

National Stockyards, St. Louis Cattle, Hog

Thursday, February 19, 1987

CLOSE HOGS: 3,500 TRADING RATHER SLOW AND VERY UNEVEN. BARROWS AND GILTS OVER 210 LBS. FULLY STEADY; FEW UNDER 210 LBS. WEAK TO .50 LOWER. US 1-3 210-260 LBS. 48.75 TO MOSTLY 49.00 FEW LOTS 200-210 LBS. 48.00-48.50 US 2-3 250-270 LBS. 48.50-49.00.

SOWS: VERY UNEVEN, WEIGHTS UNDER 500 LBS. .50 LOWER; WEIGHTS OVER 600 LBS. WEAK TO 3.00 LOWER, FULL DECLINE OVER 600 LBS. ABOUT 8%. US 1-2 300-500 LBS. 39.50 US 1-3 OVER 500 LBS. 42.00-44.00 MOSTLY 42.00-43.00.

BOARS: OVER 300 LBS. 41.00 UNDER 300 LBS. 39.00-40.00 DS B 49.00-49.00 C 49.00-49.00 G 48.75-49.00 H 49.00-49.00 J 48.75-49.00 O 48.50-49.00 P 45.50-47.50 VV 39.50-39.50 WW 39.50-39.50 XX 42.00-43.00 YY 43.00-44.00 ZZ 41.00-41.00

FLASH 51 CLOSE CATTLE AND CALVES: 900 BULK OF RECEIPTS FEEDER CATTLE FOR THURSDAY'S AUCTION. OPEN MARKET CONSISTS OF SLAUGHTER COWS. COWS UNEVENLY STEADY.

SLAUGHTER COWS; BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 40.00-43.00. CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-2 42.00-44.00. CANNER AND

LOW CUTTER 1-2 38.00-40.00.

RECEIPTS THIS WEEK 1,800: WEEK AGO 3,000: YEAR AGO 2,500 SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS FULLY STEADY, INSTANCES .50 HIGHER ON LIGHT RECEIPTS. SLAUGHTER COWS 3.00-4.00 HIGHER FOR THE WEEK. SLAUGHTER BULLS SCARCE. BULK OF RECEIPTS SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 85% OF STORN MARKET RECEIPTS.

Chambersburg Hay

Chambersburg, PA

Thursday, Feb. 19, 1987

Report Supplied by Auction

24 loads. Alfalfa, 110.00-131.00; Mixed Hay, 84.00-91.00; 3 Loads Straw, 76.00-82.00.

Vintage Hay

Paradise, Pa.

Thursday, Feb. 19, 1987

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35 loads. Alfalfa, 83.00-166.00; Alfalfa & Grass, 90.00-137.00; Grass Hay, 80.00-100.00; Timothy, 81.00-106.00. Mixed Hay, 85.00-137.50; Straw, 113.00-132.50; Corn Fodder, 52.63.

North Jersey Market

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1987

Hay—Straw & Grain Report

Alfalfa 1.75-2.00; Mixed 1.70; Timothy 1.90-2.00; Grass 2.00; Oats 1.75.

Westminster Livestock Auction

Hagerstown, Md.

Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1987

Report supplied by auction

SLAUGHTER COWS: Active \$1.50 higher. High Yield 43.00-45.00, 1 at 52.00; Utility 38.00-43.00; Canners 36.50-40.00 Shelly 35.00-Down. Bulls Good 47.00-48.00. Fed Steers Good 1000-1100 lb. 53.00-56.00. Fed Heifers Good Low Choice 52.00-56.50; Good 47.00-52.00. Veal Calves Good 200-300 lb. 62.00-73.00; 130-150 lb. 60.00-66.00; Killer 80-100 lb. 47.00-53.00; Weak/Rough 42.00-Down. Farm Calves Holstein Bulls 100-120 lbs. 80.00-108.00; 90-95 lbs. 60.00-88.00. Beef Cross 80-110 lbs. 50.00-70.00. Butcher Hogs Lg. run, prices steady. US #1&2 215-240 lb. 50.00-50.25; 215-240 lb. #1&3 48.00-49.75; 270-290 lb. 43.50-47.50; 300-400 lb. 46.50-48.00. Sows 300-500 lbs. 37.50-42.75; 500-600 lbs. 39.00-44.00. Boars 300-700 lbs. 34.75-35.75.

STOCK CATTLE: Good demand. Steers few 300-500 lb. to 65.00; 500-800 lb. Good 55.00-59.00; Medium 47.00-53.00; 850-1000 lb. Good 50.00-57.00. Heifers 300-500 lbs. Good 50.00-56.50; 500-900 lbs. Medium 42.00-51.00; Holsteins 200-300 lb. 54.00-60.00. Bulls 300-500 lbs. Good 58.00-64.50. Lambs New Crop 50-70 lb. 87.00-96.00; Wooled 145 lb. 48.00. Sheep 23.00-34.00. Goats Lg. Billies 56.00-64.00; Medium & Small 20.00-40.00; Kids 10.00-20.00. Pigs &

Shoats 125 head, prices higher- By the head: 20-30 lb. 28.00-34.00; 40-50 lb. 37.00-46.00; By the lb.: 1 lot 181 lb. 41.00; Boars 140-200 lb. 35.00-39.50; 200-300 lb. 33.00-38.00.

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.

Wednesday, Feb. 18

Report supplied by Auction

SLAUGHTER: Fed Steers, \$1-\$2 higher; Choice to Prime 63.00-68.00; Good to Choice 56.00-62.00; Medium 50.00-55.00. Dairy Type 42-49 Heifers Choice 56.00-59.00; Good 50.00-55.00; Medium 44.00-49.00. Cows Good run, \$1 higher; High Yield 41.00-43.00; Average 37.00-40.00; Big Middle 33.00-36.00; Fatty Herf. 32.00-36.00; Shelly 33.00 down. Fat bulls; Good 45.00-46.75; Medium 42.00-44.00.

VEAL CALVES: strong demand for choice; Choice 90.00-99.00; Good 75.00-89.00; Medium 65.00-74.00; Farm Hfrs. 73.00-90.00; Farm Bulls 90.00-112.00; Light calves 45.00-53.00; Weak calves 44.00 down.

STEERS: very active \$1.50 higher; 400-550 lb. Choice 65.00-71.00; Good 58.00-64.00; Medium 52.00-57.00; Culls 51.00 down. Steers 600-850 lb. Choice 61.00-65.00; Good 55.00-60.00; Medium 50.00-54.00. Heifers (all weights) Choice 52.00-56.50; Good 46.00-51.00; Medium 41.00-45.00. Dairy

Cows \$600.00-700.00. Springing Heifers \$500.00-675.00. Open Dairy Heifers 52.00-58.00.

PIGS, HD.: Light run, steady prices. 25-50 lb. 27.00-38.00. Shoats by lb. 38.00-46.00. Sl. Slaughter Hogs \$1.50 lower; #283 235-250 lbs. 45.00-48.50; 275-450 lb. 48.00-50.00. Sows 450-680 lbs. 42.00-43.50; Thin Sows 300-425 lbs. 35.00-40.00.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, Pa.

Thursday, February 19

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 208. Steers 1.00 higher; cows 1.00-1.50 higher; few High Choice sl. steers 64.00-64.50; Choice 58.50-63.50; Good 54.50-58.00; Standard 48.00-55.00; few Choice heifers 56.00-59.50; few Good 52.00-55.50; Standard 45.00-50.00; Breaking Utility & Commercial cows 42.00-46.00; few High Yielding 46.00-47.00; Cutter & Boning 38.50-43.00; Canner & Cutter 34.00-38.75; shells 29.00; one Choice bullock 57.75; one Good 54.75; few YG No. 1, 1200-1700 lb. sl. bull 46.00-53.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers few Med. No. 1, 450-650 lb. 56.00-65.00; bulls few Med. No. 1, 450-700 lb. 54.00-64.00; Med. 2, 400-600 lb. 45.00-49.50.

CALVES: 148. Few Choice 74.00-77.00; few Good 70.00-74.00; Standard & Good 90-120 lb. 54.00-62.50; 65-85 lb. 40.00-56.00; hol. bulls 90-125 lb. 70.00-97.00; few beef cross bulls and heifers 75-90 lb. 58.00-70.00.

HOGS: 187. 1.00-1.50 higher; No. 1-2, 215-250 lb. 49.00-50.00; No. 1-3, 210-230 lb. 48.50-49.00; few No. 2-4, 260-280 lb. 44.00-45.00; few No. 1-3, 400-700 lb. sows 43.00-45.00; few No. 2-3, 350-550 lb. 41.00-43.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 38. 30-45 lb. 28.00-35.00 per head.

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