

# Livestock market and auction news

## Belleville Livestock

Belleville, Pa.  
Feb. 26, 1985

Report supplied by PDA

**CATTLE** 153... Compared with last Wednesday's market: Slaughter cows strong to .50 higher... Individual Choice holstein steer at 51.00, few Good holsteins 46.35-48.75, few Standard holsteins 40.85-44.75. Few Good holstein heifers 46.25-49.50. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 35.75-38.85, Cutter & Boning Utility 34.50-38.00, Canner & Low Cutter 32.25-34.25...Yield Grade No. 1 1100-1680 lbs. slaughter bulls 46.35-49.75.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Few Medium Frame #1 400-600 lbs. steers and bulls 45.00-55.00.

**CALVES** 116... Few Good and Choice vealers 67.00-83.00, Standard and Good 70-105 lbs. 47.00-57.00... **FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 55.00-105.00, mostly 75.00-95.00.

**HOGS** 162...Barrows and gilts 3.00-4.00 lower... US No. 1-2 215-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 42.25-43.50, No. 2-3 200-240 lbs. 39.00-42.00...US No. 1-3 270-500 lbs. sows 34.00-37.50, one 42.25... Boars 26.00-28.00.

**FEEDER PIGS** 166...US No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. feeder pigs 30.00-37.50, lot 150 lbs. at 44.00 - all per head.

**SHEEP** 4... Individual Choice 40 lbs. New crop lambs at 153.00, couple 115 lbs. wool lambs 56.00 & 59.00...**HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS** 550.00-960.00 PER HEAD.

## Central U.S. Carlot

Pork Report

Wednesday, Feb. 26

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 P.M. report, Fresh Pork Loins 14-18 lbs. \$.50-1.00 lower; Boston Butts steady to \$.10 lower; Skd Hams weak; Sdls Bellies steady to weak. Trade slow, demand light, offerings moderate.

U.S. No. 2 175 lb. Pork carcass cutout value declined \$.01 to \$56.39 per cwt.

Sales reported on 31 loads of fresh Pork cuts and 13 loads of trimmings and boneless processing Pork.

### Fresh Pork Cuts

#### Trends

#### Loins (Regular)

14-18 lbs. 87.00-90.50, 50-1.00 lower.

14-18 lbs. 90.00-91.50, early month shipment.

#### Boston Butts

4-8 lbs. 58.00-60.50, steady to 1.00 lower.

#### Skinned Hams

14-17 lbs. 61.00, weak.

17-20 lbs. 61.00, weak.

#### Bellies

#### (Sdls Skin On)

12-14 lbs. 49.50-50.00, weak.

14-16 lbs. 50.00, steady to weak.

16-18 lbs. 46.00.

## Pork Trimmings Boneless Processing Pork (Chemical Lean)

42% Lean Trmgs Frozen 35.50-36.00.

## St. Louis Feeder Cattle

Thursday, February 27

Report supplied by USDA

Receipts around 1200 head. Feeder Steers and Heifer Calves firm to 2.00 higher, yearling cattle steady, quality and condition continues to improve. Large percentage of receipts thin gaunt crossbred calves 300-600 lbs. fleshy offerings under extreme pressure and poor demand. Good buyer attendance.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Medium & Large frame #1 300-500 lbs. 66.00-71.50, thin gaunt crossbreds 72.25-75.50, 500-600 lbs. 61.00-68.00, 600-800 lbs. few 55.50-61.00, fleshy 52.00-56.50. Large Frame 2 Holsteins 600-900 lbs. 41.50-46.00, package fleshy 1211 lbs. 48.00.

**FEEDER BULLS:** Medium frame 1 350-450 lbs. 60.50-64.00.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Medium and Large Frame 1 300-500 lbs. 58.00-61.75, fleshy 50.75-55.00, 500-800 lbs. Heifers 51.50-57.25, package thin gaunt 543 lbs. 57.50.

**REPLACEMENT COWS:** Large frame 1 950-1150 lbs. 5-7 year olds 3rd stage of pregnancy 41.50-46.00,

950-1250 lbs. 8 years and older 2nd and 3rd stage 34.75-39.75.

## Leesport Livestock

Leesport, PA

Wednesday, February 26, 1986

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**CATTLE** 275. **SUPPLY INCLUDED 70 FEEDER CATTLE**...Compared with last Wednesday's market: Slaughter steers grading Choice \$1-\$2 higher; Cows weak to \$1.50 lower. Choice 950-1350 lbs. steers 56.25-58.75, few 59.75, few Good 50-57.50, Good & Choice 1200-1450 lbs. holsteins 49-52.50, one 53.75, Standard 42.00-49, mostly 44.50-47.75...Few Choice heifers 53.25-56, few Good 44.60-50.75, few Standard 39.75-44.50...Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 37.00-40, few 42.35, one 44.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 34.50-37.75, few 41.00, Canner & Low Cutter 31.85-35.10, Shells down to 28...Good slaughter bullocks 48-51.85, one 53.75, few Standard 44.75-47...Yield Grade No. 1 1250-1950 lbs slaughter bulls 43.85-54.60, mostly 47-49.75, #2 1080 lbs. individual at 43.25...**FEEDER CATTLE:** Few Medium Frame #1 5-550 lbs. steers 57.50-61.50, few Large #2 4-850 lbs. 43.75-44.50, Large #2 Very Thin 550-

650 lbs. 37.50-37.75...Few Large & Medium Frame #1 525-600 lbs. heifers 43.50-47.50, few Medium #1 550-650 lbs. 47.50-55.50.

**CALVES** 160...Vealers grading Standard & Low Good steady to \$2 higher. Individual Prime vealer at 106.00, few Choice 87.00-102, Good 76.00-90, few Standard & Good 120-125 lbs. 62.00-72, 90-105 lbs. 50.00-54, 70-85 lbs. 45.00-48, few Utility 50-90 lbs. 30.00-40...**FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-125 lbs. 55.00-111 lbs. mostly 97.50-106...Beef cross bulls and heifers 80-120 lbs. 60.00-90.00.

**HOGS** 452...Barrows and gilts \$3-\$4 lower...US No. 1-2 215-255 lbs 40.60-42, one lot 42.50, No. 2-3 215-265 lbs. 38.75-41.25, mostly 40-40.75, few No. 2-4 240-265 lbs. 38-39.50, few No. 1-3 195-205 lbs. 38.00-39...**SOWS** \$1.50-\$3.50 lower...US No. 1-3 3-490 lbs. sows 30-33.25, few 37.00, 500-700 lbs. 32.00-34, few Medium 360-415 lbs. 27.00-28...Boars 29-34.50.

**FEEDER PIGS** 192...US No 1-3 35-60 lbs. feeder pigs 65.00-81, 1 lot 92.00, 75-115 lbs. 47.00-56, few 140-145 lbs. 40-42.50 - all per hundredweight.

**SHEEP** 50...Choice 60-115 lbs. wool lambs 70.00-81, one small lot 87.00, few Utility & Good 50-60 lbs 67.00-68, Choice 35-50 lbs. new crop 120.00-136, one 145.00...**GOATS** 7 Few All Sizes 33.00-47.00 per head

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