



Livestock market and auction news

Virginia Auction Summary

August 16-22
 Report supplied by VDA
 Total of Va. Weekly Feeder Cattle Auction Receipts: 4,975.
 TREND: Steady.
 South and Southwestern, Va. Auction Summary
 Smithfield, Southside (Blackstone), Tri-State Narrows Abingdon, Lynchburg, Hollins, Witheville
 August 16-22

STEERS: 300-500 lbs. Medium 1 58.00-67.00; Large 1 63.00-69.50; Small 1 54.25-67.50. 500-700 lbs. Medium 1 55.00-65.50; Large 1 57.50-67.00; Small 1 50.00-61.50. 700-1000 lbs. Medium 1 55.00-63.00; Large 1 56.50-61.25; Small 1 52.00.
 HEIFERS: 300-500 lbs. Medium 1 44.00-53.75; Large 1 47.00-54.50; Small 1 39.00-48.00. 500-700 lbs. Medium 1 45.50-53.50; Large 1 46.00-53.50; Small 1 40.00-47.00; 700-900 lbs. Medium 1 45.00-51.00; Large 1 41.00-51.30.

Northern Va. Auction Summary August 16-22

STEERS: 300-500 lbs. Medium 1 60.00-70.00; Large 1 64.00-70.75; Small 1 53.00-65.00. 500-700 lbs. Medium 1 55.00-67.75; Large 1 58.75-66.00; Small 1 54.50-64.25. 700-1000 lbs. Medium 1 54.50-64.25; Large 1 57.75-61.50.
 HEIFERS: 300-500 lbs. Medium 1 44.00-54.50; Large 1 44.50-54.50; Small 1 43.00-52.00. 500-700 lbs. Medium 1 46.00-53.75; Large 1 47.00-54.25; Small 1 43.50-49.50. 700-900 lbs. Medium 1 45.00-51.25; Large 1 49.75-54.50.

Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va. Saturday, August 18
 Report supplied by auction
FEEDER CATTLE: Trend-Steady, all classes. Steers: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 60.00-66.00, 1 lot at 70.00; 500-700 lbs. 60.75-67.00; 700-1000 lbs. 55.50-63.25; Holstein 300-1000 43.00-54.00. S-1&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 58.00-66.00; 500-700 lbs. 55.00-58.75; 700-1000 lbs. 50.00-55.00.
FEEDER BULLS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 53.00-57.50; 500-700 lbs. 47.00-54.00. S-1&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 46.00-55.00.
HEIFERS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 48.00-50.00; 500-700 lbs. 47.00-51.00; 700-800 lbs. 45.00-48.00. S-1&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 44.50-48.00; 500-700 lbs. 45.00-48.00.
STOCK COWS: Baby Calves-5.00-55.00, mostly 30.00-50.00.
SLAUGHTER COWS: Trend-Steady to 2.00 higher. Utility & Commercial 2-4 36.00-42.00, few 43.00-45.50; Canner & Cutters 1-3 25.00-33.50.
SLAUGHTER BULLS: 1&2 45.75-50.50.
LAMBS: High Choice & Prime 61.55; Choice 55.00-55.80; Feeder Lambs Choice 54.60; Slaughter Ewes 15.50-24.00.
HOGS: US 1-3 200-240 lbs. 53.25; Sows 1-3 41.00-47.00; Boars 34.00.
SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good & Choice 48.00-52.50.

850-900 lbs. 56.00-58.00. Few lots mostly good 2-3 1100-1300 lb. holsteins 52.00-56.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 900-1075 lbs. mostly 62.00, part load 63.00. Choice 2-4 900-1075 lbs. 61.00-62.00; 800-900 lbs. 58.00-61.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 58.00-61.00. Good 2-3 750-975 lbs. 55.00-58.00; 700-750 lbs. 51.00-55.00.

COWS: (Closing Week Sales:) Breaking utility and commercial 2-4 37.00-40.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 37.00-40.00. High-yielding boning utility 1-2 40.00-41.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 33.00-37.00. Shelly canner 1-2 30.00-33.00; 600-800 lbs. 27.00-30.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1050-1900 lbs. 43.00-49.00, closing 43.00-48.00. Several YG 1 early 50.00.

Wednesday's Weekly Sheep Auction. Receipts around 700 head. Compared to last week, spring slaughter lambs 2.00 higher. Light supply feeder lambs 4.00 higher. Demand and attendance both good.

SPRING SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and prime mostly woolled 80-100 lbs. 55.00-59.50; 100-120 lbs. 60.00-64.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Few utility to good 10.00-11.00.

FEEDER LAMBS: Few choice and fancy 60-90 lbs. 52.50-55.00.

GOATS: Few 18.00-23.00 per head.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, August 23

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to last week Slaughter Steers 50 to 1.00 lower. Slaughter Heifers fully 1.00 lower. Slaughter Cows mostly steady, instances 1.00 higher on breaking Utility and Commercial. Bulls generally steady, Steer and Heifer supply mostly Good to Average Choice 975 to 1050 lbs. and 850-975 lbs. Heifers. Cow supply about 8%. Receipts about 1850 this week as compared with 1746 a week ago and 2617 a year ago.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 3 1050-1250 lbs. 63.00-65.50, mostly 64.50-65.00; 2-3 900-1050 lbs. 60.00-64.50 Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 900-1050 lbs. 60.00-64.00. Good 2-3 850-1000 lbs. 55.00-62.00. Good 2-3 Holsteins 1210-1300 lbs. 53.75-54.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 900-1025 lbs. 62.00-64.00; package 3-4 950 lbs. 61.00; 2-3 800-900 lbs. 58.00-62.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-950 lbs. 57.00-62.00. Good 2-3 800-950 lbs. 56.00-60.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 39.00-45.00. Cutter and boning Utility 1-2 36.00-41.00. Canner and low Cutter 33.00-37.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1200-1800 lbs. 43.00-47.00, few high yielding to 51.50.

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, Aug. 23

Receipts This Week	3,400
Week Ago	3,800
Year Ago	4,400

Compared to last week's close, slaughter steers and heifers weak to 1.00 lower. Cows steady. Bulls weak to 1.00 lower. Slaughter supply mainly choice slaughter steers and heifers, around 15% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 64.00. Choice 2-4 1000-1250 lbs. 63.00-64.00; 900-1000 lbs. 60.00-63.00; 850-900 lbs. 59.00-60.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1150 lbs. 60.00-63.00. Good 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 58.00-60.00;

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Robert Hoffman, SAME Area Manager right, congratulating John Shedlock of Starford PA left, winner of a Labrador Retriever puppy in SAME Tractor "Pick A Purebred" Sweepstakes. Dealer, Harry Hull, Hulls Sales & Service in Indiana, PA looks on.

KEYSTONE MAN WINS SAME PUREBRED PUP PRIZE

July 9, John Shedlock of Starford, PA, affiliated with Musser Forests, Inc., of Indiana PA, received the prize of a purebred Labrador Retriever puppy from SAME & Lamborghini Tractors of North America.

The pup comes from the AKC championship stock of Kresland Kennels in Victor, New York.

The Labrador puppy was awarded as first prize in the "Pick A Purebred" National Sweepstakes sponsored by SAME and Lamborghini Tractors of North America. According to Robert Hoffman, SAME Area Manager, the unusual prizes were chosen to emphasize that the engineering simplicity of the air cooled SAME makes it the "Purebred" of the farm tractor industry.

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