

Market News Reports

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

Friday, October 11

CATTLE: 3875. Compared with 4385 head last week. Supply includes 25 percent slaughter steers and 70 percent feeder steers Trading active. Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher. Cows and bulls steady. Feeder steers steady.

Slaughter steers: Choice 950-1300 lbs. 24.50-25.50, Load High Choice carrying End Prime 1250 lbs. 25.75, Load Choice 1095 lbs. 26.00, Load Choice 1358 lbs. 23.35, Good to low Choice 22.50-24.50

Cows cutter and Utility 13.75-15.25, Canner and low Cutter 13.00-13.75, Shelly canner down to 10.00.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 19.50-22.00, Good grade 22.00-24.50.

Feeder steers: Good and Choice 650-800 lbs. 22.00-24.50, Choice 800-1050 lbs. 22.50-24.00, Good 650-800 lbs. 21.00-22.00, Choice 400-550 lbs. 24.75-27.50, Medium and Good 550-700 lbs. 18.75-22.00, Common and Medium 500-600 lb. Holsteins 16.00-17.00.

CALVES: 725. Compared with 671 head last week. Trading moderately active. Vealers steady to weak. Choice and Prime 32.00-38.00, Good 27.00-32.00, Standard 23.00-27.00, Utility 19.00-23.00.

HOGS: 1375. Compared with last weeks 1380 head. Barrows gilts and sows steady. Trading moderately active.

Barrows and gilts U S 1-2 grade 190-230 lbs. 17.00-17.75, No 1 grade 190-225 lbs. 17.75-18.50, U S 1-3 grade

190-240 lbs. 16.75-17.00, 2-3 grade 230-260 lbs. 16.00-16.75.

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

SHEEP: 725. Compared with 373 head last week. Trading moderately active. Woolled slaughter lambs 50-1.00 lower. Choice and Prime 70-100 lb. woolled slaughter lambs 19.50-21.00, Good 16.00-19.50, Cull to Choice woolled slaughter ewes 3.00-7.00.

Chicago Cattle

Weekly Review

Cattle — Salable receipts this week-to-date 26,900 compared 30,900 last week and 26,300 a year ago.

Trading on slaughter steers and heifers active, early, later rather slow. Steers steady to 25 lower than last Friday. Heifers generally 50 lower, cows steady to 50 lower. Bulls and few feeders unchanged.

Slaughter steers sixteen loads Prime 1100-1350 lbs. 25.50, bulk high choice and prime 1050-1375 lbs. 24.75-25.25. High choice and prime 1300-1400 lbs. 23.50-24.75, few loads prime 1450-1500 lbs. 23-24. Good 900-1250 lbs. 22-50-23.50, standard and low good 21-22.50 including few loads 1000-1300 lbs. Holsteins 21.50-22.

Slaughter heifers on Monday, three loads high choice and prime 975-1050 lbs. 24.25-24.35, load and part load of

Vintage Sale

Tuesday, October 8

CATTLE: 571. Supply includes 30 percent cows. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers unevenly steady to 50 higher. Cows steady to 75 lower. Bulls 1.00 lower. Several High Choice and Prime 950-1100 lb. slaughter steers 26.10-26.85, Choice 950-1300 lbs. 24.50-26.00, Good to low Choice 22.50-24.50, Standard 19.50-22.50.

Choice 700-950 lb. Heifers 23.85-25.00.

Cows: Cutter and Utility 14.00-15.00, Canner and low Cutter 13.00-14.00, Shelly canner down to 10.50.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 18.50-20.50.

CALVES: 575. Vealers steady to 1.00 higher. Choice and Prime 33.00-38.00, Good 30.00-33.00, Standard 24.00-30.00, Utility 18.00-24.00.

HOGS: 183. Barrows and gilts steady to 25 higher.

Barrows and gilts U S 1-2 grade 195-226 lbs. 17.25-17.50, U. S. 1-3 grade 198-229 lbs. 16.85-17.25, U. S. 1-3 grade 184-188 lbs. 16.50-16.60, U. S. 2-3 grade 249-251 lbs. 16.25-16.60.

Lot Choice grade 40 lb. Feeder Pigs 7.50 Per Head.

SHEEP: 52. Woolled slaughter lambs 50 lower. Good and Choice woolled slaughter lambs 60-105 lbs. 16.50-20.50.

prime 1000-1100 lbs. late at 24. Late bulk choice 800-1100 lbs. 22.25-23.50, on Monday comparable grade 22.75-24. (Continued on Page 3)

New Holland Auction

Thursday, October 10

CATTLE: 1149. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers steady to weak. Cows steady to 50 higher with most advance on canner and Cutter grades. Bulls steady to 50 lower.

Several High Choice and Prime 950-1100 lb. slaughter steers 26-26.75, Choice 950-1300 lbs. 24.25-25.85, Good to low Choice 22-24.50, Standard 20.50-22.50.

Utility and Standard grade heifers 16.50-17.

Cows: Cutter and Utility 14.25-15.50, Canner and low Cutter 13-14.25, Shelly canner down to 10.50.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 19-21.50, Several utility down to 18, Good 21.50-24.

Most Good With few Choice 808-970 lb. Feeder steers 20.35-22.75, 2 lots Choice 660 and 760 lbs. 24.50-24.60. Medium and Good 500-800 lbs. 18-21.

Lot Good mixed steers and bulls 375 lbs. 19.25.

CALVES: 361. Vealers were steady to 1.00 higher. Choice and Prime grade vealers 32-38.50, Good 30-32, Standard 25-30, Utility 18-24.50.

SHEEP: 13. Few Choice 90-92 lb. woolled slaughter lambs 19-19.50.

Dairy cattle were active and higher at the October 9 auction. A total of 177 cows, six stock bulls and eight stock heifers were sold.

Fresh Holstein cows brought \$275-425; Guernseys \$150-300 and other breeds \$150-350. Stock bulls were \$140-210, and stock heifers \$65-170.

The October 7 sale saw 26 head of horses and ponies sell at steady prices. Pony mares brought \$40-100 while geldings were \$30-100. Driving horses sold for \$110-275, and riding horses brought \$110-400. Koller horses were 6 1/2 to 7 cents a pound.

The 494 market hogs at the October 7 sale sold steady. R. tail hogs to local butchers brought 18.25 to 19; grades 1 to 3 went to the packers at 16.85 to 17.35, and heavy weights brought 15.60-16.75. Sows were 13 to 15.50.

Calf receipts of 114 head sold steady at the October 7 auction. Choice and prime vealers were 33-38; good and low choice 29-33; standard 25-29, and common 15-25.

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