

# Livestock market and auction news

## Omaha Weekly

Thursday, July 25

Report supplied by USDA

Slaughter Steers and Heifers ended this week fully 1.00 lower as carcass beef and boxed beef prices declined. Trading was slow on each day of trading with demand generally narrow as buyers were quite selective. Slaughter Cows 1.50-3.00 higher, Slaughter Bulls steady to 1.00 higher.

Estimated 5 day receipts of cattle this week 5500; actual receipts last week 9114; actual receipts last year 7408. Steers comprised 57 pct of the week's receipts; Heifers 29 pct; Cows 9 pct.; Feeders 3 pct.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: At the

close, scattered loads and lots Choice 2-4 1075-1325 lbs. 51.50-53.00, load 53.25. Load Choice, few Prime 3-4 near 1325 lbs. 48.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1050-1200 lbs. 50.50-52.00. Few Good 48.00-50.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1250-1275 lb. Holsteins 44.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: At the close, scattered loads and lots Choice 2-4 950-1125 lbs. 51.00-52.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 900-1050 lbs. 50.00-51.50. Few good 47.00-50.00.

Average of LS-214 detailed quotations for Choice 900-1100 lb. Steers 52.30, 1100-1300 lbs. 52.80. Average cost all Slaughter Steers this week 51.59, average weight 1219 lbs. compared to 52.81 and 1223

lbs. last week. Average cost all Slaughter Heifers this week 51.52, average weight 1037 lbs. compared to 52.73 and 1051 lbs. last week.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 36.25-37.75, high dressing individual 39.75. Canner and low Cutter 32.00-35.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: 1-2 1200-1900 lbs. 44.25-49.25.

## Weekly Summary

Harrisburg, PA

Friday, July 26

Report supplied by PDA

14 Livestock Auction Markets

CATTLE: 6614. Compared with 7241 head last week and 6411 head a year ago. Slaughter steers highly

uneven, extremes 2.00 higher to 1.00 lower; heifers & cows steady to 1.00 lower; bulls weak to 2.00 lower; High Choice & Prime 3-4, 50.50-54.60; Choice 2-4, 49.50-54.75; 4-5, 44.00-48.50 Grade; Good 45.75-50.50; Standard 44.00-48.50; Choice heifers 47.50-51.50; Good 44.00-49.00; Standard 42.00-45.00; Breaking Utility & Commercial cows 36.00-39.50; Cutter & Boning 34.00-38.50; Canner & Cutter 29.00-35.00; Shells 19.00; bulls Good & Choice 45.50-48.75; bulls Yield Grade 1, 1000-1950 lb. 43.50-49.50; No. 2, 900-1475 lb. 40.00-46.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers Med. Frame 1, 300-700 lb. 43.50-60.00; No. 2, 400-700 lb. 44.00-52.50; heifers Med. Frame 1, 300-600 lb. 45.00-46.00 & bulls Med. frame No. 1, 400-600 lb. 43.00-56.00.

CALVES: 4031. Compared with 4227 head last week and 4730 head a year ago. Vealers highly uneven, 3.00 higher to 4.00 lower. Few Prime 93.00-108.00; Choice 64.00-92.00; Good 56.00-69.00; Few Standard & Good 110-130 lb. 50.00-59.00; 90-110 lb. 44.00-50.00; 65-90 lb. 39.00-45.00; Utility 50-100 lb. 30.00-40.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-130 lb. 50.00-83.00; heifers 90-130 lb. 42.00-60.00.

HOGS: 5766. Compared with 6251 head last week and 7557 head a year ago. Barrows & gilts mostly 1.00 lower; 1-2, 220-245 lb. 46.50-48.00; 2-3, 215-250 lb. 45.00-46.75; 2-4, 225-285 lb. 43.00-45.50; 1-3, 140-190 lb. 38.00-43.50; Sows mostly 1.00 lower; 1-3, 300-575 lb. 33.00-38.50; 2-3, 300-735 lb. 28.00-33.00; boars 28.00-32.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 937. Compared with 922 head last week and 1313 head a year ago. Steady to 2.00 higher; 1-3, 20-35 lb. 22.00-33.00 per head; 35-60 lb. 33.00-46.50.

2 GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES: 1304. Compared with 2810 head last week and 2838 head a year ago. Feeder pigs uneven, mostly steady to 8.00 higher; US 1-2, 30-40 lb. 85.00-103.00; 40-50 lb. 73.00-93.00; few 20-35 lb. 100.00-134.00; 50-60 lb. 72.00-84.00; 60-75 lb. 61.00-77.00; 2-3, 20-30 lb. 93.00-103.00; 45-60 lb. 60.00-74.00; All per hundred weight.

SHEEP: 1180. Compared with 1398 head last week and 1080 head a year ago. Spring lambs uneven, mostly steady to 1.00 higher; High Choice & Prime 80-110 lb. 69.00-74.00; Choice 60-100 lb. 55.00-71.00; Good 50-90 lb. 51.00-65.00; Sl. Sheep 17.00-30.00.

44.00-47.50, Standard 42.00-44.00, Utility 38.00-42.00. Breaking Utility & Commercial Slaughter Cows 37.00-39.50, Cutter & Boning Utility 36.00-38.00, Canner & Low Cutter 31.00-36.00, Shells down to 28.00. Individual Choice Slaughter bullocks at 50.50, Good 46.00-48.75. Yield Grade No. 1 1200-1990 lbs. Slaughter Bulls, 47.75-52.00, Yield Grade No. 2 800-1200 lbs. 42.50-47.75.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers 350-750 lbs. 38.00-58.50; Bulls 350-850 lbs. 36.00-55.00.

CALVES 193: Choice Vealers 60.00-77.00, Few 350-450 lbs. 45.00-55.00, Good 50.00-60.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 50.00-60.00, 60-90 lbs. 45.00-50.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 50.00-65.00.

HOGS 592: US No. 1 275-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.00-50.00, No. 1-2 210-235 lbs. 47.50-49.00, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 46.35-47.50, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 42.00-46.35. Sows - US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 33.00-36.00, No. 2-3 270-500 lbs. 28.00-33.00. Boars 30.00-30.75.

FEEDER PIGS 167: US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-35.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. 35.00-46.50.

SHEEP 23: Choice 80-115 lbs. Spring Slaughter Lambs 65.00-71.00, Good 60-85 lbs. 55.00-65.00. Slaughter Ewes 17.00-30.00.

## Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.

Thursday, July 25

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CATTLE: 250. Compared with last week's market: Sl. cows steady to .75 higher. One Choice sl. steer 1230 lbs. 48.00, few Good 43.75-45.35, few holsteins 41.50-44.75. Cows Breaking Utility & Commercial 37.25-40.60, Cutter & Boning 35.75-39.70, Canner & Cutter 31.75-36.25. Yield Grade 1 990-1960 lb. Bulls 42.25-49.00.

CALVES: 500. Few Prime 73.00-78.00, few Choice 61.50-70.00, few Good 56.00-64.00, few Standard & Good 110-120 lbs. 52.00-58.00, 75-105 lbs. 46.00-53.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-135 lbs. 52.00-82.00; heifers 90-115 lbs. 51.00-55.00.

HOGS: 40. One lot 1-2 235 lbs. 44.60; lot 2-3 240 lbs. 44.00; 1-3 370-580 lb. Sows 32.00-34.75. Few Boars 27.75-29.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 10. No market. SHEEP: 10. Few Choice 80-115 lbs. 65.00-69.00.

GOATS: 6. Few 28.00-30.00 per head.

## Keister's Livestock

Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, July 23

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CATTLE 301: Compared with last week's market; Few High Choice & Prime Slaughter Steers 4-5 46.00-48.75, Choice 50.75-53.60, Holstein 47.00-50.50, Good 47.50-50.75, Holsteins 42.00-46.50; Standard 45.00-47.50. Choice Slaughter Heifers 47.50-50.50, Good

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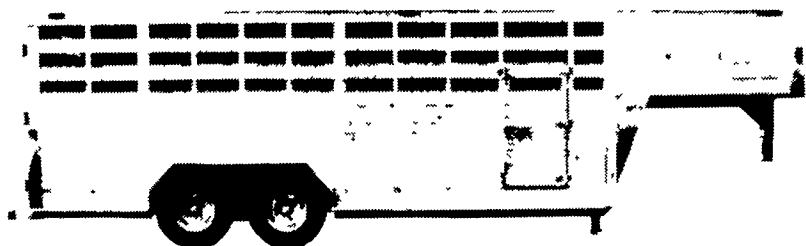
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