Livestock market and auction news

Oklahoma Cattle

March 29, 1979 Thursday Feeder **Cattle Auction**

Estimated receipts 6,600 5,596 Same day last week Moderately active, feeder

steers under 800 lb. near steady, feeder steers over 800 lb. 1.00-3.00 higher; feeder heifers under 500 lb. near steady, feeder heifers over 500 lb. 1.00-2.00 higher; majority receipts choice 400-800 lb. feeder steers and 400-650 lb. feeder heifers; attendance moderate buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice, few prime 300-500 lb. 101.00-115.00, 500-600 lb. 89.75-99.00, few 100.00-102.00, 600-700 lbs. 84.75-89.25, 700-800 lb. 82.00-86.00, few 800-850 lb. 79.00-81.25: mixed good and choice 300-400 lb. 95.00-107.50, 400-500 lb. 500-600 lb. 89.00-98.25, 84.25-89.75, part load thin 561 1b. at 94.25, 600-700 lb. 700-800 81.50-84.25, 1b.

78.50-82.00, few 800-850 lb. 73.50-78.50, few good 300-500 lb. 85.25-89.00, few 500-600 lb. 78.00-80.75, 600-800 lb. 73.00-77.00, few 800-970 lb. 68.50-71.00, part load good 957 lb. holstein steers at 67.75.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice, few prime 300-400 lb. 96.00-98.25, package 357 lb. at 102.50, 400-500 lb. 89.75-92.50, 500-600 lb. 80.75-83.25, part load 539 lb. 85.00; 600-700 lb. 75.00-79.50, part load 791 lb. at 75.75; mixed good and choice 300-400 lb. 85.00-89.00, 400-500 lb. 82.00-86.50, 500-600 1b. 75.50-80.50; 600-700 lb. 72.75-74.25, small lot 762 lb. 72.30, few good 300-500 lb. 75.50-83.00, part load 595 lb. at 73.75, few 700-800 lb. 68.00-69.00.

FOR THE WEEK: Compared to late last week, feeder calves under 500 lb. 1.00-2.00 higher; 500-800 lb. feeder steers steady, feeder steers over 800 lb. 50 cents to 1.00 higher; feeder heifers over 500 lb. 50 cents to 1.00 lower: slaughter cows closed 50 cents to 1.00 higher, late sales utility and commercial 2-3 55.50-61.00, high dressing 62.30-62.50; cutter 1-3 51.00-57.50; bulls closed near steady, weeks sales consisted of YG 1-2 1000-1800 lb. 60.00-70.00, one individual YG 1, near 2,000 lb. at 72.00. salable receipts near 18,650 head, compared to 17,548 head last week and 18,953 head the same week a year ago. Cows and bulls near 9 per cent of cattle receipts, feeders near 91 per cent of the total.

G&M Livestock

Duncansville, Pa. March 26, 1979

Market report steady. STEERS: Dairy Cows 410.00 to 1040.00; High Choice and Prime 71 to 73.10; Choice 68.00 to 71.00; Standard to Good 65.00 to 68.00.

HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 67.00 to 69.00; Good to Choice 63.90 to 67.50; Standard 58.00 to 63.00.

FEEDERSTEERS: Good to Choice 300 to 500 lbs. 85.00 to 96.00; 500 to 700 lbs. 75.00 to 85.00.

63.00 to 69.00.

COWS: High Choice to Prime 61.00 to 63.00; Good 58.00 to 61.00; Utility 52.00 to 58.00; Canners down to 42.00.

CALVES: High-Choice 115.00 to 128.00; Good to Choice 100.00 to 115.00; Standard to Good 80.00 to 100.00; Utility 60.00 to 80.00.

Farm Calves Holstein Bulls 90.00 to 126.00. Farm Calves Holstein

HOGS: 200 to 240 lbs. 47.50-49.10; 170 to 260 lbs. 44.00 to 47.50.

SOWS: 40.00 to 45.50.

Heifers 175.00 to 214.00.

BOARS: 35.00 to 40.00. Feeder Pigs 15 to 25 lbs. 32.00 to 39.00; 35 to 50 lbs. 38.00 to 54.00.

LAMBS: 70.00 to 89.00. SHEEP: 25.00 to 35.00.

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BULLS: 1200 to 1700 lbs. 1100-1430 lbs. 71.75-74.00, few early part of week 74.00-75.25; Choice mainly 2 1000-1325 lbs. 73.50-75.00, few early part of week 75.00-76.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1400 lbs. 69.50-73.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 68.00-70.50; Good 2-3 65.75-69.00; Standard 1-2 62.00-66.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1100 lbs. 67.00-70.10, couple 72.50-74.50; mixed Good and Choice 2-3 900-1100 lbs. 64.00-67.25; Good 2-3 850-1075 lbs. 61.00-65.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 54.00-57.50, few 57.50-58.75; Cutter 1-2 53.00-55.50, few 55.50-57.50: Canner and low Cutter 48.00-52.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1350 lbs. 67.00-70.50; Good 1000-1275 lbs. 63.50-67.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1300-2100 lbs. 64.50-68.50 with closing sales 68.50-71.50. Individual 2245 lbs. 76.00. Yield Grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 62.75-68.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 5.00-10.00 lower after Monday sales being fully steady.

VEALERS: Prime 290-355 lbs. 118.00-129.00; Choice 120-300 lbs. 100.00-117.00, few early part of week 117.00-122.00, 50 head lot 250-275 lbs. 132.00; high Good and low Choice 120-250 lbs. 92.00-105.00, 90-115 lbs. 82.00-92.00, 70-90 lbs. 70.00-85.00, few 60-80 lbs. 56.00-71.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lbs. holstein heifers 120.00-138.00, few late 142.00-154.00, few 85-100 lbs. 90.00-105.00, bulk 90-125 lbs. holstein bulls 105.00-119.00. 40 head 100-105 lbs. 121.00, few 70-90 lbs. 80.00-100.00.

Belleville Auction

Belleville, Pa. March 28, 1979

CATTLE 145. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows strong to \$1 higher. Few Good slaughter steers 63.75-

67.60. Few Good slaughter heifers 65.50-69.00, few Standard 60.50-62.00. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 54.00-57.85, few to 59.35, Cutters 52.85-56.35, Canner and Low Cutters 48,50-53.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1900 lbs. slaughter bulls 61.75-66.00. Few Good 350-600 lbs. feeder steers and bulls 70.00-85.50.

CALVES 198. Choice vealers 106.00-118.00, few Good 98.00-105.00, Standard and Good 90-110 lbs. 88.00-95.00, 70-85 lbs. 75.00-85.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 92.00-129.00; few Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs. 100.00-126.00.

HOGS 277. Barrows and gilts \$5.59-\$7 lower. US No. 1-3 210-225 lbs. barrows and gilts 43.85-44.10, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 42.00-43.85, few lots No. 2-3 280-295 lbs. 38.75-39.35. US No. 1-3 300-650 lbs. sows 35,00-40,50. Few Boars 32.60-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 328. US No. 1-3 30-50 lbs. feeder pigs 43.50-54.50 per head, one lot No. 1-3 80 lbs. at 56.00 per head.

SHEEP 51. Few Choice 90-95 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 71.00-75.00. Slaughter ewes 30.00-39.00.

Valley Stockyards Inc. Athens

March 26, 1979

Hol. hfr. calves to 206.00; Veal Calves 90.00-119.00: Bobs, 90 to 110 lbs. 100.00-145.00; Bobs, 80 and down 75.00-90.00; Grassers & Feeders 66.00-97.00; Lambsspring 125.00-145.00; Sheep 25.00-39.00; Hogs, 200 to 250 lbs. 43.00-47.50; Sows 39.00-42.00; Boars 32.00-37.00; Pigs 20.00-49.00; Heifers 54.50-60.00; Steers, good 68.00-70.25; Steers, feeder 26.50-87.00; Bulls 58.00-67.00; Cows, good 55.00-57.00; Cows, med. 50.00-52.50; Cows, poor or small 42.00-50.00; Cattle Market very active, Calf Market strong; Horses none; Ponies 35.00-55.00; Goats 11.00-48.00.

Number of Head 118 Cows, 23 Bulls, 530 Calves, 23 Heifers, 16 Steers, 98 Hogs, 11 Lambs, 20 Sheep.

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