

Livestock market and auction news

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, April 4
 Report Supplied by USDA
 Receipts this week 3,200
 Week Ago 2,600
 Year Ago 5,100
 Compared with last week's close, Slaughter Steers and Heifers 2.00-2.50 higher. Cows weak to 1.00 lower, decline on high-yielding utility. Bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Slaughter supply mainly Choice Steers and Heifers, around 10% Cows.

Marketings of YG 4's increased this week.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 1075-1300 lbs. 60.00-60.50, couple part loads early 61.00; part load 3-4 1385 lbs. 59.00. Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 58.50-60.00; 900-1000 lbs. 57.50-59.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1225 lbs. 57.50-59.50. Good 2-3 900-1200 lbs. 55.00-58.00. Mostly Good 2-3 1100-1350 lb. Holsteins 51.00-55.50. Standard to good 2-3 975-1250 48.00-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 900-1125 lbs. 58.50-59.00. Couple part loads early 59.50. Choice 2-4 900-1100 lbs. 56.50-58.50; 800-900 lbs. 54.50-57.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1025 lbs. 54.50-57.00. good 2-3 750-1000 lbs. 52.00-55.00.

COWS: (Closing week sales) Breaking utility and commercial 2-4 39.00-42.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 39.00-42.00. High-yielding utility 1-2 42.00-43.00, few up to 44.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 34.00-39.00. Shelly canner 1-2 29.00-34.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1050-2160 lbs. 45.00-51.00. YG 1 1700-2000 lbs. 52.00-53.00.

Weekly Sheep Auction National Stock Yards

Receipts around 300 head. Compared to last week, all classes sold sharply lower. Supply light, demand light and trading slow. Slaughter and feeder lambs sold 6.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Mostly choice, few prime 95-135 lbs. 58.00-60.00. Same grades shorn with No. 1-2 pelts, few 90-135 lbs. 60.00-61.00. Same grades spring for Easter 45-60 lbs. 75.00-80.00; 70-90 lbs. 65.00-70.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Cull to utility 18.00-21.50.

FEEDER LAMBS: Few 80-85 lbs. 58.50-61.50.

GOATS: Few 14.00-24.00 per head.

FEEDERS: (Including around 1,400 at the regular Thursday Auction.) Feeder Steers and Heifers firm. Trading moderate to active. Demand moderate to good, still best for thin calves. Supply moderate, mostly 300-700 lb. cattle.

FEEDER STEERS

Medium and Large Frame 1: 300-500 lbs. 67.00-75.50, mostly 70.00-75.00; 500-600 lbs. 68.50-72.50; 600-700 lbs. 65.00-68.00; 700-1000 lbs. few 57.00-60.00, one 24 head lot 783 lbs. 64.00.

Large Frame No. 2 Holsteins: 450-750 lbs. 48.00-55.00; 900-1100 lbs. 43.00-49.00.

FEEDER BULLS:

Medium and Large Frame 1-2: 400-525 lbs. 60.00-65.00; 550-700 lbs. 53.50-57.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large Frame 1: 300-400 lbs. 60.00-61.25; 400-500 lbs. 57.00-62.00, one lot 65.00; 500-700 lbs. 55.00-60.00, few 700-800 lbs. 56.00-57.50.

Medium and Large Frame 1-2: Few 350-600 lbs. 48.00-56.00.

Valley Livestock

Athens, Pa.
 Monday, April 1
 Report supplied by auction
 Holstein Hfr. Calves 50.00-60.00.
 Veal Calves 65.00-92.00.

Vealer Bull Calves 65.00-73.00.
 Slaughter Calves 45.00-55.00.
 Grassers & Feeders 32.00-44.00.
 Lambs 65.00-145.00.
 Sheep 10.00-16.00.
 Hogs, 200 to 250 38.00-42.00.
 Sows 34.00-40.00.
 Boars 25.00-30.50.
 Pigs each 12.00-35.00.
 Heifers 40.00-45.50.
 Steers no good steers.
 Steers, feeder 45.00-60.00.
 Bulls 42.00-48.00.
 Cows, utility 39.00-42.00.
 Cows, fat 39.00-42.00.
 Cows, medium 36.00-37.50.
 Cows, poor or small 30.00-34.00.
 Cattle Market higher.
 Calf Market higher.
 Horses small 140.00.
 Ponies to 50.00.
 Goats each 12.00-46.00.
 Remarks: Spring Lambs will be in good demand next week also, beef and calves.
 Feeder Sale 1st Monday of each month; Dairy Sale 3rd Thursday of each month.

New Holland Horse

New Holland Sales Stables

Monday, April 1
 Report supplied by auction
 Reported receipts of 306 head of horses, mules and ponies. Market: steady.

Local:
 Better horses 400.00-555.00.
 Driving horses 275.00-750.00.
 Riding horses 225.00-300.00.
 Lightweight killers 140.00-225.00;
 Heavyweight killers 275.00-360.00.
 Mare ponies 35.00-70.00; Colts 15.00-25.00; Gelding ponies 35.00-75.00.
 Larger ponies 125.00-180.00.

Jersey Shore, Pa.

Thursday, March 28
 Report Supplied by Auction
 Return to Farm Calf 60.00-76.00.
 Good Veal 50.00-61.00.
 Common Veal 40.00-49.00.
 Choice Steers 60.00-62.50.
 Good Steers 55.00-59.50.
 Common Steers 44.00-54.00.
 Commercial Cows 40.00-45.75.
 Canners-Cutters 38.00-43.00.
 Shells 31.00-37.00.
 Good Heifers 48.00-51.00.
 Common Heifers 44.00-47.00.
 Common Feeders 40.00-44.00.

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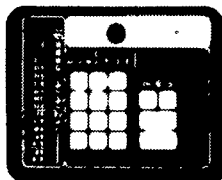
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We commend them for their initiative, faith in the future & their bright outlook on Dairy Industry. We wish them good luck and continued success. Come see them on April 13th.

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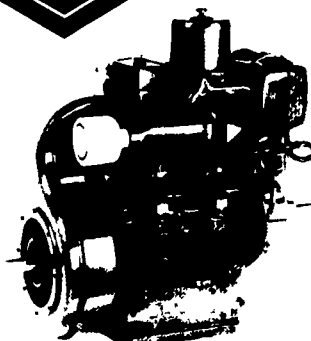
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