



Virginia Auction Summary

Feb. 27-Mar. 5, 1986
 Report supplied by VDA
 South & Southwest Va.
 Receipts: 4,919.
 Trend: Steady to 2.00 higher.
STEERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 62.00-73.00; 500-700 lbs. 57.50-68.00; 700-1000 lbs. 48.00-58.75. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 66.00-77.25; 500-700 lbs. 64.00-70.00; 700-1000 lbs. 50.00-59.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 55.00-68.00; 500-700 lbs. 53.00-62.50; 700-1000 lbs. 48.00-53.75.
HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 54.00-66.00, 500-700 lbs. 46.50-

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56.00; 700-900 lbs. 45.75-53.50. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 54.00-63.00; 500-700 lbs. 50.00-58.50. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 46.00-57.50; 500-700 lbs. 42.50-47.50.

Northern, Va.
 Feb. 27-Mar. 5, 1986
STEERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 61.00-73.00; 500-700 lbs. 58.75-68.50; 700-1000 lbs. 51.80-58.75. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 66.00; 500-700 lbs. 63.00-64.00; 700-1000 lbs. 53.00-57.75. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 59.50-66.00; 500-700 lbs. 52.00-61.00; 700-1000 lbs. 53.25-53.80.

HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 50.50-58.75; 500-700 lbs. 46.00-56.00; 700-900 lbs. 41.00-50.00. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 50.00-52.75; 500-700 lbs. 50.50-55.00; 700-900 lbs. 51.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 49.00-52.50; 500-700 lbs. 40.50-52.50; 700-900 lbs. 45.00.

Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.
 Saturday, Mar. 1
 Report supplied by auction
FEEDER CATTLE: Trend: Steers Steady to 2.00 Higher; Heifers Uneven; Bulls Too Few.
STEERS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 65.50-70.00; 500-700 lbs. 58.25-68.50; 700-1000 lbs. 53.85-57.75; Holstein

300-1000 45.00-45.50. S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 60.50-64.50, few 68.00; 500-700 lbs. 55.50-61.00.
FEEDER BULLS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 57.50-59.75, Few 12.50; 500-700 lbs. few 52.25-54.00.
HEIFERS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 50.50-52.50; 500-700 lbs. 50.00-53.50; 700-800 lbs. 50.50-52.25; S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 47.00-51.50; 500-700 lbs. 50.50-51.00; few @ 48.00.

STOCK COWS: Beef Few 395.00-430.00; Baby Calves 40.00-105.00.
SLAUGHTER COWS: Trend. Mostly Steady. Utility & Commercial 2-4 31.75-38.00; Canner & Cutters 1-3 27.75-30.00.
BULLS: 900-1300 41.75-43.75; 1300-1600 43.25-48.25; 1600-Over 44.75.

LAMBS: Trend Too Few. Blue O High Choice & Prime Few 69.50; Slaughter Ewes 23.50-28.75; Head Ewes 75.00-90.00.
HOGS: US 1-3 200-240 lbs. Few 38.50; Sows 1-3 33.00-38.25.

Keister's Livestock
 Middleburg, Pa.
 Tuesday, March 4, 1986
 Report supplied by PDA
CATTLE 358. Compared with last Tuesday's market: Slaughter steers steady to weak. Slaughter cows .50 lower. Choice 1000-1400 lbs. steers 54.75-58.85, Good 48.00-53.50, Choice holsteins 48.75-52.75, Good 46.00-49.00, Standard 42.00-

47.25. Choice heifers 52.00-55.75, one 59.25, Good 47.00-53.00. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 35.85-39.60, couple 40.60, Cutter & Boning Utility 35.00-38.00, Canner & Low Cutter 32.75-35.00, Shells down to 28.00. Individual Choice Slaughter bullock at 52.75, few Good 48.50-51.50. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1080-1850 lbs. slaughter bulls 43.00-50.10.
FEEDER CATTLE: Few Medium Frame #1 350-550 lbs. steers 48.00-53.00, Large #2 400-800 lbs. 38.00-45.00.

CALVES 222: Few Choice vealers 79.00-95.00, few Good & Choice 71.00-76.00, few Standard & Good 110-120 lbs. 60.00-74.00, 70-90 lbs. 51.00-60.00, few Utility 60-85 lbs. 40.00-49.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein Bulls 90-95 lbs. 65.00-80.00, 100-120 lbs. 80.00-100.00.

HOGS 587: Barrows and gilts 1.50 lower. US No. 1 225-240 lbs. 43.50-44.50, few 45.50, No. 1-2 220-240 lbs. 42.50-43.50, No. 2-3 200-250 lbs. 41.00-42.50, No. 2-4 200-270 lbs. 38.00-41.00. US No. 1-3 270-600 lbs. sows 35.00-38.00, few 41.00, No. 2-3 250-500 lbs. 29.00-35.00. Boars 30.00-32.00.

FEEDER PIGS 186: US No. 1-3 30-40 lbs. feeder pigs 25.50-33.50, 40-50 lbs. 32.00-38.00, couple lots 65 lbs. at 46.00 - all per head.
SHEEP 33: Choice 75-100 lbs.

Fall lambs 69.00-82.00. Few Slaughter ewes 18.00-35.00. **GOATS** 8: Few Medium & Large 31.00-50.00 per head.

Penns Valley Livestock

Centre Hall, Pa.
 Tuesday, Mar. 4
 Report supplied by Auction
Beef Cows: Utility and Commercial 37.60-40.35; Cutters 35.00-37.50; Canners 31.50-34.25; Shells 50.00.

Heifers: Good 51.75-54.00; Standard 49.00-51.50; Commercial 41.00-48.75.

Bulls: Good 48.25-50.10.
 Feeder Cattle: 300-500 lbs. large frame 45.50-50.50; 500-700 lbs. large frame 43.00-49.25.

Veal Calves: Choice 75.00-88.00; Good 62.00-74.00; Standard 54.00-61.00; Utility 49.50-53.00.

Farm Calves: Bulls 85.00-106.00; Heifers 65.00-72.00.
 Hogs: 40.10-41.50.
 Sows: 32.00-35.25.

Shoats: 25-30 lbs. per head 20.00-26.00; 30-35 lbs. per head 28.00-36.00; 35-50 lbs. per head 35.00-50.00.

Lambs: 67.00-70.00.
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