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At Lancaster Yards

WEEKLY REVIEW

Friday, March 22

CATTLE 2350. Compared with 2415 last week Supply includes 60 percent slaughter steers and 25 percent feeder steers. Trading slow. Compared with last weeks close slaughter steers mostly 50 higher. Cows steady to 25 lower. Bulls steady. Feeder steers steady.

Slaughter steers: Choice 950-1350 lb 23 00-24.50, Few loads Choice and Prime 1050-1367 lb 24 75-25 00, Good and low Choice 22.00-23 25, Standard 20 50-22 00.

Heifers Few Good and Choice 700-900 lb. 21 75-22 50.

Cows Cutter and Utility 14 50-16 50, few at 17 00, Canner and low Cutter 13 00-14 50, shelly Canner down to 11 00

Bulls Utility and Commercial 19 50-22 50, Good grade 22 00-24 00

Feeder Steers: Good and Choice 550-800 lb. 22 50-24 00, Few lots Choice 24 50-26 00, load Choice and Fancy 850 lb 24 85

CALVES 575. Compared with 551 head last week Trading moderately active Vealers steady Good and Choice vealers 31 00-36 00, Choice and Prime 36 00-40 00, few to 42 00, Standard 26 00-31.00, Utility 21 00-26 00.

HOGS 1600. Compared with 1744 last week Trading active Barrows and Gilts steady, Sows 50 lower.

Barrows and Gilts: US 1-2 190-230 lb 15 00-15 75, few lots No 1 190-225 lb 16 00-16 50, 1-3 190-240 lb 14 50-15 00, 2-3 240-260 lb 14 00-14 50.

Sows: US 1-3 300-450 lb 10 50-12 00, 2-3 450-600 lb 9 50-10 50.

SHEEP 250. Compared with 200 last week Trading moderately active Slaughter Lambs steady Woolled slaughter Lambs Choice 70-106 lb 22 00-23 00, Good 18 00-22 00

Spring Slaughter Lambs Choice and Prime 40-60 lb

26 00-30 00, Lot Choice 86 lb. 24 00

Chicago Cattle

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CATTLE — Receipts first four days 24,000 compared 26,100 week ago and 26,700 year ago.

Trading on slaughter steers moderately active. compared last Friday, prices mostly 50-1.00 higher. Heifers fully 50 higher. Cows strong to 50 higher. Bulls 25 higher. Feeders mostly steady.

Slaughter Steers: Loadlots Prime 1200-1350 lbs. 25.25-25 75, including three loads 1300-1350 lbs at 25 75 Three loads Prime 1380-1450 lbs. 25 00-25 25. Bulk High Choice and Prime 1100-1400 lbs 24.75-25 25, load High Choice to mostly Prime 1100 lbs 25 50. Bulk Choice 900-1200 lbs 23.50-24 75 Good 900-1200 lbs. 21 50-23 25, Standard 19 50-21 00.

Slaughter Heifers Load and part load High Choice and Prime 1075-1100 lbs 24 50 Bulk Choice 850-1075 lbs. 23 00-24 25 Good 800-1050 lbs 21 00-22 50.

Cows Utility and Commercial closed at 14 75-16 75, lot High yielding Commercial 17-25, Canner and Cutter 12 50-14 75, Shelly Canner 11 75-12 50.

Bulls Utility and Commercial 18 75-21 00

Feeders Several lots and part loads Choice 650-1600 lb steers 23 50-24 00. Part load Good and Choice 825 lbs 22-50. Two loads Good 750 lbs. 22 00. Load Mixed Medium and

Vintage Sale

Tuesday, March 19

CATTLE 538. Supply includes 37 percent cows. Compared with last Tuesday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher. Utility grade cows 25 higher. Canner and Cutter steady. Bulls steady Few high Choice and Prime 1050-1250 lb. slaughter steers 25.10-25.35.

Choice 950-1350 lb. 23.25-24 00 several at 25.00, 1300-1420 lb. 22 50-23 50, Good 22.25-23.50, Standard 21.00-22.25.

Cutter and Utility cows 14.50-16 50, few to 17.00, Canner and Cutter 13 00-14 50, shelly canner down to 11 00.

Utility and Commercial bulls 19 50-22.00.

Hay Show.

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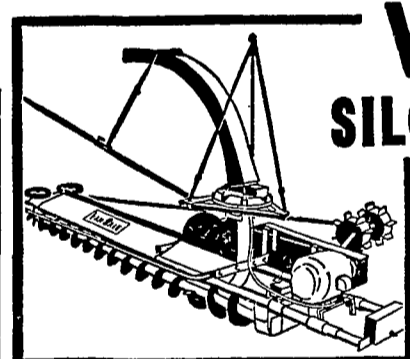
Baylor of Penn State University and a panel of five will discuss "Ten Years of Progress".

The panel will be composed of Buiton S Horne, extension ag engineer from PSU, Charles Wolgemuth, manager of Milton Hershey Farms, James B Stere, New Holland Maching Co., Ed Zimmerman, Silver Lake Farm, Norristown, and William J Roberts, extension ag engineer, Rutgers University.

Farmers wishing to exhibit hay samples are asked to take their exhibits to Allentown before noon on Thursday or contact James Metzler at the Lancaster office of the Pennsylvania Power and Light Company before Tuesday evening.

Good 965 lbs 21 25 Few Medium 850-900 lb. Holsteins 18 50.

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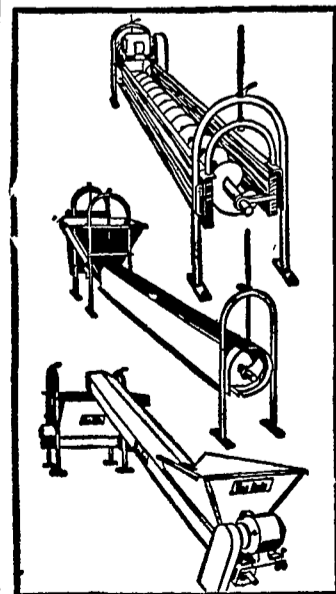


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New Holland Auction

Thursday, March 21 00

CATTLE: 1167. Supply includes 34 percent cows compared with last Thursday. Slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher most advance on Choice grade. Cows steady to 50 lower. Bulls steady. High Choice and Prime 1000-1350 lb. Slaughter Steers 25 35-26.25, Choice 950-1350 lb. 23.25-25.25, Good to low Choice 22.25-23 50, Standard 20 50-22.25.

Utility and Standard Heifers 15.00-20 00, Cutter and Utility cows 14 50-16.50, Canner and low Cutter 13 00-14 50, Shelly Canner down to 11 00, Utility and commercial bulls 19.50-21 50, Good grade 22 00-24.00, Lot Choice 530 lb. Feeder steers 27 50, two lots Choice and Fancy 898-903 lb. 24.60-25 00.

CALVES 317. Vealers grading Standard and below steady, good grade and better 1.00-3 00 lower, Good 29 00-35 00, Choice 35 00-40 00, Standard 25 00-29 00, Utility 20 00-25.00.

CALVES: 317. Vealers steady Choice vealers 33 00-39 00, few Prime 40-43 Good 27-33 Standard 23-27 Utility 20-23 Cull 6-20

HOGS 234. Barrows and Gilts steady U S 1-2 200-222 lb. barrows and gilts 15 00-15.75, two lots No 1 205-222 lb. 15 85-16 10, 1-3 197-220 lb. 14 25-15 00, 2-3 237-255 lb. 14 00-14 75. Few U S 1-3 345-500 lb sows 9 50-11.00.

SHEEP 5. Not enough on sale to establish a market.

SHEEP: 7, lot Choice 84 lb Spring Slaughter lambs 25 50.

The March 18 sale of horses, ponies and mules was the most active market of the spring season. Riding horses were \$15 to \$25 per head higher. There were 204 head in the run.

Mules by the pair brought \$300-565, and singles sold for \$135-300.

Pony mares brought \$45-100 and gelded ponies were \$35-90 Riding horses sold for \$130-290 while driving horses brought \$130-225. Killer horses were 7 to 7½ cents a lb.

At the March 20 sale of dairy cows the market was slow to barely steady on the 105 cows, 16 bulls and 15 heifers

Fresh Holstein cows brought \$250-400; Guerneys \$150-250, and other breeds \$150-300. Stock bulls were \$180-240, and stock heifers \$45-110.

A 25 to 50 lower market took the 568 market hogs at the March 18 sale. Retail hogs to local butchers were 15.50-17. Number 1-3 to packers brought 14 50-15 25 while heavy, fat hogs made 13 50-14 50 The 44 shoats on sale brought \$9 to \$11 per head.

The March 18 calf sale had 96 head on hand Prices were steady Choice and prime 35-41, good and low choice 30-35, standard 24-28, and common 18-24.

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