

Livestock market and auction news

Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.
Saturday, April 10

Report supplied by auction

FEEDER CATTLE: Trend-Feeder Steers steady. Feeder heifers steady.

Steers: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 66.00-72.50; 500-700 lbs. 57.50-62.00; 700-1000 lbs. 56.00-70.00; 300-900 lbs. Hol. 50.00-56.00. S-1&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 56.00-59.00; 500-700 lbs. 53.00-60.00; 700-1000 lbs. 49.50-56.00.

Feeder Bulls: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 59.00-65.00; 500-700 lbs. 55.00-60.50; 700-1000 lbs. 47.00-56.50. S1&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 56.00-60.00; 500-700 lbs. 44.50-47.00; 700-1000 lbs. 44.50-47.00.

Heifers: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 45.50-53.00; 500-700 lbs. 47.75-52.00; 700-800 lbs. 45.50-52.50. S-1&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 43.00-47.50.

Stock Cows: Beef \$375-\$625; Dairy \$340; Baby Calves 31.00-76.00.

Slaughter Cattle: Steers Choice 2-4 58.50-63.50.

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Lambs: Trend steady. Blue O High Choice & Prime Spring 70.00; Wool 64.50; Choice Most 57.50; Feeder Lambs Choice 54.50; Slaughter Ewes 17.00-19.50.

Hogs: US 1-3 200-240 lbs. 52.10; Sows 1-3 42.00-50.50; Boars 27.25.

Veal: Choice & Prime 76.00-90.00; Good 64.00-74.00.

Slaughter Calves: Good & Choice 51.00-56.00.

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, April 15

Report supplied by USDA

Receipts this week: 6,000

Week Ago: 5,300

Year Ago: 6,400

Compared to the previous weeks close, slaughter steers and heifers firm to .50 higher. Cows and bulls mostly 1.00 higher. Slaughter supply mainly Choice and Mixed

Good and Choice slaughter steers, around 35% heifers and 10% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 68.50-69.00; part load 2-3 1150 lbs. 70.00 early, not tested late. Choice 2-4 950-1250 lbs. 66.00-68.50, closing 66.00-67.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1225 lbs. 64.50-67.00, closing sales 64.50-66.00. Good 2-3 900-1150 lbs. 62.50-65.50. Mostly Good 2-3 1075-1475 lbs. holsteins 55.00-61.00, package 62.00 early, closing sales 55.00-60.25. Few Standard 2-3 1000-1225 lbs. 53.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 875-1050 lbs. 67.00-67.50, part load early 68.00, not tested late. Choice 2-4 875-1050 lbs. 62.50-65.00 early, not tested late. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 60.00-64.00, closing 60.00-63.00. Good 2-3 750-950 lbs. 58.00-61.00.

COWS: Closing week sales: Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.00-41.00. Boning Utility 1-2 41.00-43.00. Few high-yielding holsteins 43.00-44.05; Cutter 1-2 36.00-40.00. Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 31.00-36.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 47.00-52.00. Individual Yield Grade 1 53.00.

FEEDERS: (Including around 2,300 at the regular Thursday auction.) Feeder steers and heifers steady. Supply mainly Medium Frame 1 and Mixed 1-2 400-700 lbs. steers and 400-600 lbs. heifers. Buyer attendance continued fairly large.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium Frame 1: 375-500 lbs. 67.75-70.25; load reputation thin 424 lbs. 73.75; 500-600 lbs. 65.00-68.25; 600-700 lbs. 64.00-67.00; 700-985 lbs. including some partly fattened 63.00-65.00. Medium Frame 1-2 and some Small Frame 1: 325-700 lbs. 59.00-65.75, mostly 60.00-63.50. Large Frame 1 Holsteins: Lot 765 lbs. 53.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium Frame 1: 325-500 lbs. 54.00-58.75, mostly 55.50-57.50; lot thin 456 lbs. 60.00; 500-600 lbs. 55.00-57.50. Medium Frame 1-2 and few lots Small Frame 1: 375-600 lbs. 52.00-54.50.

Chambersburg Auction

Chambersburg, Pa.

Thursday, April 15

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 509. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter

steers steady to strong; Sl. cows .25-1.50 lower. Sl. steers: Choice No. 2-4, 1000-1350 lbs. 65.75-67.60; few Good 54.00-54.50; Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 40.00-43.75; Cutters 38.75-42.25; Canner & L. Cutter 35.50-39.00; Shells down to 31.50. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-2200 lbs. 49.50-54.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers & Bulls few Medium Frame No. 1, 400-750 lbs. 47.00-53.00.

CALVES: 389. No trend. Choice 86.00-100.00; Good 70.00-85.00; few 100-115 lbs. 55.00-60.00; 70-100 lbs. 47.00-55.00; Utility 50-80 lbs. 35.00-48.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 80-120 lbs. 60.00-106.00, mostly 70.00-95.00; Hol. Heifers 80-140 lbs. 80.00-125.00.

HOGS: 98. Barrows and gilts 1.00 higher. US No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 52.50-53.25; Sows few US No. 1-3 450-700 lbs. 51.00-53.50. Couple Boars 41.50-41.75.

FEEDER PIGS: 34. US No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 35.00-43.50 per head.

SHEEP: 4. No report.

GOATS: 22. 16.00-48.00.

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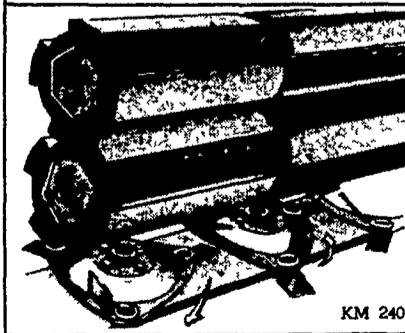
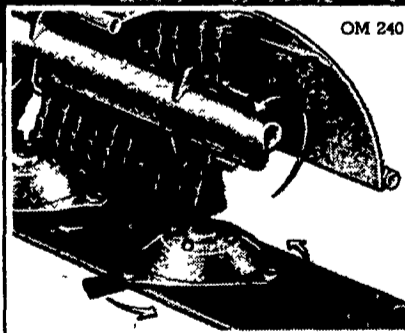


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