# Livestock market and auction news

## Dewart Auction

#### Dewart, Pa. October 22, 1979

CATTLE 226. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows 75 cents to \$1.75 lower. Choice No. 2-4 950-1250 lbs. slaughter steers 64.00-66.50, couple to 70.00, Good 62.50-64.00, Standard 58.00-63.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 61.25-64.00, few Good 58.00-61.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 46.00-50.00, Cutters 46.50-50.50, Canner & Low Cutter 43.75-47.00, Shells down to 40.00. Couple Choice slaughter bullocks at 65.00, few Good 60.50-63.00. Yield Grade #1 1200-1775 lbs. slaughter bulls 58.00-62.00, one at 66.25. Lot Large Frame #1 400-450 lbs. feeder steers at 95.00, lot Frame #1 (Medium) 325-350 lbs. 92.50.

CALVES 195. Vealers about steady. Few Prime vealers 118.00-122.00, Choice 102.00-115.00, Good 100.00-105.00, Standard & Good 80-100 lbs. 95.00-103.00, Utility 50-100 lbs. 80.00-90.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 100.00-115.00; few lbs. holstein heifers 90-135 lbs. 95.00-185.00.

HOGS 528. Barrows & gilts steady to 75 cents lower. US No. 1-2 195-240 barrows & gilts 36.50-37.00, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 35.35-36.75, No. 2-3 250-275 lbs 33 10-34.85. Few US No. 1-3 300-525 lbs. sows 28.00-28.50. Few Boars 26.00-29.00.

FEEDER PIGS 256. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 8.50-13.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 12.00-17.00 per head.

SHEEP 11. One Choice 105 lbs. wooled slaughter lamb at 60.00, few Utility & Good 40-70 lbs. feeder lambs 44.00-52.00.

## **Baltimore** USDA

October 22, 1979 CATTLE 275: Not enough sales steers or heifers for a market test. Cows 75 cents to \$1.00 higher, bulls steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Pkg. Choice 3's 995 lbs. 68.75; few Good and Choice 1300-1475 lbs. 64.85-65.25; Stan-1100and low Good

### lbs. 59.85-66.75; few YG 2 1065-1575 lbs. 53.75-55.60.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers Medium Frame #1 muscle thickness few 425-480 lbs. 74.00-78.50; 585-725 lbs. 66.25-69.25; 875-925 lbs. 62.75-65.10. Bulls Medium Frame #1 several 300-350 lbs. 74.00-74.50; 425-550 lbs. 58.00-65.50; 600-650 lbs. 57.75-61.25. Heifers Medium Frame #1 package 250 lbs. 74.50; 325-500 lbs. 58.00-65.00; 500-760 lbs. 56.25-60.50.

HOGS 600: Barrows & Gilts 50 cents to 1.00 lower. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 35.25, few lots 35.50-35.75; US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 34.25-35.25.

SOWS: Steady to 50 cents lower. US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 27.00-28.00.

VEAL AND CALF **AUCTION: Few Choice 165-**235 lbs. vealers 86.00-96.00; Good and Choice 150-230 lbs. 71.00-81.00; 90-120 lbs. 80.50-91.50; 70-90 lbs. 65.50-81.00; Choice bulls calves 170-385 lbs. 71.00-83.00; Heifer calves 235-330 lbs. 60.00-65.00.

SHEEP AUCTION: Pkg. Good & Choice wooled slaughter lambs 70 lbs. 55.00.

## Martinsburg Auction

#### Martinsburg, Pa. October 22, 1979

CATTLE 224. Choice slaughter steers 63.00-67.00, few to 70.00, Good 63.00-65.00, Standard 62.00-64.00, Utility 58.00-60.00. Choice slaughter heifers 60.00-64.00, Good 57.50-62.00, Standard 55.50-60.00, Utility 54.00-60.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 49.00-52.50, Cutters 46.00-50.00, Canner & Low Cutter 42.00-47.00, Shelis down to 40.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 64.00-68.00, Good 62.00-64.00, Standard 60.00-62.00, Utility 57.00-60.00. Yield Grade #1 slaughter bulls 63.00-67.50; yield grade/ #2 60.00-64.00. Medium Frame 300-600 lbs. feeder steers 52.00-85.00.

CALVES 290. Choice vealers 103.00-120.00, Good 98.00-105.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 65.00-95.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 115.00-134.00, 70-90 lbs. 80.00-110.00; holstein heifers 80-130 lbs. 90.00-200.00.

HOGS 226. US No. 1-2

## G&M Auction October 22, 1979

#### Duncansville, Pa. Market report steady. DAIRY COWS: 900.00 to

1460.00. STEERS: High Choice and Prime 64.00 to 66.50; Good to Choice 62.00 to 64.00; Standard to Good 58.00 to 62.00.

and Prime 62.00 to 64.00; to 35.00. Good to Choice 58.00 to 62.00; Other Standard 50.00 to 54.00. FEEDERSTEERS: Good to Choice 300 to 500 lbs. 75.00

to 95.00; 500 to 700 lbs. 60.00 to 82.00. BULLS: 1200 to 1698 lbs.

60.00 to 66.25; 900 to 1200 lbs. 58.00 to 62.00.

COWS: High Choice to Prime 50.00 to 52.50; Individual 54.75; Good 48.00 to 50.00; Utility 44.00 to 48.00; Cutters 42.00 to 44.00; Canner Down to 38.00.

CALVES: High Choice 100.00 to 114.00; Good to Choice 80.00 to 100.00; Standard to Good 60.00 to 80.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Heifers 150.00 to 202.50.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 115.00 to 129.00. HOGS: 200 to 240 lbs. 35.50

to 37.10; 190 to 280 lbs. 34.00 to 36.35.

FEEDER PIGS: 15 to 30 lbs. 10.00 to 16.00. FEEDER PIGS: 30 to 50 lbs. 16.00 to 24.00.

SOWS: 26.00 to 30.50. BOARS: 18.00 to 24.50. LAMBS: 55.00 to 64.00. SHEEP: 25.00 to 44.00.

## Sechrist Auction

#### Stewartstown, Pa. October 22, 1979

CATTLE 80. Steers - Good Choice 63.50 to 65.85; Good 62.00 to 64.00; Holsteins Good 57.00 to 61.85; Standard to Good 55.00 to 56.75. Heifers -Good 55.00 to 60.00; Holsteins Good 52.00 to 53.85. Feeder Steers - Good and Choice 65.00 to 75.00; Standard Good 55.00 to 64.00; Utility 45.00 to 55.00. Bulls - Good and Choice Commercial 58.00 to 61.50; Standard to Good 56.00 to 58.00; Utility to Standard 55.00 to \$7.00. Cows - High Yearling Commercial 48.00

lbs. 28.00 to 30.00; 400-500 lbs. 25.00 to 28.00. Boars - 300-500 lbs. 25.00 to 29.00.

SHEEP 2. Lambs - Good to Choice 55.00 to 60.00; Medium and Good 50.00 to 55.00. Ewes 12.00 to 24.00. Private Treaty Fat Hogs,

Select No. 1 and 2, 190-215 lbs. 35.50 to 36.00.

Private Treaty Fat Hogs, No. 1 and 2, 190-220 lbs. 35.25. Private Treaty Fat Hogs, HEIFERS: High Choice No. 1 and 3, 190-250 lbs.s 34.00

## **Four States** Auction

#### October 17, 1979

**SLAUGHTER:** Fed Steers mostly steady. Choice 64.00-66.00; Good 58.00-63.00; Medium 57.00 Down. Heifers Choice 61.00-62.25; Good 56.00-60.00; Medium 55.00 Down. Cows good run, \$2.00 under last week. High Yield 50.00-51.25; Average 46.00-49.00; Big Middle 41.00-45.00; Shelly 44.00 Down. Fat Bulls \$2.00 lower. Good 58.00-62.00; Medium 52.00-57.00. Veal Calves light calves higher, heavy calves steady. Choice to 105.50; Good 98.00-104.00; Medium 97.00; Farm Hfrs. to 167.50; Farm Bulls to 126.00; Light & Weak 85.00 Down. Lambs Choice 58.00-60.50; Good 53.00-57.00; Medium 52.00 Down.

STOCKER: Steers 300-550 lbs. good run \$2.00 lower. Choice 85.00-93.00; Good 75.00-84.00; Medium 65.00-74.00; Culls 64.00 Down. Steers 600-850 lbs. Choice 65.00-69.00; Good 60.00-64.00; Medium 59.00 Down. Heifers (All Weights) Choice 70.00-77.00; Good 60.00-69.00; Medium 59.00 Down. Bulls Few 85.00-99.00; Choice 70.00-75.00; Good 65.00-69.00; Medum 64.00 Down. Dairy Cows to 1245.00. Springing Hfrs. to 1310. Pigs, hd. mostly steady. 20-30 lbs. 5.00-11.00; 40-60 lbs. 12.00-22.00. Shoats by Lb. to 30.50. Slaughter Hogs steady prices. 200-230 lbs. 35.00-36.10; 240-260 lbs. 35.50-36.35. Sows 300-550 lbs. 25.00-30.75.

> Special Market Special Feeder Calf Sale

89.25; 605-700 lbs. 74.00-80.50. Good 300-400 lbs. 91.50-100.00, mostly 93.00-96.00; 405-500lbs. 82.00-91.50; 505-600 lbs. 79.50-87.75; 605-700 lbs. 75.00-78.50. Short 400-500 lbs. 68.00-72.00: 505-600 lbs. 72.25-74.75. Medium 300-400 lbs. 89.00-95.00; 405-500 lbs. 75.00-83.00; 505-600 lbs. 78.00-79.00; 605-700 lbs. 74.50-77.50.

HEIFERS: Choice 300-400 lbs. 68.50-72.50; 405-500 lbs. 73.50-79.00; 505-600 lbs. 69.00-73.25; 605-700 lbs. 60.00-61.50. Good 300-400 lbs. 66.50-71.50; 405-500 lbs. 68.00-75.75; 505-600 lbs. 60.00-66.00; 605-700 lbs. 58.00-63.00. Short 400-500 lbs. 62.00-63.00; 505-600 lbs. 59.00. Medium 300-400 lbs. 64.50-68.00; 405-500 lbs. 60.00-65.75; 505-600 lbs. 61.00-63.00; 605-700 lbs. 59.00-62.00.

## East Coast Carlot -

## October 24, 1979

Compared to Tuesday's close: trading slow with demand moderate at best for most meat items. Prime special fed limited sales steady. Good and Choice boning veal uneven, northeasterns mostly 2.00-4.00 lower; limited sales inshipped firm. Lamb 55 lbs. down generally steady limited test. Cured and processed skinned hams steady to limited comparison.

## VEAL CARCASS

HIDE ON Prime (Special Fed): 180-240 lbs. LTD 170.00-173.00 steady.

#### BONING TYPE HIDE ON **Good and Choice**

Northeastern Suppliers: 65-75 lbs. 134.00-138.00, few 132.00, all 2.00-4.00 lower; 55-64 lbs. 132.00-136.00, few 130.00; 45-54 lbs. 130.00-134.00, few 128.00; 35-44 lbs. 128.00-132.00, few 126.00; 34 lbs. down 126.00-130.00, few 124.00.

- Inshipped: 70-80 lbs. LTD 139.00, all firm; 60-70 lbs. LTD 137.00; 50-60 lbs. LTD 135.00; 40-50 lbs. LTD 133.00; 30-40 lbs. LTD 131.00.

#### LAMB CARCASS Choice & Prime 3-4 1 Load

55 lbs. down 125.00 part loads.

> **BEEF TRIMMINGS** 6 Loads

50 pct chem lean, frozen 48.00 boxed; 68 pct chem lean, fresh 81.00.

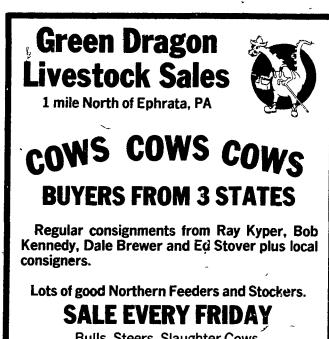
#### CURED AND PROCESSED MEATS

14½ Loads

Skinned Hams: 16-19 lbs. 81.00, steady; 19-23 lbs. 78.00-79.00

Semi Bnls Hams: 17-20 lbs. 99.00.

No. 1 Sliced Bacon Vacuum Pack 84.00, steady. Franks 70 Beef, 30 Pork 1 lb. Pack 79.00.



Bulls, Steers, Slaughter Cows, Lambs and Veal Calves.

1360 lbs. 57.00-59.25.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Pkg. Good and Choice 3's 890 lbs. 62.00. Good 2-3 770-1060 lbs. 56.50-60.00.

COWS: Utility 2-3 45.85-52.00; several 52.25-52.75; few Commercial 3-4 45.60-47.60; Cutter 1-2 44.00-48.35, couple to 49.10.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1200-1900

barrows & gilts 35.75-37.75, No. 2-3 34.50-36.00, No. 1-3 130-185 lbs. 30.00-31.50. US No. 1-3 sows 28.50-31.50, No. 2-3 26.00-28.50. Boars 20.00-24.00.

FEEDER PIGS 70. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-23.00 per head.

SHEEP 1. Not enough for any one grade to establish a market.

to 52.00; Cutters 45.00 to 48.00; Canners Low Cutters 40.00 to 45.00.

CALVES 101. Calves -Choice and Prime 110.00 to 121.00; Good and Choice 98.00 to 110.00; Standard and Good 90.00 to 100.00. Bulls Good 100-120 lbs. 100.000 to 115.00. Hfrs. 90-150 lbs. 100.00 to 175.00. Culls 50.00 to 95.00. HOGS 386. Sows - 250-375

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Dublin, Va October 17, 1979 There were 1757 head sold. All cattle were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of

Markets. Livestock Section on VDACS standards and sold by the hundredweight. STEERS: Choice 300-400

lbs. 94.50-99.00; 405-500 lbs. 86.50-90.00; 505-600 lbs. 86.7511:00 A.M. - Beef Sale Stockers & Feeders 200 to 250 each week.

12:30 P.M. - Dairy Cows 7:00 P.M. - Small Animal Sale

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