

Belleville Hay

Belleville, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction
Wednesday, March 8, 2000
Hay—Straw—Grain

ALFALFA HAY: 97.50-122.50.
MIXED HAY: 90.00-157.50.
STRAW: 80.00-112.50.

Oklahoma City Feeder Cattle

Oklahoma City, OK
Wed Mar 8, 2000

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

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers steady to 1.00 higher with good demand early but tailing off to moderate late. Stocker cattle and calves steady to 2.00 higher with very good demand. Calf and light cattle supply in medium to mostly thin condition. Feeder cattle off wheat continue in medium to fleshy condition. Weigh condition again highly varied from gaunt to full. Quality of supply average. Moisture conditions improving throughout the state. Central and eastern areas especially good and primed for good spring pastures. Wheat pastures excellent from Selling east. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter bulls 1.00 higher. Demand good for bulls; moderate for cows. Total of 300 cows and bulls sold with 40 percent to packers. Receipts this week 12,450; last week 11,971; last year 13,191. Supply consisted of 78 percent yearlings over 600 lbs; 20 percent calves under 600 lbs; cows and bulls 2 percent. Heifers 34 percent of feeder and calf supply. Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis.

Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1 load 288 lbs 139.50; 300-350 lbs (311 lbs) 122.00-135.00 (132.16); 350-400 lbs (372 lbs) 120.00-131.00 (128.55); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 110.50-120.00 (114.91); few 500-550 lbs (525 lbs) 100.00-113.00 (109.13); 550-600 lbs (582 lbs) 96.50-105.50 (101.08); 600-650 lbs (628 lbs) 93.50-99.00, some thin 100.00-113.50 (98.09); 650-700 lbs (674 lbs) 88.00-94.00 (91.19); 700-750 lbs (727 lb) 84.00-88.75, few stockers to 90.00 (85.33); 750-800 lbs (772 lbs) 80.00-87.50 (84.19); 800-850 lbs (830 lbs) 77.75-82.50, few to 83.75 (79.74); 850-900 lbs (869 lbs) 75.25-80.00 (78.02); 900-950 lbs (916 lbs) 76.00-78.00 (76.96); 950-1000 lbs (980 lbs) 72.00-75.25 (74.09). Holsteins: Large 2 565 lbs 75.00; 700 lbs 72.25; 750-800 lbs 67.50-68.75; 850-900 lbs 66.75; 900-950 lbs 62.00-66.75.

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1 load 285 lbs 127.00; 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 104.00-116.00 (111.92); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 93.50-104.00 (100.85); 500-550 lbs (531 lbs) 92.75-100.00, lot thin 103.50 (94.96); 550-600 lbs (575 lbs) 88.00-96.50 (91.98); 600-650 lbs (635 lbs) 83.00-87.25 (84.77); 650-700 lbs (673 lbs) 80.50-86.50 (83.80); 700-750 lbs (730 lbs) 78.00-82.25 (79.90); 750-800 lbs (774 lb) 75.50-80.25 (77.52); 800-850 lbs (826 lbs) 74.75-76.25 (75.58); 850-900 lbs (864 lbs) 73.50-75.75 (74.93); 900-950 lbs (925 lbs) 70.25-74.75 (73.22).

Slaughter Cows: Head %Lean Weight Average Dress High Dress Low Dress *Brk 14 75-80% 950-1600 37.00-40.00 40.00-43.50 37.50 *Bnr 28 80-85% 950-1600 38.50-40.50 40.50-45.00 36.00-38.50 Lean 42 85-90% 800-1375 36.75-39.50 40.00-45.00 32.00-36.00 *Brk=Breakers, *Bnr=Boners

Slaughter Bulls: Head Weight Average Dress High Dress Low Dress Yield Grade 1-2 29 1350-2375 47.50-50.50 52.00-56.00 45.50

Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Lean 81.35; Boners 79.20; Breakers 73.65. Bulls 87.80.

Replacement Cows: Pretested for bangs, pregnancy, and age Medium and Large 1 Age Weight Months Bred Quality Price 2-6 yr old 950-1350 6-8 months High, blacks 700.00-765.00 2-6 yr old 925-1250 3-5 months High, blacks 620.00-650.00 5-7 yr old 1100-1350 5-8 months Avg quality 635.00-690.00 8-9 yr old 900-1300 5-7 months Avg quality 500.00-540.00

Pairs: Medium and large 1 Age Cow Weight Calf Weight Quality Price 3-5 yr old 1000-1450 150-350 High quality 800.00-835.00 7-8 yr old 900-1050 150-300 Avg quality 675.00-735.00

Middleburg Livestock

Middleburg, Pa.

Report Supplied By USDA
March 7, 2000

CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP	GOATS
TUESDAY	445	224	251	23
LAST TUESDAY	377	223	202	13

CATTLE Compared to last Tuesday's auction, slaughter steers and heifers sold 2.00 higher Slaughter cows were steady to 1.00 higher Slaughter bulls traded 2.00-3.00 higher

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1220-1495 lbs 71 50-73 50. Choice 2-3 1075-1475 lbs 65 50-71 25, 1535-1580 lbs 62 50-68 00 Select 1-3 60 00-68 25 Standard 1-2 49 00-57 50

HOLSTEIN STEERS High Choice

and Prime 2-3 1315-1550 lbs 63 75-65 25 Choice 2-3 1175-1665 lbs 58 00-62 25 Select 1-2 50 00-57 50 Standard 1-2 40 00-49 25

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 few 1180-1325 lbs 71 00-71 75 Choice 2-4 1045-1370 lbs 65 00-70 00 Select 1-3 58 75-66 75 Standard 1-2 50 00-57 50

SLAUGHTER COWS Breakers 75-80 pct lean 38 50-44 75, individual 46 00 Boners 80-85 pct lean 36 00-42 50, low dressing down to 34 50 Lean 85-90 pct lean 30 00-39 75 Shells down to 28 00

SLAUGHTER BULLS Yield Grade 1 1050-1880 lbs 49 25-52 75 Yield Grade 2 1125-1600 lbs 44 50-47 75

FEEDER STEERS Medium 1 individual 455 lbs 77 00 Medium and Large 2 695-955 lbs 50 00-67 00

FEEDER HEIFERS Medium and Large 2 480-695 lbs 44 00-59 50, 715-905 lbs 40 00-52 50

BULLS Medium 1 515-635 lbs 70 00-83 00 Medium and Large 2 individual 390 lbs 42 00, 505-605 lbs 54 00-65 00

CALVES Compared to last week's auction, Holstein bulls returning to the farm sold steady, instances 5 00 lower

VEALERS Standard and Good 75-110 lbs 25 00-40 00 Utility 55-85 lbs 10 00-22 00

RETURNED TO FARM Holstein bulls Number 1 85-125 lbs 95 00-132 50 Number 2 80-120 lbs 40 00-105 00 Holstein heifers Number 1 80-115 lbs 210 00-300 00 Number 2 65-140 lbs 85 00-165 00 Beef type bulls and heifers 95-115 lbs 120 00-140 00

BARROWS AND GILTS Prices 1 00 lower than last Tuesday 49-54 pct lean 230-275 lbs 38 75-40 00 45-50 pct lean 230-270 lbs 37 00-38 85 40-45 pct lean 300-325 lbs 30 50-32 75

SOWS 1 00 lower US 1-3 300-490 lbs 26 00-37 50

500-665 lbs 29 00-42 75

BOARS 460-695 lbs 8 00-10 00

FEEDER PIGS All sold per head US 1-3 40-45 lbs 25 00-27 00 Utility 40-50 lbs 13 00-15 00

SLAUGHTER LAMBS New Crop Choice 75-100 lbs 89 00-100 00 Woolled Choice individual 85 lbs 119 00

SLAUGHTER SHEEP Utility 1-3 37 00-53 00

GOATS All sold per head Billies Large 87 50-157 50 Medium 50 00-74 00 Nannies Large 70 00-141 00 Kids Large 27 00-36 00

Mercer Livestock

Mercer, Pa.

Report Supplied By PDA
March 8, 2000

CATTLE CALVES HOGS SHEEP GOATS TUESDAY

612	138	75	3	5
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LAST TUESDAY

440	152	111	0	7
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CATTLE Compared to last Tuesday's auction, slaughter steers sold steady to weak Slaughter cows were mixed 1 00 higher to 1 00 lower Other classes were not well tested

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 few 1200-1325 lbs 68 00 71 00 Choice 2-3 1025-1425 lbs 65 75 70 00 Select 1-3 59 00-65 75 Standard 1-2 53 00-59 50

HOLSTEIN STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1700 lbs 60 00-65 25 Choice 2 1305 lbs 57 00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 few 1170-1445 lbs 68 75-70 25 Choice 2-4 1125-1450 lbs 63 50-69 25 Select 1-2 57 00-62 25 Standard 1-2 50 50-56 00

SLAUGHTER COWS Breakers 75-80 percent lean 40 00-43 50 Boners 80-85 pct lean 36 00-42 00 Lean 85-90 pct lean 32 00-39 50 Shells down to 26 00

SLAUGHTER BULLS Yield Grade 1 1050-1900 lbs 44 75-51 75 Yield Grade 2 1100-1700 lbs 39 50-45 75

FEEDER STEERS Medium 1 400-650 lbs 83 00-90 00, couple up to 40 00, 650-800 lbs 60 00-80 00 Medium 2 500-750 lbs 59 00-70 00 Large 2 800-1000 lbs 50 00-61 00 300-500 lbs 64 00-73 00

FEEDER HEIFERS Medium 1 3300-550 lbs 70 00-82 00, few up to 90 00, 550-650 lbs 70 00-83 00 Medium 2 300-550 lbs 58 00-71 00, 550-800 lbs 53 00-65 00 Large 1 500-760 lbs 69 00-83 00 Large 2 few 650-950 lbs 50 00-56 00

FEEDER BULLS Medium 1 300-550 lbs 74 00-90 00, individual 97 00, 600-800 lbs 60 00-81 00 Medium 2 400-650 lbs 60 00-75 00 Large 1 few 600-850 lbs 60 00-71 00

VEALERS Standard and Good 80-110 lbs 20 00-40 00 Utility 50-80 lbs 5 00-20 00

RETURNED TO FARM Holstein bulls Number 1 90-115 lbs 115 00-135 00 Number 2 80-115 lbs 40 00-110 00 Holstein heifers Number 1 individual 115 lbs 270 00 Number 2 few 80-110 lbs 82 50-195 00 Beef type bulls and heifers few 80-115 lbs 110 00-145 00

BARROWS AND GILTS 49-54 pct

lean 230-270 lbs 38 75-40 50 45-50 pct lean 220-280 lbs 37 75-38 00 45 pct lean 250-290 lbs 37 00-37 25 SOWS US 1-3 Few 360-610 lbs 33 00-40 00 BOARS Individual 490 lbs 15 00 FEEDER PIGS No market test SLAUGHTER LAMBS Utility 1- few 37 00 GOATS No market test

Frederick Livestock

Frederick, Maryland

Report Supplied by Auction
Monday, March 6, 2000

SLAUGHTER COWS: 118 HEAD. UTILITY 38.00-41.50, HIGH DRESSING 42.00-44.75, CANNERS 33.00-38.00, SHELLY 33.00 DOWN.

BULLS: 8 HEAD, 2.00 HIGHER. YG#1 48.00-50.50, 1 LIMOUSIN 1920 LBS. AT 59.00, YG#2 1445 LBS. AT 47.00.

FED STEERS: NO BEEF BREEDS. LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1500-1675 LBS. 49.75-54.75.

FED HEIFERS: LOW CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1350-1500 LBS. 43.75-49.00.

VEAL CALVES: 152 HEAD. GOOD 95-130 LBS. 31.00-38.00, CULLS 85-110 LBS. 24.00-32.00, 60-85 LBS. 20.00-28.00.

FARM CALVES: STEADY SPOTS, 5.00 LOWER. HOLSTEIN BULLS #95-120 LBS. 115.00-131.00, FEW LATE TO 140.00, 85-95 LBS. 75.00-110.00; #2 90-120 LBS. 85.00-110.00, 80-90 LBS. 40.00-70.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-120 LBS. 250.00-297.00, 80-90 LBS. 200.00-260.00; #2 75-90 LBS. 145.00-205.00, BEEF X BULLS 100.00-142.00, BEEF X HEIFERS 82.00-100.00.

BUTCHER HOGS, SOWS AND BOARS: NONE.

STOCK CATTLE: STEERS 400-550 LBS. 82.00-89.50.

HEIFERS: 300-400 LBS. TO 93.00; 450-650 LBS. 71.00-76.00; HOSLTEINS 200-300 LBS. 85.00-95.00.

BULLS: 1 275 LBS. AT 110.00; 300-450 LBS. 83.00-99.00; 1 HOLSTEIN 635 LBS. AT 55.50.

1 ANGUS BRED COW AT 1155 LBS. 56.00.

GOATS: 55.00-61.00.

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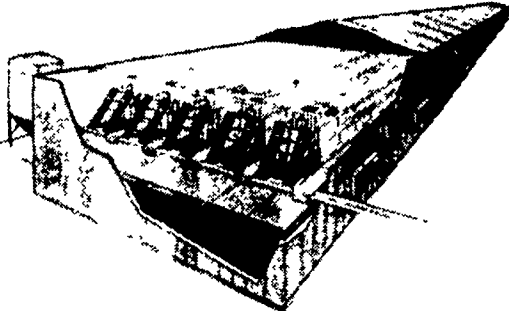
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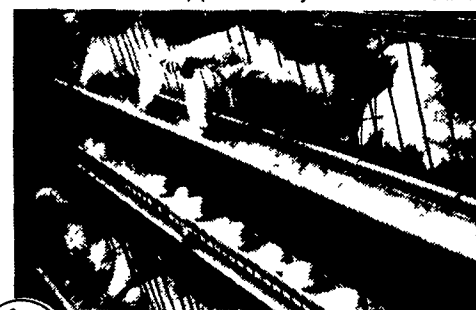
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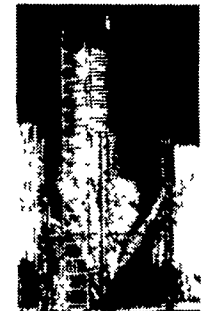
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