Patton Junction Livestock Auction

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Receipts: 756; Week Ago 1201; Last Year 1311 Compared to last week, steers sold \$3-5 higher, heifers sold steady to \$2 higher due to a lot of farmer interest and the usual order buyers. Slaughter cows and bulls sold steady to \$2 higher; Demand good and supply light. Cows made up approximately 13 percent of the run, 87 percent feeders. Steers made up approximately 48 percent of the offering, 46 percent heifers. Offerings over 600 lbs totaled around 22 percent.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 250-300 lbs \$110-120; 300-400 lbs \$112-123; 400-450 lbs \$108.50-119; fancy 400-425 lbs \$121-122; 450-500 lbs \$103-112; 500-550 lbs \$105-114; fleshy pkg 525 lbs \$100.50; 550-600 lbs \$95-104; 600-625 lbs \$95.50-102; 650-700 lbs \$87.75-95; 725-775 lbs \$80.50-88. Large 1: Few 500-575 lbs \$87.25-92.25. Medium 2: Few 350-400 lbs \$99-106; 400-500 lbs \$97-106; 500-600 lbs \$88-101; few 600-700 lbs \$80-87.50; 700-750 lbs \$83-85.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 250-300 lbs \$101-104; 300-400 lbs \$99-105; 400-450 lbs \$90100.50; 450-500 lbs \$88-96.50; 500-550 lbs \$84-91.50; 550-600 lbs \$87.25-98; fleshy pkg 580 lbs \$79; 600-700 lbs \$76.75-87; 700-775 lbs \$77-78; fleshy pkg 710 lbs \$71.50. Medium 2: Few 250-300 lbs \$89-97; few 300-400 lbs \$83-94; 400-500 lbs \$80-89.50; 500-600 lbs \$75.50-89.50; few 600-700 lbs \$70-79.50; 750-775 lbs \$77-77.50.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 1-2: 575-600 lbs \$87-96; 600-700 lbs \$81.50-87.75; few 700-725 lbs \$80.50-83; pkg 800 lbs \$76.50-77.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking 75-80 Percent Lean, few \$47.25-48.25, High Dressing \$52.25-52.25; Boning 80-85 Percent Lean, few \$41.50-46.25, High Dressing, \$48.75-51.50; Lean, 85-90 Percent Lean, few \$29.50-36.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2: Few 1675-2360 lbs, bulk \$55-58.25, High Dressing \$61-63.50.

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2: Few 8 yrs to short and solid mouth cows, 870-1280 lbs, 2nd and 3rd stage, \$500-640.

COW-CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2: Very few 3-7 yrs old, 980-1250 lbs with 130-240 lbs calves, \$890-1130 per pair. Δ

