

Market News Reports

At Lancaster Yards

WEEKLY REVIEW

Sept. 28, Friday

CATTLE 5550 Compared with 5325 head last week Supply includes 30 percent slaughter steers and 60 percent feeders Compared with last weeks close slaughter steers grading Choice and Better fully steady 10 instances strong High Good and below uneven spots 50 lower Cows fully 50 lower Bulls steady Feeders steady Trading slow feeder steers at mid week fairly active

Slaughter steers 2 lots High Choice and Prime 1224-1230 lbs 32 00 Several loads high Choice 1150-1200 lbs 31 25-31 50 Choice 950-1300 lbs 29 25-31 00 Good to low Choice 26 25-29 25 Standard 24 00-26 25

Cows Cutter and Utility 30 00-18 00 Canner and low Cutter 11 50-16 00 Shelly canner down to 11 75

Bulls Utility and Commercial 19 50-23 00 Good size 22 50-26 00

Feeders Good and Choice 750-1100 lbs 24 50-27 25 Load 1189 lb Choice 26 75 Several loads to 27 60 Load Choice and Fancy 809 lbs 28 00 Medium and Good 23 60-24 50 Common and Medium 18 00-22 00 few lots Good

and Choice feeder steer calves 150-600 lbs 28 00-29 00

CALVES 725 Compared with 652 head last week Trading moderately active Vealers grading Average Choice and below steady High Choice and Prime fully 1 00 higher Good and Choice vealers 28 00-31 00 Choice and Prime 31 00-39 00 Few Prime 40 00-41 00 Standard and low Good 25 00-28 00 Utility 22 00-25 00

HOGS 1250 Compared with 1115 last week Trading moderately active Barrows and gilts opened 50 higher on Monday but closed steady for two week Sows steady

Barrows and gilts US 1 2 190-230 lbs 20 50-21 25 No 1 195-225 lbs 21 00-22 00 mostly 21 50 and down 1-3 190-230 lbs 20 00-20 75 at the close mostly 20 00-20 25, 2-3 230-250 lbs 19 25-20 25

Sows US 1-3 300-450 lbs 14 50-16 00 2-3 450-600 lbs 13 00-14 50

SHEEP 600 Compared with 562 head last week Spring slaughter lambs 50 lower Trading moderately active Choice 60-90 lb spring lambs 20 50-22 50 Few Choice and Prime 23 00 Good grade 16 50-20 50

Mushroom Crop

Pennsylvania mushroom growers are expected to produce over 50 per cent of the total mushrooms grown in the U S this year says J T Hall Penn State farm management specialist

Federal - State Market News

Tuesday, Sept. 25

CATTLE 708 Compared with last weeks market, slaughter steers about steady Steers graded mainly low Choice and below Cows steady to weak Bulls steady

Choice 950-1350 lb slaughter steers 29 31 00 few High Choice 1000-1200 lbs 31 00-32 10 Good to low Choice 26 50-29 25 Standard 24 50-26 50 Few Good and Choice 800-900 lb Heifers 24 35-28 25 Cutter and Utility cows 15 75-17 75 Canner and low Cutter 14 50-16 00 Shelly canner down to 12 00

Utility and Commercial bulls 20 00-23 00 Lot Medium 781 lb feeder steers 22 25

CALVES 582 Vealers 100-200 higher Good and Choice vealers 29 00-35 00 Choice and Prime 35 00-40 00 Standard and low Good 25 00-29 60 Utility 22 00-25 00

HOGS 206 Barrows and gilts 50 lower U S 1-2 196-237 lb barrows and gilts 20 00-20 35, Two Lots of No 1 198-206 lb 20 60, 1-3 190-220 lbs 19 75-20 00 Lot Medium and No 1 192 lbs 18 85 lot No 2 239 lbs 19 60 Few U S 2-3 350-490 lb sows 14 10-16 60

SHEEP 46 Few Utility and Good 50-70 lb spring slaughter lambs 13 50-18 00

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New Holland Auction

Sept. 27, Thurs.

CATTLE 1312 Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers fully 50 lower 30 percent of Supply cows, Cows 50 to fully 1 00 lower, spots 1 50 lower Bulls steady Choice grade 950-1350 lb slaughter steers 28 50-30 75, few to 31 25, Good to low Choice 25 50-28 50, Standard 24 00-25 75 Utility Heifers 17 00-20 00, Cutter 15 00-17 00

Cutter and Utility cows 15 50-17 60 Canner and low Cutter 13 50-15 50, Shelly canner down to 10 00

Utility and Commercial bulls 20 00-23 00 Good grade 22 00-25 00

Lot Choice 910 lb feeder steers 26 10, Good and low Choice 700-987 lbs 23 50-25 75 Medium and Good 20 00-23 00.

CALVES 431 Vealers steady Good 31 00-36 00, Choice 36 00-40 00 Standard and low Good 27 00-31 00, Utility 23 00-28 00

SHEEP 20 Few Utility 74 80 lb spring slaughter lambs 15 00

New Holland reported a

good fresh cow market with fully steady prices on the top fresh kinds Other kinds sold slow at the September 26 auction There were 175 cows, six bulls and 19 heifers in the run.

Fresh Holsteins brought \$275-450 while Guernseys made \$175-230, and other breeds sold for 3175-265. Stock bulls were \$135-225 and stock heifers sold for \$60-135.

At the September 24 horse sale 189 head crossed the block as barely steady prices. Killer horses were weak

Pony mares brought \$75-120 and geldings were \$40-95. Riding horses sold for \$110-240 and driving horses were \$110-240 Killers brought 7 1/2 cents a pound

Chicago Cattle

Cattle receipts both locally and around twelve market circuit slightly below previous week and sharply under a year ago Slabble receipts first four days 29,500 compared

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