



Livestock market and auction news

Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.
Sat., Feb. 28, 1987

Report supplied by auction

FEEDER CATTLE TREND:
Steady to \$4 lower. **STEERS:**
M&L-1 200-300 lbs. 80.00-89.00; 300-500 lbs. 68.00-81.50; 500-700 lbs. 62.00-71.00; 700-1000 lbs. 57.00-63.00.
S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 60.00-75.00; 500-700 lbs. 58.00-65.00; 700-1000 lbs. 57.00; Holstein 300-1000 lbs. 47.00-52.00.
FEEDER BULLS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 64.00; 500-700 lbs. 59.00-63.00.
HEIFERS: M&L-1 300-500 lbs. 58.00-63.00; 500-700 lbs. 57.00-63.00.

S-L&M&L-2 300-500 lbs. 53.00-59.00; 500-700 lbs. 50.00-56.00.

STOCK COWS: Beef: with calves. 445.00-480.00; Bred Heifers 365.00-410.00. Baby Calves: Small 20.00-46.00, Large 60.00-99.00; Over 100 lbs. 79.00-87.00/Cwt.

SLAUGHTER COWS TREND:
Steady. Utility & Commercial 2-4 37.00-45.50; Canner & Cutters 1-3 33.00-39.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS 1&2:
44.00-53.50.

LAMBS: Blue O High Choice & Prime 79.25; Slaughter Ewes 19.00-25.00; Head Ewes with Lambs 50.00-86.00.

HOGS: Sows 1-3 35.00-48.00; Boars 28.00.

VEALS: Choice & Prime 79.00-94.00; Good 71.00.

Virginia Cattle

Richmond, Virginia
Northern, Va.

Thurs., Feb. 28 to
Wed., March 4, 1987

Report Supplied by VDA

Head Count: 5,410
Trend: Uneven at \$4 lower to \$3 higher.

STEERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 72.00-83.00; 500-700 lbs. 62.00-74.00; 700-1000 lbs. 55.00-57.75. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 68.00-77.00; 500-700 lbs. 61.00-70.00; 700-1000 lbs. 57.00-63.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 64.00-75.00; 500-700 lbs. 58.50-69.50; 700-1000 lbs. 57.00.

HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 56.00-66.50; 500-700 lbs. 52.00-64.00; 700-900 lbs. 50.00-59.50. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 59.00-66.00; 500-700 lbs. 59.00-64.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 55.00-62.00; 500-700 lbs. 50.00-61.00.

South & Southwest Va.

STEERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 73.50-87.00; 500-700 lbs. 61.50-71.00; 700-900 lbs. 58.00-67.50. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 72.25-85.00; 500-700 lbs. 62.75-72.25; 700-900 lbs. 60.75-61.00. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 75.00-80.50; 500-700 lbs. 55.00-65.00.

HEIFERS: Medium 1 300-500 lbs. 57.50-70.00; 500-700 lbs. 55.00-63.50; 700-900 lbs. 52.50-60.00. Large 1 300-500 lbs. 60.00-70.00; 500-700 lbs. 57.00-64.75; 700-900 lbs. 58.25. Small 1 300-500 lbs. 50.00-63.50; 500-700 lbs. 52.50-61.00.

1300-1600 LB 45.00-56.25 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 46.00-54.50 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS VEALERS - HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 100-250 LBS 79.00-94.00 FEW 68.50 GOOD AND CHOICE 100-250 LBS 66.00-79.50 FEW 82.00 CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 57.00-70.50 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 95-125 LBS 75.00-81.10. BUCKS 72.00 SLAUGHTER HOGS US 2-4 200-250 LBS 43.00-48.00 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 34.00-45.00. 500 LBS & OVER 38.00-48.00 FEEDER CATTLE STEERS: MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 73.50-87.00 FEW 64.50 500-700 LBS 61.50-72.50 FEW 59.50 HEIFERS, MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 60.00-70.00 500-700 LBS 57.50-64.00.

Four States Livestock

Hagerstown, Md.
Wednesday, Mar. 4

Report supplied by Auction

SLAUGHTER: Fed Steers: Steady Prices. Choice to Prime 62.00-65.00; Low Choice 57.00-61.00; Good 52.00-56.00; Medium 47.00-51.00. Heifers: Low Choice 54.00-56.50; Good 48.00-53.00; Medium 42.00-47.00. Cows: Good Run, Steady Prices. High Yield 42.00-46.00; Average 37.00-41.00; Big Middle 33.00-36.00; Fatty Herf. 32.00-36.00; Shelly 32.00-down. Fat Bulls: Steady. Good 48.00-52.00; Medium 44.00-47.00. Veal Calves: Steady Prices. Good 64.00-70.00; Medium 58.00-63.00; Farm Hfrs. 57.00-73.00; Farm Bulls 80.00-100.00; Light Calves 52.00-60.00; Weak Calves 51.00-Down. Lambs-Very Active. Choice 79.00-82.00; Good 74.00-78.00.

STEERS- 400-550 lbs. Good Run, \$2 Higher. Choice 66.00-69.00; Good 59.00-65.00; Medium 53.00-58.00; Culls 52.00-Down. Steers- 600-850 lbs. Choice 62.00-65.00; Good 56.00-61.00; Medium 51.00-55.00. Heifers (All Weights) Choice 55.00-61.50; Good 48.00-54.00; Medium 42.00-47.00; Open Dairy Heifers 50.00-58.00; Springing Heifers: Large \$600.00-960.00; Small \$400.00-575.00. Pigs, Hd.: Good Run, Steady Prices. 30-60 lbs. 24.00-30.00; 60-80 lbs. 31.00-40.00; 100-175 lbs. 43.00-50.00. Slaughter Hogs- Steady. 235-247 44.60-45.60. Light Boars- 150-295 lbs. 33.00-39.00. Sows- 340-360 lbs. 40.00-46.00; 370-575 lbs. 36.00-39.00. Bulls- Choice 58.00-60.00; Good 53.00-57.00; Medium 48.00-52.00.

Special Spring Feeder Cattle Sale Next Week, March 11, 7 p.m.

Virginia Weekly Livestock

Thursday, March 5, 1987

MARKET IN REVIEW, FEB 26-MARCH 4, 1987
FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS IN VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WERE MIXED THIS WEEK, \$4.00 LOWER TO \$3.00 HIGHER WHILE MIDWEST MARKETS WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 LOWER. SLAUGHTER CATTLE PRICES REGISTERED SOME STRENGTH CLOSING STEADY TO \$1.00 HIGHER CARCASS BEEF PRICES APPROACHING A BURDENSOME SLAUGHTER LEVEL WERE STEADY. COWS AND BULLS AT VIRGINIA AUCTIONS WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 HIGHER WHILE MIDWEST MARKETS WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 HIGHER BEEF PRODUCTION WAS UP 8.8 PERCENT FROM THE PREVIOUS WEEK AND DOWN 3.2 PERCENT FROM A YEAR AGO WITH THE AVERAGE ABOUT 2 LBS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR THE BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUE OF CHOICE 2-3, 550-700 LB CARCASSES WERE \$98.80 THURSDAY DOWN \$1.32 FROM LAST WEEK VEAL AND CALF PRICES AT VIRGINIA AUCTIONS FOLLOWED EAST COAST MEAT PRICES WHICH WERE WEAK TO AS MUCH AS \$6.00 LOWER SLAUGHTER WAS DOWN 12.4 PERCENT FROM A YEAR AGO SLAUGHTER LAMBS FOLLOWED THE MIDWEST MARKETS REMAINING FIRM TO STEADY WHILE CARCASS PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$5.00 HIGHER HOG PRICES AT VIRGINIA AUCTIONS AND THE MIDWEST WERE STEADY TO \$1.00 LOWER PORK SLAUGHTER WAS DOWN 4.5 PERCENT BUT THE CARCASSES WERE 2 LB HEAVIER THAN A WEEK AGO AND 5 LBS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR THE RICHMOND HOG MARKET CLOSED 50 CENT LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY WITH BARROWS AND GILTS 1-4, 220-250 LBS AT \$45.00-45.50/CWT TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK 275 HEAD THE SOUTHEAST VIRGINIA HOG MARKET CLOSED \$1.00-1.50 LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY WITH BARROWS AND GILTS 1-4, 220-250 LBS AT \$45.00-45.50 PER CWT TOTAL RECEIPTS FOR THE WEEK 13,066 HEAD AT HARRISONBURG, LYNCHBURG AND TAPPAHANNOCK HOG PRICES WERE \$1.00 LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY AT \$44.00-46.00/CWT SOWS WERE \$34.00-40.00/CWT AND BOARS \$29.00/CWT PRICES RANGES FOR VIRGINIA AUCTIONS SLAUGHTER CATTLE CHOICE STEERS 2-3 1000-1300 LBS 59.10-61.50 CHOICE STEERS 2-3 1300 LBS & OVER 59.50-60.40 CHOICE HEIFERS 2-3 900-1100 LBS 54.40-58.50 CHOICE HEIFERS 2-3 1100 LBS & OVER 55.25-59.75 UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 34.50-48.00 BULLS 1-2 900-1300 LBS 42.50-55.50. 1-2

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