows: 42.00-44.25. Boars: 300 lbs. & up 39.00-41.25. Pigs sold between 20.00-66.00.

Hunter's Sale Barn

September 18, 1978 Rising Sun, Md. FEEDER HEIFERS: Good to Choice 44.00-46.00; Other 38.00-42.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS: 300-450 lbs. 330 by hd.; 250-295 lbs. 250-270 by hd. BULLS: 945 lbs. 44.00. COWS: High Choice to Prime 40.75-44.00: Good to Standard 38.75-40.00; Utility 35.50-38.50; Cutters 34.25-35.00; Canners 25.00-30.75. CALVES: High to Choice 140-180 lbs. 67.00-77.00; Good to Choice 120-140 lbs. 66.00-