

Livestock market and auction news

Lebanon Valley Auction

Fredericksburg, Pa.
March 20, 1979

CATTLE 240. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers \$2 to \$4 higher. Slaughter heifers steady to \$2 higher. Slaughter cows steady to strong, spots \$2 higher on Utility & Commercial. One Prime 1315 lbs. slaughter steer at 75.10, Choice No. 2-4 955-1295 lbs. 71.35-73.25, few to 74.75. Good 70.50-72.75, Good & Choice holsteins 66.60-69.25, Standard 65.25-67.75, few Utility 60.75-65.00. Choice slaughter heifers 66.00-70.00, few High Choice at 73.10, Good 63.00-67.00, few Standard 56.25-62.10. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 55.10-58.00, few 59.00, one at 60.00, Cutters 52.00-55.00, Canner & Low Cutter 48.75-52.60, Shells down to 45.00. Two good slaughter bullocks 66.25 and 66.75, few Standard 60.75-65.25. Few Yield Grade #1 1290-1835 lbs. slaughter bulls 63.10-67.85.

CALVES 203. Vealers grading Standard & Good steady to \$2 lower. Few Prime vealers 105.00-125.00, few Choice 109.00-115.00, few

Good 99.00-110.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 91.00-99.00, 70-90 lbs. 81.00-93.00, few Utility 65-90 lbs. 60.00-75.00. Farm calves very active. Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 102.00-126.00; holstein heifers 90-155 lbs. 145.00-208.00, few 80-90 lbs. 94.00-138.00.

HOGS 419. Barrows & gilts mostly weak to 25 cents lower. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.60-50.35, few 51.10, No. 1-3 190-245 lbs. 49.00-49.75, No. 2-3 200-260 lbs. 48.10-49.25, lot 47.50, few 290-300 lbs. 42.00-46.75. Sows \$1.50 to \$2 lower. US No. 1-3 270-610 lbs. sows 40.25-42.25, few 44.00, No. 2-3 300-580 lbs. 35.00-40.50. Few Boars 38.00-41.35.

FEEDER PIGS 27. Lot US No. 1-3 35 lbs. feeder pigs 99.00 cwt., No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 60.00-80.00 cwt.

SHEEP 6. Two Choice 100 and 115 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs at 70.00. Few slaughter ewes 15.00-26.00.

Market courtesy of PDA.

Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.
March 19, 1979

CATTLE 156. Compared

with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers unevenly mostly steady to strong. Slaughter cows about steady. Choice 2-4, 1050-1650 lbs. slaughter steers 69.00-72.00, couple to 72.75, Good 65.50-68.00, Standard 61.50-65.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 66.00-71.60, few Standard 59.00-60.00. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 53.00-56.60, one at 57.00, Cutters 51.50-55.00, Canner and Low Cutters 47.25-50.00, Shells down to 45.00. Couple Good slaughter bullocks 64.75 and 65.75. Few Yield grade No. 1, 980-1980 lbs. slaughter bulls 59.50-66.75. Few Good and Choice 475-675 lbs. feeder heifers 68.50-73.00.

CALVES 172. Vealers grading Standard and Low Good \$5-\$9 higher. Choice vealers 106.00-120.00, few Good 98.00-105.00, Standard and Good 90-110 lbs. 97.00-102.00, 70-85 lbs. 89.00-98.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 100.00-130.00; Holstein heifers 85-140 lbs. 135.00-180.00.

HOGS 398. Barrows and gilts uneven, 50 cents lower to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 50.90-51.70, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 48.90-50.90, No. 2-3 230-270 lbs. 46.00-48.00. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 42.75-46.00. Few Boars 35.00-40.00.

FEEDER PIGS 173. US No. 1-3 25-40 lbs. feeder pigs 37.50-48.00 per head, No. 1-3 45-65 lbs. 47.50-57.50 per head.

SHEEP 14. Few Choice 85-115 lbs. Fall lambs 77.00-102.00. Few Slaughter ewes 25.00-43.50.

Market courtesy of PDA.

Lancaster Feeder Cattle

Lancaster, Pa.
Friday, March 16, 1979

Feeder Cattle
Today 815
Last Friday 297
Last Year 813

TREND: Trend not comparable because of small supply in recent weeks. Demand good for all classes. Supply included 470 in graded sale sold in lots of 10 or more; large share of balance sold in lots of three or less.

FEEDER STEERS: Couple lots Choice and Prime 805-940 lb. 71.50-75.25; one lot Choice 505 lb. 101.00, one lot 690 lb. 82.50, Choice 715-730 lb. 77.50-81.00, Choice 920-1000 lb. 72.00-73.25; mixed Good and Choice 600-635 lb. 58.50-90.00, one lot 675 lb. 82.50; Choice 785-860 lb. 74.00-76.50; one lot Good 635-690 lb. 76.00-79.25, one lot 920 lb. 69.35.

FEEDER HEIFERS: One lot mixed Good and Choice 475 lb. 88.25, couple lots 595-720 lb. 69.50-73.00.

FEEDER BULLS: One lot Choice 705 lb. 74.75, 30 head 650-830 lb. Holstein bulls 68.10-72.00.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Peoria Cattle

March 22, 1979

CATTLE: Receipts this week: 3500, last week: 3700, year ago: 4400. Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers 3.50-5.50 higher. Receipts about 65 percent slaughter steers, 30 percent slaughter heifers balance mainly cows. Slaughter steers and heifers after sharp advances reach new all time highs.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Couple loads Choice and Prime 4 1390-1410 lbs. for export 75.50; Choice 2-4 950-1250 lbs. 74.00-75.50; half-load 76.00; Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1300 lbs. 71.00-74.00; Good 2-3 68.50-71.00; few Good 2-3 holsteins 67.00-68.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 900-1080 lbs. 72.50-73.00; four loads 73.50-73.75; Choice 2-4 850-1100 lbs. 71.00-72.50; Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 800-1075 lbs. 68.00-71.00; Good 2-3 65.00-68.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 52.00-57.00; high-dressing Utility 57.50-58.50; few 59.00; Cutter 1-2 56.00-52.00; Canner 44.00-50.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 61.00-68.00; few Yield Grade 1 69.00-70.00.

Market courtesy of USDA.

East Coast Carlot Meats

March 21, 1979

Compared to Tuesday: Light offerings of Prime Special Fed Veal, limited sales 5.00-10.00 higher than Monday's last good test. Good and Choice Boning Veal steady to 3.00 higher, advance on inshipped. Lamb 55-65 lbs. mostly steady with late last week. Cured and Processed Meats moderately active. Ham steady to weak. Boneless beef sales light and not fully established.

Loads Veal Carcass - hide on Prime (special fed) 180-240 lbs. ltd. 19500-2000 5.00-10.00 higher than Monday. Good and Choice boning

type - hide on northeastern suppliers 65-75 lbs. 13800, all steady; 55-64 lbs. 13600; 45-54 lbs. 13400; 35-44 lbs. 13200; 34 lbs. down 13000. Midwest and west coast suppliers 70-80 lbs. 14300-14500, all 1.00-3.00 higher; 60-70 lbs. 14100-14300; 50-60 lbs. 13900-14100; 40-50 lbs. 13700-13900; 30-40 lbs. 13500-13700.

Lamb Carcass, Choice and Prime 3-4 4 loads. 55 lbs. down 14000-14200; 55-65 lbs. 11300-11700, couple loads 11500; 65-75 lbs. 10300-11000.

Boneless Beef 3 loads. 1 65 percent chem lean, fresh 13900; 2 75 percent chem lean, fresh 9700.

Cured and Processed Meats 14 loads. 2 skinned hams 16-19 lbs. 9550; 19-23 lbs. 8950. 4 semi bnl hams 14-17 lbs. 11000 weak, 17-20 lbs. 10500. 1 boneless hams 13-17 lbs. 13900, steady. 1 picnics 4-8 lbs. 7250. 1 No. 1 sliced bacon vacuum pack 11100, steady. 2 franks 70 beef, 30 pork 1 lb. pack 9400, steady. 1 bologna, all beef, 1 lb. pack 10400, steady.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Valley Livestock

Market Report

Of Last Monday Auction
Heifer calves up to \$200.00. Veal calves 95.00-118.00. Bobs, 90 to 110 88.00-109.00. Bobs, 80 and down 81.00-105.00. Grassers & feeders 61.00-99.00. Lambs 67.00-145.00. Sheep 40.00-45.00. Hogs, 200 to 250 48.00-55.00. Sows 37.50-40.00. Boars 28.00-46.00. Pigs 12.00-40.00. Heifers 52.75-80.00. Steers, good 60.75-85.00. Steers, feeders 75.00-88.00. Bulls 60.00-67.75. Cows, good 52.00-57.50. Cows, med. 48.75-52.00. Cows, poor or small 30.00-45.00. Cattle market steady & strong. Calf market steady. Horses to 520.00. Ponies to 50.00. Goats to 57.50.

Number of Head: 143 Cows. 16 Bulls. 592 Calves. 23 Heifers. 13 Steers. 99 Hogs. 7 Lambs. 7 Sheep.

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REGISTERED HOLSTEINS

ROUND OAK RAG APPLE ELEVATION, GP 81, 3-1, 343, 14,204, 3.6, 508, due with 3rd calf 5/1/79. Bred to Stoncree Ivanhoe Stormy Marcus. Gr. Dtr. VG 87 5-1, 305, 18,004, 574.

PUGET-SOUND HIGHMARK GP 82, due with 4th calf 4/30/79 to Amity Acres Mighty Mark. Dam Rosafe Shamrock Bertrand, EX 90 5.7, 383, 18,545, 735, 3.9. Gr. Dam VG 85.

SEILING ROCKMAN due 4/15/79 with 3rd calf to Nichok Sunshine Bold Chief.

SEILING ROCKMAN due 6/3/79 with 3rd calf to Sleepy Hollow Kennedy, 2-3, 336, 15,314, 608, 4.0; 3-6, 360, 17,448, 662, 3.8.

DAN-VER CAROL SENATOR, 3-2, 279 dys., 13,891, 529, 3.8. Due with 3rd calf April 16, 1979 to Jet Stream.

GRADE COWS

Coming with 3rd calf, due 4/20/79 to Ivan A1 son.

Coming with 4th calf 4-2, 287, 16,659, 497, due 4/4/79 to Elevation son.

Coming with 3rd calf 325 dys, 16,730, 577, due 4/23/79 to Elevation son.

A grade cow from Canada coming with 2nd calf due April.

Coming with 4th calf due April to Elevation Son, 4-3, 349, 19,262, 692, 3.6.

Coming with 3rd calf bred to a young Sire Power bull due March 20, 2-1, 294, 15,612, 479; 3-1, 363, 19,197, 628.

REGISTERED BULLS

WAPPA ARLINDA CONDUCTOR, 3 mos. old, Dam Paclamar Bootmaker, proj. 2 yrs. 305, 12,825, 575, 4.6. Gr. Dam Round Oak Rag Apple Elevation, VG 85 3 yrs. 4-5 305, 17,841, 691, 3.9. Next King Inka Pobes VG 85, 7-2 305, 20,080, 762, 3.8.

ROYBROOK STARLITE, born 7/2/78 Dam Minne-Chaug Vern Prince Twin, VG88.

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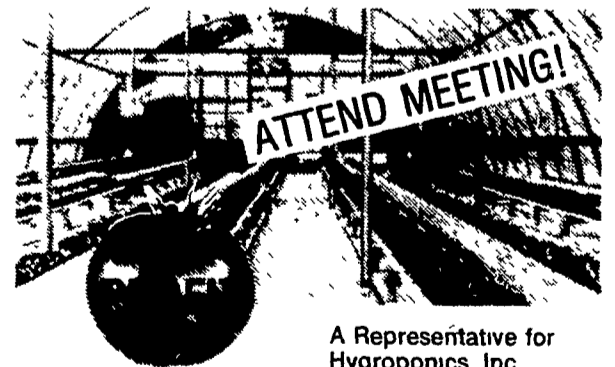
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