

St. Louis Cattle

Thursday, August 14

Report supplied by USDA

Receipts This Week 2,500
Week Ago 2,400
Year Ago 2,400

Compared to last week's close, slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 higher. Slaughter heifers 1.50-2.00 higher. Cows mostly 1.00 higher. Few bulls steady. Slaughter supply mainly choice steers and heifers, around 10% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 1050-1325 lbs. 60.00 early, not tested late. Choice 2-4 975-1350 lbs. 59.00-60.50, closing 59.50-60.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1250 lbs. 57.50-50.00. Good 2-3 900-1250 lbs. 55.50-58.00. Mostly good 2-3 1050-1600 lb. holsteins 45.00-51.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1125-1150 lbs. 51.50-52.00. Load 1400 lbs. late 53.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed choice and prime 2-4 900-1125 lbs. 58.00-58.50. Couple packages 2-3 1075-1150 lbs. 59.00-59.25 early, not tested late. Choice 2-4 825-1125 lbs. 57.00-59.00, closing sales 58.00-59.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 800-1050 lbs. 55.50-58.00. Good 2-3 750-1000 lbs. 52.00-56.00.

COWS: (Closing week sales) Breaking utility and commercial 2-4 36.00-38.00. Cutter and boning utility 1-2 38.00-39.00. High-yielding cutter and boning utility 1-2 39.00-40.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 34.00-37.00. Shelly canner 1-2 30.00-34.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1150-2200 lbs. 44.00-49.00.

Wednesday's weekly sheep auction. Receipts around 350 head. Slaughter lambs 10.00-12.00 higher. Slaughter ewes 4.00-6.00 higher. Feeder lambs 5.00-10.00 higher. Improved quality. Very good demand.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and prime shorn with no. 1-2 pelts 90-110 lbs. 75.50-78.00. Woolled 80-110 lbs. 72.00-77.50.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility to good 26.00-33.00.

FEEDER LAMBS: Choice and fancy 55-75 lbs. 70.50-76.50,

package 75 lbs. 79.00. Choice 60-70 lbs. 65.50-72.50.

FEEDERS: Receipts around 700 head. Feeder steers and heifers opening steady to 1.00 higher, closing mostly 2.00-3.00 higher. Bulk of the receipts 400-600 lb. steers and heifers. Overall quality continues to improve. Good demand. Holsteins scarce.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium with a few large frame 1: 300-500 lbs. 64.00-69.25, few thin gaunt 70.00-74.00; 500-600 lbs. 62.00-67.75; 600-700 lbs. 59.00-64.25; 700-900 lbs. few 58.00-60.25.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium frame 1: 350-580 lbs. 55.50-60.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium with a few large frame 1: 300-500 lbs. 55.00-61.00; 500-600 lbs. 56.25-59.50; 600-700 lbs. 53.00-57.75; 700-900 lbs. 51.00-54.50, package fleshy 923 lbs. 58.50.

COW AND CALF PAIRS: Large frame 1: Four to five year olds

1,000-1,100 lbs. with 150 lb. calf at side \$500.00 per pair.

Young 1,045 lb. with 200 lb. calf at side \$477.50 per pair.

Small frame 1: Four year olds 800-1,000 lbs. with 100 lb. calves \$405.00-420.00 per pair.

Leesport Livestock

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Wednesday, August 13, 1986

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CATTLE 261. Compared with last Wednesday's market: Slaughter steers steady to 1.50 lower. Slaughter cows uneven. High Choice and Prime 1060-1330 lbs. slaughter steers 62.00-64.85, Choice 1000-1420 lbs. 57.00-61.00, High Good and Low Choice 53.00-57.25, Good 50.00-54.50, Good and Choice Holsteins 47.00-52.50, one at 54.00, Standard 45.00-49.00. Few High Choice and Prime slaughter heifers 57.50-60.50, Choice 51.75-54.25, Good 47.10-51.60, few Standard 41.00-45.00, few Utility 33.35-

37.50. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 37.50-39.60, Cutter and Boning Utility 33.75-37.75, Canner and Low Cutter 31.25-34.75, Shells down to 25.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 50.50-55.50, Good 47.00-49.25, few Utility 39.50-41.00. Yield Grade No. 1 1140-2250 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.00-51.25, few Yield Grade No. 2 900-1125 lbs. 42.75-44.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Few Large Frame No. 2 510-640 lbs. feeder steers 42.50-47.00. Medium Frame No. 1 500-600 lbs. feeder heifers 45.50-56.50. Few Medium Frame No. 1 400-750 lbs. feeder bulls 46.50-48.75.

CALVES 126. One High Choice vealer 70.00, Choice 62.00-67.00, few Good 48.00-55.00, few Standard 35.00-41.00, Standard and Good 90-120 lbs. 40.00-45.00, 65-85 lbs. 38.00-43.00, Utility 50-105 lbs. 25.00-36.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 47.00-80.00, mostly 57.50-74.50. Holstein heifers 100-125 lbs. 50.00-56.00. Few Beef Cross bulls

and heifers 80-105 lbs. 45.00-65.00, one at 90.00.

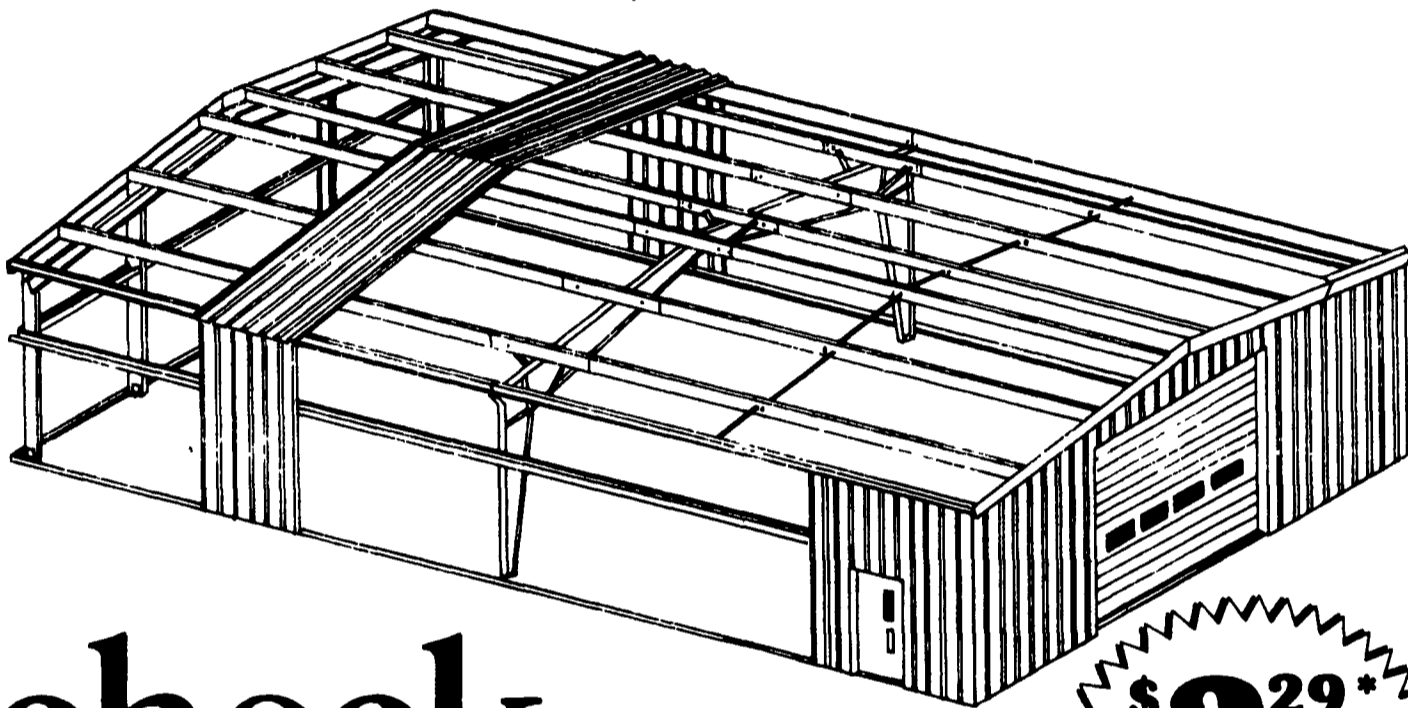
HOGS 306. Barrows and gilts strong, \$1-\$1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 62.85-64.25, No. 1-3 210-250 lbs. 61.00-62.35, No. 2-3 205-260 lbs. 60.00-60.85, No. 2-4 205-300 lbs. 51.00-54.50. Sows fully \$5-\$6 higher. US No. 1-3 330-500 lbs. sows 46.00-50.00, 500-710 lbs. 50.00-53.50. Boars 37.00-41.00, one 1030 lbs. at 27.00.

FEEDER PIGS 163. US No. 1-3 under 20 lbs. 15.00-18.00 per head. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 100.00-123.00, 40-45 lbs. 92.00-127.00, 50-70 lbs. 75.00-86.00, all cwt.

SHEEP 58. High Choice and Prime 50-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 68.00-88.00, Choice 70-90 lbs. 78.00-84.00, Good 55-75 lbs. 71.00-75.00, Good and Choice 25-50 lbs. feeder lambs 80.00-100.00. Slaughter ewes 29.00-52.00, with yearlings to 66.00.

GOATS 46. Large 45.00-63.00, Medium 31.00-47.00, Kids 19.00-31.00—all per head.

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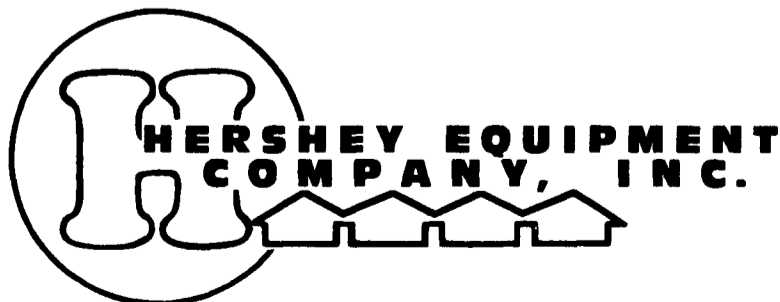
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