

Livestock market and auction news

Weekly Summary

Friday, Sept. 7, 1984

Report Supplied by PDA

Markets: 12.

CATTLE: 4473. Compared with 6434 head last week, and 3977 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers steady to .25, spots to 1.00 higher; Sl. cows weak to 2.00 lower, spots 3.00 lower; Sl. bullocks & bulls uneven. Sl. steers: High Choice & Prime No. 3-4, 68.00-71.50; Choice NO. 2-4, 63.75-69.35; Good 57.00-63.50, few 65.00; Standard 47.00-56.50. Sl. heifers: (few) Choice 57.00-64.00; (few) Good 54.00-60.50; (few) Standard 45.00-54.50. Sl. cows: Breaking Utility & Commercial 39.00-42.50, few 44.00; Cutter & Boning Utility 36.00-40.50; few 41.25; Canner & Cutter 32.00-38.50, some down to 28.00; Shells down to 20.00. Sl. bullocks: (few) Choice 56.00-64.25; Good 52.00-58.00. Sl. bulls: Yield Grade No. 1 1000-2300 lbs. 49.25-52.00, few 55.50; Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1450 lbs. 43.00-49.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium Frame No. 1, 300-700 lbs. 48.00-61.00. Heifers, Medium Frame No. 1, 300-725 lbs. 43.25-51.00; Medium Frame No. 2 400-600 lbs. 35.00-44.00; Medium Frame No. 1, 300-800 lbs. 48.00-59.00.

CALVES: 3721. Compared with 4988 head last week and 2860 head a year ago. Vealers Good & Choice steady to 10.00 higher, Standard & Good steady to 3.00 lower. (few) Prime 108.00-113.00; Choice 74.00-99.00; Good 60.00-79.00; Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 46.00-60.00; 90-110 lbs. 38.00-45.00, few 50.00; 65-90 lbs. 30.00-44.00; Utility 50-110 lbs. 20.00-40.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-130 lbs. 45.00-91.00, mostly 60.00-80.00; Hol. Heifers 90-140 lbs. 46.00-65.00, few 83.00.

HOGS: 3748. Compared with 7355 head last week and 3596 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts mostly steady to .50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-245 lbs. 50.00-52.00 No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 49.50-51.00; No. 2-3 220-285 lbs. 46.00-49.85; No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 46.50-49.00; Sows steady to 2.00 lower. US No. 1-3 300-585 lbs. 41.00-46.75, few 49.25; No. 2-3 300-675 lbs. 37.00-42.00. Boars 30.00-35.00, few 40.00.

FEEDER PIGS 1253. Compared with 1253 head last week and 1067 a year ago. Steady to 3.00 lower. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 17.00-24.00, few down to 12.00 per head; No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 20.00-38.50; No. 1-3 50-85 lbs. 30.00-44.00.

3 GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES: 1545. Compared with 1192 head last week, and 2314 head a

year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs under 50 lbs. weak, mostly 5.00 lower; over 50 lbs. weak to 15.00 lower. US No. 1-2 25-30 lbs. 95.00-106.00, 30-40 lbs. 81.00-99.00, 40-50 lbs. 79.00-99.00, 50-60 lbs. 65.00-86.00, 60-80 lbs. 58.00-75.00; US No. 2-3 35-50 lbs. 59.00-79.00.

SHEEP: 314. Compared with 1637 head last week and 220 head a year ago. Spring sl. lambs mostly 3.00-5.00 higher. High Choice & Prime 80-110 lbs. 70.00-76.00, few 95.00; Choice 70-115 lbs. 95.00-68.00, few 98.00; Good 40-70 lbs. 50.00-60.00; Utility & Good 60-95 lbs. 36.00-52.00. Sl. sheep: 10.00-21.50, few 32.00.

Belleville Livestock

Belleville, Pa.

Wednesday, September 5, 1984

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CATTLE 137. Compared with last Wednesday's market, Slaughter cows \$1.50-\$2.75 lower. Few Good 58.00-58.75, Few Utility 40.60-46.60. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 39.00-42.25 Couple 44.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 37.00-40.50 Couple 41.75, Canner & Low Cutter 32.50-37.50, Shells down to 25.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1 950-1415 lbs. slaughter bulls, 42.60-49.75.

CALVES 189. Few Good & Choice 49.00-60.00, Standard & Good 70-110

lbs. 40.00-46.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 45.00-81.00 mostly 70.00-80.00, Few Holstein heifers 90-110 lbs. 43.50-48.00.

HOGS 165. Barrows & gilts weak 50 cents lower. US No. 1-2 220-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 49.35-50.35, No. 1-3 200-265 lbs. 46.25-48.75. Sows: US No. 1-3 375-605 lbs. sows 40.00-47.00, Few Medium 250-400 lbs. 35.50-41.00. Few Boars 30.50-37.25.

FEEDER PIGS 212. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 17.00-24.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-55 lbs. 20.00-27.00, Few Lots No. 1-3 70-85 lbs. 30.00-40.50.

SHEEP 19. Good to Low Choice spring slaughter lambs 40-110 lbs. 57.00-76.00. Few Slaughter ewes 18.00-21.50

Valley Livestock Auction

Fredericksburg, PA

Tuesday, September 4

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CATTLE 175. Compared with last Tuesday's market, Slaughter cows mostly 25' to 75' lower. Few Choice 1005-1180 lbs. 63.75-65.60, Good 61-63.10, Few down to 56.25, Good & Choice holsteins 54.75-

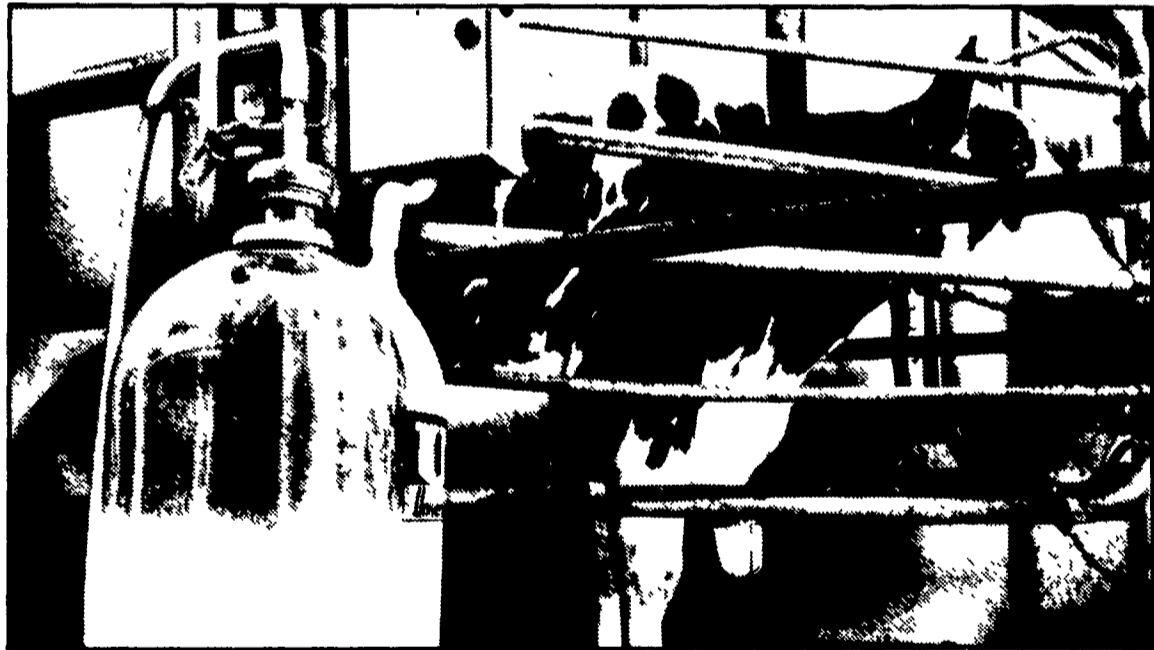
58.00, one at 60.75, Standard 49.50-54.10. Few Choice slaughter heifers 3-4 57.25-60.60, Few Good 55.10-60.50, Few Standard 43.25-44.85, Utility 32-36.25, Few down 25.50. Few Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 43.25-46.50, Cutter & Boning Utility 38.25-40.85, few to 43.60, Canner & Low Cutter 33.50-38.85, Shells down to 22.75. Two Good Slaughter bullocks 55 & 63.10, Few Utility 38-48.50. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1395-2015 lbs. slaughter bulls 49.25-53.25.

CALVES 272. Vealers grading standard & good, steady \$2.00 higher. Few Choice 70-75.00, Few Good 60-70.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 44-50.00, 65-90 lbs. 39-44.00, Utility 55-110 lbs. 24-40.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs. 49-82.00 Mostly 69.00-80.00, Few Holstein heifers 90-120 lbs. 48-65.00.

HOGS 174. Barrows & gilts unevenly steady. US No. 1-2 215-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 50-51.00, No. 1-3 225-260 lbs. 49.60-50.10, Few No. 2-3 250-335 lbs. 42-48.85. Sows: Strong to \$1 higher. US No. 1-3 290-580 lbs. sows 42-45.75 one at 46.00, No. 2-3 365-480 lbs. 37-42.00. Boars 33-33.75.

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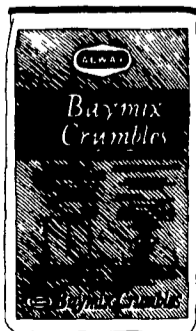
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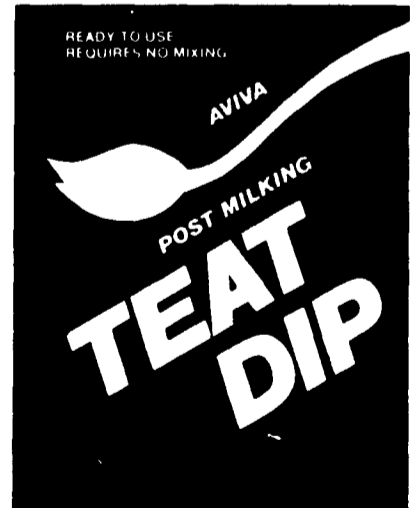
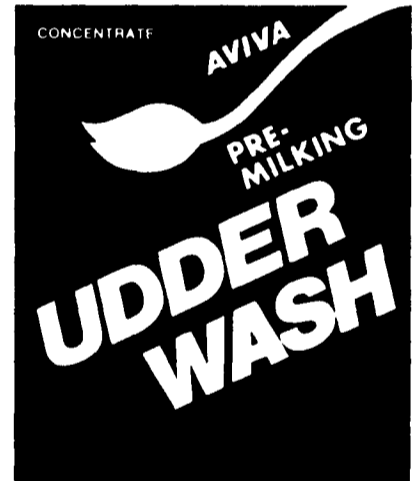
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