

Livestock market and auction news

Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, Pa.
October 30, 1978

CATTLE 235. Compared with last Monday's market: Choice slaughter steers 53.50-56.00, Good 51.00-53.50, Standard 48.50-51.00, Utility 42.00-47.00. Choice slaughter heifers 51.00-54.00, Good 48.50-51.00, Standard 46.00-50.00, Utility 40.00-45.00. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 42.50-44.50, one at 46.50, Cutters 38.50-42.00, Canner and Low Cutters 36.00-40.00, Shells down to 30.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 52.00-53.50, few Good 48.50-51.50, Standard 45.00-49.00. Yield Grade No. 1, 1400-1900 lbs. slaughter bulls 49.50-52.50, Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1400 lbs. 44.00-48.00.

CALVES 274. Choice vealers 85.00-96.00, Good 80.00-90.00, Standard and Good 90-110 lbs. 70.00-76.00, 70-90 lbs. 66.00-74.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 90.00-101.00; Holstein heifers 80-130 lbs. 87.00-135.00.

HOGS 295. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.50-52.00, one lot at 53.00, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 49.50-51.50, No. 2-3 200-240 lbs. 49.50-50.50, 240-260 lbs. 48.50-50.00, No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 44.00-49.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 43.50-46.50, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 41.50-43.00. Few Boars 32.00-36.00.

FEEDER PIGS 62. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-42.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-55 lbs. 40.00-50.00 per head.

SHEEP 32. Good and Choice wooled slaughter lambs 55.00-60.00.

Market courtesy of PDA.

Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.
October 30, 1978

CATTLE 224. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows uneven, 50 cents lower to 50 cents higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 53.50-55.10, Good 49.00-52.00, Standard 46.50-50.25, few Utility 42.85-

44.50. One Standard slaughter heifer at 45.00, few Utility 38.10-42.25. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 38.50-42.60, couple to 43.60, Cutters 37.85-40.50, Canner & Low Cutter 34.00-38.00, Shells down to 32.00. Few Good & Choice slaughter bullocks 52.50-54.00. Few Yield Grade #1 1195-2050 lbs. slaughter bulls 43.10-51.75. Few Choice 300-500 lbs. feeder steers 55.00-65.00; Choice 300-600 lbs. feeder heifers 55.00-62.25; few Choice 450-650 lbs. feeder bulls 55.75-57.75.

CALVES 177. Vealers about steady. One Prime vealer at 90.00, Choice 80.00-87.00, few Good 75.00-82.00, 90-110 lbs. 75.00-79.00, 70-85 lbs. 74.00-77.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 79.00-96.00.

HOGS 304. Barrows & gilts \$2.25 to \$2.75 lower. US No. 1-2 195-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.35-52.60, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 51.10-52.25. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 42.25-46.50, couple to 47.50. Few Boars 33.50-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 225. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 27.00-38.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-55 lbs. 33.50-49.50, one lot No. 1-3 60 lbs. 56.00 per head.

SHEEP 18. Choice 80-115 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 50.50-60.00, couple to 63.50.

Baltimore USDA

October 30, 1978

CATTLE 400: Supply mostly cows 50-1.00 higher, some sales \$1.50 higher, bulls 50-1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Lot high Choice & Prime 3-4 1100 lbs. 55.85-56.00.

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Commercial 3-4 38.50-43.50; few 43.75-45.75. Cutter 1-2 34.50-39.00; several 39.85-40.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1095-2155 lbs. 45.50-50.85.

FEEDER CATTLE: Choice steers 600-700 lbs. 55.25-59.50; 700-980 lbs. 54.00-57.00; Choice steer bull calves 335-540 lbs. 57.00-63.00.

HOGS: 800. Barrows and Gilts 75-1.00 lower. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 51.50-51.75, 75 head 52.00-52.25, US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 50.50-51.50. **SOWS** 50-1.00 higher. US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 43.00-44.50, few 44.75-45.00.

VEAL & CALF AUCTION 100: Choice 140-240 lb. vealers 71.00-85.00; Good and Choice 140-200 lbs. 59.50-70.00; 75-115 lbs. 61.50-76.00; Good calves 250-445 lbs. 52.50-56.50; individual Choice 64.00.

SHEEP AUCTION: Choice wooled slaughter lambs 81-87 lbs. 56.00-56.50.

Sechrist Auction

Stewartstown, Pa.
October 30, 1978

CATTLE 51. Steers - Good Choice 53.00-54.75; Good 50.00-52.85; Standard Good 48.00-50.00; Holsteins Good 46.00-49.85; Standard to Good 43.00-47.00; Heifers - Good to Choice 48.00-50.00; Good 45.00-47.75; Holsteins Good 44.00-46.50; Standard Good 38.00-43.50; Feeder Steers - Good and Choice 50.00-62.50; Standard Good 45.00-50.00; Bulls - Standard to Good 44.00-48.50; Utility to Standard 40.00-44.00; Cows - High Yearling Commercial 42.00-43.85; Cutters 40.00-42.10; Canners Low Cutters 37.00-39.85; Shells 33.00-38.00.

CALVES 92. Calves - Choice and Prime 85.00-96.50; Good and Choice 75.00-85.00; Standard and Good 70.00-80.00; Bulls Good 110-140 lbs. 70.00-90.00; Heifers 90-110 lbs. 75.00-99.00; Culls 38.00-65.00.

HOGS 306. U.S. No. 1 and 2, 190-220 lbs. 52.00-52.75; U.S. No. 1 and 3, 190-230 lbs. 51.50-52.00; U.S. No. 1 and 3, 180-250 lbs. 50.00-51.25; Sows - 250-375 lbs. 43.00-46.50; 400-500 lbs. 39.85-44.00; Boars - 300-500 lbs. 38.00-42.00.

SHEEP 34. Lambs-Good to Choice 55.00-62.00; Medium to Good 35.00-55.00; Ewes 12.00-22.00.

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