

Westminster Livestock Auction

Hagerstown, Md.

May 26, 1998

Report supplied by auction

60 HEAD, 1.50 LOWER, UTILITY 37.50-40.00; HIGH DRESSING TO 42.75; CANNERS 32.50-37.00; SHELLY 32.00 DOWN.

BULLS: YG#1 1200-1800 LBS. 47.00-50.00; YG#2 43.00-46.00.

FED STEERS: FEW OFFERED. HIGH CHOICE 1100-1400 LBS. 61.50-64.50; 1 HIGH CHOICE HOL 1375 LBS. AT 60.00; LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1100-1500 LBS. 51.50-54.50.

FED HEIFERS: HIGH CHOICE #3&4 1100-1300 LBS. 60.00-63.25; 900-1050 LBS. 57.00-62.00.

VEAL CALVES: 105 HEAD, CHOICE 225-300 LBS. 77.00-93.00; CULLS 110.00-130.00; #2 85-110 LBS. 23.00-32.00; 60-85 LBS. 20.00-30.00.

FARM CALVES: 10.00 HIGHER! HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 110.00-130.00; #2 85-110 LBS. 65.00-105.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. 110.00-150.00; #2 80-100 LBS. 82.00-105.00; BEEF X BULLS AND HEIFERS 50.00-117.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: 90 HEAD, 1.00 HIGHER. US#1-2 240-270 LBS. 44.00-45.00; #1&2 270-280 LBS. 42.00-44.00; #1&3 225-260 LBS. 43.00-44.00; #2&3 42.00.

SOWS: 20 HEAD, 300-450 LBS. 23.00-25.00; 450-600 LBS. 28.00-30.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 128 HEAD. STEERS 300-600 LBS. HOL 58.00-67.00; BEEF BREDS FEW OFFERED; 4 BLACKS 530 LBS. AT 99.00; 2700 LBS. AT 70.00.

HEIFERS: 300-500 LBS. 64.00-74.00; 500-700 LBS. 58.00-68.00; 700-800 LBS. 50.00-61.00.

BULLS: 300-500 LBS. 70.00-81.00; 500-700 LBS. 65.00-82.00; 700-800 LBS. 55.00-62.00.

LAMBS: 90 HEAD, CHOICE 5.00-8.00 LOWER. 100-125 LBS. 75.00-79.00; 70-95 LBS. 80.00-81.00; 40-70 LBS. 80.00-97.00; 20-40 LBS. 80.00-105.00.

SHEEP: 35 HEAD 25.00-45.00.

GOATS: 40 HEAD, LARGE 80.00-97.00; MEDIUM 40.00-75.00; SMALL FLESHY 25.00-35.00; KIDS 12.00-25.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: 68 HEAD, GOOD DEMAND, BY THE HEAD, 20-35 LBS. 22.00-34.00; 40-55 LBS.

35.00-45.00; 1 LOT 67 LBS. 51.00; BY THE LB. 14 HEAD 50-60 LBS. 68.00-69.00.

BOARS: 400-600 LBS. 15.00-16.25; 300-400 LBS. 14.00-18.00; 220-300 LBS. 15.00-21.00.

NEXT TUES., JUNE 2 GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE 7:15 P.M.

Oklahoma City Feeder Cattle

Oklahoma City, OK

Wed May 27, 1998

USDA-OK Dept Ag Market News Oklahoma National Stockyards - Weekly Cattle Summary

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and steer calves steady. Feeder heifers steady to 1.00 lower. Stocker heifers and heifer calves 2.00- 4.00 lower. Demand moderate for steers, light for heifers. Quality plain to average, few attractive. Feeder cattle in medium to fleshy conditions with more cattle carrying heavy flesh. Weigh-ups average. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher; slaughter bulls firm. Packer demand moderate. Total of 268 cows and bulls sold with 50 percent to packers. Receipts this week 7,175; last week 17,287 last year: 5,439 Supply consisted of 80 percent yearlings over 600 lbs; 16 percent calves under 600 lbs; 4 percent cows and bulls with half to packers. Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 98.00-106.00 (99.68); 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 85.50-90.50, lot 500 lb 96.25 (87.61); 600-650 lbs (629 lbs) 80.00-87.25 (85.95); 650-700 lbs (683 lbs) 76.75-80.75 (77.90); 700-750 lbs (733 lbs) 73.00-78.50 (75.45); 750-800 lbs (776 lbs) 71.25-75.75 (72.98); 800-850 lbs (824 lbs) 70.00-75.00 (73.03); 850-900 lbs (860 lbs) 68.50-73.50 (69.83); 900-950 lbs (920 lbs) 67.00-70.75 (69.07). Holsteins: Large 2 375-400 lbs 62.00-65.00; 500-600 lbs 59.00-61.75; 680 lb fleshy 52.75; 750-800 lbs (765 lbs) 51.50-54.50 (52.97).

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 76.00-83.00 (78.75); 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 74.25-77.50 (75.13); 600-650 lbs (618 lbs) 70.75-75.50 (73.16); 650-700 lbs (672 lbs) 69.25-73.75 (71.25); 700-800 lbs (750 lbs) 67.00-70.50 (68.47); 800-850 lbs (834 lbs) 65.00-67.00 (66.20).

Slaughter Cows: Average dressing: Cutters 32.00-35.00, Utilities 34.50-37.50;

high dressing: Cutters 35.00-38.00, Utilities 37.50- 39.00; high dressing/high boning: 38.50-40.00; low dressing: Cutters 31.00-33.75, Utilities 33.50-35.50; Canners 25.00-29.50.

Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Cutters 73.70; Boners 71.95; Breakers 68.50; Canners 66.15; Bulls 83.05.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1 1300-1950 lbs average dressing 45.50-49.00; high dressing/high boning individual 53.00; low dressing 43.00-44.00.

Aberdeen Sales Company, Inc.

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Wednesday, May 27, 1998

SLAUGHTER STEERS: 1.00 LOWER. CHOICE 2-4 1100-1400 LBS. 64.00-66.00; SELECT & LOW CHOICE 1000-1500 LBS. 60.00-63.50; HOL. STEERS HI CHOICE & PRIME 1250-1400 LBS. 57.00-59.00; CHOICE 1200-1500 LBS. 54.00-57.00; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 45.00-53.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: 1.00 LOWER. CHOICE & PRIME 950-1300 LBS. 63.00-65.50; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 900-1400 LBS. 55.00-59.00.

COWS: STEADY. BRK. UT. & COMM. 2-4 BULK 38.00-43.00; HI DRESSING 44.00-46.00; CUTTER & BON. UT. 37.00-41.00; HI DRESSING 41.00-43.00; CANNER & CUTTERS 31.00-37.00; LOW DRESSING 28.00-30.00; CRIPPLED, SLOW & SICK 15.00-30.00.

BULLS: 2.00 LOWER. ALL WEIGHTS 1100-1900 LBS. 45.00-56.00.

VEAL CALVES: STEADY. CHOICE AND PRIME 200-400 LBS. 73.00-81.00; HI GOOD AND LOW CHOICE ALL WEIGHTS 49.00-68.00.

FARM CALVES: 5.00 HIGHER. HOL BULLS 100-125 LBS. 95.00-130.00; HOL. BULLS 85-95 LBS. 60.00-90.00. HOL. HEIFER CALVES 100-120 LBS. 120.00-142.00; SMALL FRAME 70-105 LBS. 43.00-76.00; SLAUGHTER CALVES ALL WEIGHTS 15.00-30.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: MARKET STEADY. BULLS & STEERS 400-900 LBS. 66.00-83.00; HEIFERS 300-700 LBS. 55.00-74.00.

LAMBS: MARKET 8.00 LOWER.

CHOICE & PRIME 90-110 LBS. 73.00-76.00; LIGHTER LAMBS 85.00-115.00; HEAVY EWES 25.00-36.00; LIGHT 37.00-50.00.

GOATS: STEADY. SMALL 30.00-40.00; MEDIUM 40.00-65.00; LARGE 80.00-115.00.

HOGS: MARKET STEADY. 210-250 LBS. 41.50-43.00; 255-300 LBS. 57.00-43.00. HEAVY SOWS 26.00-33.00, LIGHT 22.00-35.00. BOARS ALL WEIGHTS 19.00-22.00.

Four States Livestock

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SLAUGHTER COWS: 58 HEAD, STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. UTILITY 37.00-41.50; HIGH DRESSING 42.00-44.00; CANNERS 33.00-37.50; SHELLY 33.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 3 HEAD. YG#2 1100-2100 LBS. 45.00-48.25.

FED STEERS: 54 HEAD. HIGH CHOICE TO PRIME 1200-1475 LBS. 63.50-65.75, FEW TO 67.00; CHOICE #2-3 1100-1450 LBS. 61.00-63.00; 1450-1600 LBS. 57.00-61.00.

FED HEIFERS: FEW OFFERED. VEAL CALVES: 91 HEAD. LOW CHOICE 190 LBS. AT 70.00; CULLS 2.00-5.00 LOWER. 85-110 LBS. 25.00-32.00; 60-85 LBS. 15.00-25.00.

FARM CALVES: STEADY PRICES. HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-120 LBS. 95.00-129.00; 85-95 LBS. 50.00-90.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS, NONE OFFERED.

BUTCHER HOGS: US#1-2 240-270 LBS. 43.00-43.75, FEW 290 LBS. 35.00-38.00; #2&3 6 HEAD 220 LBS. 40.00.

SOWS: 300-400 LBS. 24.00-28.00; 500-600 LBS. TO 28.25.

BOARS: 500 LBS. TO 17.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 94 HEAD. STEERS, NO LIGHTWEIGHTS OFFERED. 500-700 LBS. 72.00-82.00; 700-800 LBS. 65.00-77.00.

HEIFERS: 400-600 LBS. 61.00-71.00; 600-800 LBS. 57.00-64.00.

BULLS: 300-500 LBS. 72.00-80.00; 500-700 LBS. 67.00-79.00; 700-900 LBS. 48.00-61.50; 900-1050 LBS. 48.00-50.00.

DAIRY REPLACEMENTS: LARGE SPIRNGERS 775.00-1000.00; MED.

OPEN HEIFERS AND SHORTHREDS 420.00-530.00; FEW OPEN JERSEYS 260.00-285.00.

SHEEP: 25.00-35.00.

LAMBS: HIGH CHOICE 90-100 LBS. 81.00; GOOD 60-80 LBS. 70.00-82.00.

NEXT WED., JUNE 3: SELLING 20 YOUNG SIMMENTAL COWS WITH LIMOUSIN X CALVES AT SIDE.

Grantsville Livestock

Grantsville, Maryland

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Sat., May 23, 1998

STOCK BULLS AND STEERS 200-500 LBS. 60.00-85.00.

STOCK HEIFERS 60.00-77.00.

SLAUGHTER STEERS GOOD TO CHOICE UP TO 63.00; MEDIUM TO GOOD 45.00-61.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS GOOD 41.50-50.00; LIGHT 40.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS GOOD TO CHOICE 61.50-62.40; MEDIUM TO GOOD 42.00-61.00.

BULLS: HEAVY 42.00-50.00, LIGHT 40.00-48.00.

COWS: UTILITY HOLSTEINS 35.00-41.75, CANNERS 30.00-35.00, CULLS 27.00 AND DOWN.

VEALS GOOD TO CHOICE UP TO 99.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 35.00-55.00.

BOB CALVES: 30.00 AND DOWN.

HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES RETURN TO FARM: 90-120 LBS. UP TO 98.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES RETURN TO FARM UP TO 100.00.

BEEF X CALVES RETURN TO FARM: UP TO 100.00.

HOGS: TOP QUALITY 41.00-45.00, HEAVY 40.00-43.00, LIGHT 40.00-48.00, FEEDER PIGS BY THE HEAD, UP TO 45.00.

SOWS: UP TO 30.00.

MALE HOGS: UP TO 22.00.

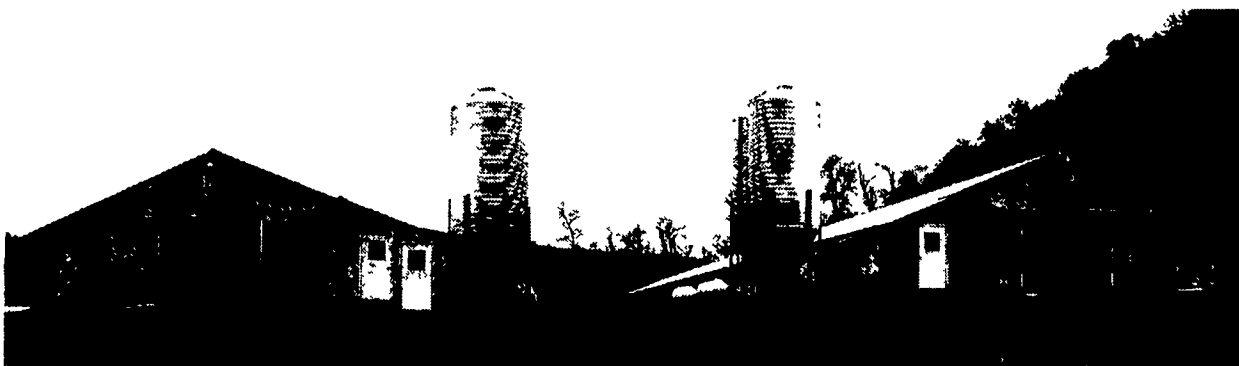
LAMBS: 70-85 LBS. UP TO 87.00; 85-125 LBS. UP TO 80.00; 30-60 LBS., UP TO 100.00; CULLS 60.00 AND DOWN.

SHEEP: UP TO 35.00.

GOATS: ALL BY THE HEAD, LARGE 40.00-85.00; MEDIUM 20.00-50.00; SMALL 10.00-35.00.

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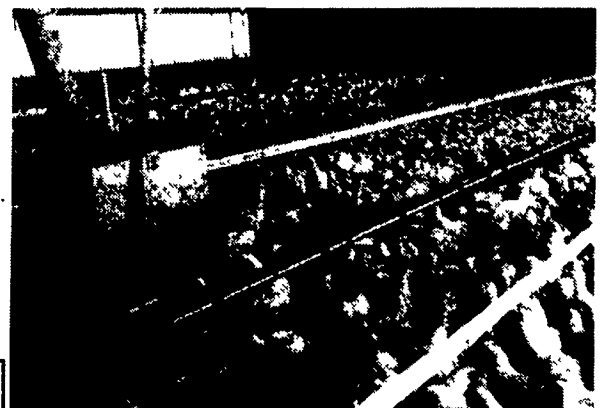


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