

Livestock market and auction news

Pa. Auction Summary

Of 14 Livestock Auction Market Reports. June 8, 1979

CATTLE 6843. Compared to 5638 last week, and 9499 a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers & sl. heifers 3.00-4.00 lower, spots 5.00 lower on rapidly declining market. Sl. heifers 3.00-4.00 lower, Sl. cows 3.00-6.00 lower, Sl. bullocks & Sl. bulls 1.00-3.00 lower. Feeder Cattle-feeder Heifers mostly steady. High Choice & Prime YG 3-4 sl. steers 68.00-70.75; Choice YG 2-4 66.00-70.85, few 71.50; Good 63.00-66.00; Standard 60.00-64.00. Choice sl. heifers 64.00-68.50; Good 60.00-64.00; Standard 58.00-61.00. Utility & Commercial sl. cows 51.00-57.85, few 59.00; Cutters 48.00-54.00; Canner & L. Cutter 45.00-50.50, Shells down to 43.00. Choice sl. bullocks 68.00-71.50, Good 63.00-68.00. Bulls Yield Grade #1, 1000-2200 lbs. 62.00-71.50, Yield Grade #2, 900-1650 lbs. 58.00-65.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Med. & Good 300-800 lbs. 66.00-83.00. Good & Choice 300-700 lbs. heifers 65.00-82.00.

CALVES 2310. Compared to 2138 last week and 3826 a year ago. Vealers mostly 5.00 lower, few Prime vealers 112.00-129.00, Choice 100.00-119.00, Good 90.00-105.00; Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 80.00-95.00, 70-90 lbs. 60.00-85.00.

FARM CALVES: Active, 5.00-25.00 lower. Hol. Bulls 90-120 lbs. 90.00-165.00, mostly 100.00-135.00. Hol. Heifers 90-150 lbs. 110.00-200.00, few 239.00.

HOGS 7453. Compared to 4811 last week and 9302 a year ago. Barrows and gilts mostly 1.00-1.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 43.50-45.00, few 46.00. No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 42.00-44.00, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 40.00-42.00, No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 35.00-40.00. SOWS mostly 2.00-4.00 lower; US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs 32.00-37.00, few No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 25.00-32.00. BOARS 25.00-35.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1271. Compared to 1077 last week and 1831 a year ago. 3.00-10.00 lower. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 15.00-32.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 28.00-38.00, No. 1-3 50-85 lbs 35.00-49.00.

GRADED FEEDER PIGS 3588. ALL SALES CWT. Compared with 3130 head last week, and 3364 head a year ago. Feeder pigs 8.00-20.00 lower, spots 25.00 lower. US No. 1-2 30-40 lbs. 64.50-82.00, 40-50 lbs. 57.00-78.50, 50-60 lbs. 58.50-74.00; 60-90 lbs. 50.00-64.00; US No. 2-3 30-40 lbs. 61.00-80.00, 40-50 lbs. 56.00-70.00, 50-70 lbs. 51.00-60.00; US No. 3 30-50 lbs. 42.00-67.00. Utility 35-50 lbs. 41.00-64.00.

SHEEP 711. Compared to 390 last week and 899 a year ago. Spring sl. lambs mostly 2.00 lower. Choice 50-110 lbs. 69.00-78.00, Good 40-105 lbs. 60.00-69.00. Slaughter ewes 23.00-45.00, few down to 15.00.

Chambersburg Auction

Chambersburg, Pa. June 7, 1979

CATTLE 290. Compared with last Thursday's market, Sl. cows 4.00-7.00 lower. Sl. steers Choice YG 2-4 950-1350 lbs. 63.00-68.00, couple No. 1 at 69.75; Good 61.50-64.00; Standard 59.00-62.00; Choice & Prime sl. heifers 60.00-64.75 Utility & Commercial sl. cows 50.00-54.75, 1 at 58.85; Cutters 49.50-53.75; Canner & L. Cutter 48.50-50.50, Shells down to 43.50 Sl. bullocks few Good 63.25-67.75, Bulls Yield Grade #1 1050-1900 lbs 59.75-69.50

FEEDER CATTLE Few medium Holsteins Good 250-500 lbs heifers 92.00-103.00

CALVES 392. Vealers grading Choice about steady. Standard & low Good 7.00-15.00 lower. Few Prime vealers 119.50-129.50, Choice 100.00-125.00, Good 92.00-105.00; Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 78.00-88.00; 70-85 lbs. 65.00-75.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 95.00-130.00, few 146.00; Hol. Heifers 85-150 lbs. 150.00-212.50.

HOGS: 70. Barrows and gilts \$1.00 lower. Few Lots No. 1-3 200-230 lbs. 40.50-43.25. SOWS US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 28.00-31.00.

FEEDER PIGS 78. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.50-28.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-55 lbs. 30.00-37.00.

SHEEP 55. Sl. lambs Choice 65-110 lbs. 59.00-70.00;

1 lot Utility & Good feeder lambs 40 lbs. at 53.00. Slaughter ewes 20.00-41.00.

Lancaster Feeder Cattle

Lancaster, Pa. Friday, June 1, 1979

Feeder Cattle

Today 376
Last Friday 588
Last Year 359

TREND Compared to two weeks ago feeder steers 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 175 head sold in lots of 10 or more in graded sale Balance sold mainly in lots of three or less in a clean-up trade.

FEEDER STEERS Couple lots Choice and Prime 830 lb 75.50-78.00, one lot 1065 lb 71.60; one lot 715 lb 85.00, three lots Choice 800-975 lb 72.50-73.00, couple lots 1000-1100 lb 69.00-71.00; one lot mixed Good and Choice 675 lb. 85.00 and one lot 960 lb. 68.75; 18 head Good 985 lb. Holsteins 67.00.

FEEDER BULLS: One lot Choice 520 lb. 95.60 and one small lot 630 lb. 77.00.

New Holland Horses

Monday, June 4
New Holland Sales Stables

Reported receipts of 297 head of horses, mules, and ponies. Market steady with last week's market. Local driving horses 275-

Eastern will distribute profits

SYRACUSE, N.Y. — In view of a positive direction in their cooperative's cash flow picture, delegates of Eastern Milk Producers Cooperative Association, Inc. have voted to distribute profits first to present members who were subject to "reblend" or extra marketing costs. The action was one of seven which was finalized here during the cooperative's annual meeting at the Hotel Syracuse.

In addition, Eastern moved to increase its membership campaign efforts, particularly in the New England area.

Also on the approved list were resolutions to fight a lawsuit that has been levied against Eastern by 50 disenfranchised members. "This delegate body is opposed to the lawsuit, is not a part of or represented by the group of plaintiffs in the lawsuit and supports the board of directors in their defense of the lawsuit," the action read.

Other resolutions approved at the meeting included action to support legislation which will continue the 80 per of parity

support price for milk, and a move to oppose the expansion of imitation dairy products "... (They) are detrimental to the welfare of the dairy industry," the delegates wrote on the last matter. The delegates voted to have the association (Eastern) take whatever steps that are necessary or advisable to prevent the continuation of dairy product substitutes on the market. In addition, the delegates went on record to reaffirm its opposition to the Food and Drug Administration's proposed requirement for labeling dairy product substitutes.

Only one of the seven resolutions was defeated. That one dealt with the Multi-Lateral Trade Agreement. The proposal of some Eastern members had been to have the Senate modify the allotments of cheese to be imported into the United States. The minority opinion was that the Multi-Lateral Trade Agreement was not in the best interest of dairy farmers.



1350; riding horses 300-500; better horses 550-950; lightweight killers 250-400; heavyweight killers 450-675; mare ponies 20-65; colts 10-20; geldings 20-60, larger ponies 100-225.

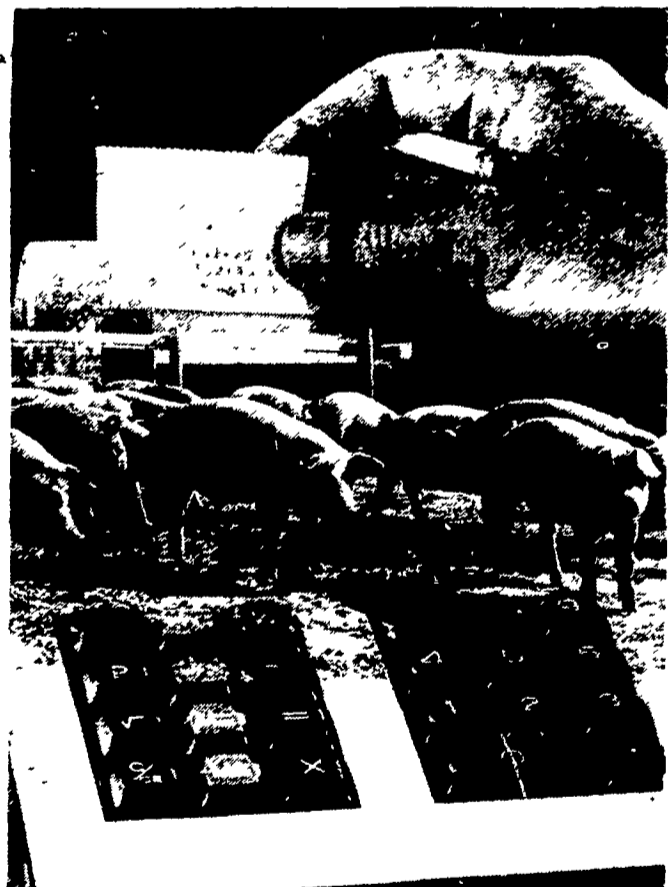


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