

Livestock market and auction news

Chambersburg Auction

Thursday, May 21

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 383. Compared with last Thursday's market: Slaughter steers about steady; Sl. cows 1.00-2.00 lower; Sl. bulls 3.00 lower. Sl. Steers Choice No. 2-4, 1000-1200 lbs. 63.35-66.50, few Holsteins down to 60.00; Good 57.50-60.00; Standard 53.00-57.00. Sl. heifers: few Choice 58.00-61.85; few Good 53.00-58.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 44.00-48.00; Cutters 42.50-46.75; Canner & L. Cutter 37.50-42.50; Shells down to 35.00. Sl. bullocks: few choice 56.00-64.75; few Good 53.50-55.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-1900 lbs. 49.50-57.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Large Frame No. 2, 350-650 lbs. 50.50-59.00. Bulls Large Frame No. 2500-850 lbs. 45.00-56.00.

CALVES: 351. Vealers 1.00-6.00 higher. Few Prime 104.00-108.00; Choice 93.00-103.00; good 80.00-92.00, 70-90 lbs. 69.00-79.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 85-125 lbs. 79.00-122.00; Hol. Heifers 75-140 lbs. 80.00-180.00. Few Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 79.00-127.50.

HOGS: 99. Barrows and gilts 1.50 higher. Lot US No. 1-2 235 lbs. at 45.50 No. 1-3 220-240 lbs. 43.50-45.25; Sows US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 33.00-36.00. Boars 28.00-33.00.

FEEDER PIGS 51. Few lots US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 19.00-28.00 per head; lot No. 1-3 90 lbs. at 39.00.

SHEEP: 18. Spring sl. lambs few Choice 75-90 lbs. 63.00-68.00. Few Sl. ewes: 17.50-30.00.

2829 head last week and 2618 head a year ago. Vealers Good & Choice steady - 5.00 lower, Standard & Good 5.00 higher. (few) Prime 104.00-116.00; Choice 88.00-108.00; Good 80.00-96.00; 90-120 lbs. 55.00-85.00; 65-90 lbs. 60.00-75.00; Utility 50-100 lbs. 50.00-61.00, few down to 40.00.

FARM CALVES: Active. Hol. Bulls 80-130 lbs. 70.00-122.00, mostly 80.00-108.00; Hol. Heifers 85-140 lbs. 80.00-190.00, mostly 100.00-160.00. Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 70-100 lbs. 73.00-122.50.

HOGS: 5344. Compared with 7284 head last week and 7775 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts steady - .50 lower, spots 2.00 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 44.00-46.10 No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 43.00-45.00; No. 2-3 200-275 lbs. 39.00-43.50; No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 36.00-41.75; Sows steady - 2.00 higher. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. 35.00-40.00; Np. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 30.00-36.50. Boars 29.00-35.50, few down to 22.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1131. Compared with 1033 head last week and 1680 a year ago. 1.00-5.00 lower. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 13.00-24.50 per head; No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 20.00-36.00.

GRADED FEEDER PIGS: 3540. Compared with 2397 head last week, and 3732 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs uneven but mostly 2.00-8.00 higher. US No. 1-2 25-40 lbs. 64.00-86.00, 40-50 lbs. 65.00-81.00, 50-60 lbs. 64.00-77.00, 60-70 lbs. 60.00-69.00; US No. 2-3 30-40 lbs. 61.00-70.00, 40-60 lbs. 49.00-67.00.

SHEEP: 644. Compared with 605 head last week and 857 head a year ago. Spring sl. lambs steady to strong. (few) Choice 30-50 lbs. 90.00-112.50, 50-100 lbs. 70.00-90.00; (few) Good 35-90 lbs. 55.00-70.00. Sl ewes: 12.00-25.00, few 31.00.



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New Holland Dairy

New Holland, Pa.

Wednesday, May 20

Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 99 cows, 62 heifers, and 11 bulls. Market stronger; cow market steady.

Load of Pa. fresh cows, 1200.00-1300.00; Load of Butler Co. springers, 725.00-1290.00; Load of Luzerne Co. springers, 1085.00-1390.00; Load of N.Y. purebred & grade cows, 975.00-1575.00, springers 1200.00-1650.00; Load of Pa. fresh cows, 1140.00-1325.00; Load of Pa. fresh cows, 930.00-1100.00.

Herd of 25 head, all stages 440.00-1175.00.

Locally consigned cows 520.00-1200.00; Springing heifers 850.00-1300.00; Open heifers 400.00-750.00; Bulls 330.00-730.00.

Short Bred: 800.00-1150.00.

Pa. Auction Summary

Friday, May 22

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CATTLE: 7181. Compared with 7289 head last week, and 6474 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers .25-1.00 lower; Sl. heifers steady - 1.00 lower, Sl. cows mostly 1.00 lower, spots 3.00 lower; Sl. bullocks & bulls weak - 1.50 lower Sl. steers. High Choice & Prime No. 3-4 64.75-67.25; Choice No. 2-4, 62.75-67.50; Good 57.50-63.00; Standard 53.00-57.00. Sl. heifers. Choice 58.00-61.85, few 63.35; Good 55.00-59.00; Standard 50.00-55.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 45.00-48.00 few 49.00, Cutters 42.00-47.00; Canner & L. Cutter 36.00-43.50; Shells down to 30.00. Sl. bullocks: Choice 59.00-62.50; Good 53.50-59.00; (few) Standard 51.00-57.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-2400 lbs. 52.00-59.75; Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1600 lbs. 48.00-54.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-550 lbs. 58.00-71.00. Heifers, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-750 lbs. 50.00-60.00; Bulls Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-650 lbs. 53.00-63.50.

CALVES: 2723. Compared with

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