

Livestock market and auction news

Belleville Auction

Belleville, Pa.

Wednesday, April 7

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 80. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents-\$1 lower. Individual Good slaughter steer at 55.25. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 39.25-43.75, few 48, Cutters 37.50-42.25, few Canner and Low Cutters 35.60-38.25. Couple Yield Grade #1, 1450-1770 lbs. slaughter bulls 48.10 & 51.00.

CALVES 158. Few Good vealers 81.00-87, Standard and Good 70-100 lbs 45.00-50, Utility 50-80 lbs. 30.00-40. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs 50.00-75, few Hol. Heifers 80-140 lbs. 60.50-79.

HOGS 213. Barrows and gilts 75 cents-\$1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 2-230 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.75-52.50, No. 1-3 2-255 lbs. 50.75-51.50, No. 1-3 170-185 lbs. 50.10-51.10. Few US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 42.00-47.00. Few Boars 29-38.50.

FEEDER PIGS 160. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 34.50-45 per head, No. 1-3 60-120 lbs. 50.00-63 per head.

SHEEP 19. Few Choice 20-60 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 50.00-90. Few Slaughter ewes 23.00-32.00.

GOATS 50. Large 28.00-55 per head, Kids 10.00-22 per head. **HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS** \$670-1130 PER HEAD.

Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, March 30

Report supplied by auction

CATTLE: STEERS Choice 57.50-58.00, Ind. 64.00; Good 53.00-55.25; Standard 45.00-49.75.

HEIFERS: Good 54.75-58.00; Standard 50.50-51.75. **COWS:** Utility & Commercial 42.75-46.00; Cutter 38.85-42.50; Canner & Low Cutter 32.00-37.00. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 48.00-53.00.

FEEDER STEERS: 57.50-58.00. **CATTLE HEIFERS:** 42.00-53.00. **BULLS:** 43.00-52.00. **CALVES: VEALERS:** Choice 70.00-88.00; Good 60.00-70.00; Standard & Good 45.00-60.00.

HOGS: Barrows & Gilts US No. 1-2 51.75-53.25; US No. 1-3 48.00-51.00. **SOWS:** US No. 1-3 46.00-49.50; No. 2-3 42.00-46.00; Boars 38.25-39.25.

FEEDER PIGS: US No. 1-2 24.00-36.00; No. 1-3 35.00-50.00.

SHEEP. LAMBS: Good 75.00-95.00; Utility 53.00-70.00.

Special Feeder Sale next Tuesday, April 6 at 7:00 P.M.

Kiester's Lamb Sale

Middleburg, Pa.

Thursday, April 1

Report supplied by auction

652 lambs and sheep, 379 goats and 720 Easter rabbits.

Choice lambs 20-30 lbs. .90-1.10 lb., few to 1.50; medium 20-30 lbs. .80-.90; Choice 30-50 lbs. .70-.90; medium 30-50 lbs. .65-.85; choice 50-75 lbs. .70-.80, medium 50-75 lbs. .60-.70; 75-100 lbs. .60-.70.

Goats, small 10.00-20.00 ea, large 30.00-50.00 ea

Rabbits, choice 4.50-7.50 ea, medium 3.00-4.50 ea., small 1.75-3.00 ea

Joliet Cattle

Thursday, April 8

CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 1100; 5 days last week 2879; same period a year ago 3588. Trading moderately active on Monday; slow on Wednesday. Slaughter steers ended the week 1.00-1.50, few instances 2.00 higher compared with Wednesday of last week. Slaughter heifers ended the week 1.00, instances 1.50 higher. Cows closed the week steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice few Prime 2-4 1150-1300# 68.50, 2 loads 68.75 Monday. Choice 2-4 1050-1250# 66.50-68.50 Monday; 68.00-69.50 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200# 64.50-66.50 Monday; 67.00-68.00 Wednesday. Good 2-3 900-1100# 63.00-67.00 Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 900-1050# 64.50-67.00, load 67.25. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000# 60.00-65.00.

COWS: Cutter & Utility few Commercial 1-3 37.00-40.00.

New York Multiple Drop Broiler Report

Thursday, April 8

Report supplied by USDA

Current broiler/fryer negotiated prices for immediate delivery includes mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva.

RANGE: U.S. Grade A 43-46, 3425 boxes; Premium (X) U.S. Grade A 46½-48, 7305 boxes.

WTD. AVG.: U.S. Grade A 45.01; Premium (X) 47.71.

(X) Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Weekly Summary

Friday, April 9

Report supplied by PDA

Markets: 16. Headage reduced due to winter snow & ice storms.

CATTLE: 4777. Compared with 7075 head last week, and 6515 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers & heifers mostly steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher. Sl. bullocks uneven; Sl. bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Sl. steers: High Choice & Prime No. 3-4, 69.00-71.60, some sales to 73.10; Choice No. 2-4, 65.50-69.00; Good 59.00-64.50; Standard 52.00-60.00. Sl. heifers: Choice 60.00-65.50, few to 68.00; Good 55.00-60.00; Standard 50.00-55.00, few down to 45.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 40.00-45.00, few 46.25; Cutters 37.00-43.00; Canner & L. Cutter 32.00-38.00; Shells down to 22.00. Sl. bullocks: Few Choice 57.50-61.75; Good 52.00-57.50; Standard 47.00-54.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-2250 lbs. 51.00-57.75; Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1450 lbs. 45.00-52.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium Frame No. 1, 300-700 lbs. 50.00-69.00. Heifers, Medium Frame No. 1, 350-650 lbs. 43.00-54.00; Bulls, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 400-800 lbs. 42.00-53.00.

CALVES: 3153. Compared with 3309 head last week and 3672 head a year ago. Vealers 1.00-3.00 higher. Few Prime 100.00-122.00; Choice 85.00-105.00; Good 72.00-87.00, 110-130 lbs. 58.00-74.00; 90-110 lbs. 45.00-57.00; 65-90 lbs. 33.00-48.00; Utility 50-110 lbs 29.00-42.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 85-135 lbs. 50.00-78.00, few to 96.00; Hol. Heifers 80-145 lbs. 53.00-122.50, mostly 60.00-95.00.

HOGS: 6982. Compared with 7880 head last week and 7965 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts .75-1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 52.50-54.10, few to 55.50; No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 51.50-53.00; No. 2-3 200-275 lbs. 50.50-52.00, few down to 48.00; No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 45.00-51.00; Sows steady to strong. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. 44.00-50.50, few to 52.00; No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 40.00-465.50. Boars 33.00-42.50.

FEEDER PIGS 810. Compared with 894 head last week and 1128 a year ago. Feeder pigs uneven. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 20.00-39.00; No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 35.00-50.00; No. 1-3 50-85 lbs. 50.00-63.00 per head.

GRADED FEEDER PIGS: 2723. Compared with 1910 head last week and 1540 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs uneven. US 1-2 mostly 5.00-18.00 lower, 2-3 mostly 7.00-12.00 higher. US No. 1-2 20-40 lbs. 125.00-156.00, 40-50 lbs. 100.00-124.00; 50-60 lbs. 90.00-124.00; 60-75 lbs. 71.00-85.00; US No. 2-3 30-40 lbs. 126.00-156.00; 40-60 lbs. 95.00-128.00.

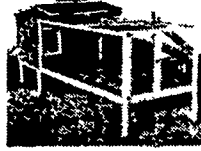
SHEEP: 3443. Compared with 5847 head last week and 6094 head a year ago. Bulk of supply 20-60 lbs. sl. lambs sold to the Easter trade. Woolled sl. lambs steady to strong. Choice 20-40 lbs. spring sl. lambs 85.00-137.00, few 180.00; 40-60 lbs 70.00-96.00, few to 110.00, 60-100 lbs 61.00-90.00; Good 20-75 lbs. 50.00-77.00; Good & Choice 60-95 lbs. woolled sl. lambs 39.00-65.00 Sl ewes. 10.00-32.00.

QUALITY HOUSING

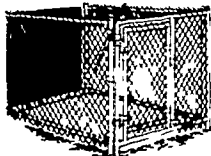
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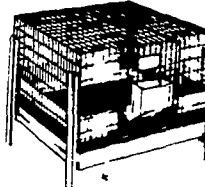
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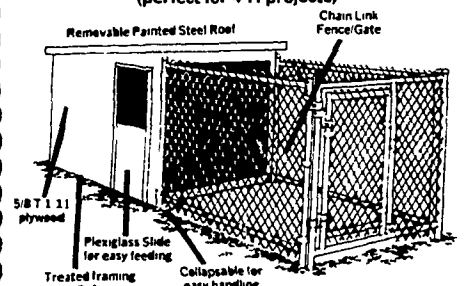
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