

Livestock market and auction news

Indiana Auction

Thursday, April 23
Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 163. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows .50-1.00 higher, instances 1.50 higher. Sl. steers: few Choice 59.50-63.75; few Good 55.50-59.00; few Standard 51.50-54.50; few Utility 47.00-48.75; Sl. heifers: couple Choice 63.00 and 63.75; few Standard 47.25-50.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 45.50-49.00; few 49.50-53.00; Cutters 43.00-46.50; Canner & L. Cutter 39.75-44.50; Shells down to 30.00. Sl. bullocks: two Good at 60.00; one Standard at 52.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1060-1932 lbs. 52.00-58.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-450 lbs. 53.00-65.00, with one at 78.00. Heifers few Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-450 lbs. 63.00-64.00; Medium & Large Frame No. 2, 500-700 lbs. 47.00-51.50; few Bulls Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 400-500 lbs. 53.00-59.00; Medium 2, 500-750 lbs. 45.00-48.00.

CALVES: 85. Couple Prime 114.00 and 118.00; few Choice 93.00-105.00; few Good 78.00-93.00; few Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 65.00-73.00; few 79-90 lbs. 50.00-60.00; few Utility 55-135 lbs. 45.00-61.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 85-120 lbs. 70.00-99.00; Hol. Heifers 75-115 lbs. 85.00-109.00; Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 75-125 lbs. 75.00-106.00.

HOGS: 120. Barrows and gilts .50 higher. US No. 1-2 two lots 200-230 lbs. at 41.50; No. 1-3 200-255 lbs.

39.00-41.00; few No. 2-3 270-300 lbs. 37.00-39.00; one lot No. 1-3 170 lbs. at 35.00; US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs 32.25-36.75. Boars 26.75-28.50.

FEEDER PIGS 32. US No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 17.00-24.50 per head.
SHEEP: 3. Sl. ewes. 17.00-18.50.

Chambersburg Auction

Thursday, April 23

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CATTLE: 424. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows .50-1.00 higher. Sl. steers. few Choice No. 2-4, 985-1300 lbs. 62.50-65.00; Good 56.00-60.50, Standard 50.50-56.50. Sl. heifers: few Choice 60.50-63.00; few Good 53.00-58.25. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 44.25-49.00, few 51.10; Cutters 43.75-47.75; Canner & L. Cutter 41.00-44.50; Shells down to 40.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-1950 lbs. 50.75-58.85.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, few Large Frame No. 1, 550-600 lbs. 62.00-65.00; Large Frame No. 2, 275-600 lbs. 50.00-60.00. Feeder Bulls, Large Frame No. 2, 400-850 lbs. 45.50-53.50.

CALVES: 421. Vealers grading Good & Choice 3.00-5.00 lower. Few Prime 100.00-101.00; Choice 88.00-101.00, Good 70.00-87.00; Standard & Good 70-90 lbs. 62.00-70.00; Utility 50-85 lbs. 40.00-55.00.

FARM CALVES: 5.00-15.00 higher. Hol. Bulls 85-130 lbs. 69.00-105.00, mostly 85.00-100.00; Hol. Heifers 85-160 lbs 105.00-195.00, mostly 145.00-180.00.

HOGS: 141. Barrows and gilts .75

higher. No. 1-3 195-235 lbs. 40.25-40.75 with couple to 41.10; one lot No. 2-3 259 lbs. at 39.00; one lot No. 1-3 186 lbs. at 38.35, US No. 1-3 275-500 lbs. 33.50-37.00. Few Boars 29.00-31.00.

FEEDER PIGS 21. Few US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 16.00-24.60 per head.

SHEEP: 14. Woolled sl. lambs one lot Choice 118 lbs. at 55.50, Few Sl. ewes: 18.00-21.00.

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, April 23

Report supplied by USDA

Receipts This Week 6,500
Week Ago: 6,400
Year Ago: 7,600

Compared to the previous week's close, slaughter steers fully 1.00-1.50 higher, except holstein steers firm to 1.00 higher. Slaughter heifers through midweek 2.00-2.50 higher. Cows mostly 2.00 higher. Bulls mostly 1.00 higher. Slaughter supply mainly Choice and Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1200 lbs. steers, around 35% heifers and 10% cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1275 lbs. 65.00-66.50, closing 65.00-65.50; 3-4 1075-1250 lbs. 64.00-65.50, closing 64.00-65.00. Choice 2-4 950-1275 lbs. 63.50-66.00, closing 63.50-65.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1200 lbs. 63.00-65.00 Good 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 61.00-63.50. Standard to mostly Good 2-3 1050-11425 lbs. holsteins 52.00-59.00, few closing sales 52.00-55.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Through mid-week Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 875-1050 lbs. 63.60-64.50, mid-week sales mostly 63.50-

64.00. Choice 2-4 800-1050 lbs. 62.00-64.00, mid-week sales 62.00-63.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 700-1000 lbs. 60.00-62.50. Good 2-3 700-975 lbs. 58.00-60.50.

COWS: Closing week sales Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.00-44.00. Boning Utility 1 2 45.00-46.00. Cutter 1-2 41.00-44.00. Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 38.00-41.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1050-1950 lbs. 51.00-55.00. Few Yield Grade 1 1500-1900 lbs. 56.00-57.00.

Weekly

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CATTLE: Slaughter steers closed mostly steady after many sales at midweek .50-1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks fully steady; bulls closed 1.00-3.00 higher. Supply included 45 per cent slaughter steers, 12 per cent cows, 6 per cent bulls, 3 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers. Many sales held for Friday's auction.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1475 lbs. 64.00-67.10, few 67.10-67.75; Choice Grade 2 1050-1450 lbs. 64.00-67.75, 10 head 68.10-70.25; Choice 2-4 975-1425 lbs. 62.00-67.75, few 65.00-66.10; load Choice, few Prime 2-3 1135-1210 lbs. 65.75-67.75; load of mostly Choice 3 1440-1670 lbs. 64.25-66.00; high Good and Low Choice 2-3 1000-1325 lbs. 58.50-63.50, Good 2-3 56.00-61.00; Good and Choice 1100-1650 lb. holsteins 55.50-59.00, few Choice 59.00-60.50, Standard 1-2 52.50-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:

Choice 2-3 900-1000 lbs. 59.00-63.00; few Choice Grade 2 1100-1465 lbs 63.00-64.35, couple 65.50-68.25; Choice 2-3 800-925 lbs. 55.75-58.50; Good 2-3 800-1050 lbs. 55.00-59.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 45 50-48.50, several 49.00-50.10, with 6 head 50.50-52.50, Commercial 3-4 41.50-44.75, Cutter 1-2 43.75-47.50, few 47.50-48.60; Canner and low Cutter 40.00-42.75.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1350 lbs. 56.75-60.25, few 61.00-64.25; Good 1000-1300 lbs. 52.50-57.00, serveral 850-1050 lb. returned to farm at 49.75-51.75.

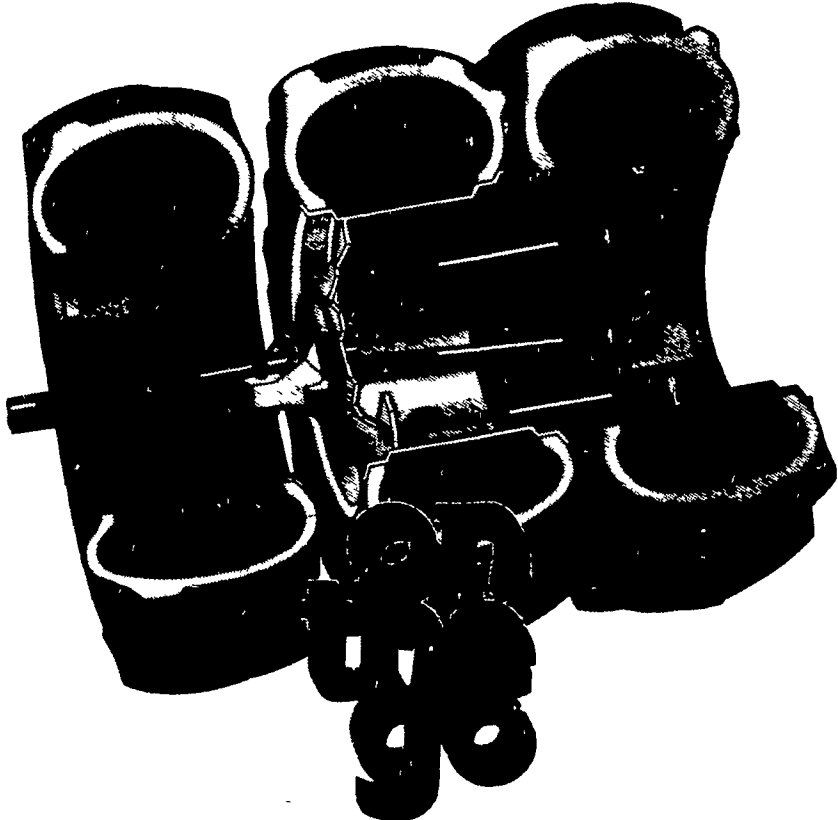
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1275-2000 lbs. 56.00-61.00, around 35 head 63.00-66.50; Yield Grade 2 1000-1450 lbs. 52.50-57.00, few 50.00-52.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers uneven, Choice and Prime special fed 260-350 lbs. 5.00-10.00 lower; Choice 150-250 lb. fully steady; high Good and low choice steady to 5.00 higher, instances 10.00 higher on 60-120 lb. weights. Demand good for holstein bulls and heifers returned to farm.

VEALERS: Prime 280-360 lb. 95.00-106.00, one lot early part of week 117.00; Choice 260-350 lbs. 80.00-100.00, 160-250 lbs. 105.00-114.00, few 115.00-123.00; high Good and low Choice 190-290 lbs. 75.00-90.00, 120-170 lbs. 75.00-100.00, 80-120 lbs. 60.00-80.00, few 50-85 lbs 50.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 80-120 lb. holstein heifers 110.00-160.00, around 100 head 168.00-194.00; bulk 80-120 lb. holstein bulls 78.00-101.00, several 105.00-114.00.

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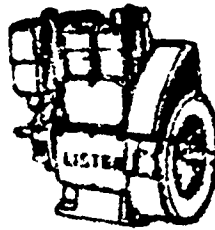
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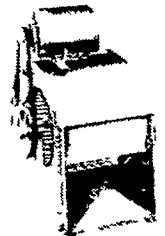
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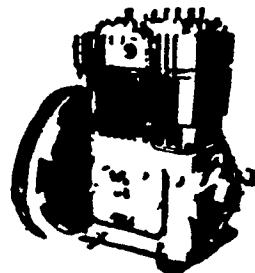
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