

# Livestock market and auction news

## Hay Markets

### Regional Hay

**Monday, January 19**  
**Report supplied by PDA**  
 (All hay No 2 and better, prices paid by the dealers at the farm and per ton)  
 Hay & Straw steady  
 Alfalfa 80.00-100.00, few 120.00, Mixed Hay 60.00-85.00, Timothy hay 55.00-70.00, few 80.00, Straw 45.00-60.00, Mulch 25.00-40.00.

### Green Dragon Hay

**Ephrata, Pa.**  
**Friday, January 16**  
**Report supplied by PDA**  
 94 loads hay and 39 loads straw  
 Alfalfa 87.00-145.00, few 160.00; Mixed hay 69.00-120.00, few 160.00, Timothy hay 80.00-101.00, one at 70.00; Orchard Grass, one load at 75.00; Straw 51.00-66.00; Ear Corn, 12 loads 114.00-130.00, one 100.00.

### Thomasville Hay

**Wednesday, January 21**  
**Report supplied by auction**  
 15 loads  
 Mixed 67.50-87.00, Straw 50.00-57.00

### Good's Hay

**Leola, Pa.**  
**Wednesday, January 21**  
**Report supplied by auction**  
 208 loads  
 Mixed 85.00-146.00, individual loads at 69.00, 72.00 and 160.00; Straw 55.00-72.00, Corn one at 92.00, others 116.00-130.00, Alfalfa one at 85.00, others 100.00-174.00, Fodder 57.00-66.00, one Clover 150.00, two orchardgrass both at 79.00, mulch hay 77.00

### New Holland Hay

**Monday, January 19**  
**Report supplied by auction**  
 234 loads  
 Alfalfa 94.00-190.00, Timothy 56.00-110.00, Mixed 40.00-184.00, Straw 58.00-76.00; Corn 113.00-140.00.

### Joliet Cattle

**Thursday, January 22**  
**Report supplied by USDA**  
**CATTLE** Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 5200; 5 days last week 6428; same period a year ago 5005 Trading slow on Monday, active on Wednesday Slaughter Steers ended the week steady to 1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower with the most decrease on YG 4 & 5 Steers compared with Wednesday of last week Slaughter Heifers ended the week 50 to 1.00 lower Cows ended the week 1.00-2.00 lower

**SLAUGHTER STEERS**  
 Mixed High Choice and Prime 3, few 4, 1150-1325 lb. 63.00-63.50; YG 3-4 1200-1350 lb 61.50-63.00; mostly YG 4 1200-1350 lb. 60.50-61.50; YG 4 to 5 1250-1350 lb 58.50-59.50, package YG 4 1350 lb 55.00 Wednesday. Choice, some with a good end, 2-3 1100-1325 lb 64.50, load 64.75, load 65.00 Monday; 64.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb 63.00-64.00 Monday, 62.50-63.50, couple loads 64.00 Wednesday; YG 3 to mostly 4 1150-1300 lb 61.00-62.00 Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1050-1300 lb 62.50-63.00 Wednesday Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1300-1500 lb Holsteins 58.00-58.50 Monday Standard and Good mostly 2 1100-1300 lb Holsteins 54.50-57.00 Wednesday

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS**  
 Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1100 lb 62.00-63.00, load 63.25 Monday; 61.50-62.00 Wednesday. YG 4-5 950-1150 lb 59.50-60.00 Monday; 60.00 Wednesday; package 4-5 1150 lb 56.00 Wednesday Choice 2-4 900-1125 lb 61.50-62.50, load 63.00, load 1210 lb 63.50 Monday, 61.00-62.00, load 63.00 Wednesday Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lb 60.00-61.50 Wednesday  
**COWS** Cutter and Utility 1-3 38.00-42.00 Monday, 36.00-40.00 Wednesday

### Vintage Hay

**Vintage Sales Stables**  
**Thursday, January 22**  
**Report supplied by auction**  
 30 loads  
 Alfalfa 100.00-145.00, Mixed 87.00-115.00, Timothy 88.00-110.00; Straw 60.00-70.00

### Central U.S. Carlot

**Wednesday, January 21**  
**Report supplied by USDA**  
 Compared to Tuesday's 4:30 report. Steer and heifer beef steady to 2.00 higher, mostly 1.00 higher. Demand moderate, trading active early but slowing late as orders are about filled coupled with bullish packer ideas. Supplies moderate, except yield grade 4 and steers over 800 lbs. continue in heavy supply The boxed beef carcass cutout value declined \$1.01 to \$1.06 02 per cwt Sales reported on 138 loads of steer and heifer beef

### STEER BEEF

**91 Loads**  
**FOB Omaha Basis**  
 Choice 3 600-800 lbs 98.00, mostly 99.00, mstly 1.00 higher, 800-900 lbs 97.00, 900-950 lbs 95.00

Choice 4 500-900 lbs 84.00-85.00, few 86.00, stdy-1.00 higher, 800-900 lbs 83.00-84.00, 1.00-2.00 higher  
 Good 2-3 600-900 lbs 96.50-98.00, 50-1.00 higher.

Choice 2-3 600-900 lbs 94.50-95.50 (Hols Type)  
 Good 2-3. 600-900 lbs 93.50 (Hols Type).

**FOB Amarillo Basis**  
 Choice 2-3 600-700 lbs YG 3 99.50-102.50, YG 2 101.00-104.00

### HEIFER BEEF

**47 Loads**  
**FOB Omaha Basis**  
 Choice 3 500-700 lbs 96.00-98.00, mostly 97.00-98.00, 1.00-2.00 hghr

Choice 4 500-700 lbs 84.00-85.00, few 86.00, steady-1.00 hghr  
 Good 2-3 500-700 lbs 93.00-95.00, steady-2.00 hghr

Cow beef steady on few sales to West Coast

### COW BEEF

**3 Loads**  
**FOB Omaha Basis**  
 Utility 450/up lbs 74.50 (West) steady (BRKG) 3-4  
 Utility 400/up lbs 78.50 (West) steady (BNG) 2-3

**FOB Amarillo Basis**  
 Utility 400/up lbs 79.50 (West) steady (BNG) 2-3

### PRIMAL BEEF CUTS

**4 Loads**  
**FOB Omaha Basis**  
 FORES 130-210 lbs 92.75  
 FULL PLATES 40.00  
 SHORT PLATES 46.00

**BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS**  
**9 Loads**  
**FOB Omaha Basis**

90% chem lean fresh 114.00.  
 85% chem lean fresh 109.00.

50% chem lean fresh 49.00  
 50% chem lean frozen 51.00

Compared to Tuesday's 2 15 report: Fresh pork loins steady to 3.00 lower with late last week and next week shipments of 14-17 lbs near steady. Picnics steady Boston butts 2.00-5.00 lower Fresh hams mostly steady, except 20-26 lbs 1.00 higher Sdls bellies not established, but undertone firm Spareribs 3-5 lbs. 1.00 higher Trading fairly active Demand good to moderate Sales reported on 89 1/2 loads and 22 loads of trimmings and variety meats

### FRESH PORK CUTS

**LOINS.** 14/dn lbs 93.00-96.25, 14-17 lbs 92.00-95.25, steady-3.00 higher; 14-17 lbs 91.25 frozen; 17-20 lbs 89.00-90.00, 1.00-2.00 lower

**PICNICS.** 8/up lbs 50.00, steady  
**BOSTON BUTTS** 4-8 lbs 71.00-73.00, 2.00-5.00 lower, 8/up lbs 70.00, 5.00 lower

**SPARERIBS** 3/dn lbs 92.00 frozen, 3-5 lbs 77.50 fresh, 1.00 higher

**SKINNED HAMS** 14-17 lbs 65.00 steady, 17-20 lbs 62.00 steady, 20-26 lbs 58.00 1.00 higher, 26/up lbs 55.00-55.50

**BELLIES, SDLS** 18-20 lbs 43.00

### VARIETY MEATS

**BONELESS CUP BUTT** 1 1/2-3 lbs 115.50-116.00  
**KIDNEYS** Small box 14.50-15.00

**LIVERS** 15.00-15.50  
 Large box 17.50 frozen

**NECK BONES** 18.00  
**SNOUTS** 34.25

**SKINNED JOWLS** 25.50 fresh

**PORK TRIMMINGS**  
**BONELESS PROCESSING PORK**

(Chemical Lean)  
 72% bnlis picnics fresh 76.00-77.00  
 72% bnlis picnics frozen 78.00  
 85% cheek meat frozen 84.00

### Leesport Auction

**Wednesday, January 14**  
**Report supplied by PDA**  
**CATTLE** 292 Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers steady to strong Slaughter cows strong to \$2 higher Choice 1000-1350 lbs slaughter steers 65.00-66.25, few to 68.00, Good 61.75-65.60, Standard 57.00-62.00, Utility 54.00-56.85 Choice 930-1170 lbs slaughter heifers 61.10-65.35, One Good at 60.00, few Standard 50.00-53.50 Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 46.50-48.60, few to 50.00, Cutters 44.50-47.75, few Canner & Low Cutter 40.00-43.25, Shells down to 35.00 Good slaughter bullocks 60.00-64.25, one at 64.75, few Standard 55.75-57.50 Yield Grade #1 1250-2110 lbs slaughter bulls 56.25-61.00, few to 63.75, few yield grade #2 800-1300 lbs 48.50-55.60 Large Frame #2 500-1100 lbs feeder steers 47.00-53.25, one lot Medium Frame #2 505 lbs at 64.00, few Large Frame #1 560-700 lbs feeder bulls 50.50-

54.25, Medium frame #1 385-900 lbs 45.50-52.25  
**CALVES** 170 Vealers grading Standard & Low Good steady. Choice 92.00-97.50, few Good 80.00-91.50, few Standard & Good 110-130 lbs 70.00-76.00, 90-110 lbs 60.00-65.00, 70-85 lbs 50.00-61.00, Utility 60-105 lbs 40.00-51.00 Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-140 lbs 71.00-110.00, mostly 90.00-107.00, few holstein heifers 100-110 lbs 76.00-91.00

**HOGS** 447. Barrows & gilts \$3.50 to \$4 lower US No 1-2 200-235 lbs barrows & gilts 43.75-44.25, few to 45.10, No 1-3 195-265 lbs. 43.00-44.00, few down to 41.00, few No 2-3 265-285 lbs 40.50-41.50, few No 1-3 175-185 lbs 32.00-38.75 Sows \$1 to \$2 lower US No 1-3 300-550 lbs sows 38.00-42.25, few 42.75, Utility 250-435 lbs 30.00-38.00 Boars 31.50-32.50

**FEEDER PIGS** 218 US No. 1-3 25-60 lbs feeder pigs 39.00-47.00 cwt, No 1-3 70-110 lbs 34.00-38.00, few Utility 30-45 lbs. 35.00-37.00 cwt.

**SHEEP** 11 Few Choice 80-120 lbs woolled slaughter lambs 58.50-60.00, one at 66.00 Few Slaughter ewes 15.00-29.00

**GOATS** 17 Sold 37.00-59.00 per head



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