Livestock market and auction news

Graded Yearling Steer Sale

Culpeper, Va.
Thursday, September 17
Report supplied by VDA
There were 2,079 head sold.

Steers: 500-600 lbs. Medium 1 64.00-66.00; Large 1 66.50; Small 1 59.00-63.00; Med. & Lge. 2 57.50-64.00. 600-700 lbs. Medium 1 62.50-65.50, mostly 65.00; Large 1 65.50; Small 1 56.50-64.50; Med. & Lge. 2 55.50-60.00. 700-800 lbs. Medium 1 60.50-65.25; Large 1 64.50-65.50; Small 1 57.75-62.50; Med. & Lge. 2 50.25-57.00. 800-900 lbs. Medium 1 57.00-60.00; Large 1 58.00-62.50; Small 1 58.50-60.00; Med. & Lge. 2 53.00-55.50. 900-1000 lbs. Medium 1 58.75-60.75; Large 1 55.00-61.50, mostly 58.00-61.50; Med. & Lge. 2

Yearling Heifer Sale

Galax, Va.
Thursday, September 17
Report supplied by VDA
There were 874 head sold.

Heifers: 400-500 lbs. Lge. & Med. 1 53.50-56.00; Small 1 50.00-53.00; Lge. & Med. 2 45.00-49.25. 500-600 lbs. Lge. & Med. 1 55.25-58.00; Small 1 51.00-55.00; Lge. & Med. 2 46.50-49.75; Lge. & Med. 3 2 at 36.00-46.00. 600-700 lbs. Lge. & Med. 1 53.00-58.00; Small 1 53.50-57.50; Lge. & Med. 2 48.00-52.00; Lge. & Med. 3 2 at 43.50. 700-800 lbs. Lge. & Med. 3 2 at 43.50. 700-800 lbs. Lge. &

Med. 1 54.50-56.25; Small 1 52.75-56.00; Lge. & Med. 2 45.00-52.75. 800-900 lbs. Lge. & Med. 1 52.00-53.50; Lge. & Med. 2 2 at 47.00-50.25, 900-1000 lbs. Lge. & Med. 1 47.00-49.00. 1000-1100 lbs. Lge. & Med. 1 43.50-47.25.

Omaha Cattle Thursday, September 24 Report supplied by USDA

Through midweek, slaughter steers steady to 50 cents lower, heifers weak to largely 50 cents lower. Cows 1.00-1.50 lower, bulls steady to weak.

Four Day Receipts 10,398 Last Week 11,902 Year Ago 9,911

Fed cattle trading trended lower through the week in sympathy with a declining dressed beef trade. Pressure still noted on steers weighing under 1050 lbs. and heifers weighing 950 lbs. and down.

Slaughter steers made up 35 pct. of the estimated five day total; herfers 23 pct. Feeders, including the Friday auction 33 pct.; Cows 9 pct.

STEERS: Load Choice 2-3 high dressing 1335 lbs. and load Choice and Prime 1225 lbs. mainly 3 68.50. Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 65.50-67.00, few loads mainly 3 1100-1200 lbs. 67.00-67.50; mostly Choice 1000-1075 lbs. 65.00-65.50. Part load Choice 3-5 1205 lbs. 63.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lbs. 64.50-65.50. Good 63.00-65.00. Few loads and lots Choice 2-3 holsteins 1300-1375

lbs. 61.00-61.50; mostly Good 1100-1300 lbs. 57.50-59.75.

HEIFERS: Few loads Choice 3 and Choice and Prime 3, few 4, 975-1050 lbs. 63.75. Choice 2-4 900-1025 lbs. 61.50-63.50, mostly 62.00-63.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 60.00-62.50. Good 58.00-61.00.

Average of LS-214 detailed quotations for Choice 900-1100 lbs. steers 65.50; 1100-1300 lbs. 66.80. Average cost steers 66.04; average weight 1131 lbs. compared 65.87 and 1130 lbs. a week ago. Average cost heifers 62.53, average weight 995 lbs. as compared 63.07 and 983 lbs. a week ago.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 41.00-43.00, few high dressing 44.00. Canner and Cutter 39.00-41.00, few Lightweight 37.00-39.00. BULLS: 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 50.00-54.00, few 154.50-55.00.

Chambersburg Auction Chambersburg, PA Thursday, September 24

Report supplied by PDA CATTLE: 372. Compared with last Thursday's market: Sl. cows 1.00-1.50 lower. Sl. steers: Choice No. 2-4, 1050-1250 lbs. 65.00-69.00; Good 58.00-63.00, couple to 65.00; Standard 52.50-57.00. Sl. heifers: few Choice 62.00-66.00; few Good 55.00-60.75. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 43.50-47.50, few 49.25; Cutters 41.00-44.50; Canner & L. Cutter 35.50-41.00; Shells down to 29.50. Sl. bullocks: one Good at

57.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 900-1450 lbs. 42.00-55.00, one 1960 lbs. at 55.50.

CALVES: 643. Vealers grading Good & Choice 2.00-5.00 lower. Few Prime 94.00-98.00; Choice 81.00-90.00; Good 64.00-80.00; Standard & Good 70-100 lbs. 55.00-65.00; Utility 50-80 lbs. 45.00-55.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 80-125 lbs. 60.00-80.00, couple to 99.00; Hol. Heifers 90-160 lbs. 100.00-160.00.

HOGS: 102. Couple lots US No. 1-2 220 lbs. at 51.60 No. 1-3 210-265 lbs. 49.25-50.85; Sows US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 45.00-48.50. Few Boars 38.75-40.00.

FEEDER PIGS 38. One lot US No. 1-3 20 lbs. at 15.00 per head; one lot No. 1-3 35 lbs. at 26.00 per head.

SHEEP: 21. Few Choice 90-120 lbs. 45.50-50.50; few Good 65-80 lbs. 41.00-44.00.

GOATS: 16. Few 19.00-65.00 per head.

Belknap Auction Dayton, Pa.

Wednesday, September 23 Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 95: Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows 1.00-1.50 lower. One Good slaughter steer at 55.00. Few Utility slaughter heifers 42.50-46.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.50-45.00, few Commercial No. 4-5 38.50-42.25,

Cutters 38.50-43.50, Canner & Low Cutter 32.00-39.00. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 44.75-46.50. Yield Grade #1 and 2 975-1650 lbs. slaughter bulls 46.00-53.00. Few Medium Frame #1 400-795 lbs. feeder steers 49.00-54.40; few Medium Frame #1 405-575 lbs. feeder heifers 45.00-47.00; Medium Frame #2 285-605 lbs. feeder bulls 40.00-45.00.

CALVES 117: Vealers steady. One choice vealer at 92.50, Good 75.00-88.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 50.00-63.00, 60-85 lbs. 40.00-52.00, Utility 55-140 lbs. 20.00-40.00: Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 60.00-92.50; slaughter calves, grading Standard & Good 250-390 lbs. 40.00-53.00.

HOGS 167: Barrows & gilts steady to strong. US No. 1-2 215-245 lbs. barrows & gilts 52.75-53.90, one lot 12 head 54.50, No. 1-2 210-255 lbs. 50.00-52.25, few No. 2-3 200-285 lbs. 48.00-50.00, few No. 1-3 190-220 lbs. 46.50-49.50. US No. 1-3 285-545 lbs. sows 43.00-50.25. Few Boars 40.00-42.50.

FEEDER PIGS 102: US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-27.00 per head, few No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 29.00-32.00, Utility 10-20 lbs. 5.00-11.00 per head.

SHEEP 11: Couple Choice 87 lbs. spring slaughter lambs at 53.50, two small lots Good 55 and 70 lbs. feeders 37.00 and 44.50. Slaughter ewes 5.00-16.00.

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