

Livestock market and auction news

Weekly Summary

Friday, March 6

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 5541. Compared with 5734 head last week, and 5346 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers & heifers steady to 1.00 lower; SI cows 1.50-2.50 lower, SI bullocks weak to 2.00 lower; SI. bulls 2.00-4.00 lower. SI. steers: High Choice & Prime 62.00-64.50; Choice 59.00-65.00 Good 56.00-61.00; Standard 50.00-56.00. SI. heifers: Choice 57.00-62.00; Good 54.00-58.00; few Standard 49.00-55.00 SI cows Utility & Commercial 41.50-46.75, Cutters 39.50-44.00; Canner & L. Cutter 35.00-41.50; Shells down to 25.00 SI bullocks; few Choice 56.00-63.00; Good 53.00-60.00; SI. bulls: Yield Grade No 1, 1200-2200 lbs. 51.00-60.00; few Yield Grade No 2, 900-1400 lbs. 45.00-54.00

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers - Large Frame No 1, 375-675 lbs. 65.00-84.00; Medium & Large Frame No 1, 350-725 lbs. 56.00-70.00 Heifers, Medium & Large Frame No 1, 350-670 lbs. 55.00-67.00

CALVES: 3264. Compared with 3863 head last week and 3781 head a year ago. Vealers grading Good & Choice mostly steady, while Standard & low Good were 5.00-10.00 lower Few Prime 109.00-

126.00; Choice 95.00-115.00; Good 80.00-100.00; Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 50.00-65.00; 70-90 lbs. 45.00-60.00; Utility 50-100 lbs. 30.00-60.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 75.00-106.00; Hol. Heifers 85-135 lbs. 90.00-152.50.

HOGS: 7156. Compared with 7886 head last week and 8079 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts 2.50-2.75 lower US No. 1-2 200-245 lbs. 41.75-42.75 few 44.25; No. 1-3 200-255 lbs. 39.85-41.75; No. 2-3 200-275 lbs. 38.00-40.75; No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 32.00-39.00; Sows mostly 1.00-2.50 lower. US No 1-3 300-625 lbs. 36.00-38.75; No. 2-3 300-675 lbs. 30.00-35.50. Boars 29.00-34.00

FEEDER PIGS: 1092 Compared with 994 head last week and 1710 a year ago. Steady to 5.00 higher, spots to 8.00 higher US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 18.00-28.50 per head; No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 20.00-31.00; No. 1-3 50-80 lbs. 32.00-38.00.

GRADED FEEDER PIGS: 1795. Compared with 2162 head last week and 1696 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs mostly 7.00-15.00 lower. US No. 1-2 25-40 lbs. 57.00-81.00, 40-50 lbs. 57.00-70.00, few 78.50, 50-60 lbs. 52.00-67.00, 60-75 lbs. 43.00-60.00; US No. 2-3 30-40 lbs. 48.00-59.00, 40-50 lbs. 47.00-55.00, 50-75 lbs. 36.00-53.00.

SHEEP: 407 Compared with 299 head last week and 308 head a year

ago Wooled sl. lambs Choice 65-130 lbs. 58.00-71.00, few down to 40.00; Good 60-100 lbs. 50.00-60.00; few new crop lambs; few Choice 35-65 lbs. 73.00, one at 165.00 SI. ewes 20.00-37.00.

Frame #1, 380-600 lbs feeder steers 77.00-84, few #2, 400-600 lbs. 61.00-70, Few 7-900 lbs. 50-54.50, lot Medium #1, 375 lbs. 93.00. Few Large Frame #1, 600-650 lbs. feeder heifers 58.50-63.50, few Medium #1, 400-475 lbs. 64.00-67.00

CALVES: 151 Vealers \$4-\$6 lower. Few Choice vealers 99.00-112, few Good 85.00-97, Standard & Good 90-115 lbs. 60.00-64, 65-85 lbs. 55.00-61, few Utility 55-100 lbs. 55.00-61.00. Farm Calves: Hol Bulls 90-135 lbs. 80.00-101, few down to 70.00; Hol Heifers 90-130 lbs. 95.00-110, few 130.00 Few Beef cross bulls & heifers 70-110 lbs. 100.00-102.50.

HOGS: 414 Barrows and gilts \$2-\$2.50 lower. US No 1-2 2-245 lbs barrows and gilts 39.85-41.25, few 42.25, No. 1-3 195-270 lbs. 39.25-40.75, few down to 38.00, few No. 2-3 260-285 lbs. 36.00-38.75, few No. 1-3 165-190 lbs. 32.25-38.00. Sows \$1.50-\$2 lower. US No. 1-3 290-650 lbs sows 35.00-37.50, few Utility 325-410 lbs. 31.00-34.50 Boars 30.00-32.50

FEEDER PIGS: 233. US No 1-2 30-55 lbs feeder pigs 62.00-70.00 Per hundredweight, No. 1-3 25-45 lbs. 55.00-60, few No. 1-3 75-80 lbs. 47.00-59.00 Cwt, Utility 35-55 lbs. 50.00-59.00 per hundredweight.

SHEEP: 101 Few Choice 35-45 lbs new crop lambs 135.00-165, couple Choice 55-65 lbs. 73.00 & 98.00. Few

Slaughter ewes 30.00-37.00. **GOATS:** 18. Adult 31.00-50, one 57.50, few kids 16.00-36.00 per head.

Leesport Livestock Auction

Thursday, March 5

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CATTLE: 316. Supply included 70 head feeder cattle. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers steady to \$2 lower, most decline on Choice grade Slaughter cows \$2-\$3.50 lower Few High Choice & Prime #5, 1200-1300 lbs slaughter steers 55.00-57.85, Choice 1000-1280 lbs. 59.50-62, Good & Choice holsteins 1300-1600 lbs. 53.60-56.00, Good 56.00-61.35, Standard 53.00-57.25, few Utility 50.25-53 Few Choice 950-1200 lbs. slaughter heifers 55.00-60.25, one 62.35, few Good 54.75-58.25. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.50-44.10, Low Dressing Utility 39.00-42.00, Cutters 40.00-43.75, Canner & Low Cutters 38.00-41.75, Shells down to 33.25. Good & Choice slaughter bullocks 54.25-61.75, one 63.35, few Standard 51.60-54.10, Few Yield Grade #1, 1400-1600 lbs slaughter bulls 52.00-56.75, few #2, 1100-1500 lbs. 45.60-52 Few Large

Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, March 3

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CATTLE. STEERS: Good 59.50-61.50; Standard 55.00-58.00 **HEIFERS:** Good 55.00-61.00; Standard 48.00-53.25 **COWS:** Utility & Commercial 41.50-46.00; Cutter 38.00-42.00; Canner & Low Cutter 35.00-40.00 Good 56.00-60.50; Standard 47.50-52.50. **FEEDER STEERS:** 55.00-75.00. **CATTLE HEIFERS:** 53.00-71.00 **BULLS:** 46.00-50.00

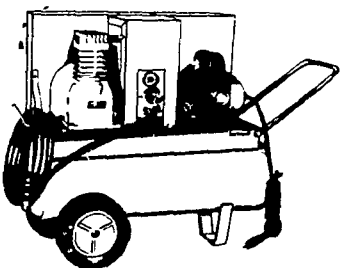
CALVES. VEALERS: Good 90.00-97.00; Standard & Good 75.00-87.50; Standard & Good 65.00-80.00, Standard 60.00-70.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 87.00-102.00; Hol. Heifers 127.50-150.00

HOGS Barrows & Gilts: US No 1-2 41.75-43.00; US No 1-3 39.50-42.00; US No. 2-3 37.00-40.00 **SOWS:** US No 1-3 39.50-40.75; No. 2-3 35.50-39.00, Boars 31.75-32.50

FEEDER PIGS: US No. 1-3 16.00-23.00; No. 1-3 22.00-30.00.

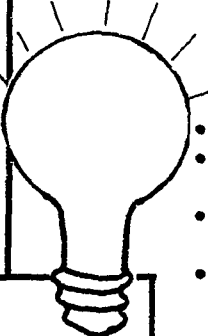
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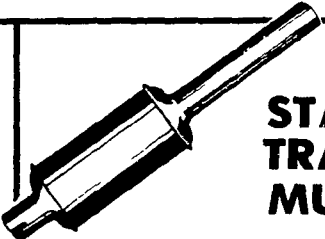
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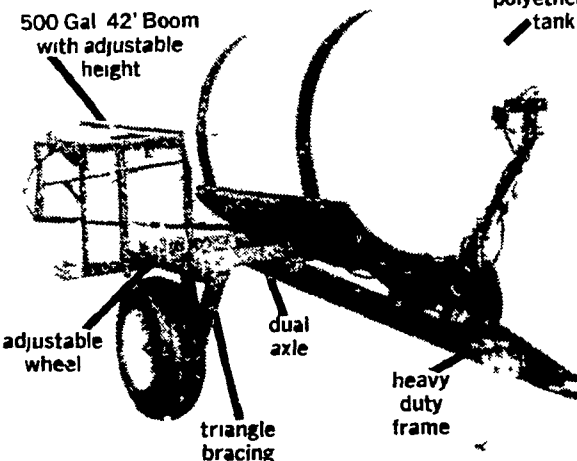
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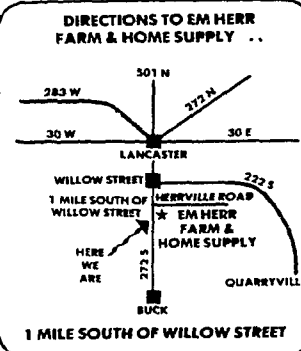
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