

## Livestock market and auction news

### Belleville Auction

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calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 65.00-93.00, few to 102.00.  
**HOGS 502.** Barrows & gilts 1.25 to \$2.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 28.00-29.10, No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 26.00-27.60, No. 1-3 145-185-lbs. 23.75-25.75. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 24.25-28.25, few No. 2-3 400-650 lbs. 22.75-24.75. Few Boars 18.00-20.75.  
**FEEDER PIGS 418.** US No. 1-3 25-50 lbs. feeder pigs 18.00-23.00 per head, No. 1-3 50-80 lbs. 21.00-26.00, Utility 40-75 lbs. 15.00-18.50 per head.  
**SHEEP 13.** Few Choice 25-50 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 80.00-111.00. Few Slaughter ewes 20.00-33.00.

### Pa. Auction Summary

Friday, April 18

Report supplied by PDA  
**CATTLE 6816.** Compared with 6593 head last week, and 6276 head a year ago. Compared with last weeks market: Slaughter steers uneven, mostly steady to weak; SI. heifers & bullocks steady to \$1.50 lower; SI. cows highly uneven; SI. bulls steady to strong. SI. steers High Choice & Prime, 63.00-65.50; Choice 60.50-66.00; Good 56.00-62.00; Standard 52.00-58.00; SI. heifers Choice 58.50-63.00; Good 55.00-59.00; (few) Standard 50.00-55.00. SI. cows: Utility & Commercial 48.00-54.00, few down to 46.00; Cutters 45.50-50.00; Canner & L. Cutter 42.00-47.00; Shells down to 35.00. SI. bullocks: Choice 60.00-66.00; Good 57.00-64.00; (few) Standard 55.00-60.00; SI. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-2100 lbs. 58.00-65.00; (few) Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1400 lbs. 56.00-60.00.  
**FEEDER CATTLE:** Steers, Medium Frame No. 1, 300-750 lbs. 60.00-72.00. Heifers, Medium Frame No. 1, 300-600 lbs. 56.00-70.00; (few) Large Frame No. 2 300-700 lbs. 60.00-74.00. Bulls, Medium Frame No. 2 500-800 lbs. 52.00-67.00.  
**CALVES:** 3407. Compared

with 3546 head last week and 2880 head a year ago. Vealers steady to \$5 lower. (few) Prime 105.00-119.00; Choice 95.00-110.00, few to 120.00; Good 75.00-100.00; Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 60.00-80.00; 70-90 lbs. 50.00-70.00; Utility 50-95 lbs. 30.00-65.00.  
**FARM CALVES:** Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 75.00-110.00; Hol. Heifers 90-130 lbs. 160.00-170.00.  
**HOGS:** 9489. Compared with 7843 head last week and 8029 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts 50 cents-1.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 28.00-30.35, few 30.75; No. 1-3 190-260 lbs. 27.00-29.00; No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 25.50-27.50; No. 1-3 140-185 lbs. 22.00-28.00; Sows steady to strong. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 24.00-28.00; few No. 2-3 400-700 lbs. 20.00-25.00. Boars 18.00-27.00.  
**FEEDER PIGS 1449.** Compared with 1477 head last week and 953 a year ago, steady to weak. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. 9.00-20.00 per head; No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 12.00-23.00; (few) No. 1-3 50-75 lbs. 19.00-26.50.  
**GRADED FEEDER PIGS:** 3493. Compared with 3540 head last week, and 2944 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder pigs \$3-10 lower, spots \$16 lower. US No. 1-2 20-40 lbs. 36.00-58.50, 40-50 lbs. 31.00-53.00, 50-60 lbs. 30.00-51.50, 60-85 lbs. 29.00-47.00; US No. 2-3 25-40 lbs. 35.00-49.00, 40-55 lbs. 32.00-40.00; Utility 25-50 lbs. 24.00-38.00.  
**SHEEP 320.** Compared with 306 head last week and 1735 head a year ago. Spring sl. lambs steady to \$5 lower. (few) Choice 25-50 lbs. 80.00-121.00, 65-110 lbs. 70.00-82.00. SI. ewes 15.00-35.00.

### Joliet Cattle

Thursday, April 17  
 Report supplied by USDA  
**CATTLE:** Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 3,800; 5 days last week 2,512, same period a year ago 3,212. Trading slow on Monday; turned moderately active on Wednesday. Slaughter

steers ended the week mostly 50 higher than Wednesday of last week. Slaughter heifers ended the week mostly 1.50 higher. Cows closed the week 1.00 lower than Friday.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Mixed high Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1250 lbs. 63.00-63.50; 2 loads 64.00 Monday; 63.75-64.00, 1 load 64.25 Wednesday; 3-4, few 5, 1400 lbs. 60.00-62.00 Monday; 63.00-63.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 62.00-63.50 Monday; 62.50-64.00, 1 load 64.50 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1250 lbs. 61.00-62.00 Monday; 61.50-63.00 Wednesday.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1100 lbs. 62.50-63.00 Monday; 63.75-64.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 900-1050 lbs. 61.50-62.50 Monday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 60.00-61.50 Monday; 61.00-62.50 Wednesday.

**COWS:** Utility & Commercial 1-3 47.00-50.00.

### Indiana Auction

Thursday, April 17

Report supplied by PDA  
**CATTLE 61.** Compared with last Thursday market: SI. cows 50 cents \$1 higher; SI. heifers few Choice 60-25-65.00, one at 66.75; few Good 56.75-59.75; Standard 53.50. SI. cows few Utility & Commercial 49.00-53.00; Cutters 46.00-50.00; Canner & L. Cutter 42.75-47.00; Shells down to 36.00.  
**FEEDER CATTLE:** Steers, few Medium No. 1, 300-450 lbs. 64.00-76.00; Medium No. 2, 450-800 lbs. 55.75-62.00. Heifers, Medium Frame No. 1 290-400 lbs. 68.00-75.00. Holsteins 600-750 lbs. 60.50-72.00. Bulls, Medium Frame No. 1 600-800 lbs. 46.00-64.00.  
**CALVES 96.** Vealers grading standard and good \$2-5 lower. few Choice 95.00-105.00; few Good 85.00-97.00; Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 70.00-83.00; 70-90 lbs. 60.00-73.00; 55-120 lbs. 55.00-65.00.  
**FARM CALVES:** Hol. Bull

## Farm Calendar

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 Ephrata Township land use meeting; 7:30 p.m. township building, Pleasure Rd.

Tuesday, April 22  
 Montgomery County Tractor Safety Training Program; 7-9 p.m.; Ag room at the Vo-tech.

Poultry diseases seminar; Host Farm, Lancaster; 6 p.m.

Cumberland Valley FFA Banquet; 7 p.m.; High School east cafeteria; Mechanicsburg.

4-H Beef leaders meeting; 8 p.m.; Exchange Room of the Lancaster Stockyards.

Home lawn care workshop; 7:30 p.m.; Ag room, Dover High School.

Wednesday, April 23  
 York County Farmers Association Emergency first aid for farm women; 7:30-9 p.m.; Airville Fire Hall.

Regional Parliamentary Procedure and public speaking contests at

Lehigh County Community College.

Adult sheep meeting, 7:30 p.m. Central Chester County Vo-Tech

Thursday, April 24  
 Lower Dauphin FFA Banquet; 7 p.m., School cafeteria.

Montgomery County Spring Homemakers Day; Indian Valley Country Club; Telford.

FFA horse judging contest; 4 p.m.; Red Lion High School.

Friday, April 25  
 Lehigh Valley Cooperative Farmers annual meeting; Lancaster Host Farm; 10:30 a.m.

York Farmers Forum; 7 p.m.; Ruttens Dairyland; Red Lion.

4-H Fun Night; 7-9:30 p.m.; Our Barn, New Danville.

Saturday, April 26  
 NTPA Grand National 4 wheel drive mini-tractor pull, Farm Show Complex, Harrisburg;

through Sunday.  
 Eastern Shore Spring Cattle Show; 4-H Park; Centerville, MD

MPPA feeder pig and feeder lamb sale; Swine and lamb judging school; Carroll County Fairgrounds; Westminster, MD.

MD and Delaware Brown Swiss Association Mid-Atlantic Calf Sale; Robert Caller Farm; 5639 Jefferson Pike; 10:30 a.m.; Frederick, MD.

63rd Little International Livestock Expo; Beef-Sheep Center; University Park; 8 a.m.

York-Adams Pomona Grange Legislative Banquet; 6 p.m.; Gideon Grange Hall, Hanover.

Auction and Flea Market of antique engines; 10 a.m.-6 p.m.; Rough and Tumble; Kinzers.

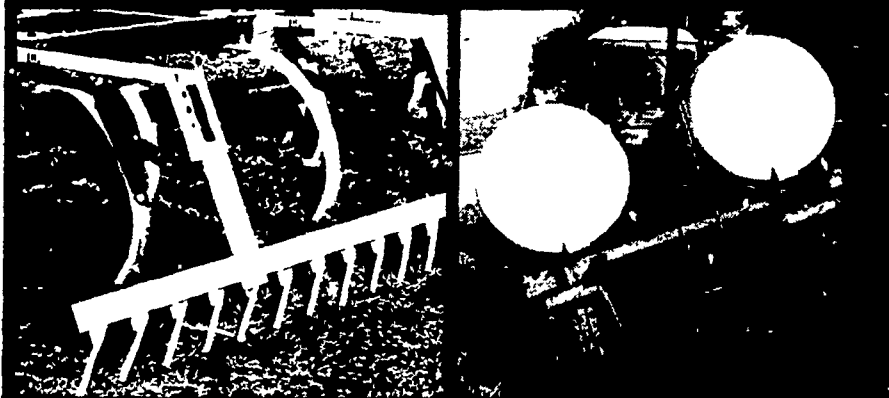
Western Shore feeder pig show, sale and judging clinic; 9 a.m.; Carroll County Ag Center; Westminster, MD.



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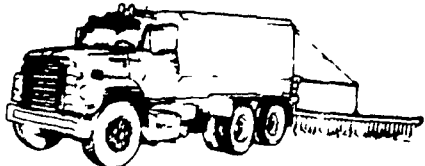
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