

#### Virginia Auction Summary

October 17-23
Report supplied by VDA
Total of Va. Weekly FeederCattle Auction Receipts: 8,503.
Trend: Uneven, ranging from

2.00 lower to 2.00 higher.

South & Southwest Va.

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STEERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs.
60.00-70.00; 500-700 lbs. 54.00-65.00,

60.00-70.00; 500-700 lbs. 54.00-65.00, 700-1000 lbs. 50.50-60.00. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 64.00-72.00, 500-700 lbs. 55.00-66.00, 700-1000 lbs. 51.00-58.50. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 52.00-64.00, 500-700 lbs. 50.00-58.00, 700-1000 lbs. 49.00-53.00.

HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 48.00-50.60, 500-700 lbs. 42.00-

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53.75, 700-900 lbs. 40.00-51.00. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 47.25-57.00, 500-700 lbs. 42.00-53.50, 700-900 lbs. 47.50-51.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 42.00-51.00, 500-700 lbs. 41.00-49.50.

Northern Va. Auction Summary

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STEERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 55.00-68.25, 500-700 lbs. 52.75-63.50, 700-1000 lbs. 47.00-58.00. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 55.00-64.00, 500-700 lbs. 54.00-63.75, 700-1000 lbs. 49.75-55.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 52.00-61.00, 500-700 lbs. 52.00-59.00, 700-1000 lbs. 50.00-56.75.

HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 45.00-54.50, 500-700 lbs. 42.00-55.25, 700-900 lbs. 47.50-52.00. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 45.00-51.50, 500-700 lbs. 48.25-51.00, 700-900 lbs. 51.75. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 41.00-48.50, 500-700 lbs. 42.00-46.00.

Shenandoah Valley Livestock Harrisonburg, Va.

Saturday, October 19

Report supplied by auction FEEDER CATTLE: Trend- All classes Feeder Cattle steady. Steers: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 60.00-67.50, 500-700 lbs. 55.00-63.50, 700-1000 lbs. 49.50-55.00, Holstein 300-1000 37.50-49.50. S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 55,00-61,00, 500-700 lbs. 52.00-59.00, 700-1000 lbs. 50.00-52.00. Feeder Bulls: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 56.00-65.00; 500-700 lbs. 49.00-58.00; 700-1000 lbs. 42.75-49.25. S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 46.00-55.00; 500-700 lbs. 42.00-51.00; 700-1000 lbs. 42.00-43.50. Heifers: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 45.00-49.50, 500-700 lbs. 45.00-52.00, 700-800 lbs. 48.00-49.50. S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 40.00-45.50, 500-700 lbs. 42.00-46.50.

STOCK COWS: Baby Calves 30.00-81.00.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: Steers-Choice 2-4 Few Good & Choice 52.85-54.10.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Trend-Steady. Utility & Commercial 2-4 29.00-34.00, few 35.00-37.50; Canner & Cutters 1-3 25.00-30.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 1 & 2: 41.25-46.75.

LAMBS: Trend-.50 higher. Blue 0. High Choice & Prime 68.50; Red O. Choice 65.00; Slaughter Ewes 17.00-22.50, Head Ewes 2-6 yr. old 47.00-52.00.

HOGS: US1-3 200-240 lbs. 44.25; Sows 1-3 36.00-43.00; Boars 23.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good &

Choice 46.50-55.00.

Weekly Cattle Review Thursday, Oct. 24

Report supplied by USDA Receipts this week 3,100; last week 3,200; last year 3,600.

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers and heifers mostly 1.00-1.50 higher. Cows firm to 1.00 higher. Bulls steady. Slaughter supply mainly choice

and mixed choice and prime steers

and heifers, around 10% cows. SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 1075-1300 lbs. 59.50-60.00, several early 59.50. Not tested late. Choice 2-4 950-1300 lbs. 58.00-61.00, couple lots 61.50 and 61.75 late. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1225 lbs. 57.00-60.00. Good 2-3 900-1375 lbs. 54.50-58.00. Mostly good 1-2 1100-1400 lb. holsteins 47.00-53.00. Package choice 54.00. Standard to good 2-3 1050-1300 lbs. 42.50-47.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 900-1125 lbs. 59.00-60.50 early, not tested late. Choice 2-4 825-1125 lbs. 57.50-60.50, load 2-3 1100 lbs. late at 61.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 800-1,000 lbs. 54.50-59.00. Good 2-3 700-975 lbs. 52.00-56.00.

COWS: (Closing week sales) Breaking utility and commercial 2-4 34.00-36.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 34.00-36.00. High yielding utility 1-2 36.00-37.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 30.00-34.00. Shelly canner 1-2 26.00-30.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1050-2,000 lbs. 42.00-46.00, few yield grade 1 47.00.

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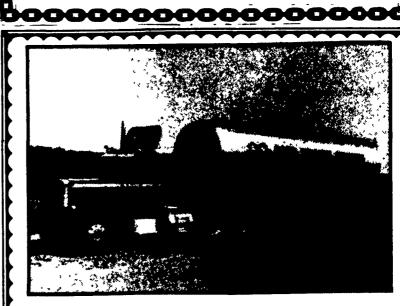
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