

# Livestock market and auction news

## Leesport Auction

Leesport, Pa.

Wednesday, Nov. 2

Report supplied by PDA

**CATTLE 236:** Supply included 47 feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers steady to 1.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 1.50 lower, most decline on Utility and Commercial grades. Choice 1050-1280 lbs. slaughter steers 58.75-61.75, few 63.60, Good 54.75-58.75, Standard 49.25-54.50, few Utility & Low Standard 35.50-45.25. Few Choice slaughter heifers 53.75-55.60, few Good 51.00-53.50, few Utility 35.25-37.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 35.00-38.85, few 41.00, Cutters 33.75-36.25, Canner & Low Cutters 30.00-33.00, Shells down to 25.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 53.00-57.25. Yield Grade #1 1200-1835 lbs. slaughter bulls 42.00-54.35, mostly 47.75-53.35.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Few Large & Medium Frame #1 450-740 lbs. feeder steers 51.25-56.75, few Large #1 780-800 lbs. 46.00-49.75; Few Medium Frame #1 345-440 lbs. feeder heifers 44.00-45.50; Few Medium Frame 31 420-650 lbs. feeder bulls 38.00-45.00.

**CALVES 150:** Vealers steady. Few Choice vealers 75.00-83.50, few Good 60.00-70.00, Standard & Good 115-125 lbs. 52.00-61.00, 90-110 lbs. 48.00-52.00, few 56.00, 70-85 lbs. 43.00-48.00, few Utility 90-115 lbs. 40.00-47.00, few 50-80 lbs. 30.00-40.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 56.00-83.00, mostly 70.00-81.00. Few Good & Choice 260-410 lbs. slaughter calves 50.00-58.00.

**HOGS 320:** Barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 210-245 lbs. barrows and gilts 42.00-42.35, few 43.00, No. 1-3 210-265 lbs. 41.60-42.00, few down to 41.35, few No. 2-3 270-285 lbs. 40.00-41.25, few No. 1-3 160-180 lbs. 36.50-36.75. **SOWS** steady to 1.00 higher. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 32.00-33.50, few

36.50, few No. 2-3 630-815 lbs. 29.75-31.75. Few **BOARS** 26.00-29.00. **FEEDER PIGS 206:** US No. 1-3 25-45 lbs. feeder pigs 37.00-54.00, few No. 1-3 50-70 lbs. 35.00-45.00, few No. 1-3 105-160 lbs. 37.00-40.00. **ALL SALES PER HUNDREDWEIGHT BASIS.**

**SHEEP 56:** High Choice & Prime 90-125 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 50.00-55.00, Good & Choice 60-105 lbs. 45.00-48.00. Slaughter sheep 8.00-24.00.

**GOATS 29:** Few Large Adults 28.00-35.00 per head, one 55.00, Small adult 20.00-28.00 per head.

## G&M Livestock

Monday, October 31

Duncansville, Pa.

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**DAIRY COWS:** 540.00-900.00 per head.

**SLAUGHTER CATTLE:** Steers-Standard 54.25-59.25; Utility to 48.50. Heifers- Choice 57.00-59.00; Good 47.00-49.50; Standard 43.00-46.00. Cows- Choice 40.00-45.00; Good 36.00-39.00; Standard 32.00-35.00; Utility 28.00-31.50; Cutters 24.50-27.75; Canners down to 20.00. Bulls 1500-1970 lbs. 45.50-50.85; 1000-1450 lbs. 35.50-45.00.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Steers-Choice 360-608 lbs. 51.00-57.50;

Medium and Good 520-670 lbs. 38.00-54.50. Heifers- Choice 300-500 lbs. 40.00-46.50; Medium and Good 450-750 lbs. 37.00-38.50.

**CALVES:** Vealers Prime and High Choice 75.10-86.50; Good and Choice 67.00-74.00; Standard 54.00-62.00; Utility down to 35.00. Farm Calves- Holstein bulls 95-120 lbs. 75.00-93.00; Heifers 90-110 lbs. 55.00-71.00.

**HOGS:** Barrows and gilts 200-220 lbs. 41.85-44.00; 190-260 lbs. 39.00-41.50. Sows- 300-500 lbs. 34.25-38.50; 250-650 lbs. 28.00-36.00.

**FEEDER PIGS:** 25-35 lbs. 10.00-16.00 per head; 35-50 lbs. 17.00-24.00.

**SHEEP:** Slaughter lambs 90-120 lbs. 46.00-51.25. Ewes 11.00-14.50.

**GOATS:** 14.00-50.00 per head.

## Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.

Thursday, Nov. 3

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**CATTLE:** 378. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows steady to 1.00 higher. Sl. steers: (few) low Choice 1120-1250 lbs. 59.00-59.50; Good 55.50-58.75; Standard 45.00-55.00. Sl. heifers: (few) Good 51.85-56.00; (few)

Standard 42.00-52.50; Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 35.85-39.25; Cutters 33.75-36.75; Canner & L. Cutter 30.50-34.50; Shells down to 24.50. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1345-1700 lbs. 45.00-49.85.

**CALVES:** 603. Vealers steady to 2.00 lower. (few) Choice 79.00-96.00; Good 70.00-79.00; Standard & Utility 70-105 lbs. 45.00-53.00; Utility 90-90 lbs. 38.00-46.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Bulls 10.00-20.00 lower. Hol. Bulls 90-130 lbs. 55.00-95.00, mostly 65.00-90.00 few; Hol. Heifers 90-120 lbs. 50.00-56.00.

**HOGS:** 97. Barrows and gilts weak to .50 lower. No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 39.00-40.25; US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. 30.00-33.50. Few Boars 26.25.

**FEEDER PIGS:** 43. Few lots US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. 7.50-11.00 per head.

**SHEEP:** 0.

**GOATS:** 5. Few Large 16.00-48.00.

## Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.

Monday, Oct. 31

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**CATTLE 212:** Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows \$1.25-\$2.50 lower. Few Low Choice 1100-1180 lbs. #3-4 slaughter steers 58.75-61.50, few Good 54.75-

59.10, few Good & Choice holsteins 54.50-56.50, few Standard 52.00-53.75, few Utility 38.00-43.50. Few Choice slaughter heifers 57.75-58.50, few Good 51.25-55.25, few Standard 45.00-47.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 34.75-38.75, couple 39.75, Cutters 32.50-34.50, Canner & Low Cutters 29.00-32.75, Shells down to 25.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 48.75-52.75. Few Yield Grade #1 960-1820 lbs. slaughter bulls 41.00-50.00.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Few Medium Frame #1 360-660 lbs. feeder heifers 35.00-41.00.

**CALVES:** Few Good vealers 59.00-75.00, Standard & Good 70-105 lbs. 45.00-53, 60-85 lbs. 40.00-47.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 51.00-87, mostly 70.00-80.00.

**HOGS 123:** Barrows and gilts 25 cents higher. US No. 1-2 210-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 41.50-41.90, lot 42.80, few lots No. 1-3 230-240 lbs. 40.30-40.75, lot No. 1-3 170 lbs. at 35.30. US No. 1-3 430-620 lbs. sows 31.50-35.00. **BOARS 27:** 50-29.50.

**FEEDER PIGS 163:** US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 11.00-16 per head, No. 1-3 35-55 lbs. 15.00-26, few lots No. 1-3 75-80 lbs. 30.00-32.50 per head.

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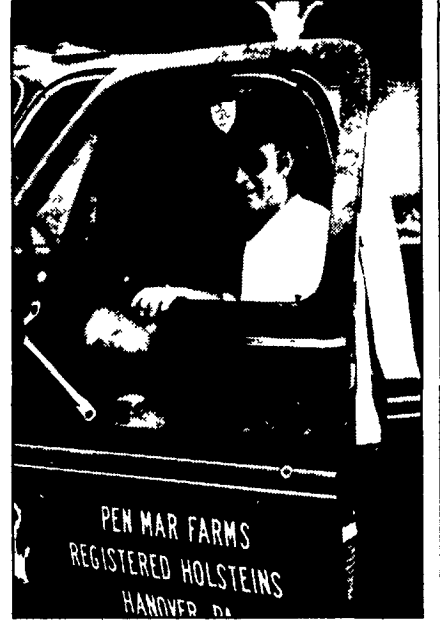


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