

St. Louis Cattle, Hogs

SPRINGFIELD, IL
FEBRUARY 24, 1997

Cattle: 450 head, last week 400, and last year 600 head. Compared to last week, slaughter steers and heifers fully 1.00 higher, except holstein steers steady. Slaughter cows 2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply mainly Choice and Select and Choice steers and heifers. Light supply of holstein steers. Around 15% cows.

*NOTE: Beginning Monday, April 7, all Monday slaughter cattle will be sold by auction at National Stockyards.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1025-1375 lbs. 63.00-65.00; 2-3 1075-1350 lbs. 65.00-66.00; Load 1400 lbs. at 67.00. Select and Choice 2-3 975-1300 lbs. 59.00-63.00; Select 2-3 975-1250 lbs. 56.00-59.00.

Holstein Steers: Choice 2-3 1300-1500 lbs. 61.00-65.00; Select and Choice 2-3 1075-1400 lbs. 57.00-61.00; Select 2-3 1050-1275 lbs. 50.00-57.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 900-1250 lbs. 62.00-64.00; 2-3 absent; Select and Choice 2-3 875-1225 lbs. 58.00-62.00; Select 2-3 875-1175 lbs. 54.00-58.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Cutter, Boning and Breaking Utility 1-4 32.00-35.00; High Yielding 35.00-37.00; few up to 38.00; High Yielding Breaking and Boning Utility 2-3 37.00-40.00; Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 28.00-32.00; Shelly Canner 1-2 23.00-28.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1150-1900 lbs. 34.00-40.00; Yield Grade 1 40.00-42.00, Individual at 43.00.

VA Feeder Sales

MARSHALL, VA
FEBRUARY 25, 1997

Feeder Cattle 246 head Steers 109 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 69.00 - 73.00 67.50 - 400-500 64.00 - 67.00 68.00 55.00 - 60.00 500-600 64.00 - 66.50 55.00 55.00 - 60.00 600-700 62.50 - 64.00 57.50 - 700-800 62.50 - 66.25 - 56.00 800-900 60.00 - - 900-1000 61.00 - 59.50

WYTHEVILLE, VA
FEBRUARY 25, 1997

Feeder Cattle 302 head Steers 147 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 200-300 66.00 - 300-400 74.00 - 80.00 53.00 - 67.00 71.00 - 76.00 400-500 74.50 - 80.50 62.00 - 69.50 70.

50 - 76.50 500-600 77.00 - 84.00 67.00 - 69.00 60.00 - 73.00 600-700 67.00 - 69.00 - 58.00 - 65.00 700-800 62.00 - 65.00 - -

LYNCHBURG, VA
FEBRUARY 24, 1997

Feeder Cattle 1452 head Steers 562 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 79.00 - 85.00 61.00 - 68.00 75.00 - 80.50 400-500 74.00 - 85.00 64.00 70.00 - 84.00 500-600 75.00 - 80.00 59.50 - 66.00 66.00 - 77.50 600-700 64.00 - 73.50 50.00 58.00 - 65.50 700-800 61.00 - 66.50 - 65.00 - 69.50

HARRISONBURG, VA
FEBRUARY 20, 1997

Steers: Medium and Large 2 Medium and Large 3 few low 2's 300-400 44.50 ---- 400-500 55.50 ---- 500-600 58.00 54.00 600-700 51.50 57.25 700-800 53.50 53.75 800-900 53.00 49.50 900-1000 51.75 - 52.25 48.25 1000-1100 50.25 ---- 1100-1200 49.75 ----

Shenandoah Valley Livestock

Harrisonburg, Va.
February 22, 1997

Report supplied by auction

300-499 LB. STEERS 75.00-83.00, HEIFERS 40.00-61.75, BULLS 35.00-65.00; 500-699 LB. STEERS 55.00-75.00, HEIFERS 35.50-61.25, BULLS 30.00-54.50; 700-1000 LB. STEERS 40.00-68.50, HEIFERS 30.00-48.00, BULLS 32.00-50.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS 3-499 38.00-44.00; 5-699 40.00; 7-1100 41.00.

STOCK COWS BEEF 300.00-500.00; BABY CALVES 20.00-86.00; SLAUGHTER COWS 35.00-40.75; SLAUGHTER BULLS 35.00-42.50.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS CHOICE AND PRIME YG1-3 BLUE O SPRING 110.00; GOOD AND FEW CHOICE YG1-2 RED O 123.00.

FEEDER LAMBS MED. & LRGE. 1-2 70-84 LBS. RED SH 125.00; SMALL FRAME 1&2 BL SH 132.50; 60-69 LBS. RED BK MEDIUM AND LARGE 1&2 126.00, BL BK SMALL FRAME 1&2 131.00; 50-59 LBS. RED TL MEDIUM AND LARGE 1&2 110.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: 28.50-34.00. HOGS 200-240 LBS. 50.25. SOWS 43.50. BOARS 30.00. VEALS 80.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES 64.00.

Frederick Livestock Auction

Frederick, Md.
February 24, 1997

Report Supplied by Auction

SLAUGHTER COWS: 124 HEAD, STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. UTILITY 35.00-40.00; HIGH DRESSING 40.00-43.25; CANNERS 30.00-35.00; SHELLY 30.00 DOWN.

BULLS: YG#1 41.00-43.25; LOW DRESSING 36.00-38.75.

FED STEERS: NO BEEF BREEDS OFFERED; LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1550-1750 LBS. 53.00-55.00; SELECT HOLSTEINS 1300-1500 LBS. 45.00-49.00; 1 STANDARD 1200 LBS. AT 40.50.

FED HEIFERS: LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1240 LBS. AT 44.50.

VEAL CALVES: 216 HEAD. CHOICE, NONE; GOOD 180-300 LBS. TO 55.00; CULLS 85-110 LBS. 27.00-31.00; 50-80 LBS. 19.00-27.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 70.00-84.00; 90 LBS. 55.00-70.00; 80-85 LBS. 30.00-41.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. 100.00-150.00; #2 80-110 LBS. 60.00-100.00; BEEF X BULLS 40.00-65.00; HEIFERS 35.00-43.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 30 HEAD. US#1-3 215-255 LBS. 49.00-50.00; FEW INDIVI-

DUALS 51.00-54.50; #2&3 250 LBS. TO 48.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 74 HEAD, GOOD DEMAND. STEERS MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 300-500 LBS. 54.00-66.00; FEW MED. 500-700 LBS. TO 50.00; HOLSTEINS TO 36.00.

HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 49.00-60.00; 500-700 LBS. 45.00-59.00; 700-900 LBS. 37.00-45.00.

BULLS: 300-500 LBS. 52.00-61.50; 500-700 LBS. 56.00-61.00; 700-800 LBS. TO 38.50.

SHEEP: 1 200 LBS. AT 35.00. GOATS: MEDIUM 48.00-53.00. PIGS AND SHOATS: BY THE HEAD, 2 40 LBS. AT 30.00. SOWS: 500-675 LBS. 46.00-48.00. BOARS: 300 LBS. TO 40.00.

Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.
Monday, February 24, 1997

Report Supplied by Auction

STEERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE. HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE. GOOD COWS: 30.00-44.25. CANNERS AND CUTTERS 20.00-30.00. BULLS: 38.00-43.00. VEAL 90-190 LBS. 85.00-170.00, 70-90 LBS. 25.00-85.00. HOGS TOO FEW TO QUOTE. SOWS 40.00-47.75. FEEDER PIGS: NONE.

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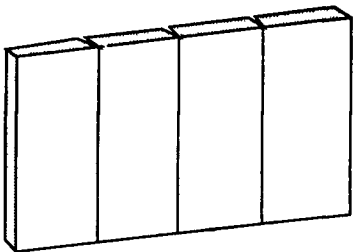
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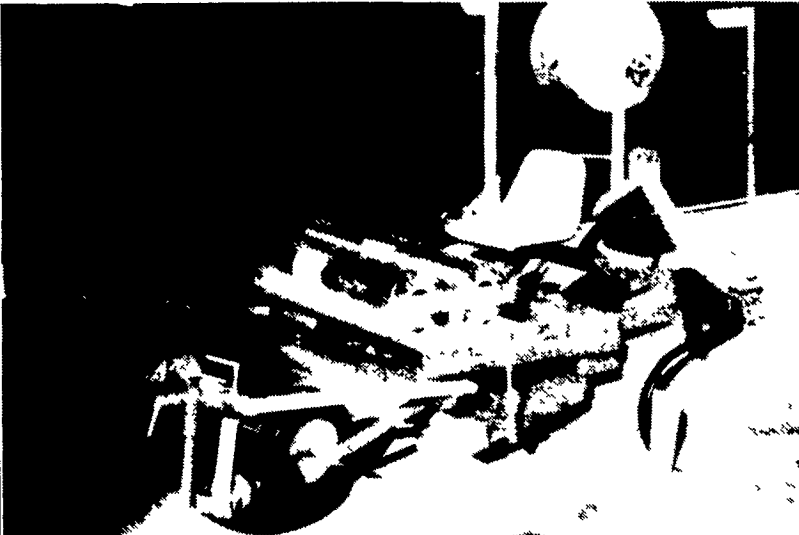
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