

Belknap Livestock

Dayton, Pa.
 Wednesday, April 29
 Report Supplied by PDA
CATTLE 65: Compared with last Wednesday's market: Good slaughter heifer, individual 52.75. Few Breaking Utility and Commercial sl. cows 42.50-46.50, cutter and boning utility 40.00-43.50, canner and low cutter 36.00-40.00, Shells down to 28.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1335-1385 lbs. sl. bulls 49.00-53.00, one No. 2, 1290 lbs. 48.00. Feeder Cattle: Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 605-920 lbs. steers 50.50-60.00. Few Medium Frame No. 1-2, 350-430 lbs. heifers 56.50-62.50. Medium Frame No. 1-2 370-510 lbs. bulls 63.00-74.00.

CALVES 94: Choice vealers 86.00-97.00, Standard and Good 90-130 lbs. 64.00-75.00, 60-85 lbs. 58.00-70.00, few Utility 50-105 lbs. 50.00-54.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 95-125 lbs. 89.00-125.00, few 130.00-142.00, few 85-95 lbs. 71.00-80.00. Beef cross bulls & heifers 60-130 lbs. 67.00-98.00.

HOGS 174: Barrows and gilts 4.00 higher. US No. 1-2 225-235 lbs. 54.40-55.00, 1-3 220-250 lbs. 53.00-54.20, 2-3 220-270 lbs. 50.80-53.10, few 50.00, 1-3 175-205 lb. 43.00-48.00. Sows 2.00 higher. US No. 1-3 350-645 lbs. sows 40.75-45.50. Boar, individual 31.50.

FEEDER PIGS 39: US No. 1-2 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 43.00-50.00, 1-3 30-45 lbs. 36.00-47.00, small lot utility 25 lbs. 22.00 - all per head.

SHEEP 4: Small lot high choice and prime 74 lbs. spring sl. lambs 91.00.

GOATS 7: Few Medium & Large 18.00-44.00, couple kids 25.00 - all per head.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, Pa.
 Thursday, April 30

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE: 309. Steers 1.50-2.00 higher; sl. cows 1.00-2.00 higher; Choice steers 64.50-70.10; Good 58.50-64.00; Standard 52.00-58.00; few Utility 47.50-52.00; Choice heifers 62.00-68.00; Good 56.00-61.00; few Standard 50.00-56.00; Breaking Utility & Commercial cows 44.00-48.00; Cutter & Boning 41.00-45.00; Canner & Cutter 36.00-41.00; shells 31.00; YG 1 sl. bulls 950-1700 lb. 52.00-59.50; No. 2 few 900-1400 lb. 43.50-48.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Med. 1, 400-600 lb. steers 61.00-75.00; few Large 1, 900 lb. 63.25; Med. 1 heifers 500-700 lb. 55.00-67.00; Large 2, 400-600 lb. 46.00-56.00.

CALVES 144: Few Good vealers 69.00-80.00; Standard & Good 90-120 lb. 60.00-70.00; 60-85 lb. 55.00-64.00; hol. bulls 90-125 lb. 85.00-115.00.

HOGS 191: US 1-2, 210-250 lb. barrows & gilts 54.00-55.00; 1-3, 215-260 lb. 53.00-54.10; 2-3, 250-270 lb. 49.00-50.00; light 1-3, 180-190 lb. 48.00-48.50; sows 1-3, 300-550 lb. 43.00-45.00; 2-3, 300-650 lb. 38.00-44.00; boars 32.00-36.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 37. Few US 1-3, 30-35 lb. 22.00-26.00; 40-55 lb. 35.00-51.00 per head.

SHEEP: 7. No market test.
GOATS 4: Couple Large 30.00 and 35.00.

Keister's Livestock

Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, Apr. 28, 1987

Report supplied by Auction

CATTLE 456: Few High Choice & Prime sl. steers 69.75-70, Choice 1100-1600 lbs. 65.50-70.10, Good & Choice 64.50-67, Good 61.00-65, Choice holsteins 59.00-61, Good 55.00-58, few 61.00, Standard 51.00-55.00. Few Choice sl. heifers 61.00-65, few Good 59.00-64.25. Breaking Utility & Commercial sl. cows 46.00-49.35, couple 52.10, one 59.75, Cutter & Boning Utility 42.50-46.50, Canner & Low Cutter 37-42.50, Shells down to 32.00. Few Choice sl. bullocks 55.00-63.50. Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1990 lbs. sl. bulls 57.00-65.25, few No. 2, 900-1350 lbs. 46.75-53.85. Feeder Cattle: Medium Frame No. 1, 300-600 lbs. 60.00-75.00, Large No. 1, 300-800 lbs. 56.00-65.00. Medium Frame No. 1, 300-550 lbs. heifers 55.00-62.00.

CALVES 162: Few Choice vealers 98.00-116, few Good 70.00-80, Standard and Good 75-100 lbs. 58.00-67.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 70.00-117, mostly 85.00-112, Holstein Heifers 80-130 lbs. 70.00-135.00.

HOGS 503: Barrows and gilts strong to .75 higher. US No. 1, 215-

235 lbs. 54.00-55.75, 1-2 210-240 lbs. 53.25-54, 2-3 200-250 lbs. 52.75-53.25, 2-4 200-270 lbs. 50.00-52.75. US No. 1-3 280-670 lbs. sows 43.50-47, few 50.00, 2-3 300-540 lbs. 35.00-43.00. Boars 37.75-38.75.

FEEDER PIGS 260: US No. 1-3 25-45 lbs. feeder pigs 39.00-48, 55-70 lbs. 56.00-62.00 - all per head.

SHEEP 18: Choice, individual 40 lbs. spring sl. lambs 145.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-24.00.

GOATS 20: Large 30.00-71.00, few Medium 22.00-33.00 - all per head.

Chambersburg Livestock

Chambersburg, Pa.

Thursday, April 30

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CATTLE: 286. Cows strong to 1.50 higher; few Choice 1200-1500 lb. steers 68.00-69.50; few Good 59.00-62.00; Good holsteins 53.50-59.00; heifers few Good holsteins 57.50-59.75; few Standard 46.00-48.75; cows Breaking Utility & Commercial 45.00-49.85; Cutter & Boning 43.00-48.00; Canner & Cutter 39.00-44.00; shells 35.50; YG 1, 950-1650 lb. bulls 49.75-59.75.

FEEDER CATTLE: Few Med. 1, 550-790 lb. 56.50-70.00.

CALVES: 316. Few Choice 88.00-96.00; few Good 80.00-84.00; Standard & Good 75-100 lb. 67.00-74.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. bulls 90-130 lb. 90.00-134.00; mostly 100.00-125.00; hol. heifers 80-140 lb. 75.00-

145.00.
HOGS: 22. 1 lot US 2-3, 245 lb. 52.00; sows few US 1-3, 370-515 lb. 40.00-43.25.

FEEDER PIGS: 10. No market test.

SHEEP: 8. 1 lot Good wool lambs 115 lb. 62.00; sl. ewes few 21.00-23.00.

Central U.S. Carol

Pork Report

Wednesday, April 29
 Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Wednesday's 3:00 P.M.: Fresh pork loins 14-23# steady to 1.00 lower; Boston butts 3.00 lower; skd. hams 5.00-6.50 lower; scls bellies 1.00 lower. Trade slow to moderate for light to moderate demand and offerings. US No. 2, 175 lb. hog carcass declined .79 to 69.23 per cwt.

Loads pork cuts 20.00.
 Loads Trim/process Pork 4.50.

Pork Cuts

FOB Omaha Basis

Loins, Regular, Fresh 14-18 lbs. 9.5 lds. 100.00-105.00. 18-22 lbs. 101.00-103.00 A.

Tenderloins

2/Bag 5 lds. 275.00.

Picnics

4-8 lbs. 52.00 A.

8/Up 52.00 A.

Boston Butts

4-8 lbs. 1 ld. 82.00.

Spareribs, Fresh

1.5-3.5 lbs. .5 ld. 148.00.

3.5-5.5 lbs. .5 ld. 126.00.

Spareribs, Frozen

1.5-3.5 lbs. 1.5 ld. 148.50-150.50.

3.5-5.5 lbs. 129.00 A.

5.5/Up lbs. 77.00 E.

Loin Backribs

1.5/Dn lbs. .5 ld. 298.00-300.00.

1.75/Dn lbs. 300.00 E.

1.75-2.25 lbs. 290.00 E.

Hams, Skinned

Fresh

14-17 lbs. .5 lds. 71.00.

17-20 lbs. 2.5 lds. 70.75-71.00.

20-26 lbs. 2 lds. 71.00.

26-32 lbs. 69.00 B.

Bellies, Scls,

Skin On, Fresh

10-12 lbs. 67.00 B.

12-14 lbs. .5 ld. 71.00.

14-16 lbs. .5 ld. 71.00.

16-18 lbs. 69.00-70.00 A.

18-20 lbs. 62.00-64.00 A.

20-25 lbs. 55.00 B.

Pork Trimmings/

Boneless Processing Pork

(Chemical Lean)

Combo 42% Fresh 51.00 B.

Boxed Frozen 47.00 C.

Combo 72% Fresh 86.75-87.00 A.

Boxed Frozen 2 lds. 82.25.

Blademeat

Boxed 88% Frozen 1 ld. 98.00.

Boneless Picnics

Combo 72% Fresh 87.00 A.

Boxed 72% Frozen 83.00-86.00 A.

Skinned Jowls

Combo Fresh 1.5 lds. 42.00.

Cured and Processed

Meats

Hams, Smoked,

Skinned, Water Added

16-19 lbs. 76.00-89.00.

19-23 lbs. 76.00-89.00.

Picnics, Smoked,

Water Added

4-7 lbs. 65.00-70.00.

Bacon, Sliced,

Vac. Pack

1 lb. pkg. 137.00-187.00.

ABCDE After Market Quotes

Represent Days Since Last Actual

Market Test. Quotes Are Dropped

After 5 Days Of No Test Or Before

If They No Longer Reflect Current

Market Conditions.

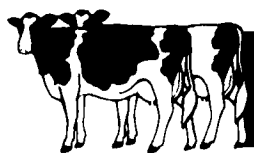


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John Z. Rolar
 Newville, PA

John Rolar manages Will-Ja Farms, a family operation that prides itself on good record-keeping. And that pretty much comes naturally to John, who handles the records of many fellow dairymen as a DHIA supervisor in Cumberland County. In fact, it was through some of those farmers that John heard of Bio-Boost, and about the milk increases this relatively new product was generating.

"I began using Bio-Boost in October of '86, says John, "and I've been feeding it ever since. On fresh cows, we'd estimate an increase of ten percent. But the main reason we like Bio-Boost is that they're peaking longer. They're getting up there to 80 to 90 pounds and hanging in there," he explained. "Before, they'd get up there and go right back down, but with Bio-Boost, they're leveling out, staying up there."

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