# Livestock market and auction news

Leesport Livestock Leesport, PA Wednesday, July 28 **Report supplied by PDA** 

CATTLE 334: Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers grading Choice about steady, Standard & Good \$2 lower. Slaughter cows uneven, mostly steady to \$1 lower. Choice No. 2-4 1000-1275 lbs. slaughter steers 63.00-67.00, Good 56.00-61.00, couple 62.00, Standard 51.00-54.50, few Utility 43.00-46.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 64.25-65.35, few Good 55.00-55.10. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.00-45.00, couple 47.75, Cutters 39.50-42.25, Canner & Low Cutter 34.75-39.50, Shells down to 32.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 58.25-59.00, few Good 54.00-57.00. Yield Grade #1 1100-2050 lbs. slaughter bulls 49.50-56.00, one at 60.00; yield grade #2 950-1150 lbs. 45.00-46.75. Few Medium Frame #1 500-650 lbs. feeder steers 59.50-67.50; few Medium Frame #1 450-600 lbs. feeder, heifers 43.50-45.00.

CALVES 170: One I rime vealer at 95.00, + Choice, 68.00-85.00, few Good 60.00-70.00, Standard & Good 70-100 lbs. 38.00-48.00, few Utilty 50-90 lbs. 30.00-40.00. Farm caives, holstein bulls 85-130 lbs. 52.00-79.00.

HOGS 330: Barrows & gilts mostly weak to 50 cents lower. US No. 1-2 215-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 61.00-62.10, one lot 63.10, No. 1-3 220-240 lbs. 59.85-60:75, one lot No. 1-3 197 lbs. at 59.50. US No. 1-3 325-645 lbs. sows 52.75-55.50, Boars 47.00-51.00.

FEEDER FIGS 184: US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 120.00-136.00 cwt., No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 105.00-111.00 cwt.

SHEEF 76: Choice 60-95 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 52.00-62.00, few 45-50 lbs, 76.00-84.00, Good 80-85 lbs. 41.50-45.00. Slaughter ewes 16.00-24.00.

GOATS 21: Few Large Goats 30.00-39.00 per head, few kids 17.00-24.00 per head.

### **BERKS COUNTY FFA HOG SALE**

63 head: Champion 225 lbs. at \$3.10 per lb; Reserve Champton 225 lb. at \$2.00 per lb.

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Good 1000-1350 lbs. 51.75-55.50.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1400-2000 lbs. 53.75-54.50, few 54.50-55.75, individual 64.35, 6 head 20.35-24.70 lbs. 48.85-52.00; Yield Grade 2 1000-1450 lbs. 46.75-51.00.

**VEAL CALVES: Vealers** uneven. Few Choice and Frime

firm to 5.00 higher. High Good and low Choice 140.00-300.00 lbs. steady, 65-115 lbs. closed 10.00-15.00 lower. Demand fair for calves returned to farm.

VEALERS: Frime 150-350 lbs. 95.00-110.00; Choice 180-350 lbs. 80.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 180-340 lbs. 65.00-80.00, 120-160 lbs. 60.00-70.00, 80-115 lbs. 44.00-52.00, few 52.00-54.00, 65-80 lbs. 30.00-45.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM: Few** 90-115 lb. holstein heifers 56.00-63.00, few 80-90 lbs. 52.00-53.00; bulk 95-120 lb. holstein bulls 72.00-83.00, few 83.00-85.00, 80-95 lbs. 52.00-65.00, few 65.00-75.00.

#### Weekly Summary Friday, July 30 **Report supplied by PDA**

GATTLE: 7224. Compared with 6687 head last week, and 6942 head a year ago. Compared with last week's Market: Slaughter steers mostly steady to .50 lower, spots 1.00 lower, with high Choice & Prime 1.00 higher, Sl. heifers steady to 1.00 lower; Sl. cows unevenly steady, spots 1.00 higher; Sl. bullocks & buils 1.00-2.00 lower, Sl. steers: High Choice and Prime No. 3-4, 68.00-71.75; Choice No. 2-4 62.00-68.00, Good 57.00-62.50; Standard 49.00-57.00; Sl. heifers: Choice 57.75-63.00, few to 65.25; Good 54.00-58.00; Standard 48.00-

mercial 42.00-45.50, few to 46.75; Cutters 39.00-43.00; Canner & L. Cutter 35.00-40.00, few down to 30.00; Shells down to 24.00. Sl. bullocks: Choice 55.00-59.00; Good 52.00-56.00; few Standard 48.00-52.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-2400 lbs. 50.00-55.50, few to 58.50; Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1400 Ibs. 45.00-50.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, few Large Frame No. 1, 300-700 lbs. 57.00-67.50; Medium frame No. 1, 300-700 lbs. 45.00-61.00. Heifers Medium Frame No. 1, 300-700 lbs. 42.00-51.00.

CALVES: 4404. Compared with 4449 head last week and 4187 head a year ago. Vealers weak to 5.00 lower. Few Prime 85.00-110.00; Choice 70.00-95.00; Good 55.00-70.00, few to 80.00; few Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 60.00-70.00; 90-110 lbs. 45.00-60.00; 65-90 lbs. 38.00-50.00; Utility 50-110 lbs. 30.00-40.00, few down to 20.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 80-125 lbs. 52.00-100.00, mostly 58.00-85.00; Hol. Heifers 85-150 lbs. 50.00-118.50, mostly 52.00-92.00.

HOGS: 6005. Compared with 6694 head last week and 5259 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts unevenly steady. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 61.50-63.00, few to 64.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 60.00-62.00; No. 2-3 200-275 lbs. 58.00-60.00; Sows uneven. US No. 1-3 300-585 lbs. 52.00-57.50; No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 45.00-52.00. Boars 42.00-48.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 1445. Com-pared with 1123 head last week and 1204 a year ago. Feeder pigs 3.00-8.00 lower. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 26.00-38.00 per head, few down to 15.00; No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. 33.00-55.00 per head.

**GRADED FEEDER PIGS: 1574.** Compared with 2357 head last week and 2170 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs mostly steady to 14.00 lower. US No. 1-2 25-40 lbs. 126.00-143.00, 40-50 lbs. 106.00-136.00, 50-60 lbs. 103.00-121.00, 60-70 lbs. 96.00-110.00; US

55.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Com- No. 2-3 30-40 lbs. 120.00-130.00, few to 140.00, 40-50 lbs. 100.00-116.00, 50-70 lbs. 75.00-106.00.

> SHEEP: 955. Compared with 896 head last week and 786 head a year ago. Mostly 1.00-2.00 higher. Choice 60-100 lbs. 52.00-62.00: Good 50-95 lbs. 45.00-56.00; Utility 45-85 lbs. 40.00-46.00. Sl. ewes: 10.00-30.00.

#### **Belleville Auction** Belleville, Pa. Wednesday, July 28

Report supplied by auction CATTLE 182: Couple Good

slaughter steers 57.00 and 60.60. One Standard slaughter heifer at 55.75. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 40.50-44.60, couple 45.10, Cutters 38.75-41.00, Canner & Low Cutter 35.75-57.75, Shells down to 30.60. Yield Grade #1 1115-1380 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.25-51.35.

CALVES 207: Few Good vealers 55.00-68.00, few Standard & Good 70-110 lbs. 41.00, Utility 50-80 lbs. 30.00-42.00. Farm calves, hositein bulls 85-115 lbs. 58.00-79.00.

HOGS 185: US No. 1-2 210-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 60.35-61.85, 20 head 62.75, No. 1-3 200-260 lbs. 58.00-59.25, US No. 1-3 345-595 lbs. sows 52.75-57.50, No. 2-3 265-435 lbs. 42.00-47.00. Boars 41.75-43.00.

FEEDER PIGS 502: US No. 1-3 15-35 lbs. feeder pigs 27.50-38.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. 39.00-55.00 per head.

SHEEP 58: Good 70-80 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 47.50-51.50. Utility 65-90 lbs. 40.00-46.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-30.50.

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