

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

April 2, 1965

Cattle 3700 Slaughter steers steady to 25c lower. Cows about steady. Bulls fully steady. Feeder steers steady to strong. Supply included 65 percent Slaughter steers, 15 percent Cows and Bulls with the balance mainly feeder steers.

Slaughter Steers Mixed Choice and Prime 1100-1250 lbs 26.50-27.25, Choice 1050-1350 lbs 24.50-26.50, Mixed Good and Choice 23.85-25.00, With some sales on Monday 25.00-25.50, Good 23.00-24.50, Standard to Low Good 19.75-23.50, Utility 16.00-19.50

Slaughter Heifers: Good and Choice 700-950 lbs. 19.50-22.60

Cows Cutter and Utility 14.00-16.00, Canner and Low Cutter 13.00-14.50, Shelly canner 12.25-13.00

Bulls Good and Choice 19.50-22.50, Utility and Commercial 17.50-20.00, Several 1600-2000 lbs Utility 20.25-21.00

Feeder Steers Choice 800-1000 lbs 23.50-24.50, Including Load 1025 lbs carrying Good Slaughter flesh 24.50, Load and Part-load Choice 700-950 lbs 24.75-25.25, Mixed Good and Choice 600-900 lbs 22.00-22.85, Good 400-950 lbs 20.00-22.50, Load Good 525 lbs. 23.50

Calves 675 Vealers mostly steady, although Cull and Utility closed \$1.00-2.00 higher. Choice 34.00-38.00, Few individual High Choice and Prime 38.00-40.00, Good 29.00-35.00 Standard 25.00-29.00, Utility 22.00-26.00, Cull largely 18.00-22.00.

Hogs 1250 Active, Barrows and gilts steady to 25c higher. Sows fully steady.

Barrows and Gilts: US 1-2 190-240 lbs 18.75-19.25, few

Auction Only

March 31, 1965

Cattle 740: Slaughter steers steady to 50c lower. Cows mostly steady. Bulls steady. Supply included 17 percent cows.

Slaughter steers: Choice, 1000-1250 lbs., 24.50-26; mixed Good and Choice, 23.85-25; Good, 950-1250 lbs., 23-24.50; Standard to Low Good, 19.75-23; Utility, 16-19.50.

Slaughter heifers: Good and Choice, 700-950 lbs., 19.50-22.60. Cows: Cutter and Utility, 14-16; Canner and Low Cutter, 13.25-14.50.

Bulls Utility and Commercial, 18-19.60, individual, 20.35; Good, 19.50-21.

Feeder Steers 1 lot Good and Choice, 1010 lbs., 22.85.

Sales 19.50, US 1, 190-230 lbs. 19.25-19.75, around 10 head \$20.00, US 1-3 180-250 lbs 18.25-18.75, US 2-3 220-240 lbs 17.75-18.25, 240-280 lbs. 17.25-17.75

Sows US 1-3 300-450 lbs. 13.50-14.50, Few US 1-2 280-320 lbs 14.50-15.00, US 2-3 400-550 lbs 13.00-14.00, 550-600 lbs 12.50-13.00

Sheep 300 Moderately Active, All classes fully steady. Woolled slaughter lambs: Mixed Good and Choice 75-100 lbs. 25.50-27.50, Good 23.00-25.50, Utility 20.00-23.00, Spring lambs One lot Choice and Prime 97 lbs \$32.00, One lot 106 lbs. \$29.00, Choice and Prime 35-60 lbs 35.00-38.00, Choice 40-70 lbs \$32.00-33.00, 1 Lot Good and Choice 40 lbs \$30.00 Slaughter Ewes Utility to Choice \$5.00-9.00.

Veterans Administration clerks displaced by computers in automatic data processing systems, are being retrained for better positions as typists or punch card operators whenever possible

Vintage Auction

March 30, 1965

Cattle 602: Choice Slaughter steers strong to 25c higher; Instances 50c higher; Standard and Good steady to 25c lower. Cows mostly 50c higher. Bulls about steady. Feeder steers mostly 50c higher. Supply included 32 percent Cows.

Slaughter Steers: Choice 1000-1250 lbs. 25.00-26.60, Few High Choice and Prime 26.50-27.25, Mixed Good and Choice 24.00-25.25, Good 900-1250 lbs. 23.00-24.25, Standard to low Good 19.50-23.00, Utility 16.50-18.50.

Cows: Utility and High Yielding Cutter 14.50-16.10, Few 16.25-16.60, Canner and Cutter 13.35-14.75, Shelly canner 12.60-13.50.

Bulls Utility to Good 17.85-20.00, Individual Utility 21.00-22.00, Cutter 17.00-18.10.

Feeder Steers: Good and Choice 650-950 lbs. 23.25-23.75.

Calves 316: Vealers uneven, Good mostly steady. Utility and Standard \$1.00-2.00 higher, Cull \$2.00-4.00 higher. Good to low Choice 31.50-35.00, Standard 29.00-32.00, Utility 23.50-28.50, cull 80-105 lbs. 18.00-22.50, 60-75 lbs. 16.00-19.00.

Hogs 114: Barrows and gilts 50c-1.00 higher US 1-2 195-230 lbs 19.60-20.00, 4 head 20.25-20.35, US 1-3 200-240 lbs 18.50-19.00, 170-195 lbs. 18.00-18.35.

Sheep 66 Supply mainly

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New Holland Auction

April 1, 1965

Cattle 937: Good to Average Choice Slaughter steers opened, mostly 25 lower, Instances 50c lower; Other grades steady to weak. All grades closed steady. Cows about steady. Bulls steady to 50c higher. Supply included 27 percent Cows, and 10 percent Bulls.

Slaughter Steers: High Choice and Prime 1050-1225 lbs. 26.50-27.60, including 4 head 27.00-27.60, Choice 950-1250 lbs. 24.50-26.50, Mixed Good and Choice 23.85-25.00, Good 22.75-24.25, Standard 19.50-23.00, Utility 17.00-19.00.

Cows: Cutter and Utility 13.85-16.00, Few 16.00-16.60, Canner and Low Cutter 13.00-14.25, Shelly Canner 12.00-13.00.

Bulls: Good 19.75-22.00, Utility and Commercial 18.00-20.25, Few Utility 20.50-21.10, Cutter 16.00-18.25.

Feeder Steers. Good and Choice 850-950 lbs. 21.25-23.35, 1 lot Good to mostly Choice 285 lbs. 25.00.

Calves 354: Vealers mostly steady to strong; although Cull mainly \$1.00 higher. Choice 35.50-38.00, Good 32.00-35.50, Utility 23.50-29.00, Cull mainly 18.00-22.50, With 60-75 lbs Cull vealers selling at 13.00-18.00.

Sheep 16: Choice 65-85 lb. Spring lambs 29.00-30.00, Good and Choice 40-65 lbs. 25.00-28.50.

Receipts of 160 cows, 9 bulls, and 17 heifers sold slow to steady at the March 31 sale. Fresh Holsteins brought 275-400; Guernseys, 140-225; other breeds, 140-225. Bulls sold for

110-185, and heifers 60-170.

At the horse sale March 29, saddle horses were very active with riding horses selling for 115-400; driving horses brought 115-240; killers, 6-6 1/2 cents per pound. Mules sold in pairs for 275-640, and singly for 110-135. Pony mares brought 30-35; geldings 20-110. Receipts totaled 358.

Hogs sold steady to 25c higher with 477 head offered at the Mar. 29 sale. Market hogs retailed for 19-20; wholesale (U.S. 1-3), 18-18.75; heavy weights, 17.50-18.25. Sows brought 12.50-14.50.

Calf receipts totaled 125 head and sold steady at the Mar. 29 sale. Choice and Prime brought 33-37.50; Good and Low Choice, 32-33; Standard, 29-32; Common, 12-25.

Chicago Cattle

CATTLE — Receipts for four day period 23,200 compared with 22,200 last week and 23,300 a year ago, twelve market supply 150,400 compared with 156,000 last week and 179,400 a year ago

Compared with last Friday, slaughter steers high choice and prime steady to 25 higher, average choice and below steady to 50 lower. Heifer steady. Cows very uneven, utility and commercial steady to 50 higher, canner and cutter steady to 50 lower. Bulls fully steady. Feeders steady. In the carlot dressed meat trade, steer beef 50-1.00 lower, heifer 75-1.50 lower. Cow beef steady to 50 lower.

Slaughter steers: On Monday, two loads of prime 1300 lbs.

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New Holland Sales Stables, Inc.

Sale Schedule

Monday: Horse Sale 10:00 A.M.
Tack Sale to Follow Horse Sale
Monday: Hog Sale 11:30 A.M.
Monday: Beef Cattle 2:00 P.M.
Sale Order — Bulls, Steers, Cows, Calves
Wednesday: Sale of Dairy Cattle 12:30 P.M.
Thursday: Sale of Beef Cattle 12:30 P.M.
Sale Order — Bulls, Steers, Cows, Calves

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Every day we receive phone calls and letters from stockmen asking for our advice. Tom Brown, for example, wants to know when the best time will be to sell his lambs, and Jim Smith has a load of hogs to consign. Will Wednesday be better than Monday? And then there is Charlie Jones. He has a good load of cattle, and he wants to know how the market will be next month.

We feel flattered, of course, that so many people contact us. But then again, there must be a good reason for all this. Maybe it's because we've been at this business for 67 years. Or maybe it's because we have specialists in every department — cows, hogs, stockers and feeders, fat steers and heifers, lambs, hogs, and calves — who have the ability, knowledge and experience to give you honest advice and information.

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