

Livestock market and auction news

Leesport Livestock

Leesport, Pa.
Wednesday, Feb. 23
 Report supplied by PDA
CATTLE 310: Supply included 67 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers steady to 1.50 higher; cows unevenly steady; bullocks and bulls steady to weak. High Choice & Prime 1150-1360 lbs. slaughter steers 63.50-64.50, few 65.85, Choice 1050-1385 lbs. 61.75-63.50, Good & Choice holstein 1275-1500 lbs. 54.00-56.75, Good 57.00-61.50, Standard 52.75-56.75, few Utility & Low Standard 46.25-50.75. Few Choice 940-1065 lbs. sl. heifers 58.35-62.25, few Good 54.35-57.00, few Standard 51.50-53.50. Utility & Commercial sl. cows 40.85-44.00, few 45.00, Low Dressing 36.35-40.00, Cutters 39.25-42.00, few 43.00, Canner & Low Cutters 36.00-39.00, Shells down to 29.00. Good & Choice sl. bullocks 57.00-63.00, one 65.00, few Standard 50.25-56.25. Yield Grade #1, 1250-1925 lbs. sl. bulls 54.10-58.00. Medium Frame #1, 335-500 lbs. feeder steers 65.50-70.00, few Large #2, 410-640 lbs. 51.00-54.25; Few Large #2 315-425 lbs. heifers 44.00-53.00; Few Medium #1 470-800 lbs. bulls 50.00-54.00.
CALVES 185: Vealers uneven. Choice vealers 100.00-110.00, Good 84.00-97.00, few Standard & Good 115-125 lbs. 58.00-68.00, 90-110 lbs. 52.00-56.50, 70-90 lbs. 45.00-52.00, Utility 60-100 lbs. 31.00-42.00. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 66.00-85.00, some down to 55.00, few 80-85 lbs. 54.00-68.00; Few. Hol. Heifers 90-130 lbs. 58.00-62.00; Few Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 75-100 lbs. 60.00-101.00. Few Good & Choice 295-420 lbs. slaughter calves 65.00-72.00, one 80.00.
HOGS 248: Barrows and gilts 3.50-4.00 lower. US No. 1-2 210-245 lbs. barrows & gilts 54.85-55.75, few 56.85, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 54.00-55.01, No. 1-3 170-190 lbs. 52.00-54.50. Sows 2.00-3.00 lower. US No. 1-3 330-700 lbs. sows 46.50-50.75, few Medium 270-345 lbs. 40.00-45.50.

Few Boars 43.00-44.00, few light weights 47.50-50.00.
FEEDER PIGS 212: Few US No. 1-3 25-30 lbs. feeder pigs 131.00-132.00 cwt., No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 109.00-117.00, few No. 1-3 50-55 lbs. 90.00-100.00, No. 1-3 60-70 lbs. 77.00-85.00, few 75-90 lbs. 71.00-75.00 per hundredweight basis.
SHEEP 88: Choice 30-45 lbs. new crop lambs 110.00-137.50, few 45-55 lbs. 100.00-105.00, few 60-85 lbs. 77.00-85.00; few Good & Choice 60-125 lbs. woolled lambs 57.00-67.00, few Utility & Good 40-75 lbs. 46.00-51.00. Sl. sheep 20.00-31.00.
GOATS 14: Few 25.00-46.00 per head one 62.00, few small kids 11.00-15.00 per head.

Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.
Tuesday, Feb. 22
 Report supplied by auction
CATTLE: Steers were active; Heifers were steady; Cows were very active and 2.00 higher! Steers: Choice 60.25-63.25; Good 56.00-58.00; Standard 53.00 down. Heifers: No Choice offered; Good 53.75-54.25; Standard 49.10 down. Cows: Strong demand! Very large run; earlybird - pen 2.00 higher; Utility & Commercial 42.00-45.50; Cutter 39.75-42.25; Canner & Low Cutter 36.00-40.00; Shells 35.00 down. Bulls: Yield Grade No. 1 51.75-52.85.
FEEDER CATTLE: Steers were 10.00 higher for light weights and 2.00 higher for heavier weights; Bulls were 10.00 higher. Steers: Choice 73.50; Good 390-470 lbs. 62.00-64.00; Medium 537-550 lbs. 47.00-48.00; Medium 640-739 lbs. 45.00-54.00; Heifers: Choice 63.00; Good 380-560 lbs. 56.00-59.00; Good 555-630 lbs. 49.00-59.00; Good 720-760 lbs. 53.00-55.00; Medium 600-675 lbs. 40.00-49.00. Bulls: Good 440-485 lbs. 57.00-64.50; Good 645-650 lbs. 54.00; Good 375-390 lbs. 46.00-55.00.
CALVES: Large run; Very active; Vealers: Choice 85.00-90.00; Good 70.00-85.00; Standard & Good 60.00-75.00; Standard & Light

60.00 down. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls: 11.00 higher! 90.00-120.00. Hol. Heifers: 109.00-119.00.
HOGS: 2.00 lower; Large run; US No. 1-3 heavy 55.00-59.00; US No. 1-2 54.75-57.00; US No. 1-3 53.00-55.00. Sows: 3.00 lower; US No. 1-3 50.50-53.50; No. 2-3 45.50-50.00. Boars: To 49.00 average heavy 42.75-43.50.
FEEDER PIGS: US No. 1-3 20 lbs. 30.00 head; US No. 1-3 35-40 lbs. 42.00-49.00 head; US No. 1-3 63-70 lbs. 53.00-60.00 head.
SHEEP: Too few to test market. Goats: 33.00-55.00 head.

Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.
Thursday, Feb. 24
 Report supplied by PDA
CATTLE: 401. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows .25-1.00 lower. Sl. steers: few Choice 61.00-65.00; Good 55.75-60.25; Standard 48.75-54.50. Sl. heifers: Choice 55.75-59.75; few Good 52.00-54.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 39.50-43.00; Cutters 38.00-41.50; Canner & L. Cutter 36.00-38.00; Shells down to 33.25. Sl. bulls: Yield grade No. 1, 1050-1785 lbs. 45.85-55.85.
FEEDER CATTLE: Heifers, few Medium Frame No. 1, 400-750 lbs. 49.00-56.00.
CALVES: 523. Vealers uneven, Choice 89.00-105.00; Good 60.00-83.00; Standard & Good 70-105 lbs. 47.00-56.00; Utility 50-85 lbs. 30.00-50.00.
FARM CALVES: 10.00-15.00 lower. Hol. Bulls 90-120 lbs. 60.00-90.00, few to 100.00; Hol. Heifers 80-150 lbs. 55.00-95.00.
HOGS: 46. One lot US No. 1-2 215 lbs. 54.50; No. 2-3 286 lbs. 56.00; Sows US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 49.50-53.50.
FEEDER PIGS 31: Lot No. 1-3 20 lbs. 32.00; few lots No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 43.00-45.00.
SHEEP: 13. Lot Choice new crop 78.00; lot Good 30 lbs. 64.00.

Indiana Auction

Home City, Pa.
Thursday, Feb. 24
 Report supplied by PDA
CATTLE: 122. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers 2.00-3.00 higher; Sl. cows mostly steady, spots .50 lower. Sl. steers: Good 56.00-59.00; Standard 51.00-56.00. Sl. heifers; Choice 59.00-61.00; Good 55.00-58.75; Standard-49.00-54.00. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 41.00-45.25; Cutters 37.00-41.50; Canner & L. Cutter 33.00-37.50; Shells down to 22.00. Sl. bullocks; Few Good 55.25-57.25. Sl. bulls; few Yield Grade No. 1, 1500-2150 lbs. 52.00-59.00; Yield Grade No. 2, 1100-1500 lbs. 44.00-48.00.
FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, few Medium Frame No. 1, 350-500 lbs. 55.00-66.50. Heifers, few Medium Frame No. 1, 400-600 lbs. 49.00-55.50.
CALVES: 146. Vealers Good & Choice graders 2.00-4.00 lower, Standard & Good 3.00-5.00 lower. Choice 92.00-111.00; Good 74.00-90.00; 90-120 lbs. 53.00-60.00; 60-85 lbs. 44.00-56.00.
FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 61.00-81.00.
HOGS: 81. Barrows and gilts 3.50-4.00 lower. US No. 1-2 210-250 lbs. 54.50-55.25; few No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 54.00-54.60; Light No. 1-3 few 120-160 lbs. 50.00-53.50; Sows US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 49.00-52.25.
FEEDER PIGS: 13. One lot US No. 1-3 40 lbs. 37.00 per head.
SHEEP: 13. few Good 80-100 lbs. woolled lambs 64.00-72.00; few sl. sheep 25.00-36.00.

Westminster Livestock Auction

Westminster, Md.
Tuesday, Feb. 22
 Report supplied by auction
BUTCHER COWS: Large run - steady to .50 higher! High Yield 44.50-46.75; Standard & Utility 41.00-44.50; Cannors 39.00-41.00; Shelly 39.00 Down. Slaughter Bulls 1 good Holstein 1400 lb. at 56.60; Fed Steers Choice 59.00-61.00, Good & Low Choice 55.00-59.00; Holsteins Good 51.00-53.75; Standard 47.00-51.00; Fed Heifers Good 52.00-54.00.
BUTCHER HOGS: 2.50 lower, US #1-2 215-240 lb. 55.50-55.60; US #1-3 215-260 lb. to 54.60-55.00; 270-290 lb. 54.25-54.50; Sows-300-550 lb. 48.00-52.00; Boars-500 lb. 42.25.
VEAL CALVES: Good run. Choice 95.00-110.00, Good 85.00-95.00; Standard 60.00-75.00; Killers 50.00-58.00; Weak & Rough 50.00 down.
CALVES RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein Heifers 90-110 lb. 60.00-83.00; Holstein Bulls 95-120 lb. 75.00-89.00.
LAMBS: 2 new crop 100-105 lb. 71.00-74.00; Sheep-20.00-28.00.
STOCK CATTLE: Strong demand - Higher prices! Steers-300-500 lb. Choice 65.00-70.00; Good 58.00-65.00; 500-800 lb. Choice 60.00-63.00; Heifers-300-700 lb. Choice 51.00-55.00; Good 48.00-51.00; Bulls-300-500 lb. Choice 60.00-65.00; Good 55.00-60.00.
PIGS AND SHOATS: Steady prices. By the head-15-30 lb. 20.00-32.00; 30-60 lb. 30.00-54.00.
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