

# Livestock market and auction news

## Leesport Livestock

Leesport, Pa.

Wednesday, October 24, 1984

Report supplied by PDA

**CATTLE** 446. Supply included 117 head feeder cattle. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter steers steady to weak. Slaughter cows unevenly steady. Slaughter bulls \$1-\$1.50 lower. Choice 1000-1350 lbs. slaughter steers 60.50-63, few to 65.25, Good 55.50-61.60, few to 63.75, Good & Choice 1280-1500 lbs. holsteins 54-58.75, Standard 45.50-53.50, few to 56.75, few Utility & Low Standard 41.75-44.50. Few Choice slaughter heifers 57.75-61.25, few Good 53-55.25, Standard 41.75-49, Utility 36.50-42. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 37.75-40, few to 40.60, Cutter & Boning Utility 34.00-39, Canner & Low Cutter 30.50-34, Shells down to 28.25. Good slaughter bullocks 48.25-56.50, few 60.50, Standard 42.25-48.75. Yield Grade No. 1 1280-2180 lbs. slaughter bulls 44.75-49.25, few to 55.00, few #2 900-1150 lbs. 42-43.75.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Few Large Frame #1 470-530 lbs. steers 59.00-63, Medium #2 310-680 lbs. 53.00-60, few #2 & Small Frame #1 380-515 lbs. 41.00-49, few Large #2 445-455 lbs. 38-38.50. Few Large and Medium Frame #1 450-750 lbs. bulls 48.50-57.00.

**CALVES** 200. Vealers unevenly steady. Few Choice vealers 70.00-85, Good 65.00-70, few Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 60.00-61, 85-110 lbs. 55.00-60, 70-85 lbs. 45.00-55, few Utility 90-105 lbs. 50.00-52, 55-85 lbs. 30.00-40.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-125 lbs. 73.00-86, some down to 58.00, few Holstein Heifers 85-105 lbs. 58.00-63; Few Beef cross bulls & heifers 75-100 lbs. 58.00-80.00.

**HOGS** 457. Barrows and gilts strong to 50 cents higher. US No. 1-2 220-250 lbs. barrows and gilts 46.75-47.35, lot 47.75, No. 1-3 2-255 lbs. 45.85-46.85, few down to 45.25, few No. 2-3 250-275 lbs. 45.00-46, few No. 1-3 175-185 lbs. 40.25-40.75. Sows \$1 higher. US No. 1-3 290-600 lbs. sows 38.00-42, few 43.50, Medium 285-340 lbs. 35-37.50. Few Boars 28.50-30.00.

**FEEDER PIGS** 319. US No. 1-3 20-45 lbs. feeder pigs 66.00-90, mostly 76.00-85, few 60-80 lbs. 58.00-75, few Utility 25-55 lbs. 50.00-68. ALL SALES PER HUN-

## DREDWEIGHT.

**SHEEP** 20. Few Choice 95 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 60.00-61, one lot Utility & Good 65 lbs. at 35.00. Slaughter sheep 10.00-17.00. **GOATS** 15: Few Large Adults 26.00-43 per head, few Large Kids 13.00-29 per head.

## Central U.S. Carlot

### Beef Report

Wednesday, October 24

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report Steer and Heifer carcasses steady to \$1.00 higher. Demand moderate, trading light with packers firm on limited offerings. Supplies moderate. The gross boxed beef carcass cut out value advanced \$27 to an estimated \$95.69 per cwt., 188 loads boxed cuts reported.

Sales reported on 48 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

### Steer Beef

21½ Loads

### FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 93.00, steady-1.00 higher.

Choice 2 600-900 lbs. 92.50-93.50.

Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 82.00, 1.00 higher.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 85.00, not established

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs 84 00-85.50, M 84.50-85.50.

Choice 2-3 600-900 lbs 88 25 (Hols) steady.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 83.25 (Hols) steady.

### Heifer Beef

26½ Loads

### FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 90.00-91.00, late 91.00, steady-1.00 higher; 500-550 lbs. 88.00-89.00, mostly 89.00 no comparison; 400-500 lbs. 86.00-88.00, mostly 88.00, no comparison.

Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 90.50.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 81.00-82.00, steady-1.00 higher.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 82.00-83.00, steady-1.00 higher.

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 82.00-83.50.

## Central U.S. Carlot

### Pork Report

Wednesday, October 24

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 p.m. report: Fresh Pork Loins 14-17 lbs. steady to \$.50 lower, 22&up lbs. firm on light test. Picnics and Boston Butts steady. Skinned

Hams steady to \$2.00 higher. Sdls Bellies steady. Trade, demand and offerings moderate. U.S. No. 1&2 165 lb. Pork Carcass cut out advanced \$.43 to \$.44 per cwt.

Sales reported on 57 loads of Fresh Pork Cuts and 10 loads of Trimmings and Boneless Processing Pork.

### Fresh Pork Cuts

**LOINS** (Regular): 14-17 lbs. 85.50-88.00, steady-.50 lower; 14-17 lbs. 83.00 mid Nov. del.; 22&up lbs. 73.50, firm.

**LOINS** (Retail Trim): 14-17 lbs. 97.00-98.00, Short Cut, steady to firm.

**PICNICS:** 4-8 lbs. 47.00, steady w/Thursday; 8&up lbs. 43.00, firm w/Friday.

**BOSTON BUTTS:** 4-8 lbs. 63.00-64.00, steady; 4-8 lbs. 70.00, late Nov. del.

**SPARERIBS:** 3.5-5.5 lbs. 85.00.

**HAMS** (Skinned): 14-17 lbs. 80.00; 17-20 lbs. 80.00-81.00, 1.00-2.00 higher; 17-20 lbs. 77.50 Frozen T.I.S., no comparison; 20-26 lbs. 76.00, steady-.50 higher.

**BELLIES** - (Sdls - Skin On): 14-16 lbs. 51.00, gen. steady/Monday; 16-18 lbs. 47.50, steady; 18-20 lbs. 45.00, steady.

## Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.

Thursday, Oct. 25

Report supplied by PDA

**CATTLE:** 346. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows steady to 1.00 higher. Sl. steers: few Good 52.75-62.00. Sl. heifers: few Good 48.00-52.75; few Standard 40.00-49.75. Sl. cows: Utility & Commercial 36.75-41.00; Cutters 34.75-37.75; Canner & L. Cutter 31.50-34.50. Sl. Bulls: Yield Grade No. 1, 1050-1865 lbs. 42.00-48.75. **FEEDER CATTLE:** Steers & Bulls, few Medium Frame No. 1, 350-775 lbs. 38.00-48.50.

**CALVES:** 510. Choice 65.00-74.00; Good 55.00-65.00; 110-125 lbs. 60.00-63.00; 70-105 lbs. 51.00-59.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Hol. Bulls 90-125 lbs. 58.00-80.00, mostly 65.00-78.00; Hol. Heifers 80-120 lbs. 50.00-60.00.

**HOGS:** 69. Barrows and gilts 1.25 higher, few lots No. 1-3 225-230 lbs. 45.25-46.25; Sows Couple US No. 1-3 400 & 435 lbs. 38.50-41.50. Few Boars 30.50-32.75.

**FEEDER PIGS:** 18. Lot US No. 1-3 40 lbs. at 17.00 per head.

**SHEEP:** 17. Lot Choice 100 lbs. 56.50.

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