Livestock market

St. Louis Cattle Thursday, April 24 Report Supplied by USDA

Receipts this week Week Ago 3,500 Unavailable Year Ago

Compared to last week's close, slaughter steers and heifers 1.00-2.00, mostly 1.00-1.50 lower. Cows fully 1.00 lower. Bulls steady. Slaughter supply mainly choice steers and heifers, around 15% Cows. * an increase in the supply of YG 3-5 steers and heifers was apparent this week.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed Choice and A prime 2-4 1050-1350 lbs. 53.50-54.00. Load and part load 54.50 early, not tested late; 3-4 1075-1375 lbs. 50.00-52.00. Choice 2-4 950-1375 lbs. 52.50-53.50, some late sales 52.50-53.00; 3-4 1125-1300 lbs. 47.00-50.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 900-1250 lbs. 51.00-53.00. Good 2-3 900-1250 lbs. 49.00-51.00. Standard to Good 2-3 1075-1350 lbs. Holsteins

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 900-1150 lbs. 51.50-52.00, package 2-3 950 lbs. Early 53.00, not tested late: 3-4 900-1100 lbs. 47.00-49.00. Choice 2-4 825-1150 lbs. 50.50-51.50; 4-5 950-1150 lbs. 43.00-47.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1050 lbs. 48.50-50.50. $Good 2\hbox{-}3\,750\hbox{-}1000\,lbs.\,46.50\hbox{-}48.50.$

41.00-45.00.

COWS: (Closing week sales) Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 31.00-34.00. Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 34.00-35.00, high-yielding cutter and boning utility 1-2 35.00-36.00. Cutter 1-2 30.00-34.00. Shelly canner 1-2 26.00-30.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1050-2125 lbs. 350-700 lbs. heifers 41.00-49.00. 40.00-46.00, mostly 40.00-45.00.

> **Belleville** Livestock Belleville, Pa. Apr. 23, 1986

Report supplied by PDA CATTLE 115. Compared with Wednesday's market: last' Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 lower. Individual Good slaughter steers at 45.50, few Standard 35.75-36.75. Few Standard slaughter heifers 38.00-38.75. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 33.50-36.85, couple 38.10, Cutter & Boning Utility 33.00-35.85, Canner & Low Cutter 29.50-33.00. Yield Grade No. 1 985-2185 lbs. slaughter bulls 41.85-44.85. Feeder Cattle: Few Medium Frame No. 1

CALVES 112: Individual Choice vealer at 74.00, few Good 60.00-69.00. Standard & Good 70-100 lbs. 38.00-45.00, few Utility 60-75 lbs. 30.00-35.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 50.00-110.00, mostly 75.00-100.00.

HOGS 87: Two lots US No. 1-2 215-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 44.25-45,25, No. 2-3 (few lots) 215-245 lbs. 38.00-43.35, one lot No. 2-4 285 lbs. at 33.75. Few US No. 1-3 450-690 lbs. sows 33.00-36.25. Boars 24.50-30.00.

FEEDER PIGS 211- US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 26.00-37.00, few lots 75-100 lbs. 47.00-49.00 - all per head.

SHEEP 170: BULK OF SUPPLY SPRING SLAUGHTER LAMBS SOLD TO GREEK EASTER TRADE. Choice 20-50 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 85-115.00, one lot

30 lbs. at 130.00, 60-100 lbs. 65.00-79.00. Slaughter ewes 18.00-28.00. GOATS 51: Large 28.00-49.00, Small kids 7.00-19.00 - all per head. HOLSTEIN DAIRY COWS 400.00-860.00 PER HEAD.

Peoria Cattle Thursday, April 24 **Report Supplied by USDA**

Compared with last week's close slaughter steers closed 1.50 to 2.50 lower after starting the week .50-1.00 lower then decline another 1.00-1.50 late. Trading moderately active with good demand at current price level. Cows and bulls firm to 1.00 higher early, not tested late. Supply mainly good to average Choice slaughter steers and heifers with 6% cows estimated receipts this week about 1800 compared with actual receipts of 1292 a week ago and 1323 a year

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 3 1050-1250 lbs. 53.00-55.50, light sales 53.00-53.50; 975-1050 lbs. 52.50-54.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lbs. 50.00-53.50. Late sales 50.0-51.50. Good 2-3 900-1100 lbs. 48.50-51.05; few Good 2-, holsteins 1150-1250 lb. 44.00-

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 3 950-1150 lbs. 50.50-53.75; late sales 50.50-51.50; Choice 3-4, 100-1150 49.50-52.00; Mixed Good & Choice 2-3, 900-1100 lb. 47.50-51.50; Good 2-3 800-950 lbs. 45.00-48.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility 2-3 30.00-33.00. Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 30.00-35.00, high dressing 35.00-37.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1500-2000 lbs. 42.00-43.50.

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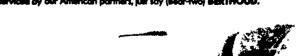
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