## Livestock market

## Weekly Summary

Friday, March 11
Report supplied by PDA
CATTLE: 6332. Compared with 5937 head last week, and 5996 head a vear ago. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers grading high Good & Choice 1.00-1.50 higher, Standard & low Good unevenly steady; Sl. heifers uneven; Sl. cows .50-1.50 higher; Sl. bulls 1.00 higher. Sl. steers: High Choice & Prime 65.00-68.25; Choice 60.00-66.00; Good 56.00-61.50; Standard 49.00-57.00. Sl. heifers; Choice 57.00-63.00; Good 53.00-58.00; Standard 46.00-54.00. Sl. cows; Utility & Commercial 40.00-45.00, few to 47.25; Cutters 38.00-43.00; Canner & L. Cutter 34.00-40.00; Shells down to 20.00. Sl. bullocks; (few) Choice 58.50-62.50; (few) Good 53.25-58.50; (few) Standard 48.00-54.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-2200 lbs. 50.00-57.75; Yield Grade No. 2, 8001400 lbs. 43.00-52.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-600 lbs. 56.00-72.50, mostly 60.00-70.00; Large Frame No. 2, 400-600 lbs. 52.00-58.00. Heifers, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-600 lbs. 51.00-63.00. Bulls, Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 300-750 lbs. 53.00-

CALVES: 3902. Compared with 4331 head last week and 4018 head a year ago. Vealers grading Good & Choice steady to 5.00 higher, Standard & low Good steady to weak. (few) Prime 112.00-143.00; Choice 94.00-115.00; Good 75.00-95.00; Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 48.00-60.00; 70-90 lbs. 40.00-52.00; Utility 50-90 lbs. 25.00-50.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-130 lbs. 60.00-95.00; Hol. Heifers 90-135 lbs. 65.00-120.00.

HOGS: 7292. Compared with 7119 head last week and 7016 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts .50-

1.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-245 lbs. 52.00-54.00; No. 1-3 190-260 lbs. 51.00-53.00; No. 2-3 240-300 lbs. 49.00-52.00; No. 1-3 150-180 lbs. 45.00-52.00; Sows steady. US No. 1-3 300-650 lbs. 42.00-52.00, few to 54.00. Boars 38.00-46.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 949. Compared with 873 head last week and 633 a year ago. Steady to weak. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. 22.00-34.00; No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. 30.00-53.00 per head.

3 GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES: 2517. Compared with 1829 head last week, and 2416 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs uneven, mostly steady to 10.00 lower. US No. 1-2 20-40 lbs. 135.00-164.00, 40-50 lbs. 106.00-144.00, 50-60 lbs. 110.00-138.00, 60-80 lbs. 80.00-107.00; US No. 2-3 25-40 lbs. 121.00-152.00, 40-50 lbs. 111.00-135.00 per hundredweight.

SHEEP: 882. Compared with 639 head last week and 477 head a year ago. Wooled sl. lambs steady to strong. Choice 85-115 lbs. wooled lambs 64.00-72.00; Good 70-100 lbs. 50.00-60.00; Choice Spring lambs 25-40 lbs. 90.00-120.00; 40-70 lbs. 80.00-100.00. SI ewes: 10.00-30.00.

### **Belleville Livestock** Belleville, Pa. Wednesday, March 9 Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 135: Compared with last week's market, slaughter cows grading Utility and Commercial 3.00 higher. Few Good slaughter steers 55.00-61.25, couple Standard 51.00 and 54.25. Individual Choice slaughter heifers at 59.60, couple Standard 48.50 & 52.00. Uitlity and Commercial slaughter cows 40.50-44.75, couple 45.60, few Cutters 38.85-41.60. Few Yield grade #1, 900-1615 lbs. slaughter bulls 46.25-50.10. Few Large Frame #2, 450-680 lbs. feeder steers 50.00-54.50.

CALVES 172: Few Choice vealers 100.00-110.00, few Good 76.00-80.00, Standard and Good 70-100 lbs. 48.00-56.00, few Utility 50-80 lbs. 42.50-46.50. Farm Calves:

Holstein Bulls 80-125 lbs. 58.00-88.00.

HOGS 192: Barrows and gilts uneven, about steady. US No. 1-2 210-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 52.35-54.00, No. 1-3 240-250 lbs. 50.50-52.85, lot No. 2-3 260 lbs. at 46.50. US No. 1-3 325-585 lbs. sows 48.50-52.00, couple down to 45.00. Few Boars 39.00-47.75.

FEEDER PIGS 277: US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 36.50-43.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 42.00-53.00, No. 1-3 55-75 lbs. 55.00-62.50 per head, lot No. 1-3 100 lbs. at 69.00 per

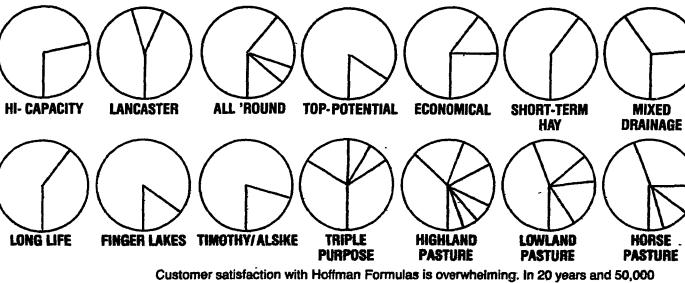
SHEEP 53: Few Choice 20-60 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 90.00-112.00, 50 lbs. at 140.00, few Good 60-80 lbs. 59.00-65.00. Slaughter ewes 14.00-30.00. Goats 14: 20.00-32.00 per head. Holstein Dairy, Cows 650.00-1040.00, one 1240.00 per



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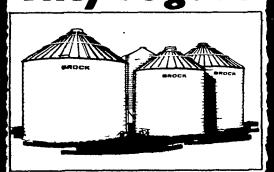
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