

Market News Reports Market News Reports

At Lancaster Yards

Friday, August 23
CATTLE: 3300 Compared with 2351 head last week Supply includes 40 percent slaughter steers and 50 percent feeder steers. Trading slow Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers weighing under 1200 lbs. grading Good and Choice 25 spots 50 higher, All others steady. Cows steady. Bulls steady Feeder steers steady

Slaughter steers: Two loads and one half load High Choice and Prime 1122-1148 lbs. 26.50, Choice 950-1325 lbs 24.50-26.00, few 26.25, Good to low Choice 23.50-24.75

Cows: Cutter and Utility 15.00-17.00, Canner and low Cutter 13.75-15.00

Bulls Utility and Commercial 19.50-22.00, Good grade 21.50-23.50

Feeder Steers Lot Choice 588 lbs 26.25, Choice 850-1057 lbs. 23.00-24.75, 2 loads High Choice 971-1000 lbs 25.00-25.25, Few lots Mixed Good and Choice 700-800 lbs 23.00-24.30, Medium and Good 650-750 lbs 21.00-22.50

CALVES: 625 Compared with 570 head last week Trading moderately active

Vealers fully steady Choice and Prime grade vealers 31.00-34.00, few 35.00, Good 26.00-31.00, Standard 22.00-25.00, Utility 19.00-22.00

HOGS 1100 Compared with 1083 head last week Barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower. Sows fully steady Trading

slow.
 Barrows and gilts U.S. 1-2 190-230 lbs. 19.00-19.50, No 1 190-225 lbs. 19.50-20.00, 1-3 190-240 lbs 18.50-19.00, mostly 18.75, down, 2-3 230-260 lbs. 18.00-18.50.

Sows U.S. 1-3 300-450 lbs. 13.50-15.00, 2-3 450-600 lbs 12.00-13.50.

SHEEP: 425. Compared with 342 head last week. Trading active. Spring slaughter lambs fully steady Choice and Prime 70-100 lb. Spring slaughter lambs 20.50-22.50, few lots 23.00, Good grade 16.50-20.50.

Chicago Cattle

Weekly Review

CATTLE — Four day receipts 28,800, compared 30,000 week ago and 29,700 a year ago.

A restricted demand for slaughter steers over 1300 lbs. continued to characterize the cattle trade Compared last Friday, slaughter steers under 1250 lbs steady to 25 lower. Heavier weights 50 to 100 off. Heifers active, throughout week, steady. Cows fully steady. Bulls and few feeders steady In the Chicago carlot dressed trade, steer beef weak to 50 lower. Heifer beef 25-50 lower Cow beef steady to 1.00 higher

Slaughter steers Load Prime 1168 lbs. 26.00 on Monday. Bulk High Choice and Prime 1100-1300 lbs 25.25-25.75 Bulk High Choice & Prime 1300-1400 lbs. 24.50 - 25.25 Bulk Choice

Vintage Sale

Tuesday, August 20

CATTLE: 631. Compared with last weeks market, slaughter steers grading Standard and Good 25-50 higher, all others steady. Canner and Cutter Cows steady; Utility 25-50 higher. Bulls steady.

High Choice and Prime 1000-1250 lb. slaughter steers 26.25-26.75, Choice 950-1300 lbs. 24.50-26.25, Good to low Choice 23.75-24.75, Standard 21.50-23.50.

Cows. Cutter and Utility 15.00-17.50, few to 18.00, Canner and low Cutter 13.75-15.00, Shelly canner down to 12.00. Bulls: Utility and Commercial 19.50-21.85.

CALVES: 600 Vealers grading Choice and Prime steady. Good steady to 1.00 lower; Standard 1.00-2.00 lower; Utility 2.00-3.00 lower.

Choice and Prime grade vealers 30.00-35.00, few 36.00, Good 27.00-30.00, Standard 22.00-27.00, Utility 18.50-22.00

HOGS 200 Barrows and gilts 50 lower.

U. S 1-2 grade 210-215 lb Barrows and gilts 18.85-19.10, U S. 1-3 192-228 lbs. 18.50-18.75, U S 1-2 182-185 lbs 18.00-18.75.

Lot Choice 35 lb. Feeder Pigs/9.75 per head

SHEEP: 12 Not enough on sale to establish a market

900-1250 lbs 24.50-25.50, closed 25.25 down Choice 1250-1350 lbs 23.25-24.75. Bulk Good 900-1250 lbs 22.25-24.25 Loadlots (continued on page 3)

New Holland Auction

Thursday, August 22

CATTLE: 1092. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers steady. Cows 50-1.00 lower. Bulls fully steady.

Few High Choice and Prime 1000-1100 lbs slaughter steers 26.50-26.85, Choice 950-1300 lbs. 24.50-26.35, Several 1300-1350 lbs. 23.35-25.50, Good to low Choice 23.50-24.75, Standard 21.00-23.25.

Choice 825-900 lb. Heifers 23.00-24.25, Utility and Standard 16.50-20.00.

Cows: Cutter and Utility 14.50-16.50, Canner and low Cutter 12.50-14.75, Shelly canner down to 11.00.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 20.00-22.00, Good 22.00-24.35.

Medium and Good 607-775 lbs. Feeder steers 21.00-23.75, Medium and Good 805-932 lb. 20.50-21.50.

Medium and Good 650-900 lb. Feeder Bulls 17.00-19.50, Lot Common and Medium 805 lb Holstein Feeders 17.25.

CALVES: 364. Vealers grading Choice and Prime steady to 1.00 higher. Standard and Good steady. Utility steady to 2.00 lower.

Choice and Prime grade vealers 30.00-35.50, few 36.00, Good 28.00-31.00, Standard 23.00-28.00 Choice and Prime grade veal-

SHEEP: 36. Few lots Good shown Slaughter ewes 6.00-7.00.

The 188 cows, three stock bulls and 20 stock heifers met a steady market at the August 21 dairy cattle auction at New Holland.

Fresh Holstein cows brought \$275 to \$500; Guernseys \$150-240, and other breeds \$150-310. Stock bulls were \$140-195, and stock heifers brought \$65-135.

At the August 19 sale of horses; 194 head met steady prices. Riding horses sold for \$100-330, and driving horses were \$110-215. Pony mares brought \$50-115 while geldings sold for \$30-135. Killers were 6½ to 7½ cents a pound.

The 337 hogs at the August 19 sale sold 25 lower. Retail hogs to local butchers brought 19.50 to 20.50. Grades 1 to 3 to the packers were 18.60 to 19.10, and heavyweight hogs brought 18 to 18.25. Sows were 13.50 to 16.

Calves at the August 19 auction sold steady as 110 head crossed the block. Choice and prime vealers brought 28-35, good and low choice 25-28, standard 23-25, and cull and common 16 to 23.

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