

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

March 15, 1968

CATTLE 2200 — Compared to last week's close, slaughter steers steady, instances 25c higher on Choice; cows steady to 50c higher; bulls steady; feeder steers steady. Supply included 45 percent slaughter steers, and 25 percent cows and bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 1000-1300 lbs. yield grade 2 and 3 27-28 75, few high-Choice and Prime 29-29 50; high-Good to low-Choice 26 50-27 50, Good 90-1325 lbs 25-27; Standard to low-Good 22 50-25 10

COWS — High-Cutter and Utility, 19 25-21, couple 21 25, Cutter 17 75-19 50; Canner and low-Cutter 15 50-18

BULLS — Choice 25 26 10, Good 23 25 25 25, Utility and Commercial 23 25-25, few head 2 50-26 50 with two head 2355-2410 lbs 26 35 27 25

FEEDER STEERS — Choice 490-570 lbs 29-30, lot 715 lbs. 27 90, Choice 900-960 lbs 26 25-27. Load Good and Choice 660 lbs 26 50

CALVES 450 — Vealers \$1-2 lower, instances \$3 lower on Good and Choice

VEALERS — Choice 45-48, few on Monday 48 50-50, Good 40-44, Standard 37-41; Utility 32-37, Cull 90-115 lbs 27-32, 70-90 lbs 24-28

HOGS 1250 — Barrows and gilts 25c higher, instances 50c higher. Sows scarce

CLOSING SALES BARROWS & GILTS US 1-2 200-235 lbs 20 25-21 50; One lot US 1, 200 lbs 22; US 1-3 195-245 lbs 20 85-21 25, US 2-3 265-280 lbs 19 35-19 60, One lot US 2-3 310 lbs 17 75, One lot US 2-3 375 lbs 16 35

SHEEP 200 — Woolled lambs strong to 50c higher. Ewes absent

WOOLED LAMBS — Choice 60-105 lbs 28-28 50, Good 25-27 50, couple lots Choice 80-100 lbs fall crop lambs \$31-33

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Auction Only

March 13, 1968

CATTLE 733 — Compared to Monday, slaughter steers steady to 25c higher, with the advance mainly on Choice; cows steady; bulls about steady. Supply included 22 percent cows and 9 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 1000-1300 lbs yield grade 2 and 3 27.25-28 75, with six head 29-29 50; high-Good to low-Choice 26 50-27 50; Good 950-1325 lbs 25 27; Standard to low-Good 22 50-25 10

COWS — Utility and high-Cutter 19 25-21, couple \$21 25; Cutter 17 85-19 25; low-Cutter 15 50-18

BULLS — Choice 25 26 10; Good 23 25-25 25, Utility and Commercial 23 25 24 50, couple 2355 2410 lbs 26 35-27 25

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Vintage Auction

March 12, 1968

CATTLE 714 — Compared to last Tuesday, slaughter steers steady to 50c higher, with most early sales 25-50c higher; cows steady; bulls steady to 50c higher. Supply included 30 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 950-1325 lbs 27.25-29, high-Choice and Prime 28 85 30; high-Good to low-Choice 26 50-27.75; Good 25.25-27; Standard to low-Good 23.50-25.25.

COWS — Utility and high-yielding Cutter 18-20.35, eight head 20.60-21 60; Cutter 17 25-19; Low-Cutter 15 50-17 35.

BULLS — Good 23.50-25.35; Utility and Commercial 23 25-25, few 25.35-26.60.

CALVES 397 — Utility to Choice vealers \$2-5 lower, Cull weak to \$1 lower

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FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, March 14, 1968)

	Midwestern Live Cattle — Chicago	Live Hogs — Chicago	Maine Potatoes — New York
March		19.32	
April	26.95		1.70
May			2.19
June	26.37	20.65	
July		20.85	
August	26.12		
September	26.30		
October	26.07		
November			2.28
December	26.15		
February	26.25		

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Trend Cattle are irregular; Hogs are lower and Potatoes are lower

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New Holland Auction

March 14, 1968

CATTLE 943 — Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers steady to 25c lower; cows steady to 25c lower; bulls mostly steady. Supply included 33 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 950-1300 lbs yield grade 2 to 4 27.25-29; high-Choice and Prime 28.85-30.10; high-Good to low-Choice 26.25-27.50; Good 25-26 60; Standard to low-Good 22 50-25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 875-945 lbs. 25 35-26 60; Good 24-25 10.

COWS — Utility 18.85-20.85, few 21-21.75; Cutter 18-20; low-Cutter 16.50-17.75.

BULLS—Choice 25.25-26; Good 23-24 75; Utility and Commercial 22 85-24 60, couple 25.35-25 85, with individual 1570 lbs 27 50

FEEDER STEERS — One lot Choice 860 lbs 26 50, Good 730-1065 lbs 23.85-25.

CALVES 350—Utility to Choice vealers \$2-4 lower, Cull weak to \$2 lower.

VEALERS — Choice 43 50-46 50, Good 41-44; Standard 38-41 50; Utility 32-38; Cull 95-115 lbs 28-31 50, 70-90 lbs 24-28 50

COWS

March 13, 1968

Receipts of 158 head of cows, 2 bulls and 6 heifers sold steady. Holstein 375-700, Guernseys 205-240; other breeds 275-325, Bulls 225-240; heifers 100-260.

HORSES

March 11, 1968

Receipt of 399 head sold stronger. Riding horses 135-305, Driving horses 150-360; Work horses (single) 175-245, (pair) 395-600; Mules (single) 165-220, (pair) 395-600, Pony mares 45-60, Geldings 35-50, Killers 8½-9½

HOGS

March 11, 1968

Receipt of 870 head sold 25c lower. Retail 21-22.25; Wholesale, No 1-3 20.50-21; Heavy weights 19-20.50; Sows 14 75 17.

CALVES

Receipts of 120 calves sold 10c lower. Choice 42-47.50, Good and L. Choice 38-41.50; Standard 33 37.50; Common 20-30.

Chicago Cattle Weekly Review

CATTLE — Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers sold strong to 25c higher. Slaughter heifers were steady. Cows advanced 25-50. Bulls were unchanged

Receipts 17,400 compared with 17,300 last week and 17,700 last year. Twelve market receipts 141,800 compared with 156,900 last week and 149,900 last year

SLAUGHTER STEERS — On Wednesday, Prime 1175-1300 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 30 00-31 00, load 1268 lbs. at 31 10, Highest since April 1966. High Choice and Prime 1100-1350 lbs, 28 75-30.00, Choice 950-1500 lbs, Yield Grade 2 to 4 27 50-28 75. Mixed Good and Choice 26 50-27.50, Good 25 00-26 50, Standard and Low Good 22.50-25 00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — On Wednesday, couple loads (Continued on Page 3)



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