

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lebanon Valley Livestock

Fredericksburg, Pa.  
Tuesday, April 17, 1984  
Report Supplied by PDA

**CATTLE 239.** This market is two week's ago: Few Choice 2-4 1065-1340 lbs. slaughter steers 64.00-65.50, Good 59.75-63.75, few 64.60, Good & Choice holsteins 57.85-60.10, Standard 52.50-56.50, few 59.00, few Utility & Low Standard 47.75-50.75. Choice 2-4&5's 965-1210 lbs. slaughter heifers 63.00-65.85, few 66.85, few down to 62.25, few High Choice & Prime 3-4 1100-1285 lbs. 65.10-67, few Good 53.75-57.25, Standard 50.00-53.75, few Utility & Low Standard 40.00-45.85. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 44.10-47.50, one 53.00, few down to 43.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 39.75-44, few 46.00, Canner & Low Cutter 34.25-40.50, few Shells down to 22.25. Two Good slaughter bullocks 53.50&54.25, few Standard 49.75-52.50. Few Yield Grade #1 1360-1935 lbs. slaughter bulls 50.60-54.75.

**CALVES 180.** Few Choice vealers 84.00-94, few Good 75.00-85, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 59.00-63, 70-90 lbs. 50.00-58, few Utility 55-60 lbs. 45.00-50.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-125 lbs. 70.00-110 mostly 90.00-108; few Holstein Heifers 100-125 lbs. 80.00-86.00.

**HOGS 236.** US No. 1-2 220-260 lbs. barrows and gilts 46.75-47.35, No. 1-3 220-275 lbs. 46.00-46.85, No. 1-3 125-

205 lbs. 43.75-45.75. US No. 1-3 250-605 lbs. sows 40.00-45.00, few No. 2-3 285-565 lbs. 30.50-35.25. Boars 25.25-33.75.

**SHEEP 49.** Bulk of supply spring lambs for Easter Trade. Few High Choice & Prime 50-75 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 60.00-65, Choice 20-40 lbs. 61.00-63, two at 73.00, Good & Choice 20-40 lbs. 45.00-58; few Choice 60-105 lbs. wool lambs 50.00-59, one 66.00, couple Good 80&85 lbs. 32.00&35.00. Slaughter sheep 8.00-14.00, few down to 2.00, one at 17.00. **GOATS 3:** 38.00-39.00.

## Leesport Auction

Leesport, Pa.  
Wednesday, April 18  
Report supplied by PDA

**CATTLE 345:** Supply included 82 feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers and cows steady to strong. Slaughter cows steady 1.00 higher. Choice steers 1020-1250 lbs. 64.50-67.85, few 67.00, Good 61.85-64.85, Good and Choice 12-15 75 lbs. Holsteins 59.25-63.50. Standard 54.50-59.75, few Utility & Low Standard 43.75-45.00. Individual Choice slaughter heifers 63.25, few Good 52.50-57.00, Individual Standard at 50.00, few Utility 40.25-46.00. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 43.85-47.00, few 49.10, Cutter & Boning Utility 41.25-44.00, Canner & Low Cutter 37.75-40.50, Shells down to 31.75. Few Good 56.25-62.75 bullocks few Standard 40.00-52.50, Yield Grade

#1 1300-2030 lbs. slaughter bulls 51.60-55.75, few 60.75, Few Yield Grade #2 1000-1150 lbs. 47.85-51.75.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Medium Frame #1 300-475 lbs. feeder steers 62.00-65.00, 500-800 lbs. 52.00-57.50, Large Frame #2 450-725 lbs. 44.00-50.75. Medium Frame #1 400-540 lbs. feeder heifers 43.00-48.50, few Large and Medium Frame #1 410-775 lbs. feeder bulls 45.00-55.50, few Large Frame #2 350-675 lbs. 43.00-44.50.

**CALVES 131:** Choice Vealers 89.00-101.00, few Good 72.00-87.50, few Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 55.00-61.00, 75-85 lbs. 45.00-56.00, few Utility 65-85 lbs. 35.00-40.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 85-125 lbs. 95.00-127.50, few down to 62.50, few Holstein Heifers 85-115 lbs. 64.00-95.00, few beef cross Bulls and Heifers 75-120 lbs. 74.00-92.50.

**HOGS 352:** Barrows and gilts 2.00 lower. US No. 1-2 215-250 lbs. Barrows and gilts 45.75-47.00, Lot 47.50, No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 45.00-46.00, few down 44.50, No. 1-3 (few) 165-180 lbs. 40.00-41.00. Sows 2.00-2.50 lower. US 1-3 300-475 lbs. sows 36.50-40.00, few 500-580 lbs. 44.00-45.00, few Medium 285-410 lbs. 32.00-36.00. Few Boars 26.00-28.50, few light weights 31.00-32.50.

**FEEDER PIGS 216:** US No. 1-3 20-55 lbs. Feeder pigs 103.00-137.00, mostly 121.00-133.00, Lot No. 1-3 75 lbs. at 73.00. All sales per hundred weight basis.

**SHEEP 241:** Choice 25-40 lbs. Spring Lambs 86.00-101.00, one at 125.00, 40-50 lbs. 98.00-115.00, few 121.00 50-70 lbs. 80.00-101.00, 85-125

lbs 58.00-66.00, Good 25-40 lbs. 61.00-79.00. Slaughter Sheep 8.00-17.00.

**GOATS 76:** Large adult 19-44 per head Large Kids 26-46, few small Kids 14.00-16.00 per head.

## Dewart Livestock Auction

Dewart, Pa.  
Monday, April 16  
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**CATTLE 287.** Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to 1.25 higher. Few Choice 1195-1250 lbs. slaughter steers 65.00-68.50, few Choice Holstein 59.00-60.50, few Good 58.00-64.00, few Good Holstein 55.25-57.50, few Standard 48.00-56.00, few Utility 45.00-47.75. Few Choice slaughter heifers 60.00-63.50, few Good 53.75-58.00. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 43.00-46.50, Couple to 48.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 41.00-45.50, Couple to 47.00, Canner & Low Cutter 38.00-41.25, Shells down to 35.00. Yield Grade #1 1000-1735 lbs. slaughter bulls 50.00-56.85, Couple down to 46.50.

**FEEDER CATTLE.** Medium Frame #1&2 400-750 lbs. feeder steers 40.00-54.00.

**CALVES 169.** Few Choice Vealers 75.00-90.00, few Good 70.00-75.00, Standard & Good 75-105 lbs. 55.00-63.00, Utility 60-85 lbs. 45.00-55.00.

**FARM CALVES.** Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. mostly 105.00-122.00, few down to 80.00.

**HOGS 146.** Barrows & gilts Steady to \$1.00 lower. US NO. 1-2 220-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 46.60-48.00, one lot at 48.90, No. 1-3 210-250 lbs. 45.80-47.00. Sows: US No. 1-3 375-720 lbs. sows 37.25-44.50. Boars 29.00-37.00.

**FEEDER PIGS 184.** US No. 1-3 20-25 lbs. feeder pigs 19.00-23.00 per head. No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 26.00-32.00 per head, one lot at 38.00 per head.

**SHEEP 110.** Choice 20-40 lbs. Spring slaughter lambs 60.00-75.00, Couple to 82.50; 50-60 lbs. Spring slaughter lambs 50.00-62.00, 65-95 lbs. Spring slaughter lambs 65.00-76.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-19.00. **GOATS 54:** Large 19.00-38.00 per head, Kids 12.00-28.00 per head.

## Peoria Cattle

Thursday, April 19

Compared to last week slaughter steers and heifers closed 1.00 to 1.50, instances 2.00 lower. Cows mostly 1.00, instances 2.00 lower. Bulls steady. Trade slow during the week with demand moderate. Live cattle prices followed the pattern on the downward trending wholesale beef trade and closed on a lower note with midweek price levels untested. Majority of supply good to choice steers and heifers with 18% cows and bulls. Receipts this week about 1150 as compared to 1313 a week ago and 2590 a year ago.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1000-1250 lbs. 66.50-67.50, few part loads 1125-1250 lbs. Monday 68.50-69.00. Good and choice 2-3 950-1150 lbs. 64.50-66.50. Good 62.00-65.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-4 950-1150 lbs. 65.00-67.00, load 1010 Monday 68.00. Good and choice 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 63.50-66.00. Good 60.00-64.00.

**COWS:** High cutter and boning utility 1-3 42.00-46.00. Cutter 1-2 39.00-43.50. Canner and low cutter 36.00-40.00.

**BULLS:** YG 1-2 1100-1950 lbs. 47.00-53.00.

## Joliet Cattle

Thursday, April 19

**CATTLE:** Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 1050; 5 days last week 2329; same period a year ago 2966. Trading moderate to moderately active for the week. Slaughter steers and heifers ended the week mostly steady. Cows closed the week steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-4 1150-1300# 68.00-68.75, 1 load on Monday 70.00. Choice 2-4 1000-1150# 66.50-68.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1000-1250# 65.50-67.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1335# Holsteins 61.00-Monday.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-4 925-1100# 65.50-67.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 850-1000# 63.50-65.50.

**COWS:** Cutter 1-2 42.00-45.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 38.00-42.00.

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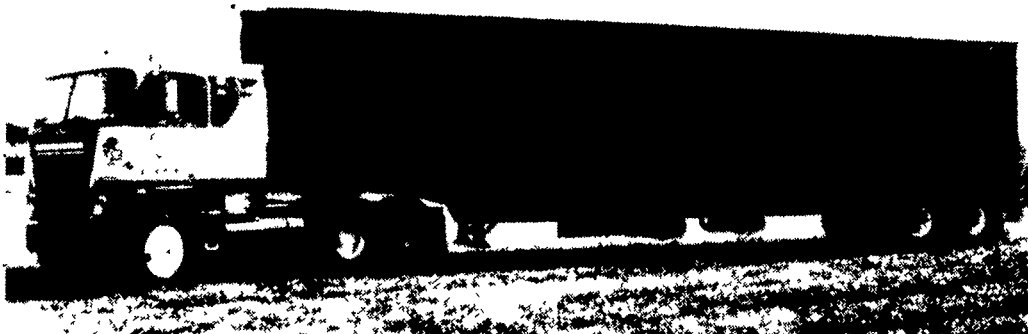
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