

Livestock market and auction news

Omaha Weekly

Thursday, Feb. 20

Report Supplied by USDA

Slaughter Steer and Heifer 1.50-2.00 lower compared to last week. A sluggish dressed beef market and lower prices paid at direct points were dominant factors in the downturns. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower. Slaughter bulls steady.

Estimated 5 day receipts of cattle this week 6,500 compared to actuals of 5,454 last week and 8,017 last year. Slaughter steers accounting for 43 percent of receipts this week, Slaughter Heifers 44 percent, Slaughter Cows 9 percent and Feeder Cattle 2 percent.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few lots and packages choice 2-4 1100-1250 lbs 53.75-54.50. Few mixed good and choice 2-3 1050-1250 lbs 52.50-53.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: load choice 2-3, few 4's near 1050 lbs. 53.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1050 lbs. 51.00-52.50.

Average of LS 214 detailed quotations for choice 900-1100 lbs. steers 53.90, 1100-1300 lbs. 54.80. Average weight all slaughter steers this week 1188 lbs, average cost 54.31 compared to 1210 lbs. and

57.09 last week. Average weight all slaughter heifers this week 1061 lbs., average cost 53.54 compared to 1054 lbs. and 56.66 last week.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Few breaking utility and commercial 2-3 34.00-37.25, individual 39.00, cutter and boning utility 1-3 33.00-37.00, few high dressing 37.25-38.25. Canner and low Cutter 31.00-34.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Few 1-2 1400-2100 lbs. 43.00-45.50, few low dressing kinds 41.00-42.50.

Peoria Cattle

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Compared with last week, Slaughter Steers and Heifers closed 1.00-1.50 lower. Receipts light with upper portion of choice grade not well tested. Buyers generally cautious and selective. Declines in wholesale beef prices precipitated the drop in the live cattle market. Cattle continue to carry moderate amounts of mud. Slaughter Cows closed weak to 2.00 lower. Bulls steady to firm. Supply mainly good to low Choice Slaughter Steers and Heifers with 12% cows. Estimated receipts 900, compared with actual receipts of 1069 last week and 1462 a year ago.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 3, 1050-1250 lbs. 56.00-57.00, load and part load 57.50; 975-1050 lbs. 54.00-56.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lbs. 53.50-56.00. Good 2-3, 900-1050 lbs. 50.00-54.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 3, 950-1150 lbs. 53.50-55.50, part load 56.00; 875-950 lbs. 51.50-53.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3, 900-1100 lbs. 51.00-53.00. Good 2-3, 800-950 lbs. 49.00-52.00.

COWS: Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2, 33.00-37.00, few high dressing 37.00-38.00. Canner and low Cutter 30.00-34.00.

BULLS: Few yield grade 1-2, 1500-1820 lbs. 44.00-49.00.

Morrison Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.

Feb. 17, 1986

Report supplied by auction

CATTLE 162. Choice 56.75-58.50, High Good & Low Choice 52.00-55.00, Good 47.00-51.00, Good & Choice Holsteins 46.25-49.00, Standard 43.00-45.00, Utility 39.25-42.50. Choice sl. heifers 53.00-55.00, Good 48.00-51.50, Standard 44.00-47.75, Utility 40.25-43.50. Breaking Ut. & Commercial sl. cows 39.00-41.25. Cutter & Boning Ut. 35.00-

38.50, Canner & Low Cutter 31.25-34.50, Shells down to 28.00. Choice sl. bullocks 48.00-50.75, Good 44.25-47.50, Standard 41.00-43.50, Utility 38.75-40.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers Good 46.00-53.00, Standard 36.00-44.00, Heifers Good 46.00-52.00, Standard 38.00-44.00. Bulls Good 48.00-52.00, Standard 39.00-44.00.

CALVES 301. Choice 81.00-96.00, Good 68.00-78.00, Standard 59.00-67.00, Standard & Good 90 lb. to 130 lb. 53.00-58.00. Utility 60-80 lbs. 48.00-52.50.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs. 75.00-108.00, Holstein heifers 90-130 lbs. 56.00-68.00.

HOGS 147. US No. 1-2 220-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 46.00-47.25, No. 1-3 200-260 lbs. 44.25-45.75. No. 2-3 150-180 lbs. 35.25-42.00, US No. 1-3 350-650 lbs. sows 38.50-43.00, No. 2-3 350-650 lbs. 35.50-38.00. Boars 27 50-28.25, Light weights 29.00-32.00.

FEEDER PIGS 48. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 16.00-26.00 per head, No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 29.00-36.00.

SHEEP 5. High Ch. & Pr. 100 lbs. 70.00, Good 55 lbs. at 66.00. 2 GOATS 14.00-27.00 per head.

Belknap Livestock

Dayton, Pa.

Wednesday, February 19

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CATTLE: 66. Compared with last Wednesday's market: Few Standard steers 41.75-44.50; breaking Utility & Commercial cows 37.00-39.50, Cutter & Boning Utility 33.50-38.00, Canner & low Cutter 28.00-33.50, shells down to 24.25; one Utility bullock 38.25; one Yield Grade 1 1530 lb. sl. bull 43.00, one Yield Grade 2 1340 lbs. 41.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, few Medium 1 & 2 700-900 lbs. 40.00-47.75.

CALVES: 79. Standard & Good 90-120 lb. vealers 51.00-57.00, few 45.00-50.00; 65-85 lbs. 38.00-51.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs 61.00-107.50, mostly 70.00-100.00; beef cross bulls & heifers 70-140 lbs. 50.00-72.00.

HOGS: 194. Barrows & Gilts 2.00 lower US 1-2 210-245 lbs. 42.50-43.00, small lot 44.10; 1-3 210-255 lbs. 42.00-42.75; 2-3 215-255 lbs 41.75-42.00; 1-3, 190-195 lbs 37.75-38.00; Sows 1-3 290-595 lbs 35.00-38.00; 2 Boars 22.00 & 23.00

FEEDER PIGS: 78. US 1-3 35-50 lbs 22.00-30.00 per head, 80-90 lbs. 36.00-40.00; Utility 25-40 lbs 12.00-19.00 per head

SHEEP: 1. Sl ewe 12.00
GOATS: 1 38.00 per head

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables

Wednesday, Feb. 19

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Reported receipts of 110 cows, 62 heifers, and 7 bulls

Market steady
Load of PA fresh cows, 550 00-925 00

Load of PA fresh cows, 510 00-1100 00

Load of PA fresh cows, 460 00-660 00

Load of Canada cows, 510 00-835 00

Load of PA fresh cows, 460 00-1250 00

Herd of 18 hd all stage cows, 435 00-690 00

Locally consigned cows 440 00-885 00

Springing heifers 450 00-785 00
Open heifers 335 00-450 00
Bulls 490 00-625 00

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