

Livestock market and auction news

Virginia Weekly

Richmond, VA Sept. 14, 1988 MARKETS IN REVIEW, SEPT 8-14, 1988. FEEDER STEERS AND HEIFERS VIRGINIA THIS WEEK WERE STEADY TO \$2.00 HIGHER AS MID-WEST PRICES WERE \$1 00-1 50 LOW-

SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIF-ERS IN VIRGINIA WERE \$1.00 LOWER MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$2.50-3.00 LOWER THE BOXED BEEF **CUT-OUT VALUE ON TUESDAY WAS** \$114.50, DOWN \$2.39 FROM LAST TUESDAY.

COWS AND BULLS IN VIRGINIA LAST WEEK WERE MIXED, \$2.00 HIGHER TO \$1.00 LOWER AS MID-

WES'I PRICES WERE MOSTLY STEADY. BEEF PRODUCTION WAS 15 PERCENT BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 4 PERCENT BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 8 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.

VEAL AND CALF PRICES IN VIRGI-NIA WERE STEADY LAST WEEK AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE STEADY TO \$5.00 LOWER. VEAL AND CALF SLAUGHTER WAS 8 PERCENT BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 2 PER-CENT BELOW A YEAR AGO. AVER-DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 4 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.

LAMB PRICES IN VIRGINIA LAST WEEK WAS STEADY TO \$1.00 HIGH-ER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$3.00 LOWER. LAMB SLAUGHTER WAS 4 PERCENT BELOW A WEEK AGO AND 5 PERCENT BELOW A YEAR AGO AVERAGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 1 POUND HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.

SLAUGHTER HOGS IN VIRGINIA LAST WEEK WERE 50 CENT TO \$1 00 LOWER AS MIDWEST PRICES WERE \$1.00-1.50 LOWER. FRESH PORK PRICES WERE 50 CENT TO \$5.00 LOWER EXCEPT FOR LOINS WHICH SHOWED SOME STRENGTH PORK PRODUCTION WAS 8 PERCENT BELOW A WEEK AGO BUT 11 PER-CENT ABOVE A YEAR AGO. AVER-AGE DRESSED WEIGHTS WERE 3 POUNDS HEAVIER THAN LAST YEAR.

THE RICHMOND HOG MARKET

CLOSED \$1.00-150 LOWER THAN LAST TUESDAY WITH BARROWS AND GILTS US 1-4 200-240 LBS \$37.50-39 00 PER CWT.

THE SOUTHEAST VIRGINIA HOG MARKET CLOSED STEADY TO \$100 HIGHER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY WITH BARROWS AND GILTS, US 1-4 200-240 LBS \$40 00-42 00 PER CWT

AT HARRISONBURG, LYNCHBURG AND TAPPAHANNOCK HOG PRICES WERE 50 CENT TO \$1.50 LOWER THAN LAST WEDNESDAY AT \$38.50-42.00. SOWS RANGED \$27.00-30.00 AND BOARS \$19.00 PER CWT. SLAUGHTER STEERS AND HEIFERS 4% SLAUGHTER COWS 10%, SLAUGHTER BULLS 2%, SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS 1%, FEEDER CATTLE UNDER 600 LBS 61%, OVER 600 LBS 22%.

PRICE RANGES FOR VIRGINIA **AUCTIONS**

SLAUGHTER CATTLE STEERS; CHOICE 2-3 1000-1300 LBS 64.00-73.00 CHOICE 2-3 1300 LBS & OVER 65.50-69.25 HEIFERS; CHOICE 2-3 900-1100 LBS 64.90-68.00 CHOICE 2-3 1100 LBS & OVER 66.00-68.25 UTILITY & COMMERCIAL COWS 38.00-48.50 BULLS; 1-2 900-1300 LBS 50.00-63.00 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 50.00-61.00 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 51.25-64.50 SLAUGHTER CALVES AND VEALERS -HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 100-250 LBS 90.00 GOOD AND CHOICE 100-250 LBS 74.00-80.00 CALVES - GOOD AND CHOICE 250-500 LBS 70.00-80.00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS HIGH CHOICE & PRIME 95-125 LBS 55.90-58.50; SLAUGHTER HOGS US 2-4 200-250 LBS 38.75-40.75 SOWS US 1-3 300-500 LBS 28.00-32.25; 500 LBS & OVER 29.00-32.75 FEEDER CATTLE STEERS; MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 88.00-102.00 500-700 LBS 80.00-92.50 HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 80.00-95.00 500-700 LBS 70 00-82.50.

Richmond Va.

Sept. 14, 1988 NORTHERN VIRGINIA AREA LIVESTOCK SUMMARY MARSHALL (FAUQUIER) AND STAUNTON UNION, VIRGINIA SEPT. 13, 1988 ALL TRENDS COMPARED TO LAST TUES-

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SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY. SLAUGHTER BULLS 2.00 HIGHER. SLAUGHTER COWS 98 HEAD CUT-TER & BNG.UT. 1-3 38.00-46.00 BRKG.UT. & COMM. 2-4 39.00-46.25 CANNER & LOW CUTTER 1-2

SLAUGHTER BULLS 36 HEAD; 1-2 900-1300 LBS 54.00-58.75 1-2 1300-1600 LBS 50.00-59.50 1-2 1600 LBS & OVER 54.00-64.50

LAMBS 260 HEAD - SLAUGHTER LAMBS STEADY. HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 95-125 LBS 58.00 CHOICE 85-125 LBS 59.20 FEEDER LAMBS CHOICE AND FANCY 70-85 LBS 73.25; 60-70 LBS 78.25 SLAUGHTER EWES ALL GRADES 10.00-18.00

FEEDER CATTLE 600 HEAD - NO TRENDS REPORTED. STEERS; MEDIUM 1 400-500 75.00-88.00 500-600 79.00-88.00 600-700 73.00-83.00 700-800 75.00-81.00

HEIFERS; MEDIUM 1 400-500 72.00-78.00 500-600 69.00-78.00 600-700 68.00-74.00 FEEDER BULLS; MEDIUM 1 300-500 LBS 75.00-82.00 500-700 LBS 63.00-76.00 BABY CALVES RETURNED TO FARMS 42 HEAD NEWBORN TO 4 WK OLD 30.00-110.00 PER HEAD. OVER 100 LBS 79.00-115.00 PER CWT.

STATE GRADED FEEDER CATTLE 1054 HEAD SOLD AT MARSHALL (FAUOUIER)

STEERS; MED.&LARGE 1 MED.&LARGE 2 400-500 96,50-99.50 91.50 500-600 83.75-93.50 --- 600-700 79.25-84.00 71.50-78.25 700-800 75.00-80.75 75.25-76.00 800-900 74.75-77.25 70.00-74.00 900-1100 71.75-76.00 --

HEIFERS; MED.&LARGE 1 MED.&LARGE 2 300-400 80.50 73.50 400-500 80.50-84.75 76.50 500-600 75.50-79.50 75.50 600-700 74.75-76.75 74.50 700-800 67.50-74.50 --- 800-900 64.50-66.50.

Richmond, VA Sept. 13, 1988 SOUTHEAST AND CENTRAL VIR-JINIA AREA LIVESTOCK SUMMARY

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