Livestock market and auction news

Pa. Auction Summary

Friday, January 18

CATTLE 4958. Compared with 5101 head last week and 5841 head a year ago. Slaughter steers mostly \$1.00-1.50 lower, Sl. heifers steady to \$1.00 lower. Sl. cows 50 cents -\$1.00 lower, spots \$2.00 lower, Sl. bullocks & bulls \$1.00-2.00 lower. Sl. bulls High Choice & Prime YG 3-4 sl. steers 68.00-70.35, Choice YG 2-4 66.50-71.75, Good 61.00-67.00, Standard 56.00-62.00. Choice sl. heifers 63.00-67.00, Good 60 00-64.75, Standard 55.00-60.00. Utility & Commercial sl. cows 48.00-54.00, Cutters 46.50-52.00 Canner & L. Cutter 44.00-49.00, Shells down to 32.00. Choice sl. bullocks 66.00-71.25, Good 60.50-66.50, few Standard 55.00-57.00. Yield Grade #1, 1000-2400 lbs. 58.00-67.50, Yield Grade #2, 900-1500 lbs. 55.00-64.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Large Frame No. 1 Choice 300-600 lbs. steers 69.50-87.50, Medium Frame No. 1 Good 300-700 lbs. 64.00-72.50. Med. Frame No. 1 Good 300-700 lbs. heifers 55.00-68.50. Few Medium & Large Frame No. 1 Good 500-750 lbs. bulls 65.00-75.00.

CALVES 3172. Compared with 3377 head last week and 2630 head a year ago. Vealers mostly \$2.00-5.00 higher. Few Prime vealers 118.00-127.00, Choice 102.00-120.00, Good 90.00-110.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 70.00-90.00, 65-90 lbs. 60.00-85.00, Utility 50-110 lbs. 50.00-70.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-120 lbs. 90.00-130.00, few down to 80, Hol. Heifers 90-150 lbs. 100.00-252.00,

Farm Calendar

Continued from Page A10) Center, Lancaster, at 8:30 a.m.

- Inter-state District 3 annual meeting, 11:45 a.m. at Level Chestnut Presbyterian Church, Quarryville
- Capital Region ornamental school, 9 a.m.
- Dover Young Farmers corn meeting, 7:30 p.m., Dover H.S. ag classroom Adams Co.
- Dairy Records Meeting at Brown Valley Farms, Littlestown, 10 a.m. -
- Adams Co. Dairy Records Meeting at Leroy Deputy Farm, East Berlin, 1:30 p.m.
- Adams Co. Dairy Records Meeting at Larry Wilkinson Farm, Gettysburg, 7:30 p.m.
- Garden Spot Young Farmers, Dairy Mgt. Mtg., 7:30 p.m.
- Chester County Extension annual meeting and Ham dinner, 7 p.m., Upper Octorara Presbyterian Church, Parkesburg.

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Insecticides, Dusts,

Wednesday, January 23 Area Income Tax Meeting, Lancaster Farm and Home Center, 9:30 a.m. North East Holstein Con-

ference, Ithaca, N.Y. Thursday, January 24

- York Co. 1980 Reorganization meeting of county dairy princess and promotion committee, 7:30 p.m., extension meeting room at Pleasant Acres. Montgomery Co. Farm Tax
- Mtg, Collegeville Inn Dairy Interests Luncheon,
- N.J. Farmers' Week, Hilltop Pfenninger's Inn, 11:30 a.m.
- Regional Meeting of Pony Express and Handicapped Riding Program at 10 a.m. at the Sheraton, Hbg.
- Farmers Forum, "Energy & Agriculture in the 80's" Avalongs Restaurant, 9 a.m.
- Friday, January 25 4-H Tractor Maintenance Club (Southern), 7 p.m., Wenger Implement, Inc., Buck. Lancaster Co.

mostly 125.00-185.00.

HOGS 7113. Compared with 8411 head last week and 5806 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts uneven, mostly .50-1.00 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 39.50-41.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 38.50-40.50, No. 2-3 190-265 lbs. 35.00-39.00, No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 31.00-38.00. SOWS \$.50-1.00 lower, US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 28.00-35.00, No. 2-3 300-685 lbs. 25.00-31.00. BOARS 21.00-30.00.

G&M Livestock

Monday, January 14

Duncansville, Pa. Market reported steady. STEERS: High Choice and Prime 68.00-70.60; Good to Choice 64.00-68.00; Standard to Good 60.00-64.00.

HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 64.00-66.80; Good Choice 60.00-64.00; to Standard 54.00-60.00.

FEEDERSTEERS: Good to Choice 300-500 lbs. 75.00-95.00.

BULLS: 1200-1548 lbs. 63.00-68.00; 750-1200 lbs. 55.00-64.00.

COWS: High Choice to Prime 52.00-56.50, few to 58.00; Good 48.00-52.00; Utility 44.00-48.00; Cutters 42.00-44.00; Canners Down to 40.00.

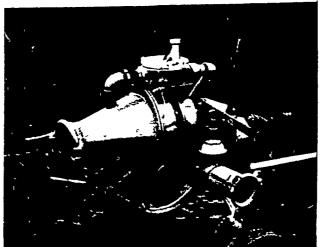
CALVES: High Choice 110.00-118.00, Individual 131.00; Good to Choice 90.00-100.00; Standard to Good 70.00-90.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 100.00-129.50; Hol. Heifers 150.00-192.50.

HOGS: 200-240 lbs. 39.00-41.10; 170-300 lbs. 37.00-39.00. SOWS: 28.00-37.50. BOARS: 25.00-27.50.

SHEEP: No Sales Reported.

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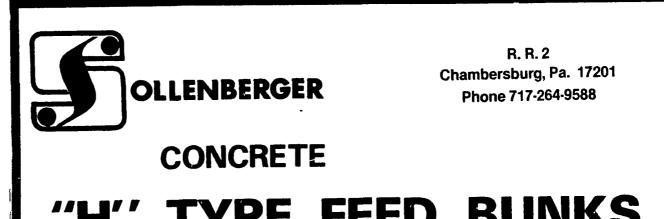
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