

# MARKET NEWS REPORT

## At Lancaster Yards

**Weekly Review**  
July 28, 1967

**CATTLE 2997** — Compared to last weeks close, slaughter steers mostly 25-50 lower. High Choice and Prime not tested after Monday. Not enough heifers for price comparison. Cows 50-100 lower, bulls steady to 50 lower. Feeders generally steady. Supply included an estimated 60 percent slaughter steers, 20 percent cows and bulls, balance largely feeder steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — High Choice and Prime 1000-1250 lbs sold on Monday at 27.75-28.25. Load 1295 lbs 28-50. Choice 900-1350 lbs ranged 26.25-28, late sales mostly 26.25-27.35. Good and Choice closed at 26.26-50. Good 25.25-26.25. Standard 23.25-25.

**HEIFERS** — Some standard and Good 730-900 lbs 21.75-25.10.

**COWS** — Late sales Utility and high yielding Culler 18-20, few 20.25-20.75. Culler 17.50-18.75. few Shelly Canner 13-15.50.

**BULLS** — Few Choice closed at 25.25-50. Good 24.25. Utility and Commercial 23.75-27. Culler and low Utility 21-50-23.75.

**FEEDER STEERS** — Few lot, mostly Good 494-525 lbs 26.27-75. one lot 630 lbs 28.50. Few loads and lots Good and Choice 800-1000 lbs 24.25-75. Standard and Good 23.25-24.75.

**CALVES** 520 — Vealers mostly Steady.

**VEALERS** — Choice 39-41. few early 42. Good 36.50-40. Standard 34.37-50. Cull 29-32. some 60-90 lbs 25-29.

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July 26, 1967

**CATTLE 693** — Compared to Monday Slaughter Steers uneven, average large steady to 25 lower; closing sales mostly steady. Not enough heifers for price test. Cows 50 to 100 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower. Slaughter Steers mainly standard to average choice.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — Average Choice 950-1250 lbs 26.25-27.35. individual High Choice 1350 lbs 28.25. Good and Choice 900-1300 lbs 26.26-50. Good 25.25-26.25. Standard 23.25-25.

**HEIFERS** — Some Standard and Good 730-900 lbs 21.75-25.10.

**COWS** — Utility and High Yielding Culler 18-20, few 20.25-20.75. Culler 17.50-18.75.

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## Vintage Auction

July 25, 1967

**CATTLE 648** — Compared with last Tuesday, high Choice and Prime slaughter steers steady to 25 lower on limited supply, average Choice and below uneven, averaging mostly 50c lower. Not enough heifers offered for a price comparison. Cows steady to 50c lower. Bulls mostly steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — High Choice and Prime 1000-1250 lbs 28-28.50, few 28.60-29. Choice 950-1300 lbs 26.50-28, few 1300-1410 lbs, 25.60-27.50. High Good and Choice 950-1300 lbs 26.25-26.75, Good 25.26-50; Standard and low Good 23.35-25.

**COWS** — Utility and high yielding Cutter 19-25-21.60; Culler 18-20. Canner and low Culler 16-18.50. few shelly Canner 14-16.

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## FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, July 27, 1967)

	Midwestern Live Cattle — Chicago	Live Hogs — Chicago	Maine Potatoes — New York
August	26.85	22.75	
September		21.50	
October	27.47	20.45-n	
November		20.70-n	2.21
December	27.60	20.90	
Feb. '68	27.70		
March			2.45
April	27.65		2.63
May			2.99
June	27.70		
July	28.20-n		

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Trend Cattle and hogs, both higher, potatoes, irregular

## New Holland Auction

July 27, 1967

**CATTLE 737** — Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers uneven, averaging steady to 25 higher. Heifers not enough for a price comparison. Cows steady to mostly 50 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower. Feeders too few for a price comparison. Supply includes about 26% cows, and 14% bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — High Choice and Prime 1050-1250 lbs 28-28.60; Choice 950-1300 lbs 26.50-28. Good and Choice 26-26.75. Good 25-26.25. Standard to low Good 23-25.25.

**HEIFERS** — Some Standard and Good 760-1090 lbs 23.35-25.50.

**COWS** — Utility and high yielding Cutter 19-21.85. Culler 18-20. Canner and low Culler 17-19. Shelly Canners 14-17.

**BULLS** — Choice 24.50-26.50. Good 23.50-25.50. Utility and Commercial 23.50-25.50. Cutter and low Utility 21.75-23.50.

**FEEDER STEERS** — Good and Choice 575-815 lbs 24.26-25.

**CALVES** 344 — Vealers uneven, average mostly steady.

**VEALERS** — Choice 39-41.50. Good 37-40. Standard 34-38. Utility 32-36. Cull 27-32, some 60-90 lbs 24-29.

### COWS

July 26, 1967

A steady trend was noted as 101 cows, 4 bulls, and 11 heifers sold. Fresh Holsteins, 320-710, no other breeds listed. Bulls, 160-295. Heifers, 185-370.

### HORSES

July 24, 1967

Killers averaged lower, others steady. Riding horses, 120-280 driving, 135-260; killers, 7-8 cents per lb. Pony mares, 35-70 geldings, 35-85.

### HOGS

July 24, 1967

Receipts totaled 730 head and averaged 25 cents lower. Retail, 24.50-25.50; heavy-

weights, 23-23.50; wholesale (U.S. 1-3), 23.50-24. Sows, 16-17.50. Boars, 12-13.50.

### CALVES

July 24, 1967

A steady trend accompanied the sale of 132 head. Choice and Prime, 37.50-40; Good and Low Choice, 35-37; Standard, 33-34.50; Common, 18-32.

## Chicago Cattle

### Weekly Review

**CATTLE** — Compared with last weeks close. Slaughter steers sold steady to mostly 25 lower, slaughter heifers were mostly 25 lower. Cows declined 100-150 and late in the week were at their lowest levels in three months. Bulls were 150 lower. In the carlot dressed meat trade at Chicago, steer beef sold steady, except Standard 100 lower, heifer beef was steady to 25 lower, cow beef declined 1.00-1.50, with Canner and Cutter off most.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — Prime 1150-1350 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 27.00-27.75, four-loads at latter price, several loads 1350-1425 lbs. Yield Grade 4 and 5 27.00-27.25. High Choice and Prime 950-1325 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 26.50-27.25, 1325-1400 lbs. Yield Grade 4 and 5 26.50-27.00, load 1682 lb. Yield Grade 5 23.50. Choice 900-1300 lbs 25.50-26.50. largely 25.75-26.50, Mixed Good and Choice 25.00-25.75, Good 24.00-25.00, Standard and Low Good 23.25-24.25.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS** — High Choice and Prime 850-1075 lbs 25.75-26.25. Choice 850-1100 lbs 25.00-25.75, Mixed Good and Choice 24.25-25.00, Good 23.50-24.50, Standard and Low Good 22.25-23.75.

**COWS** — Late Utility and Commercial 15.75-17.50, High Yielding Utility 17.50-18.25, Canner and Cutter 14.50-17.00.

**BULLS** — Late Utility and Commercial 20.50-23.00.

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