

Livestock market and auction news

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, Sept. 20, 1984
Report Supplied by USDA

Receipts This Week 3,500
Last Week 4,000
Last Year 3,700

As compared to last week's close, slaughter steers over 1000 lbs. and slaughter heifers over 900 lbs. 1.00-1.50 lower. Lighter weights steady. Cows firm to 1.00 higher. Bulls steady. Slaughter supply mainly choice slaughter steers and heifers, around 10% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 1050-1275 lbs. 63.00. Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 62.00-63.00; 900-1000 lbs. 60.00-62.00; 850-900 lbs. 59.00-60.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 60.00-62.00. Good 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 58.00-60.00; 850-900 lbs. 56.00-58.00. Mostly good 2-3 1050-1400 lb. holsteins 52.00-57.50, few standard 48.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 900-1100 lbs. 61.00, part load 61.50, package 2-3 1050 62.00. Choice 2-4 900-1100 lbs. 60.00-61.00; 800-900 lbs. 58.00-60.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 800-1025 lbs. 58.00-60.00. Good 2-3 750-950 lbs. 55.00-58.00; 700-750 lbs. 51.00-55.00.

COWS: (Closing Week Sales) Breaking utility and commercial 2-4 36.00-38.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 36.00-38.00. High yielding boning utility 1-2 38.00, few up to 39.00. Canner and low-cutter 1-2 33.00-36.00. Shelly canner 1-2 30.00-33.00, few 700-900 lbs. 28.00-30.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1100-2000 lbs. 43.00-47.00. Few YG 148.00.

Wednesday's Weekly Sheep Auction. Receipts around 500 head. Compared to last week, spring slaughter lambs over 95 lbs. 2.00-4.00 higher; under 95 lbs. steady. No recent price comparison for feeder lambs, strong understone indicated. Demand good for slaughter lambs over 110 lbs. and feeder lambs.

SPRING SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and prime mostly woolled and a few shorn with no. 1-2 pelts 80-95 lbs. 52.00-57.00; 95-130 lbs. 59.00-64.00. Three lots shorn with no. 1-2 pelts 105-118 lbs. 65.50-67.50.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Few cull to utility 8.00-11.00.

FEEDER LAMBS: Choice and fancy 60-80 lbs. 55.00-60.00, mostly 57.00-60.00.

GOATS: 80 head. Moderate to large supply mostly pygmies 6.00-11.00 per head.

FEEDERS: (including around 1,300 at the regular Thursday auction.) Feeder Steers mostly steady, except for Steers over 800 lbs. 2.00 higher. Feeder Heifers firm. Supply mostly Feeder Heifers. Demand Good for Cattle over 700 lbs. moderate for lighter weights.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large Frame 1: 300-500 lbs. 62.50-66.00; 500-700 lbs. 62.50-67.50. A few 800-900 lbs. 60.00-62.00. Medium and Large Frame 1-2: few 400-625 lbs. 58.00-62.50. Large Frame No. 2 Holsteins: Few 600-1250 lbs. 43.00-45.00.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large Frame 1-2: few 400-750 lbs. 53.00-57.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large Frame 1: 300-500 lbs. 52.00-55.00; 500-700 lbs. 52.50-57.50; 700-800 lbs. 53.00-55.50.

Central U.S. Carlot

Beef Report

Wednesday, September 19
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Steer and Heifer Carcasses fully \$1.00 lower. Demand and trading light on moderate supplies.

The gross boxed beef carcass cut-out value declined \$.63 to an estimated \$97.94 per cwt, 143 loads boxed cuts reported.

Sales reported on 44 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

Steer Beef

31 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 94.00, 1.00 lower; 600-700 lbs. 93.50-94.00.

Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 94.50-95.00.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 91.00, 1.00 lower.

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 90.50.

Heifer Beef

13 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 92.00, 1.00 lower; 500-550 lbs. 90.00, 1.00 lower; 400-500 lbs. 88.00, 1.00 lower.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 85.00-86.00, 1.00-2.00 lower.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 87.00, 1.00 lower.

Cow Beef

3 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Thin test, \$1.00 lower than

Monday.

Bng Util 1-3 400&up lbs. 68.00 (MW).

FOB Amarillo Basis

Canner & Cutter 1-2 350&up lbs. 69.00 (West).

Primal Beef Cuts

15 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3: Hinds (H) 120-170 lbs. 98.00; Fores 130-210 lbs. 88.00.

Good and Choice 2-3: Short Plates 57.00-58.50.

Boneless Processing Beef

Beef Trimmings

62 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 93.50-94.00, mostly 94.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 49.00-51.50.

FOB Amarillo Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 94.00-95.00, few 95.50.

90% Chem Lean Frozen 97.50. 50% Chem Lean Fresh 53.00.

Morrison Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.

Monday, Sept. 17, 1984

Report Supplied By Auction

CATTLE 257. Compared with last week's market: High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 63.25-65.75, Choice 61.25-62.75, Good 56-60.25, Standard 49.50-54.25, Utility 41-46.75. Choice slaughter heifers 61-63.25, Good 55.00-59.25, Standard 48.75-54.25, Utility 38.25-46. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 45.25-47.50, Commercial 42-44.25, Cutter & Boning Utility 38-41.25, Canner & Low Cutter 31.25-37.50, Shells down to

22.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 51-54.25, Good 47.50-49.75, Standard 43.25-46.75, Utility 38.50-42. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Choice 3-700 lbs. feeder steers 54-61.00, Good 3-600 lbs. 49.00-53, Medium 3-600 lbs. 41.00-46. Good 3-600 lbs. feeder heifers 48.00-56. Medium 3-600 lbs. 38.00-46. Good 350-700 lbs. feeder bulls 48.00-54, Medium 350-700 lbs. 38.00-46.00.

CALVES 485. Prime vealers 71.00-79, Choice 62.00-68, Good 54.00-60, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 54.00-58, 90-110 lbs. 46.00-51, 70-90 lbs. 41.00-45, Utility 40-60 lbs. 35.00-39.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 61.00-86. Hol. Heifers 90-130 lbs. 58.00-74.

HOGS 227. US No. 1-2 210-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 49.25-50.75, No. 1-3 2-260 lbs. 47-48.75, No. 2-3 180-330 lbs. 45.25-46.75. US No. 1-3 350-650 lbs. sows 45.25-47.50, No. 2-3 350-650 lbs. 38.75-44.50. **BOARS** 28.75-32.25, light weights 33.75-35.50.

FEEDER PIGS 23. US No. 1-3 20-25 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-18 per head, No. 1-3 30-35 lbs. 19.00-24, 40-50 lbs. 26.00-36 per head.

SHEEP 57. Choice 90-110 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 54.00-61, Good 60-80 lbs. 51.00-53. Slaughter ewes 11.00-18.00. **GOATS** 6: 14.00-36.00 per head.

Valley Livestock

Valley Stockyards

Athens, Pa.

Monday, September 17

Report supplied by auction

Holstein Hfr. Calves to 66.00; Veal Calves 60.00-75.50; Vealer Bull Calves 60.00-75.00; Slaughter Calves 40.00-50.00; Grassers & Feeders 32.00-45.00; Lambs 48.00-56.00; Sheep 12.00-22.00; Hogs, 200 to 250 46.00-51.00, large 57.00; Sows 38.00-42.50; Boars 28.00-36.50; Pigs each 12.00-27.00; Heifers 40.00-44.00; Steers 38.00-54.00; Steers, feeder 38.00-54.00; Bulls 42.00-54.00; Cows, utility 40.00-43.75; Cows, fat 38.50-42.00; Cows, medium 35.50-37.00; Cows, poor or small 27.00-33.00; Cattle Market steady; Calf Market steady; Horses to 240.00; Ponies to 140.00; Goats each 7.00-51.00.

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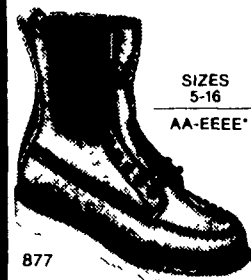
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