Livestock market and auction news

East Coast Carlot Wednesday, May 2 Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's close: Prime Special Fed Veal steady in limited test. Good and Choice Boning Veal supplies light, generally steady with early last week; inshipped generally steady in limited comparison. Mixed Lamb and Spring Lamb steady to 10.00 higher than last week with most advance on 65-75 lb. carcasses. Early sales Boneless Beef 4.50 to 5.00 lower than last week. 50% Lean Trimmings 1.00 higher.

VEAL CARCASS
Prime (Special Fed)
Hide On 150 Head
220-280 lbs. 180.00-183.00, steady.
Good & Choice
Boning Type
Hide On

Generally steady with early last week.

65-75 lbs. 91.00-92.00; 55-64 lbs. 89.00-90.00; 45-54 lbs. 87.00-88.00; 35-44 lbs. 85.00-86.00; 34 lbs. down 83.00-84.00.

Inshipped: Generally steady. 71-80 lbs. 92.00-94.00; 61-70 lbs. 90.00-92.00; 51-60 lbs. 88.0-90.00; 41-50 lbs. 86.00-88.00; 30-40 lbs. 84.00-86.00.

Mixed Lamb & Spring Lamb Choice & Prime 3-4 4½ Loads

Compared to last week: 55 lbs. down 140.00, steady; 55-65 lbs. 135.00, 5.00 higher; 65-75 lbs. 135.00, 10.00 higher.

Boneless Beef (US & Canadian Origin) 4 Loads

Compared to last week: 90% Chem Lean Fresh 105.50, 4.50 lower.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 98.00, 5.00 lower.

Beef Trimmings 2 Loads Compared to last week: 50% Chem Lean Fresh 60.00, 1.00 higher.

Morrison Cove Livestock Martinsburg, Pa. Tuesday, May 1

Report supplied by auction CATTLE 354. High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 67.50-69.85, Choice 64.00-67.25, Good 58.00-62.85, Standard 51,25-56,75, Utility 46,50-50.75. Choice slaughter heifers 65.75-67.25, Good 58.75-63.25, Standard 51.75-55.00, Utility 46.75-50.25. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 46.25-49.75, Commercial 40.50-44.75, Cutter & Boning Utility 37.50-39.75, Canner & Low Cutter 31.25-36.25, Shells down to 20.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 53.75-56.25, Good 47.50-51.50, Standard 44.25-46.75, Utility 38.50-43.75. Yield Grade #1 slaughter bulls 52.75-54.25, Yield Grade #2 48.75-51.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: Choice feeder steers 300-700 lbs. 62.00-67.00, Good 300-700 54.00-58.00. Good 450-650 lbs. feeder Heifers 49.00-56.00, Medium 350-700 lbs. 42.50-47.50. Good 350-650 lbs. feeder bulls 52.00-57.00 Medium 350-650 lbs. 46.75-51.25.

CALVES 425. Prive vealers 87.00-95.00, Choice 78.00-84.50, Good 67.50-74.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 61.50-65.00, 90-110 lbs. 56.00-59.50, 70-90 lbs. 52.00-55.50, Utility 40-60 lbs. 46.00-51.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 85.00-116.00, Holstein Heifers 95-115 lbs. 62.50-87.50.

HOGS 302. US No. 1-2 210-250 lbs.

barrows & gilts 48.25-49.00, No. 1-3 210-250 lbs. 47.00-47.75, No. 2-3 200-260 lbs. 46.25-46.75, No. 1-3 175-185. lbs. 42.50-45.25. US No. 1-3 350-550 lbs. sows 44.50-46.25, No. 2-3 350-550 lbs. 38.50-43.75. Boars 30.50-32.75, Light Weights 33.50-36.25.

FEEDER PIGS 27. US No. 1-3 25-30 lbs. feeder pigs 16.00-28.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-40 lbs. 24.50-31.00, No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 36.00-42.00 per head.

SHEEP 4. Choice 95-115 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 64.00-72.00; Utility 50 lbs. at 43.00. Slaughter ewes 11.00-26.00.

GOATS 15: 11.00-32.00 per head.

G&M Livestock
Monday, April 30
Duncansville, Pa.

Report supplied by auction
DAIRY COWS (24 traded):
400.00-920.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: Steers-Choice 64.00-66.60; Good 58.00-64.00; Standard 54.00-58.00; Utility 47.00-54.00. Heifers- Choice 62.00-64.50; Good 51.00-62.00; Standard 50.00-56.00; Utility 42.00-50.00. Cows- Choice 44.00-42.00; Good 42.00-44.00; Standard 40.00-42.00; Utility 32.00-40.00; Cutters 34.00-39.00; Canners down to 30.00. Bulls 1200-2350 lbs. 48.00-54.50; 900-1100 lbs. 44.00-54.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers-Choice 300-600 lbs. 50.00-56.00. Heifers- Choice 300-600 lbs. 40.00-48.00.

CALVES: Vealers- Prime and High Choice 80.00-92.00; Good and Choice 70.00-80.00; Standard 50.00-70.00; Utility down to 35.00. Farm Calves- Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 80.00-109.00; Heifers 90-120 lbs. 59.00-78.00.

HOGS: Barrows and Gilts 210-250 lbs. 40.00-48.60; 170-300 lbs. 44.00-46.50. Sows 300-500 lbs. 38.00-47.50. Boars 27.00-36.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 25-35 lbs. 18.00-25.00 per head; 35-50 lbs. 25.00-40.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs 85-95 lbs. 48.00-58.00; Ewes 12.00-30.00. GOATS: 3. 12.00-27.00.

Valley Livestock
Valley Stockyards
Athens, Pa.
Monday, April 30

Report supplied by auction Holstein Hfr. Calves to 91.00; Veal Calves to 87.00; Vealer Bull Calves to 120.00; Slaughter Calves 47.00-61.00; Grassers & Feeders 39.00-60.00; Lambs Spring 65.00-97.00; Sheep 6.00-25.00; Hogs, 200 to 250 43.50-47.50; Sows 34.00-41.50; Boars 31.50-36.50; Pigs each 5.00-36.00; Heifers 33.00-45.50; Steers 37.50-55.50; Steers, feeder 35.50-50.50; Bulls 47.50-55.75; Cows, utility 40.00-45.00; Cows, fat 38.50-43.75; Cows, medium 31.00-37.75; Cows, poor or small 25.00-33.00; Cattle Market steady; Calf Market stronger; Ponies 65.00; Goats 11.00-39.00; Hay 95.00 per ton.

Joliet Cattle Thursday, May 3

CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 1650; 5 days last week 1808; same period a year ago 2559. Trading moderate Monday; extremely slow on Wednesday. Slaughter steers 1.50 to 2.50 lower compared with Wednesday of last week. Slaughter

heifers ended the week 2.00-3.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice few prime 3-4 1200-1375# 67.50-68.50 Monday; choice 2-4 1050-1300# 65.50-67.50 Monday; 64.00-66.00 Wednesday. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1000-1200# 64.50-65.50 Monday; 62.50-64.00 Wednesday. Mostly choice 2-3 1700# holsteins 60.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 950-1100# 64.00-65.50 Monday; 62.50-64.00 Wednesday. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1050# 62.50-64.00 Monday 59.50-62.50 Wednesday.

Greencastle Livestock Greencastle, Pa.

Monday, April 30 Report supplied by auction

CATTLE 465. Butcher Steers-Choice 65.00-68.00; Medium-Good 51.00-65.50. Butcher Heifers-Choice 63.00-66.25; Medium-Good 45.00-63.50. Butcher Cows-Utility-Good 41.00-47.00; Canners and Cutters 39.00-45.50; Shells 39.00 and down. Butcher Bulls- Medium-Good 49.00-56.50. Stock Steers-Medium-Good up to 65.50. Stock Heifers-Medium-Good 51.00.

CALVES 237. Medium-Good Calves- 160-220 lbs. 80.00-97.00; 125-160 lbs. 70.00-85.00; 100-120 lbs. 60.00-75.00; 80-100 lbs. 50.00-65.00. Hostein Bull Calves- up to 100.00. Holstein Heifer Calves- 70.00. Light and Green Calves- down to 40.00.

HOG 154. Good-Choice Butcher Hogs- 190-225 lbs. 42.00-46.50; 225-250 lbs. 46.50-47.50. Good-Choice Butcher Sows- 400 lbs., down up to 46.50; 400 lbs., up up to 34.00. Pigs-Per Head- 15.00-50.00.

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