

# Livestock market and auction news

## Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, Pa.  
**Monday, February 25**  
 Report supplied by auction  
**CATTLE 178.** Compared with last Monday's market: Choice slaughter steers 67.00-71.00, one at 72.85, Good 64.00-67.50, Standard 61.00-63.00, Utility 55.00-60.00. Good slaughter heifers 62.00-64.00, Standard 58.50-62.50, Utility 54.00-58.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 52.50-56.50, few to 57.85, Cutters 52.00-55.00, Canner & Low Cutter 47.00-52.00, Shells down to 45.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 68.00-73.75, Good 64.00-68.00, Standard 62.00-65.00, Utility 52.00-58.00. Yield Grade #1 1000-2000 lbs. slaughter bulls 64.00-69.00; yield grade #2 900-1600 lbs. 58.00-64.00.  
**CALVES 245.** Choice vealers 108.00-121.00, Good 95.00-105.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 78.00-90.00, 70-90 lbs. 65.00-80.00, few Utility 55-100 lbs. at 55.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 122.00-155.00; few holstein heifers 85-130 lbs. at 248.00.  
**HOGS 283.** US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 37.50-38.50, one lot at 40.50, No 1-3 195-250 lbs. 36.50-38.00, No. 2-3 260-270 lbs. 35.00-37.50, No. 1-3 130-185 lbs. 28.50-36.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 34.00-38.00, No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 30.00-34.00. Boars 28.00-34.00.  
**FEEDER PIGS 78.** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-20.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 17.00-28.00 per head.  
**SHEEP 0.** No sales on offer.

## Sechrist Auction

Stewartstown, Pa.  
**Monday, February 25**  
 Report supplied by auction  
**CATTLE 72.** Steers - High Choice and Prime 68.00-72.00; Good Choice 65.00-67.85; Good 63.00-65.50; Holsteins Good 62.00-65.85; Standard to Good 60.00-62.00. Heifers - High Choice and

Prime 62.00-64.50; Good to Choice 60.00-62.85; Holsteins Good 56.00-58.50; Standard Good 53.00-56.00. Feeder Steers - Good and Choice 75.00-99.00; Standard Good 68.00-75.00; Utility 58.00-68.00. Bulls - Good and Choice Commercial 65.00-68.00; Standard to Good 63.00-65.00; Utility to Standard 60.00-62.85. Cows - High Yearling Commercial 53.50-58.85; Cutters 51.50-53.75; Canners Low Cutters 48.00-51.85; Shells 40.00-48.00.

**CALVES 83.** Calves Choice and Prime 120.00-135.00; Good and Choice 110.00-120.00; Standard and Good 95.00-110.00; Back to Farm Bulls Good 100-120 lbs. 110.00-136.00; Hfcs. 80-140 lbs. 100.00-205.00; Culls 50.00-95.00.

**HOGS 299.** Sows 250-375 lbs. 38.00-42.50; 400-500 lbs. 35.00-38.00. Boars 300-500 lbs. 27.00-31.00.

**SHEEP 3.** Lambs Good to Choice 55.00-63.00; Medium and Good 50.00-55.00. Ewes - 18.00-26.00.

Private Treaty Fat Hogs, Select No. 1 and 2, 190-215 lbs. 37.50-38.00.

Private Treaty Fat Hogs, No. 1 and 2, 190-220 lbs. 37.00-37.25.

Private Treaty Fat Hogs, No. 1 and 3, 190-220 lbs. 36.00-37.50.

## Middleburg Auction

Tuesday, February 26  
 Report supplied by PDA  
**CATTLE 263.** Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers unevenly steady. Slaughter cows weak to \$4 lower. One Prime slaughter steer at 69.10, Choice No. 2-4 1000-1565 lbs. 65.85-69.10, few No. 2-3 70.60-71.75, Good 62.85-67.00, Standard 58.00-61.00. Choice slaughter heifers 63.00-68.60, one No. 5 1640 lbs. at 53.00, few Good 59.00-62.50. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 48.00-58.85, few to 54.50, Cutters 46.00-48.60, few to 49.85, one at 53.00, few Canner & Low Cutter 40.75-46.60. Few Good slaughter bullocks 63.35-67.50, few Standard 60.60-63.35. Yield

Grade #1 1350-2275 lbs. slaughter bulls 60.60-62.85, two 64.75 and 65.25; one yield grade #2 1415 lbs. at 62.25. Large Frame #2 515-895 lbs. feeder steers 52.00-66.00, one lot 500 lbs. at 67.50-82.50 steers & bulls; Medium & Large Frame #1 and #2 480-650 lbs. 60.25-72.00.  
**CALVES 151.** Vealers grading Standard & Good steady. Choice vealers 103.00-120.00, Good 90.00-100.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 77.00-85.00, 60-90 lbs. 70.00-77.00, few Utility 50-80 lbs. 50.00-68.00. Farm calves active, holstein bulls 75-125 lbs. 100.00-127.00, few down to 90.00; holstein heifers 90-130 lbs. 132.00-237.50, few down to 80.00, mostly 176.00-220.00.

**HOGS 69.** One lot US 1-2 204 lbs. barrows & gilts 38.10, few No. 1-3 200-220 lbs. 37.25-37.85, few No. 2-3 215-265 lbs. 34.75-37.10, No. 1-3 105-170 lbs. 24.50-27.50, few to 32.50. US No. 1-3 290-580 lbs. sows 32.00-35.00, few to 37.25, No. 2-3 255-570 lbs. 27.00-32.25. Few Boars 28.50-29.50.

**FEEDER PIGS 350.** US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 6.00-15.00 per head, No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 15.00-19.00, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 21.00-23.00. Utility 30-60 lbs. 10.50-16.50 per head.

**SHEEP 9.** Two Choice 110 and 120 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 67.00 and 71.50, one Good 75 lbs. at 66.00. Few Slaughter ewes 20.00-29.00.

## East Coast Carlot

Wednesday, February 27  
 Report supplied by USDA  
 Compared to Tuesday's close: supplies and demand light for prime special fed veal, no sales reported. Limited sales Good and Choice boning veal. Northeasterns generally steady; inshipped no sales reported. No comparison on limited sales, 60 lbs. down on bnls. beef.

**VEAL CARCASS**  
**HIDE ON**  
 Prime (Special Fed): 180-240 lbs. No sales reported.  
**BONING VEAL**  
 Good and Choice  
 Northeastern Suppliers:

65-75 lbs. 116.00, few 117.00, all generally steady; 55-64 lbs. 114.00, few 115.00; 45-54 lbs. 112.00, few 113.00; 35-44 lbs. 110.00, few 111.00; 34 lbs. down 108.00.  
 Inshipped: no sales reported.

### LAMB CARCASS Choice & Prime 3-4 1/2 Load

60 lbs. down 135.00, part loads.

### BONELESS BEEF 2 1/2 Loads

90 pct chem lean, fresh 139.00; 85 pct chem lean, fresh 128.00 part load; 75 pct chem lean, fresh 105.00.

### CURED AND PROCESSED MEATS 8 Loads

Skinned Hams: 16-19 lbs. 78.00.  
 Semi Boneless Hams: 14-17 lbs. 97.00.  
 Boneless Hams: 13-17 lbs. 119.00.

No. 1 Sliced Bacon Vac Pack 79.00.  
 Franks 70 Beef, 30 Pork 1 Lb. Pack 83.00.

## Lebanon Valley Auction

Tuesday, February 26  
 Report supplied by PDA  
**CATTLE 220.** Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers grading Choice \$2 lower, Standard & Good steady to \$1 lower. Slaughter cows steady to \$1.25 lower. Choice No. 2-4 1050-1300 lbs. slaughter steers 64.75-67.75, Good 63.75-66.00, Standard 60.50-64.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 62.75-66.25, few Good 60.50-62.75. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 49.75-53.00, Cutters 50.50-53.50, couple 55.00, Canner & Low Cutter 47.00-51.00, Shells down to 41.25. Yield Grade #1 1200-1950 lbs. slaughter bulls 61.00-66.25, few 1050-1200 lbs. 56.25-58.00.  
**CALVES 210.** Choice vealers 106.00-124.00, Good 88.00-109.00, Standard & Good 70-95 lbs. 74.00-84.00, few Utility 50-80 lbs. 50.00-70.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 100.00-135.00, couple 139.00; holstein heifers 85-140 lbs. 105.00-242.50, mostly 190.00-220.00.  
**HOGS 455.** Barrows & gilts

\$2.25 to \$3 lower. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 35.35-37.00, few to 37.50, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 34.00-36.00, No. 2-3 210-270 lbs. 30.25-33.25. US No. 1-3 350-600 lbs. sows 33.00-37.00, No. 2-3 400-700 lbs. 26.00-30.00.

### FEEDER PIGS 25.

One lot US No. 1-3 26 lbs. feeder pigs 40.00 cwt.

### SHEEP 2.

Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

## Martinsburg Apples

Martinsburg, W. Va.  
 Thursday, February 21  
 Report supplied by VDA  
**Apples:** Demand moderate, market steady. CA Storage Cartons 12-3 lb. film bags. US Fancy or Better 2-1/4" minimum. Red Delicious \$7.50-few \$7.75-8.00. US Extra Fancy One Brand \$8.25. Red Stayman offerings light \$7.00-7.50, mostly \$7.25. Red Rome offerings light \$7.00-7.50. Cartons trappack. US combination. Extra Fancy & Fancy or Better Red Delicious 88-113's \$10.00-10.50, few \$9.50, occasionally \$11.00; 125's \$10.00. One Brand US Extra Fancy 88-113's \$11.50; 125's \$11.00. Red Stayman 88-113's offerings light \$10.50-11.00, regular storage cartons 12-3 lbs. film bags. US Fancy or Better 2-1/4" minimum. Red Rome \$6.00, few low as \$5.00. Red York \$5.00-5.50, few high as \$6.00. Winesap \$5.50-6.00, mostly \$6.00. Cartons trappack US combination. Extra Fancy & Fancy Red Rome 100-113's \$7.00-7.50, mostly \$7.00; few 80-88's \$8.00. Winesap 88-113's \$8.00-8.50, mostly \$8.00; 125's \$7.50-8.00.

## Lamb Tel-O-Auction

Dublin, Va.  
 Friday, February 22  
 Report supplied by VDA  
 There were 391 head sold. All lambs were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundredweight.  
 CHOICE & PRIME: 95-125

lbs. Shorn lambs with No. 1-2 pelts sold for \$66.50.

Similar weight and grade on Wooled offerings \$65.00.

CHOICE & PRIME: 80-90 lbs. Shorn lambs with No. 1-2 pelts \$63.50.

Same weight and grade on wooled lambs \$62.00.

Take up points are Dublin and Churchville, Va.

## Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa.  
 Monday, February 25  
 Report supplied by PDA  
**CATTLE 157.** Compared with last Monday's market: few Choice No. 2-4 950-1400 lbs. slaughter steers 63.10-68.10, Good 62.00-64.75, few Standard 59.75-60.75. 56.85-59.10. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 50.00-54.00, couple to 56.00, Cutters 52.50-54.50, Canner & Low Cutter 48.00-52.25, Shells down to 45.00. one Good slaughter bullock at 67.50, One Standard at 63.00. Few Yield Grade #1 1230-1580 lbs. slaughter bulls 59.10-65.75.  
**CALVES 186.** Few Prime vealers 130.00-135.00, few Choice 115.00-125.00, few Good 105.00-110.00, 70-90 lbs. Standard & Good 70.00-90.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 90.00-135.00; few holstein heifers 100-240 lbs. 121.50-192.50.  
**HOGS 658.** US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 38.10-39.10, few lots 39.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 37.20-38.20, No. 2-3 220-280 lbs. 35.75-37.00. Few US No. 1-3 350-450 lbs. sows 35.00-39.25. Few Boars 26.00-30.75.  
**FEEDER PIGS 144.** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 15.00-20.00 per head, No. 1-3 50-75 lbs. 24.50-31.50 per head.  
**SHEEP 6.** Few Choice 90-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 80.00-91.50.

High Protein  
 One three-ounce serving of cooked pork provides 20 grams of protein — one-third of the daily amount recommended for a 20-year-old man. Expect one to two, three-ounce servings per pound of pork.

## FRIDAY, MARCH 21 ON THE FARM MONTHLY BRED GILT SALE

Sale to start promptly at 1:00 Every 4 weeks

Located 18 miles south of Lancaster, PA, 6 miles south of Quarryville, take Rt. 272 to Little Britian, turn north, follow Little Britian Rd. to Jackson Rd., 2nd farm, OR Take Rt. 222 out of Quarryville to Cedar Hill Rd. to Little Britian Rd. to Jackson Rd. Watch for sale arrows.

50 to 60 Head more or less

### 2 & 3 Way Crossbred Gilts York & Hampshire & Duroc

Due to farrow 3 days to 4 weeks after sale date. Now everything vaccinated for both Lepto & Erysipelas, wormed and sprayed for lice.

Local trucker available. No hogs sold on commission

**LAST SALE AVERAGE \$177**

**CHRIST A. BEILER**  
 RD 2, Quarryville, PA  
**JOHN B. STOLTZFUS**

Abe Duffenbach Auctioneer

NEXT SALE DATE - APRIL 18

## Green Dragon Livestock Sales

1 mile North of Ephrata, PA



### COWS COWS COWS BUYERS FROM 3 STATES

Regular consignments from Ray Kyper, Bob Kennedy, Dale Brewer and Ed Stover plus local consigners.

Lots of good Northern Feeders and Stockers.

### SALE EVERY FRIDAY

Bulls, Steers, Slaughter Cows, Lambs and Veal Calves

11:00 A.M. - Beef Sale Stockers & Feeders 200 to 250 each week.

12:30 P.M. - Dairy Cows

7:00 P.M. - Small Animal Sale

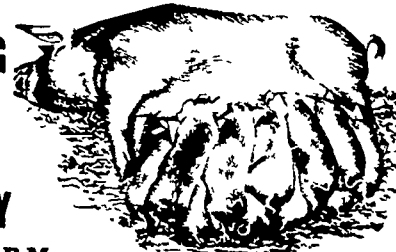
For Special Sales and Herd Dispersals on the farm or at our barn or other market information call: Office 717-733-2444.

**WALTER H. RISSER, Proprietor**

## NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES, Inc.

12 Miles East of Lancaster on Route 23, New Holland, Penna.

### WEEKLY FEEDER PIG SALE EVERY WEDNESDAY



Sale to Start at 1:30 P.M.

We Will Receive Your Pigs Anytime From 7 A.M. Wed. Morning

State Graded Until 12 Noon. All pigs inspected by State Approved Veterinarian. State tags available at our office for you to tag pigs at home to save 25 cents tagging charge. Tags delivered if you call 717-354-4341 our office in advance.

Calf Sale To Be Held Every Thursday At 4:30 P.M.

**NORMAN KOLB** 717-397-5538  
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