

Livestock market and auction news

Central U.S. Carlot

Wednesday, Dec. 16
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Steer and heifer beef steady, good grade steady to 1.00 lower. Demand and trading moderate, supplies moderate. Bulk of sales for immediate shipment. The boxed beef carcass cutout value advanced \$.02 to an estimated \$97.54 per cwt. Sales reported on 89 loads of steer and heifer beef.

STEER BEEF

62 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3: 600-900 lbs. 93.00 steady.

Choice 4: 600-900 lbs. 85.00 steady.

Good 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 90.00-91.00, late 90.00, 1.00 lower.

Choice 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 88.00 (Hols type).

Good 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 86.00 (Hols type).

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 3: 600-700 lbs. 94.00-95.25.

Choice 2: 600-700 lbs. 95.50-97.00.

Choice 4: 600-900 lbs. 86.50 (West).

Good 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 90.00.

HEIFER BEEF

27 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3: 550-700 lbs. 91.00-92.00, late 92.00 steady.

Choice 3: 500-550 lbs. 91.00.

Choice 3: 400-500 lbs. 90.00.

Choice 4: 500-700 lbs. 85.00 steady.

Good 2-3: 550-700 lbs. 87.00-88.00 steady-1.00 lower.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 4: 500-700 lbs. 86.50 (West).

Good 2-3: 550-700 lbs. 88.00.

Cow beef 2.00-3.00 higher. Demand moderate for light supplies.

COW BEEF

7 Loads
FOB Amarillo Basis

Brkg Utility 3-4: 450/up lbs. 67.50 (West).

Bng Utility 2-3: 400/up lbs. 70.00 (Midwest) 2.00-3.00 hghr.

Cnr. & Cutter 1-2: 350/up lbs.

71.50-74.50, (Midwest), late 74.50, 2.50 higher.

BULL BEEF

1 Load

FOB Omaha Basis

Bull 1-2: 500/up lbs. 79.50.

PRIMAL BEEF CUTS

9 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

HINDS (H): 120-170 lbs. 101.00.

FORES: 130-210 lbs. 84.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS

13 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

90% chem lean, fresh 106.00.

85% chem lean, fresh 97.00.

50% chem lean, fresh 44.00-46.50.

50% chem lean, frozen 48.00.

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Fresh pork loins steady-2.50 higher. Picnics 4-8 lbs. not fully established, 8/up lbs. steady. Boston butts 4-8 lbs. 2.50 higher. Skinned hams 2.00-4.00 higher. Sdls bellies 1.50-2.00 lower. Frozen boneless picnics mostly steady, instances 2.00 higher. Skinned jowls 1.00-1.50 lower. Trading moderate. Demand moderate, except hams for immediate shipment demand good. Sales reported on 65 loads plus 26 loads of trimmings.

FRESH PORK CUTS

LOINS: 14/dn lbs. 90.50 frozen, export; 14-17 lbs. 81.00-92.00, 1.00-2.50 higher; 14-17 lbs. 85.00 next week ship; 14-17 lbs. 84.00-84.50 clear channel; 17-22 lbs. 77.50 steady; 17-22 lbs. 79.75 clear channel.

PICNICS: 4-8 lbs. 40.00-44.00, not fully estab.; 8/up lbs. 40.00 steady.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs. 65.25 2.50 higher; 4-8 lbs. 67.00 next weeks ship.

SKINNED HAMS: 14-17 lbs. 84.00; 17-20 lbs. 75.00-80.00, LALE 79.00-80.00, 2.00-4.00 higher than late Tuesday; 20-26 lbs. 75.00-79.00, late 78.00-79.00, 3.00-4.00 higher; 20-26 lbs. 72.00 frozen.

BELLIES, SDLS: 16-18 lbs. 41.00-43.00, 1.50-2.00 lower; 18-20 lbs. 38.00, 1.50 lower; 20-25 lbs. 35.50.

BNLS CUT BUTT: 1.5-3 lbs. 11.30 frozen.

PORK TRIMMINGS BONELESS PROCESSING PORK (Chemical Lean)

42% lean trimmings frozen 30.00-32.00.

72% lean trimmings frozen 60.00.

72% bnls picnics fresh 62.50-63.00.

72% bnls picnics frozen 64.00-66.00, mostly steady, bulk 64.00, inst. 2.00 hghr.

Skinned Jowls frozen 29.00, 1.00-1.50 lwr.

Middleburg Auction

Middleburg, Pa.
Tuesday, December 15
Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 163. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to \$2.50 higher. Few Choice No. 2-4 900-1350 lbs. slaughter steers 57.85-61.00, Good 55.00-58.50, few Standard 45.00-54.35. Few Good slaughter heifers 49.50-53.10. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 36.50-39.85, few to 42.50, Cutters 33.25-37.00, few Canner & Low Cutter 32.00-33.10. Yield Grade #1 1100-1700 lbs. slaughter bulls 42.75-50.25. Few Medium Frame #1 500-750 lbs. feeder steers & bulls 45.00-52.50.

CALVES 133. Choice vealers 75.00-85.00, few Good 59.00-69.00, Standard & Good 70-100 lbs. 45.00-55.00, few Utility 60-80 lbs. 35.00-43.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 85-125 lbs. 55.00-95.00, mostly 65.00-85.00; holstein heifers 85-120 lbs. 55.00-117.50, mostly 80.00-95.00. (MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1981).

HOGS 340. Barrows & gilts \$1 higher. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 45.00-46.35, few to 47.25, No 1-3 190-250 lbs. 44.00-45.00, No. 2-3 190-300 lbs. 40.00-44.00. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 33.00-36.00, No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 30.00-33.00. Boars 30.00-31.00. (TUESDAY 75). US No. 1-3 230-255 lbs. barrows & gilts 42.25-43.10, one lot No. 2-3 240 lbs. 42.00.

FEEDER PIGS 98. US No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. feeder pigs 29.00-36.00 per head.

SHEEP 2. One lot Choice 100 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs at 51.00.

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.

Wednesday, Dec. 9

Report supplied by auction

SLAUGHTER: Fed Steers \$1.00 lower. Low Choice to 57.00; Good 53.00-56.00; Medium 52.00 Down. Heifers Choice 49.00-50.00; Good 45.00-48.00; Medium 44.00 Down. Cows \$2.00 lower. High Yield 40.00-42.50; Average 37.00-39.00; Big Middle 33.00-36.00; Fatty Herf. 30.00-33.00; Shelly 34.00 Down. Fat Bulls \$1.00 lower. Good 47.00-49.50; Medium 42.00-46.00. Veal Calves \$2.00 higher. Choice 90.00-94.00; Good 80.00-89.00; Medium 70.00-79.00; Farm Hfrs. to 62.00; Farm Bulls to 60.00; Light & Weak 52.00 Down. Lambs Choice none; Good 35.00-38.25; Medium 34.00 Down.

STOCKER: Steers 300-500 lbs. Steady prices. Choice 57.00-60.00; Good 52.00-56.00; Medium 46.00-51.00; Culls 45.00 Down. Steers 600-850 lbs. Choice 54.00-57.00; Good 49.00-53.00; Medium 48.00 Down. Heifers (All Weights) Choice 49.00-51.50; Good 44.00-48.00; Medium 43.00 Down. Bulls Choice 51.00-55.00; Good 45.00-50.00; Medium 44.00 Down. Dairy Cows to 885.00. Springing Heifers to 1050.00. Pigs, Hd. Steady. 20-30 lbs. 12.00-24.00; 40-60 lbs. 25.00-33.00. Shoats by Lb. to 51.00. Slaughter Hogs \$3.00 under last wk. 210-230 lbs. 39.25-40.50; 240-260 lbs. 40.00-41.00; 270-310 lbs. 42.00-45.00. Sows 350-575 lbs. 36.00-43.00.

Leesport Auction

Leesport, Pa.

Wednesday, Dec. 9

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CATTLE 316. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers \$2.50 to \$4.50 lower. Slaughter cows \$2 to \$4 lower. High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 58.00-61.50, Choice 56.00-59.00, Good 52.00-55.00, Standard 45.00-50.00. Good slaughter heifers 52.00-57.50, Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 35.50-39.00, Cutters 34.00-36.00, Canner & Low Cutter 28.00-34.00. Yield Grade #1 slaughter bulls 47.00-54.00, couple to 57.00.

CALVES 125. Vealers \$5 to \$8

lower. Choice vealers 72.00-90.00, Good 65.00-75.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 50.00-70.00, 90-110 lbs. 60.00-68.00, 65-90 lbs. 30.00-55.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 100-120 lbs. 60.00-75.00; holstein heifers 100-120 lbs. 85.00-105.00.

HOGS 340. Barrows & gilts \$3 to \$4 lower. US No. 1-2 barrows & gilts 41.75-43.25, No. 1-3 40.50-41.75. US No. 1-3 sows 38.00-40.50.

FEEDER PIGS 193. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 65.00-90.00 cwt., No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 70.00-80.00 cwt.

SHEEP 51. Woolled slaughter lambs \$2 to \$3 higher. Choice woolled slaughter lambs 52.50-58.00, Good 42.00-48.00. Slaughter ewes 20.00-28.00.

Joliet Cattle

Thursday, December 17

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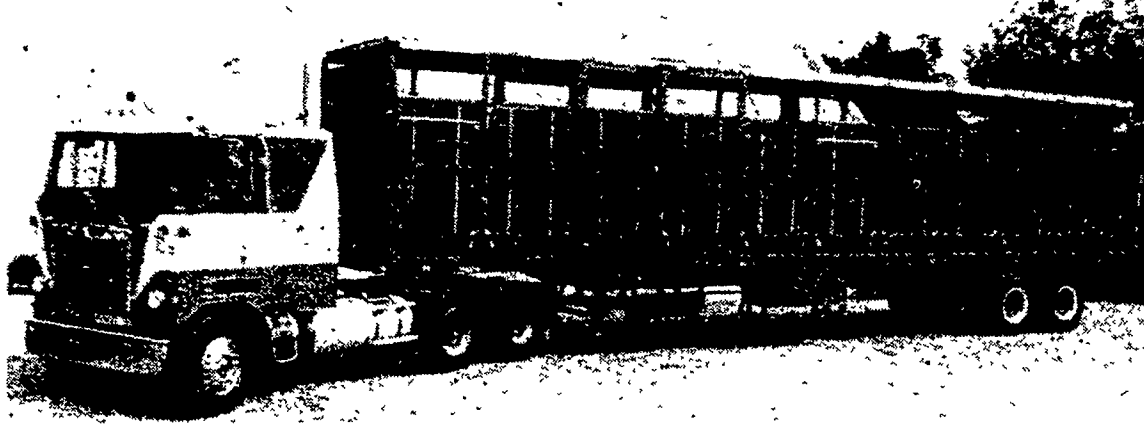
CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 4,300; 5 days last week 5,097; same period a year ago 5,830. Trading slow on Monday; moderately active on Wednesday. Slaughter steers ended the week mostly steady, instances 50 lower compared with Wednesday of last week. Slaughter heifers closed the week mostly steady. Cows closed the week steady to 1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed high Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350# 58.50-59.50 Monday; 59.00-59.50 Wednesday; 3-4, few 5, 1150-1350# 58.00-58.50. Choice 2-4 1050-1300# 57.50-58.50 Monday; 57.50-59.00, load 59.50, mostly 58.00-59.00 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200# 56.00-57.00 Monday; 57.00-58.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-3 1300-1500# holsteins 52.75-54.00 Monday. Standard and Good 2 holsteins 1150-1400# 50.00-52.75 Monday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime, 900-1100# 57.75-58.00, load Wednesday 58.25. Choice 2-4 900-1050# 56.50-57.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000# 55.00-56.50.

COWS: Cutter and Utility, few Commercial, 1-3 30.00-34.00, few Wednesday 35.00.

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