

# Livestock market and auction news

## Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.  
Wednesday, March 11  
Report supplied by auction

**SLAUGHTER:** Fed Steers steady. Choice 58.00-59.00; Good 54.00-57.00; Medium 53.00 Down Heifers Good 44.00-48.00; Medium 43.00 Down. Cows Good run, \$1.00 higher. High Yield 44.50-46.75; Average 41.00-44.00; Big Middle 38.00-41.00; Fatty Herf 36.00-39.00; Shelly 40.00 Down. Fat Bulls Mostly steady. Good 53.00-54.50, Medium 48.00-52.00. Veal Calves Steady prices Choice 95.00-101.00; Good 88.00-94.00; Medium 75.00-87.00; Farm Hfirs to 157.50, Farm Bulls to 82.00, Light & Weak 55.00 Down. Lambs Good 55.00-60.00; Medium 54.00 Down

**STOCKER.** Steers 300-550 lbs. \$2.00 higher Choice 76.00-81.00; Good 70.00-75.00, Medium 64.00-69.00, Culls 63.00 Down. Steers 600-850 lbs. Choice 68.00-74.00; Good 60.00-67.00; Medium 59.00 Down Heifers (All Weights) Choice 61.00-65.50, Good 54.00-60.00; Medium 53.00 Down. Bulls Choice 69.00-74.00; Good 60.00-68.00; Medium 59.00 Down Dairy Cows to 800.00. Springing Heifers to 1100.00. Pigs, Hd. Good run, \$2.00 higher. 20-30 lbs. 10.00-27.00; 40-70 lbs 28.00-46.00. Shoats by Lb to 38.00 Slaughter Hogs \$1.00 lower. 210-230 lbs 39.50-40.50; 240-260 lbs 39.50-40.25; 190-205 lbs. 37.25-39.60. Sows

300-550 lbs 34.00-36.75; Thin Sows 25.00-33.00.

## Joliet Cattle

Thursday, March 19  
Report supplied by USDA

**CATTLE:** Friday through Wednesday's saleable receipts 4,100; 5 days last week 3786; same period a year ago 3,351 Trading very slow on Monday; active on Wednesday. Slaughter steers ended the week mostly 1.00-2.00 lower compared with Wednesday of last week. Slaughter heifers ended the week mostly 1.00-1.50 lower Cows ended the week 4.00 lower

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Mixed high Choice and Prime 3, few 4, 1150-1275 lb. 60.50-61.00, 2 loads 61.25 Monday, 3-4 1150-1300 lb. 59.00-60.00 Monday; 59.50-60.50 Wednesday; 3-4, few 5, 1200-1350 lb. 57.00-58.50 Monday, Load mostly 4 to 5 1450 lb. 56.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1300 lb 59.00-60.50 Monday, 59.25-60.50; part load 61.00-Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lb. 58.00-59.00

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS.** Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1100 lb. 59.00-60.00; 1/2 load Choice mostly 3 1150 lb. 60.25 Monday. Choice 2-4 900-1100 lb. 57.50-59.00 Monday, 59.00-59.50, load 60.00 Wednesday Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lb 55.50-57.50 Monday.

**COWS:** Cutter & Utility 1-3 41.00-44.00, few 45.00 Monday; 38.00-41.50 Wednesday, 37.00-41.00 Thursday.

## Belknap Auction

Wednesday, March 18

Report supplied by the Auction

**CATTLE 98:** Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows about steady. Few Good & Choice slaughter steers 53.00-58.00 Few Good slaughter heifers 52.00-53.50, few Standard 48.00-51.50 Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 43.00-47.00, few to 49.50, Cutters 41.00-45.25, Canner & Low Cutter 35.00-41.00, Shells down to 30.00 Yield Grade #1 950-1970 lbs. slaughter bulls 52.00-58.50.

**CALVES 85:** Few Choice vealers 90.00-95.00, few Good 75.00-86.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs 50.00-61.00, 65-85 lbs 40.00-51.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-135 lbs 64.00-72.00.

**HOGS 350** Barrows & gilts 50-1.00 higher. US No 1-2 210-240 lbs barrows & gilts 41.50-42.50, No 1-3 200-250 lbs. 40.50-41.75, No 2-3 200-260 lbs 38.00-40.50. Sows \$2 lower US No 1-3 290-590 lbs sows 30.00-37.50 Boars 22.00-24.00

**FEEDER PIGS 100** US No 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 12.00-20.00 per head, No 1-3 35-45 lbs 20.00-25.00 per head

**SHEEP 1:** Not enough of any one grade to establish a market

## Leesport Auction

Wednesday, March 18

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**CATTLE 309** Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers steady to \$1

higher on Choice 1000-1200 lbs. High Choice & Prime 975-1200 lbs. slaughter steers 62.00-65.50, Choice 1200-1400 lbs. 58.50-62.00, Good 57.00-60.00, Standard 52.00-57.50. few Utility 49.00-52.00. Choice 850-1050 lbs. slaughter heifers 57.50-61.00, Good 53.00-57.09, Standard 49.00-52.00, few Utility 45.00-49.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 44.00-47.00, Cutters 40.00-43.50, Canner & Low Cutter 40.00-42.00, Shells down to 33.50. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 55.00-59.00, few 60.00-64.50, Good 52.00-55.00, Standard 50.00-53.00, utility 48.00-50.00. Choice 400-500 lbs feeder steers 74.00-80.00, Good 400-600 lbs. 65.00-72.00, Medium 400-700 lbs. 60.00-70.00; Good 400-700 lbs. feeder heifers 50.00-62.00, Medium 300-500 lbs. 48.00-52.00; Good 300-450 lbs. feeder bulls 48.00-60.00, Medium 500-750 lbs 48.50-60.00.

**CALVES 141:** Supply included 25% farm calves Few Prime vealers 95.00-105.00, few Choice 80.00-90.00, Good 65.00-80.00, few Standard & Good 110-130 lbs 75.00-85.00, 93-110 lbs. 65.00-80.00, 70-90 lbs 40.00-65.00, Utility 20.00-55.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-100 lbs 85.00-105.00, holstein heifers 100-120 lbs 95.00-115.00.

**HOGS 424** Barrows & gilts 50 lower US No 1-2 200-230 lbs barrows & gilts 41.50-42.50, No. 1-3 190-220 lbs. 40.50-41.50, No. 2-3 240-280 lbs. 40.50-42.00, No 1-3 180-200 lbs 39.00-41.00, US No. 1-3 300-400 lbs sows 36.00-39.00, No 2-3 400-650 lbs 34.00-37.00. Boars 25.00-32.50, Light weights 25.00-30.00.

**FEEDER PIGS 112:** US No 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 48.00-60.00 cwt, No 1-3 30-40 lbs. 50.00-70.00, No 1-3 40-60 lbs. 40.00-55.00, No 1-3 70-100 lbs. 38.00-45.00 CWT

**SHEEP 115:** Choice 20-40 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 125.00-153.00; Choice 80-100 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 60.00-68.00, Good 60-90 lbs. 45.00-60.00. Slaughter ewes 16.00-32.00

**GOATS 24.**

## Thomasville Auction

Wednesday, March 18

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**CATTLE:** 156 head.

**STEERS:** Choice 61.75-63.10; Medium Good 55.50-60.00; Holsteins 50.00-58.00.

**HEIFERS:** Choice 61.00-63.50; Medium Good 55.00-60.00.

**FEEDERSTEERS:** 60.00-66.00; Holsteins 53.00-60.00; Heifers 50.00-64.00.

**BULLS:** Individual Choice 59.25; Good 54.00-55.75.

**COWS.** Utility & Commercial 42.00-44.50; Low Canners & Cutters 40.00-42.00; Shells 36.00-38.00.

**CALVES:** Prime vealers .98-1.07; Good 80.00-90.00; Utility 50.00-70.00.

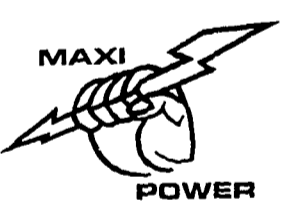
**HOGS:** Pvt treaty 235 head 40.00-40.25.

**SOWS:** 34.00-37.50.

**BOARS:** 28.50-30.60

**FEEDER PIGS:** 30-45 lbs. 25.00-42.00; 20-30 lbs. 15.00-23.00.






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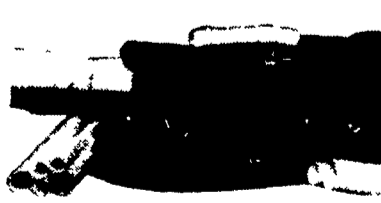
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