

# Livestock market and auction news

## Hay Markets

### Regional Hay

Friday, Dec. 18

Report supplied by PDA  
(All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by the dealers at the farm and per ton.)

Hay and Straw steady.  
Alfalfa 95.00-110, few 80.00;  
Mixed hay 75.00-85, few 65.00;  
Timothy hay 60.00-85.00; Straw  
40.00-50.00; Mulch 35.00-45.00.

### Green Dragon Hay

Ephrata, Pa.

Friday, Dec. 18

Report supplied by PDA  
35 Loads Hay and 10 Loads  
Straw.

Alfalfa 100.00-165, mostly 125.00-146; Mixed hay 87.00-168, mostly 106.00-125; Timothy hay, few 88.00-116; Straw 62.00-77.00; Ear Corn, 6 loads 72.00-79.00; Corn Fodder, individual 65.00; Shelled Corn, one load 2.75 per bu.

### New Holland Hay

Monday, Dec. 21

Report supplied by auction  
162 loads.

#1 Alfalfa 125.00-155.00, medium 100.00-125.00; #1 Mixed 120.00-150.00, medium 100.00-125.00; #1 Timothy 115.00-130.00, medium 97.00-115.00; Clover 96.00-120.00; two loads rain-damaged or moldy hay 70.00-90.00; Straw clean and bright 65.00-75.00, high 84.00, low 45.00; Corn Fodder 55.00-60.00; Firewood 47.00-95.00 load.

### Pa. Grain

Monday, Dec. 21

Report supplied by PDA  
Compared with last Monday's market for Southeastern, Central and South Central Pa.: Corn steady to 5 cents higher; Wheat unevenly steady; Barley steady to strong; Oats steady to strong, instances 10 cents higher; New Ear Corn steady to strong.

Prices paid delivered to dealers dock - (All prices per bushel, except Ear Corn per ton.)

#### Southeastern Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.60-2.80, few reported 2.50, average 2.68; Wheat No. 2 range 3.25-3.75, average 3.49; Barley No. 3 range 2.15-2.25, average 2.23; Oats No. 2 range 1.95-2.25, average 2.07; Soybeans No. 1 range 5.66-6.00, average 5.81; Grain Sorghum #2 range 2.10, average 2.10; New Ear Corn range 60.00-75.00, average 67.39.

#### Central Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.40-2.75, average 2.56; Wheat No. 2 range 3.15-3.50, few reported 3.95, average 3.40; Barley No. 3 range 2.00-2.25, average 2.10; Oats No. 2 range 1.65-2.00, average 1.82; Soybeans No. 1 few reported range 5.50-5.75, average 5.63; Grain Sorghum No. 2 range 2.20-2.25, average 2.23; Buckwheat range 9.00-10.00, average 9.50; New Ear Corn range 54.00-62.00, average 59.56.

#### South Central Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.45-2.60, average 2.53; Wheat No. 2 range 3.10-3.40, few reported 3.75, average 3.30; Barley No. 3 range 2.05-2.20, few reported 2.80, average 2.29; Oats No. 2 range 1.90-2.15, average 2.01; New Ear Corn range 55.00-70.00, average 62.25.

#### Western Pa.

Corn No. 2-y range 2.40-2.50, average 2.51; Wheat No. 2 range 3.00-3.20, average 3.08; Barley No. 3 range 2.15-2.20, average 2.18; Oats No. 2 range 1.80-2.00, average 1.92; Buckwheat range 8.50, average 8.50.

#### Southeastern, Central & South Central Summary

Corn No. 2-y range 2.45-2.80, average 2.61; Wheat No. 2 range 3.15-3.75, average 3.45; Barley No. 3 range 2.00-2.25, average 2.20; Oats No. 2 range 1.70-2.20, average 1.95; New Ear Corn range 55.00-75.00, average 63.70.

### Kiesters Hay

Wednesday, Dec. 23

Report supplied by auction  
8 loads.  
Mixed 76.00-102.00; Alfalfa 102.00-122.50; Straw 50.00-56.00.

### Eighty-Four Livestock

Eighty-Four, Pa.

Monday, December 21

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CATTLE 202: Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 higher. Good slaughter steers 55.00-58.00, Standard 50.00-55.00, few Utility 45.00-47.50. Individual Choice slaughter heifer at 56.50, Utility 40.00-44.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 38.00-42.75, one 45.00, Commercial 4-5 36.00-40.25, Cutters 35.00-38.50, Canner & Low Cutters 26.50-35.00, Shells down to 20. Few Yield Grade #1, 1300-1600 lbs. slaughter bulls 45.50-51.00, few #2 1300-1550 lbs. 43.00-44.50. Medium Frame #1, 400-700 lbs.

feeder steers 48.00-56.50. Medium Frame #1, 300-500 lbs. feeder heifers 37.50-44.00. Large Frame #2 300-800 lbs. feeder bulls 37.00-42.00.

CALVES 318: Vealers grading Good and Choice strong to 1.00 higher, Standard & Good 2.00-3.00 higher. Few choice vealers 86.00-102.00, Good 65.00-80.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 55.00-68.00, 90-110 lbs. 48.00-57.00, 60-85 lbs. 39.00-48.00, few Utility 50-80 lbs. 33.00-40.00. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 70.00-86.00. Good & Choice 250-350 lbs. slaughter calves 50.00-64.00.

HOGS 114: Barrows and gilts steady. US No. 1-2 215-220 lbs. barrows and gilts 42.00-42.30, lot 43.50, No. 1-3 200-255 lbs. 40.75-41.75, US No. 1-3 300-660 lbs. sows 35.00-39.00. Couple Boars 29.25 & 38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 35: US No. 1-3 50-85 lbs. feeder pigs 23.00-30.00 per head, few Utility 25 lbs. at 8.50 per head.

SHEEP 123: Woolled slaughter lambs 50-100 higher. Choice 80-90 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 49.50-52.00, Shorn 65-85 lbs. 50.25-53.50, Good 80-85 lbs. 47.00-49.00; Good 55-80 lbs. feeder lambs 43.00-45.00. Few Slaughter ewes 15.00-18.00.

### New Wilmington Auction

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CATTLE 170: Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows \$4-\$5 higher. Individual Choice slaughter steer at 61, couple Good 56.00 & 56.50, Standard 43.50-50; few Utility 39-41.50. Individual Choice slaughter heifer at 57.00, Good 45.50-49.75, Standard 38.50-44.50. Utility & Commercial

slaughter cows 40.00-45, Cutters 37-41.75, Canner & Low Cutters 30.00-37, Shells down to 25. Few Yield Grade #2, 950-1320 lbs. 38-43.75, #1 few, 960-1795 lbs. 45.00-50.75. Few Medium Frame #1-2, 300-540 lbs. feeder steers 40-48.50.

CALVES 313: Vealers unevenly steady. Choice 90.00-101, Good 75.00-90, Standard & Good 110-135 lbs. 54.00-60, 90-110 lbs. 45.00-54, 65-85 lbs. 25.00-46, Utility 45-85 lbs. 10.00-25. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 100-125 lbs. 72.50-97; Hol. Heifers 85-125 lbs. 47.50-70.

HOGS 524: Barrows and gilts 75 cents to \$1 higher. US No. 1-2 210-245 lbs. barrows and gilts 41.70-43.40, No. 1-3 2-250 lbs. 40.80-41.80, No. 2-3 205-285 lbs. 37.00-41. Sows mostly \$2 higher. US No. 1-3 280-590 lbs. sows 34.00-41, No. 2-3 350-550 lbs. 30.00-35. Boars 27.00-31.

FEEDER PIGS 51: US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 20.50-39 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 40.00-47 per head.

SHEEP 77: Choice 90-110 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 48.00-60, few 70-85 lbs. 60.00-64, few Good 60-85 lbs. 40.00-45.00.



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