## Livestock market and auction news

Leesport Auction Wednesday, October 1

Report supplied by PDA CATTLE 251: Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers mostly steady. Slaughter cows \$1 higher. High Choice & Prime 1125-1365 lbs. slaughter steers 70.25-71.85. Choice 1000-1350 lbs. 67.10-70.00, few to 72.00, Good & Choice holsteins 1285-1400 lbs. 58.00-63.75, Good 62.75-68.00, Standard 57.00-62.00. Choice 800-960 lbs. slaughter heifers 62.25-66.50, one at 68.75, few Good 55.00-57.50, few Standard 50.35-53.10. Utility & Commercial -slaughter cows 49.00-51.85. few to 57.25, Cutters 45.85-50.00, few Canner & Low Cutter 40.00-45.25, Shells down to 35.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 62.75-68.25, few Standard 60.25-62.50. Yield Grade #1 1200-1700 lbs. slaughter bulls 58.60-62.25, one at 64.35; yield grade #2 1000 1280 lbs. 54.00-57.50. Few Large Frame #1 500-665 lb.s feeder steers 68.00-73.00, Large Frame #2 300-750 lbs. 52.50-57.50, Medium frame #1 500-900 lbs. 63.00-68.00; few Large Frame #1 330-620 lbs. feeder heifers 63.50-66.50, few Large frame #2 400-520 lbs. 45.00-57.00, few Medium Frame #1 450-745 lbs. 51.00-56.50: Large Frame #2 400-800 lbs. feeder-bulls 50.00-58.50, few Medium frame #1 500-870 lb.s feeder bulls 54.50-65.50.

CALVES 132: Few Choice vealers 95.00-100.00, one at 104.00, Good 88.00-94.00, few Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 75.00-86.00, few 90-110 lbs. 70.00-75.00, 70-85 lbs. 65.00-70.00, few Utility 55-90 lbs. 50.00-65.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-130 lbs. 89.00-111.00, few down to 80.00; holstein heifers 90-120 lbs. 132.50-152.50.

HOGS 352: Barrows & gilts \$2 to \$2.50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 51.75-52.50, few to 52.75, No. 1-3 190-260 lbs. 51.10-51.85, few down to 48.00, one lot No. 1-3 165 lbs. at 37.00. Sows \$1 to \$2 higher. US No. 1-3 300-570 lbs. sows 39.75-42.75, few to 47.00, Utility 275-440 lbs. 36.00-39.50. Boars 32.00-35.25.

FEEDER PIGS 267: US No. 1-3 20-25 lbs. feeder pigs 46.00-65.00 cwt., No. 1-3 25-50 lbs. 55.90-65.00, few No. 1-3 80-100 lbs. 38.50-52.00, Utility 25-35 lbs. 40.00-49.00 cwt.

SHEEP 110: Choice 55-125 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 57.00-63.50, Good 65-105 lbs. 50.00-59.00. Slaughter sheep 16.00-32.00, few yearlings 33.00-55.00.

GOATS 17: Large Goats 25.00-50.00 per head few small goats 15.00-25.00 per head

46 head 4-h Berks County Market Lamb Sale -Champion 115 lbs. \$300 cwt., Reserved Champion 110 lbs. \$200 cws., Remaining 44 head sold mostly 61.00-103.00 cwt.

#### Belknap Auction

Wednesday, October 1

Report supplied by PDA CATTLE 69: Individual Standard slaughter steer at 55.00, few Utility 44.75-46.75. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 47.00-50.00, few 51.00-53.00, Commercial 4-5, 41,00-46,25, Cutters 44,50-49.00, Canner and Low Cutters 38.50-44.50, Shells down to 30.00. Few Utility slaughter bullocks 40.50-46.75. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1375-1710 lbs. slaughter bulls 55.75-63.75, few #2, 1020-1160 lbs. 48.50-54.00. Few Medium Frame #1, 275-350 lbs. feeder steers 60.50-71.00, few 720-910 lbs. 60.00-62.25, few Large #2, 355-680 lbs. 49.00-60.00. Medium Frame #1, 260-470 lbs. feeder heifers 50.00-63.00, few 640-735 lbs. 48.50-50.50.

CALVES 117: Couple Choice vealers 93.00 and 98.00, few Good 72.00-87.00, Standard and Good 90-120 lbs. 70.00-80.00, 60-85 lbs. 58.00-71.00, few Utility 50-70 lbs.54.00-58.00. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 85-130 lbs. 80.00-106.00, few Hol. Heifers 80-120 lbs. 121.00-152.50; Beef cross bulls & heifers 65-100 lbs. 70.00-92.00.

HOGS 274: US No. 1-2 210-245 lbs. barrows and gilts 50.60-52.00, couple lots 52.70, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 49.00-50.70, No. 2-3 210-265 lb.s 47.20-49.00. US No. 1-3 240-680 lb.s sows 38.00-45.25. Couple Boars 25.00 and 35.00.

FEEDER PIGS 101: US No. 1-3 15-30 lbs. feeder pigs 5.00-14.00 per head, few No. 1-3 45-50 lbs. 22.50-24.00 per head, Utility 25-45 lbs. 8.00-16.50 per head.

SHEEP 28: Good and Choice 70-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 52.00-60.00. Few Slaughter ewes 20.50-22.00.

## Chambersburg Auction

Thursday, October 2
Report supplied by PDA
CATTLE: 364 Compared

with last Thursday market: Slaughter steers .50-1.50 higher; Sl. cows .50-2.00 higher. Sl. steers Choice 1000-1200 lbs. 67.00-71.00 few to 72.60. Good 61.50-66.35; few Standard 56.00-58.50. Sl. heifers: few Choice 63.25-71.25. Sl. cows Utility & Commercial 47.50-52.75, few 54.75, one at 58.60; Cutters 45.25-51.50; Canner & L. Cutter 41.00-45.50; Shells down to 35.00. Sl. bullocks; few Choice 60.00-61.75; few Good 54.00-57.75. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1750 lbs. 55.75-62.85, one at 64.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers Large Frame No. 2, 300-700 lbs. 56.00-64.00.

CALVES: 537 Vealers 2.00-5.00 higher. Choice 85.00-108.00; Good 78.00-85.00; 65-95 lbs. 76.00-82.00; Utility 60-100 lbs. 60.00-75.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 80-125 lbs. 82.00-114.00, few to 120.50; Hol. Heifers 90-140 lbs. 125.00-185.00.

Slaughter Calves grading Good & Choice 260-300 lbs. 65.00-85.00.

HOGS: 121 Barrows and gilts strong to 1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 210-230 lbs. 50.00-50.85 No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 48.00-50.25; US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 43.00-47.50. Boars few 36.00-36.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 57 US No. 1-3 20-30 lbs. 7.00-14.00 per head.

SHEEP: 17 few Choice 85-100 lbs. 57.25-60.50; few Good 75-100 lbs. 50.00-54.00.

#### Indiana Auction

Homer City, Pa.
Thursday, October 2

Report supplied by PDA CATTLE 104. Compared with last Thurs. market: Sl. cows .50-1.50 higher; few Choice 71.00-74.00; few Good 60.25-62.00: few Standard 51.75-54.00; few Utility 48.00-50.50. Few Standard 52.00-54.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 47.50-50.50; Cutters 43.50-48.00: Canner & L. Cutter 40.00-45.50; Shells down to 35.00. Sl. bullocks: few Standard 50.00-53.00. Yield Grade No. 1 & 2 950-1400 lbs. 52.00-61.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 350-700 lbs. 56.00-66.60, few 73.00-74.00. Heifers, few Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-600 lbs. 52.00-62.00.

CALVES: 135. Vealers grading Good & Choice 2.00-3.00 higher, Standard & Good mostly 1.00 higher. Few Prime 113.00-116.00; few Choice 95.00-108.00; Good 80.00-95.00; 90-120 lbs. 72.00-81.00; 70-90 lbs. 65.00-72.00; Utility 55-130 lbs. 50.00-65.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 80-120 lbs. 80.00-106.00; Hol. Heifers 75-120 lbs. 90.00-137.50. Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 75-100 lbs. 70.00-86.00.

HOGS: 78. Few US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. 51.00-52.75; few No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 49.00-50.00; few No. 1-3 130-170 lbs. 40.00-41.75. Sows US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. 43.50-46.25. Boars 31.00-37.50,

FEEDER PIGS 0. No sales on offer.

SHEEP: 15. Few Good 65-95 lbs. 53.50-59.00. Sl. ewes: 8.50-16.50.

#### Western Maryland Market

Hagerstown, Md. Tuesday, September 30 Report supplied by auction

BUTCHER COWS: \$1.00 500 lbs. 60.00-62.00; 500-600 lbs. 60.00-63.00. Medium & 54.60; Standard & Utility 46.00-49.50; Canners 45.00- lbs. 52.00-63.00.

47.00; Shelly 45.00 Down. Bulls Good 1200-2100 lbs. 55.00-59.00; Medium 52.00-55.00; Steers Choice 67.00-72.00; Good 62.00-68.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: #1 & 2 hogs absent. US #1 & 3 215-240 lbs. 47.00-48.00; 260-325 lbs. 44.00-49.75; 195-210 lbs. 47.00-48.00, Sows Few offered, 350-450 lbs. 42.50-43.50; Boars 400-600 lbs. 35.85-36.25.

VEAL CALVES: \$2.00 higher! Good & Choice 87.00-100.00; Standard 78.00-86.00; Killers 80-100 lbs. 72.00-82.00; Weak & Rough 50.00-70.00.

CALVES RETURNED TO FARM: \$10 higher! Holstein Heifers 85-110 lbs. 120.00-162.50; Holstein Bulls 95-115 lbs. 100.00-112.00, few 80.00-100.00.

LAMBS: Choice 80-100 lbs. 61.00-64.00.

STOCK CATTLE: Prices steady. Steers Good & Choice 400-600 lbs. 65.00-80.00; Good & Choice 600-750 lbs. 58.00-70.00. Heifer Holsteins 400-650 lbs. 67.00-76.00; Beef Type 350-650 lbs. 50.00-60.00. Bulls Choice 400-500 lbs. to 70.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: Good run of all Weights. By the Head 15-30 lbs. 8.00-15.00; 30-60 lbs. 15.00-25.00; By the Lb. 60-100 lbs. 35.00-41.00; 100-170 lbs. 31.00-37.00.

### Special Feeder Calf Sale

Charlottesville, Va. Wednesday, September 24 Report supplied by VDA

There were 1,230 head sold. All cattle were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundredweight.

STEERS: Large Frame No. 1: 400-500 lbs. 75.50-84.50; 500-600 lbs. 78.00-81.50; 600-700 lbs. 72.50-79.00. Medium Frame No. 1: 300-400 lbs. 81.50-83.00; 400-500 lbs. 77.50-80.50; 500-600 lbs. 71.50-78.50; 600-700 lbs. 75.00-79.50. Small Frame No. 1: 400-500 lbs. 72.50-80.00; 500-600 lbs. 70.00-75.50. Medium & Large Frame No. 2: 400-500 lbs. 70.00-73.50. Short Steers: 500-600 lbs. 61.00.

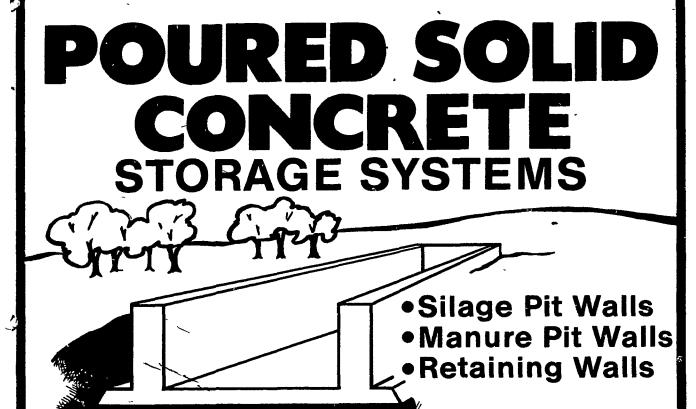
HEIFERS: Large Frame No. 1: 300-400 lbs. 61.00-65.00; 490-500 lbs. 65.50-67.50; 500-600 lbs. 64.25-69.50. Medium Frame No. 1: 400-500 lbs. 65.75-68.00; 500-600 lbs. 65.00-66.75. Small Frame No. 1: 300-400 lbs. 60.00-60.50; 400-500 lbs. 60.00-62.00; 500-600 lbs. 60.00-63.00. Medium & Large Frame No. 2: 400-500 lbs. 52.00-63.00.

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