

Livestock market and auction news

Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.
 Saturday, January 17
 Report supplied by auction STOCKER, FEEDER, AND SLAUGHTER CATTLE: Good Light Steer Calves 73.00-78.00; Medium 68.00-73.00; Plain 63.00 and down; Good Heavy Steers 67.00-72.50; Medium 62.00-67.00; Plain 61.00 and down; Holstein Steers 50.00 and down; Good Light Heifer Calves 55.00-60.00; Medium 50.00-54.50; Plain 45.00 and down; Good Heavy Heifers 51.50-55.00; Medium 46.00-51.00; Plain 47.00 and down; Slaughter Cows 42.00-47.75; Utilities 36.00-42.00; Canners & Cutters 35.00 and down; Milk & Stock Cows 537.50 and down; Stock Bulls 47.00-61.00; Slaughter Bulls 49.25-56.75.
 CALVES. Veal Calves 90.50 and down; Baby Calves 125.00 and down
 SHEEP & LAMBS. Choice

Blue O 57.00; Good Red O 48.25; Feeder Lambs 45.00; Slaughter Ewes 2.00-22.00; Stock Ewes 80.00.
 HOGS: Top 42.55; Heavy 42.00; Sows 31.50-42.00; Boars 31.00-33.80; Butcher Hogs 36.00-42.00.

East Coast Carlot

Wednesday, January 21
 Report supplied by USDA
 Compared to Tuesday's close: Prime special fed veal no sales reported, however generally steady undertone indicated. Good and Choice boning veal steady to weak
VEAL CARCASS HIDE ON
 180-240 lbs. no sales reported.
BONING TYPE HIDE ON
 Good and Choice
 Northeastern Suppliers: 65-75 lbs. 86.00-88.00, all steady; 55-64 lbs. 84.00-86.00; 45-54 lbs. 82.00-84.00; 35-44

lbs. 80.00-82.00; 34 lbs. down 78.00-80.00.
 Inshipped: 71-80 lbs. 88.00, all ltd., all weak; 61-70 lbs. 86.00; 51-60 lbs. 84.00; 41-50 lbs. 82.00; 30-40 lbs. 80.00

BONELESS BEEF

4 Loads
 90 pct chem lean, fresh 119.00; 85 pct chem lean, frozen 113.00; 75 pct chem lean, fresh 89.00.
CURED AND PROCESSED MEATS
 9 Loads
 Semi-Boneless Hams. 14-17 lbs. 91.00 firm.
 Boneless Hams 13-17 lbs. 113.90 firm.
 No. 1 Sliced Bacon, Vacuum Pack, 1 lb. pkg. 103.00 firm.
 Franks, 70 Beef, 30 Pork, 1 lb. Pkg. 95.00 steady.

Thomasville Auction

Wednesday, January 21
 Report supplied by auction
 CATTLE: 108 head.

STEERS: Choice 66.50-67.25; Good 65.75; Medium 63.25; Holsteins 56.75-58.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 62.00-63.75; Good 60.25; Medium 58.00.
 FEEDERSTEERS: 64.25-66.75; Feeder Holstein steers 60.00.

BULLS: Choice 61.00; Good 59.00-59.50, Medium 57.25.

COWS Utility & Commercial 40.00-45.00; Cutters 37.00-40.00; Low Cutters 32.00-37.00.

CALVES: Choice 94.00-109.00; Good 81.00-91.00; Standard 55.00-60.00; Utility 40.00-55.00.

FARM CALVES: Bulls 80.00-84.00; Heifers 100.00-124.00.

HOGS: 249 head. Private treaty 200-230 lbs. 42.00.

SOWS: 300-550 lbs. 40 50-44.25; Medium #2 300-600 lbs. 37.00-40.00.

BOARS 32.50-35 50.
 FEEDER PIGS. 20-30 lbs. 15.00-18.00; 30-45 lbs. 22.00-25.00.

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, January 22

Report supplied by USDA
 Receipts This Week: 5,600
 Week Ago: 6,400
 Year Ago: 4,500

Compared to the previous week's close, yield grade 2-4 slaughter steers and heifers 2.00-2.50 lower; 3-5 lots 4.00-5.00 lower. Cows 2.00 to mostly 3.00 lower. Bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Slaughter supply mainly Choice and Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 slaughter steers, around 35% heifers and 15% cows.

*** Note: A substantial increase was noted in the supply of YG 4-5 steer and heifers this week.

SLAUGHTER STEERS.

Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1275 lbs. 63.00-64 50, closing 63.00-63.50; 3-4 1000-1325 lbs. 58.25-63.00, closing 58.25-60.00; 3-5 1100-1325 lbs. 58.00-59.00; 4-5 1000-1500 lbs. 54.50-57.75. Choice 2-4 950-1300 lbs. 61.50-64.00, closing 61.50-62.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1200 lbs. 60 50-63.00. Good 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 59.00-61.50. Standard to Good 2-3 1050-1450 lbs holsteins 52.00-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS.

Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 875-1050 lbs. 60.50-62.00, mid-week sales 60.50-61.00, not tested late; 4-5 1100-1270 lbs. 52.00-59.50, closing 52 00-54 00; yield grade 5 1120-1200 lbs. 47.00-49.50. Choice 2-4 800-1050 lbs. 58.00-61 50, closing 58.00-59.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 700-1000 lbs. 58.00-60.50 through mid-week, not tested late. Good 2-3 700-975 lbs. 56.00-59.00.

COWS: Closing week sales Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.00-42.00. Boning Utility 1-2 42.00-44.00. Cutter 1-2 37.00-42.00. Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 34.00-37.00.

BULLS. Yield Grade 1-2 1050-1900 lbs. 48.00-54.00, closing 48.00-53.25. Few Yield Grade 1 54.50-55.00, closing 54.50.

FEEDERS: (Including around 1,200 at the regular Thursday auction. Feeder steers and heifers unevenly 1.00-3.00 lower. Supply mainly Medium Frame 1 and Mixed 1-2 350-600 lbs. steers and 300-500 lbs. heifers.

FEEDER STEERS. Medium Frame 1. 300-400 lbs 75.00-78.25; 400-500 lbs. 70 00-77 00, mostly 72 00-75.00; 500-600 lbs. 65.00-68.75, scattered lots 775-1000 lbs. 63.25-67 75 Medium Frame

1-2 and some Small Frame 1: 400-600 lbs. 64.00-65.00. Large Frame 2 Holsteins: Couple lots 775-1015 lbs. 53 25-54.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium Frame 1: 275-400 lbs. 59.50-64.75; 400-500 lbs. 58.00-62.00; 500-725 lbs. 54.75-59.25, bulk 55.75-57.75. Medium Frame 1-2 and Small Frame 1. 450-525 lbs. 55.00-57.50.

Hunter's Auction

Monday, January 19
 Rising Sun, Md.

Report supplied by auction
 COWS: High Choice to Prime 45.00-46.75; Good to Standard 44.50-45.00; Utility 43.25-44.00; Cutters - None; Canners 36.50-42.25.

CALVES: Prime 200-290 lbs. 82.00-89.00, High to Choice 140-180 lbs. 75.00-83 00; Good to Choice 120-140 lbs. 69.00-78.00; Standard to Good 90-115 lbs. 62.00-77.00; Utility 75-85 lbs. 42.00-57.00; Low Utility 65-75 lbs. 38.00-54.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 35-45 lbs. \$24 to \$32 by hd.

HOGS. 180-220 lbs. 42.00-46.50.

SOWS. 34.00-37.50.
 BOARS. 30.00-35.00.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland, Pa.

Wednesday, January 21
 Report supplied by auction
 Reported receipts of 95 cows, 36 heifers and 11 bulls. Market steady.

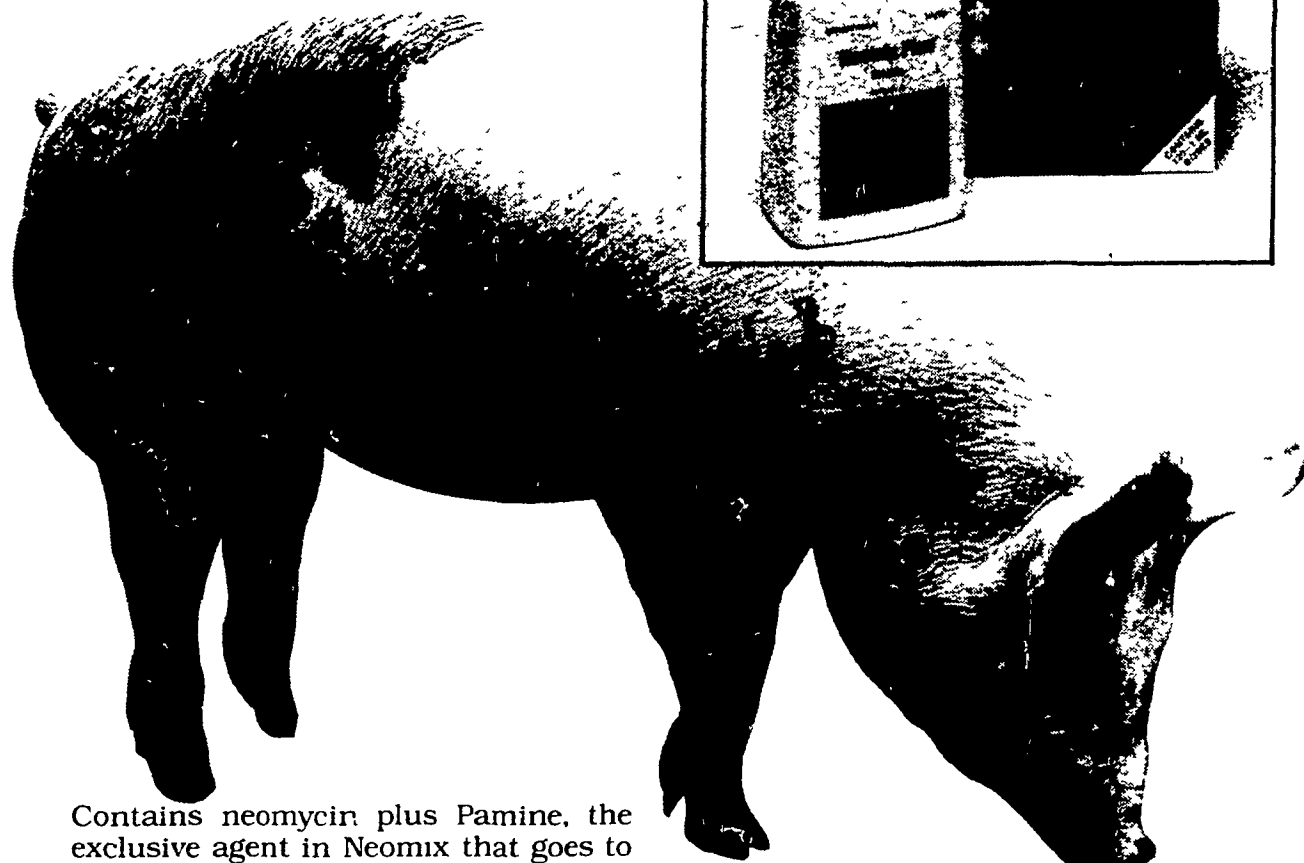
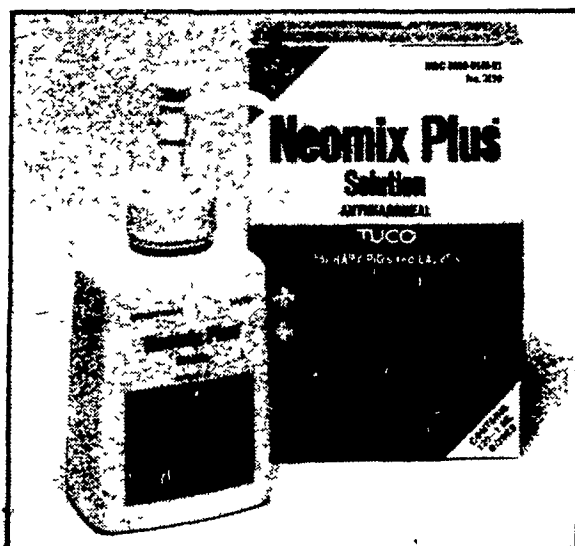
Load of N.J. fresh cows, 950.00-1475.00; Load of N.Y. purebred & fresh cows, 1375.00-1675 00, springers 1375 00-1500.00; Load of Pa. fresh cows, 625.00-1200.00; Load of Pa. fresh cows, 1000.00-1375.00.

Locally consigned cows 620.00-1425.00; Springing heifers grades 850.00-1275.00; Open heifers 380.00-580.00; Bulls 340.00-770.00.



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