

Market News Reports Market News Reports

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

27 00-32 00, Utility 23.00-27.00

Friday, January 10

CATTLE 2000. Compared with 1600 head last week. Supply includes 60 percent slaughter steers and 20 percent feeder steers. Trading moderately active. Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers generally 50 higher. Cows 1 00-1 25 lower. Bulls about steady. Feeder steers strong to 50 higher.

Slaughter steers: Choice 950-1250 lbs 22 75-24 00, 2 loads 1175 lbs High Choice 24 25, Loads Choice 1350-1420 lbs 22 00-24 00, 2 loads 1175 lbs High Choice 24 25, Loads Choice 1350-1420 lbs 22 00-22 50, Good to low Choice 21.00-22 50, Load mostly Good 1390 lbs 20 50

Heifers: Load 955 lbs Choice 22 00, Lot Choice 819 lbs 21 50, Load Good and Choice 886 lbs 21 00

Cows: Cutter and Utility 13 25-14 50, Canner and low Cutter 12 00-13 25.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 19.50-21.50, Good grade 21 50-23 25

Feeder steers Choice 750-825 lbs. 21 00-21 75, 4 lots High Choice 809-947 lbs 22.00-22 25, Load High Choice 1018 lbs 21 50, few lots Good 600-700 lbs 20.00-21 00, Load Medium 1100 lbs. 17 00.

CALVES: 600 Compared with 525 head last week. Trading fairly active. Vealers steady. Choice and Prime grade vealers 35.00-38 00, few to 40.00, Good 32 00-35.00, Standard

HOGS 1275. Compared with 1100 head last week. Trading moderately active barrows and gilts and sows steady.

Barrows and gilts: U. S. 1-2, 190-230 lbs 16 50-17 00, No. 1, 190-225 lbs 17 00-17.50, few lots to 18 00 U. S. 1-3, 190-240 lbs 16 00-16 50, U. S. 2-3, 230-260 lbs 15 50-16 00.

Sows: U. S. 1-3, 350-450 lbs 12 00-13 00, few to 13 50, U. S. 2-3 450-600 lbs. 11 00-12 50.

SHEEP: 350. Compared with 320 head last week. Trading moderately active. Woolled slaughter lambs 50 lower. Choice and Prime 80-105 lb woolled slaughter lambs 21 50-22.50, few Prime 23 00, Choice 20 00-21 50, Good 18 50-20 00.

Chicago Cattle

WEEKLY REVIEW

CATTLE — Salable receipts first four days 28,600, compared 19,400 holiday shortened period week ago and 27,700 year ago

Compared last Friday, slaughter steers and heifers 50 to 100 higher, cows slow throughout the week, mostly 1 00 lower; bulls steady, few feeders strong.

Slaughter steers: High Choice and Prime 1000-1375 lbs 23.25-24.50, closing mostly 23.75-24 50 with around 20 loads mostly Prime 1150-1375 lbs at 24.50 on Wednesday, this highest since December 6th. On Monday, two loads

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Vintage Sale

Tuesday, January 7

CATTLE: 496. Supply includes 39 percent cows. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers 50-75 higher, spots 1 00 higher on 1150-1250 lb. steers. Cows fully 50 lower. Bulls steady.

Choice 950-1250 lb. Slaughter steers 22.75-24 00, several 950-1100 lbs. 24.10-24 60, 1300-1360 lbs 21.50-22 75, Good to low Choice 21.00-22.75, few 1300-1350 lbs 20 50-21 25, Standard 20.00-21.25.

Cows: Cutter and Utility 13.00-14 75, Canner and low Cutter 12 25-1300 lbs Shelly canner down to 10 50.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 19 50-21 25.

CALVES: 477. Vealers unevenly steady. Choice and Prime 34 00-38 00, Good 30.00-34 00, Standard 25 00-30 00, Utility 21.00-26 00, Cull 17.00-21 00.

HOGS: 211. Barrows and gilts steady to 25 higher

Two lots U. S. No. 1. 190-220 lbs 16 85-17 00, U. S. 1-2, 190-225 lbs. 16.35-16.60, U. S. 1-3, 190-232 lbs. 16.00-16.25, Lot U. S. 2-3, 240 lbs. 15 75.

Feeder Pigs: Choice 25-45 lbs. 4.50-11.00.

Two lots Good 35 and 45 lbs. 3 85 and 9.10.

New Holland Auction

Thursday, January 9

CATTLE: 912. Supply includes 35 percent cows. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers 25-1.00 higher, most advance on weights over 1150 lbs. Cows 50-75 lower, instances 1 00 lower on utility grade. Bulls about steady.

Choice 950-1300 lb. slaughter steers 22 75-24 60, few 940-1160 lbs. 24 85-25.25, 1300-1400 lbs 21 50-23 00, Good to low Choice 21 00-22.75, few 1300-1400 lbs. 20 50-21 25, Standard 19.50-21 25.

Utility and Standard grade Heifers 15 50-19 00.

Cows: Cutter and Utility 13 00-14 75, Canner and low Cutter 12 50-13.50, Shelly canner down to 11 00.

Bulls: Utility and Commercial 19 50-21 85, few Good grade 23 00-23.75.

Lot Good and Choice 825 lb Feeder steers 22.25, Lot Good 650 lbs 22 00, Lot Medium 810 lbs. 19 50 3 lots common and Medium 710-882 lbs 16.60-17.25.

CALVES: 343. Vealers 1.00-2.00 lower. Choice and Prime 35.00-38.00, few to 39 50, Good 31.00-35.00, Standard 27.00-31 00, Utility 21.00-28.00. Cull 17 00-21.50.

SHEEP: 12. Not enough on

sale to establish a market

Dairy cows sold steady the January 8 auction as 11 cows, 13 bulls and 18 heifer changed hands.

Fresh Holstein cows brought \$275-375; Guernseys \$15 240, and other breeds \$14 275. Stock bulls sold for \$14 225 and stock heifers \$45-17.

The mule market was active and the horse market steady as 152 head crossed the block at the January 6 auction

Mules by the pair brought \$350-510 and \$150-200 singly. Riding horses were \$10 200, and driving horses \$10 175. Pony mares brought \$3 85 while geldings sold for \$25-85.

The January 6 hog market was steady on the 415 head. Retail hogs to local butchers brought 16.75 to 17 while grades 1 to 3 went to packers at 15 75 to 16 25. Heavy weight butcher hogs were 14 75 to 15 25 and sows brought 10 to 14.

The 152 calves sold 14 lower on the January 6 auction. Choice and prime vealers brought 34-36.50, good or low choice 32-33.50, standard 30-32, and cull and common 15 to 22.

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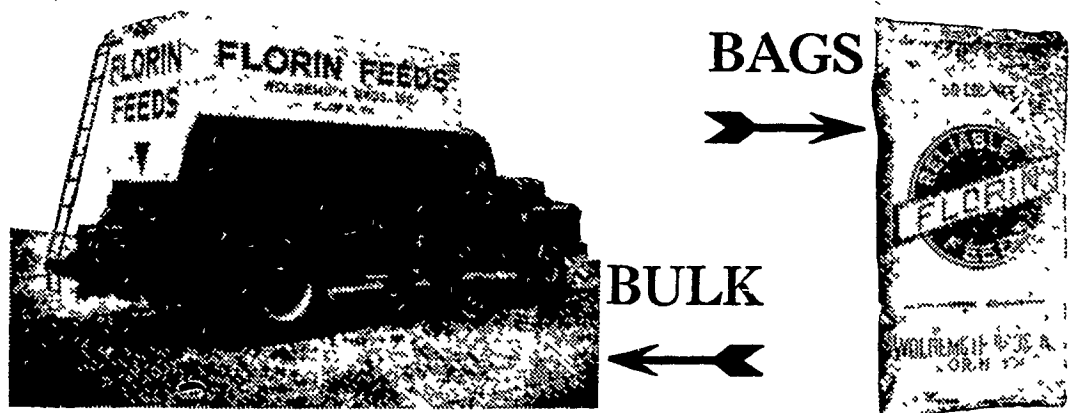
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