

Livestock market and auction news

Westminster Livestock

Small Animals, Eggs, Produce
Tuesday, July 22, 1986
All Prices Per Head

Crates Sold 160.

DUCKS: Large \$2.50 to 4.25, Med. \$2.00 to 2.75, Small \$1.70 to 2.60.

GEESE: \$4.00 to 11.50.

GUINEAS: \$4.00, Pigeons \$.75 to 1.00.

CHICKENS: Large \$2.00 to 3.75, Small \$.75 to 2.00, Silkies \$1.25-1.90.

TURKEYS: 1 at \$18.50.

RABBITS: Large \$2.00 to 4.00, Med. \$1.50 to 2.75, Small \$1.00-1.60, Bunnies \$.25 to 1.00.

Eggs 90 Doz.- All Prices Per Dozen.

Jumbo Brown \$1.30, Extra Large Brown 81-91 cents, Large Brown 66-71 cents, Medium Brown 45-58 cents.

Extra Large White 60-70 cents, Large White 59-64 cents, Medium White 35-45 cents.

PRODUCE

APPLES: (Peck) \$1.25 to 2.00.

BEANS: (½ Bu.) \$3.00.

BEETS: \$2.25 to 6.00.

CABBAGE: \$1.00 to 2.00.

CORN: (2 Doz. Lots) \$1.75 to 3.00.

LOPES: (Per Box) \$2.00 to 5.50.

MELONS: (Each) \$2.00 to 2.75.

HONEY: (Per Qt.) \$1.35 to 2.00.

PEACHES: (½ Bu.) \$1.00 to 2.75.

PLUMS: (Box) \$1.00 to 3.50.

PEPPERS: (Box) \$.75 to 2.00.

POTATOES: (½ Bu.) 2.50 to 2.75.

SQUASH (½ Bu.) 1.00 to 3.00.

TOMATOES: (Peck) 1.00 to 3.50.

Omaha Weekly

Thursday, July 24

Report supplied by USDA

Slaughter steers and heifers closed 1.00 higher than last week, advance coming early and continuing through closing trade. Good buyer demand was major factor in advancing prices. Carcass beef prices firm but boxed beef cut-outs down from last week.

Slaughter cows firm to 1.00 higher, slaughter bulls steady.

Estimated 5 day receipts this week 4,500 compared to actual receipts last week to 4,405 and actual receipts last year of 5,306. Slaughter steers accounted for 46 percent of receipts, slaughter heifers 40 percent, slaughter cows 7 percent and feeder cattle 5 percent.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Closing sales choice 2-3, few 4's 1050-1300 lbs. 59.00-60.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1050-1250 lbs. 57.50-59.00. Few good 54.00-57.50. Few good 2 1100-1350 lb. holsteins 45.50-46.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Closing sales choice 2-3, few 4's 950-1100 lbs. 58.00-59.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 925-1050 lbs. 55.00-58.00. Few good 51.00-55.00.

Average of LS 214 detailed price quotations for choice 900-1100 lb. steers 58.75, 1100-1300 lb. steers 60.00. Average cost of all slaughter steers this week 57.85, average weight 1152 lbs. compared to 56.39 and 1152 lbs. last week. Average cost of all slaughter heifers this week 56.65, average weight 998 lbs. as compared to 56.01 and 1027 lbs. last week.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking utility and commercial 2-4 36.00-40.25. Cutter and boning utility 1-3 36.50-39.50, few high dressing to 41.25. Canner and low cutter 32.00-37.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Few 1-2 1500-1800 lbs. 45.00-47.50.

Lebanon Valley Livestock

Fredericksburg, PA

Tuesday, July 22, 1986

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 172. Compared with last Tuesday's market: Slaughter cows uneven. Few Choice 1145-1410 lbs. steers 56.50-59.25, few Good 46.75-54.25, Choice holsteins 47.00-50.50, Good 44.00-46.25, Standard 40.25-43.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 49.00-54.25, Good 43.00-48.25. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 35.75-

38.50, Cutter and Boning Utility 34.25-36.50, Canner and Low Cutter 29.60-33.75, Shells down to 27.75. Few Good slaughter bullocks 45.75-49.75, few Standard 42.75-45.25. Yield Grade No. 1, 1230-1900 lbs. slaughter bulls 49.25-50.75, few No. 2, 1015-1345 lbs. 40.25-43.00.

CALVES 239. Few Choice 77.00-80.00, few Good 60.00-62.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 43.00-46.00, 65-85 lbs. 37.00-43.00, Utility 50-90 lbs. 20.00-41.00...FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 90-120 lbs. 45.00-97, mostly 67.00-92.00. Few Beef cross bulls and heifers 100-110 lbs. 78.00-87.00.

HOGS 146. Small supply \$2 higher. US No. 1-3 210-220 lbs. barrows and gilts 59.25-59.60, One Lot 2-3 222 lbs. at 58.25, Lot No. 2-4 252 lbs. at 53.00, few No. 1-3 175-190 lbs. 43.00-51.00. US No. 1-3 350-500 lbs. sows 43.00-45.00, few No. 1-3 500-565 lbs. 46.50-48.00...Few Boars 30.50-32.50.

FEEDER PIGS. None.

SHEEP 4. Few Good and Choice 80-110 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 56.00-58.00...Slaughter ewe, individual at 35.00...GOATS 6: 11.00-32.00 per head.

Weekly Summary

Harrisburg, PA

Friday, July 25

Report supplied by PDA

15 Livestock Markets

CATTLE: 7528. Compared with 7430 head last week, and 6614 head a year ago. Compared with last Friday's market: sl. steers steady to 1.00, spots 2.00 higher; sl. heifers steady to 1.00 higher; cows uneven, 2.00 higher to 1.00 lower; small supply sl. bullocks unevenly steady, sl. bulls steady to 1.00 lower. High Choice & Prime 2-4 sl. steers 59.50-62.00, few to 62.60, Choice 56.50-61.00 few down to 53.00, Good 49.25-54.00, Standard 44.50-49.00; Choice sl. heifers 51.50-56.75, few to 58.75, Good 45.00-51.00, Standard 40.00-45.00; Breaking Utility & Commercial sl. cows 35.75-39.00 few to 40.50, Cutter & Boning Utility 34.00-38.50, Canner

and low Cutter 31.00-34.50, some down to 28.00, shells down to 18.00; few Choice sl. bullocks 50.00-53.25, Good 44.00-48.75, few Standard 41.75-45.25; YG 1 1000-2920 lb. sl. bulls 43.50-49.50 few to 52.75, YG 2 900-1400 lbs. 39.00-44.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium Frame 1 400-700 lbs. 48.00-58.00, few Large Frame 2 600-900 lbs. 41.00-49.00; Heifers, Medium Frame 1 300-650 lbs. 42.00-50.00, Large Frame 2 400-800 lbs. 35.00-46.00; Bulls, Medium Frame 1 400-800 lbs. 42.00-58.00, Medium Frame 2 300-700 lbs. 39.00-44.00.

CALVES: 4152. Compared with 4313 head last week, and 4031 head a year ago. Vealers highly uneven. Few Prime 80.00-91.00, Choice 66.00-73.00 few to 83.00, Good 50.00-64.00 few down to 45.00; Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 40.00-51.00, 65-85 lbs. 35.00-44.00; Utility 50-110 lbs. 25.00-40.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs. 42.00-97.00, mostly 60.00-75.00; holstein heifers 90-125 lbs. 44.00-61.00; Beef Cross Bulls & Heifers 70-110 lbs. 50.00-80.00.

HOGS: 4346. Compared with 5378 head last week, and 5766 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts mostly 2.00-3.00 higher. US 1-2 200-245 lbs. 61.50-63.00, few 64.50; 1-3 210-250 lbs. 60.00-62.00; 2-3 220-265 lbs. 59.00-61.00; 2-4 240-285 lbs. 58.00-60.00; 1-3 140-200 lbs. 45.00-52.00; 1-3 350-675 lb. Sows 42.00-51.00 with few to 55.00; 2-3 300-650 lbs. 38.00-44.00. Boars 33.00-38.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 1074. Compared with 1377 head last week, and 937 head a year ago. Uneven, mostly steady to 2.00 lower. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 28.00-38.00, 35-50 lbs. 36.00-48.00, 50-75 lbs. 46.00-58.00 all per head.

SHEEP: 1477. Compared with 1918 head last week, and 1180 head a year ago. Spring sl. lambs steady to strong, spots 4.00 higher. High Choice & Prime 65-120 lbs. 64.00-76.00; few Choice 30-60 lbs. 68.00-100.00, 60-110 lbs. 60.00-69.00; Good 50-90 lbs. 49.50-62.00; Good & Choice 60-80 lb. feeder lambs 52.00-

80.00; sl. sheep 13.00-32.00.

3 GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES: 1540. Compared with 2315 head last week, and 1304 head a year ago. Feeder pigs mostly steady, 10.00, spots to 15.00 higher. 1-2 20-30 lbs. 102.00-108.00, 30-40 lbs. 116.00-126.00, 40-50 lbs. 100.00-116.00, 50-60 lbs. 90.00-120.00, 60-75 lbs. 87.00-102.00 per hundredweight.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, Pa.

Thursday, July 24

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CATTLE: 185. Steers, heifers and cows steady; Choice 53.00-56.00; Good 47.50-53.00; Standard 44.50-48.00; Choice heifers 51.50-56.75; few Good 46.00-49.00; Standard 41.00-44.25; Breaking Utility & Commercial cows 36.25-39.00; Cutter & Boning 34.00-37.50; Canner & Low Cutter 28.00-34.00; YG No. 1, 1100-2160 lb. 44.00-49.50; No. 2, 900-1400 lb. 39.00-42.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers Med. & Large No. 1 few 600-900 lb. 48.00-52.00; few Med. No. 1 heifers 600-800 lb. 43.00-48.00; few Large No. 1, 800-900 lb. 48.00-50.00; bulls Med. & Large No. 1, 500-900 lb. 41.00-50.00.

CALVES: 150. Few Choice 61.00-70.00; few Good 49.00-57.00; 90-120 lb. 43.00-49.00; holstein bulls 90-130 lb. 55.00-85.00.

HOGS: 134. Strong to .25 higher; No. 1-2, 220-245 lb. 61.25-62.00; No. 1-3, 205-240 lb. 60.00-61.00; No. 2-3, 200-240 lb. 56.75-58.50; No. 1-3, sows 400-680 lb. 48.00-50.50; few No. 2-3, 350-600 lb. 46.00-48.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 32. Lot 40 lb. 29.00; Utility 15-20 lb. 18.00-21.00 per head.

SHEEP: 56. Steady; High Choice 80-85 lb. 64.00-67.00; Choice 75-85 lb. 60.00-64.00; few Good & Choice 55-70 lb. feeder lambs 55.00-66.00; sl. sheep 13.00-19.00.

GOATS: 8. 13.00-30.00 per head.

Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.

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CATTLE: 281. Sl. cows 1.00-2.00 higher; low Choice 1150-1650 lb. 49.50-54.50; Good 46.60-50.85; few Choice holsteins 48.85-49.85; few Good 40.00-43.85; few Standard heifers 39.00-44.50; cows Breaking Utility & Commercial 36.00-39.75; Cutter & Boning 35.00-38.25; Canner & Cutter 31.50-35.50; few YG No. 1, 1325-1950 lb. bulls 44.00-47.75.

FEEDER STEERS: Med. No. 1 heifers 300-685 lb. 40.00-45.50.

CALVES: 473. Few Choice 49.50-63.50; few Good 45.00-55.00; 70-100 lb. 40.00-46.00; holstein bulls 90-130 lb. 45.00-80.00, mostly 60.00-75.00.

HOGS: 19. Few US No. 2-3, 215-255 lb. 60.00-60.35.

FEEDER PIGS: 6. 25 lb. 28.00 per head.

SHEEP: 29. Choice 55-95 lb. spring lambs 51.00-58.00; Good 45-55 lb. 46.50-51.00.

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