

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

CATTLE 3900 — Compared to last weeks close, slaughter steers steady, instances 25c lower; Cows steady to 50c higher; bulls about steady; feeder steers fully steady. Supply included an estimated 40 percent slaughter steers, 15 percent cows and bulls with the balance mainly feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1100-1325 lbs. 29.30-10; Choice 900-1350 lb. 26.75-28.75; high-Good and low-Choice 26.50-27.25; Good 24.50-26.75; Standard and low-Good 22-24.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 700-900 lbs. 23-24.85; Standard 20-22.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 18-19; few 19.25-19.50; Cutter 16.50-18.25; Canner and low-Cutter 14.50-16.75, couple loads Cutter and low-Utility 700-850 lb. beef breed 13.60-16.35

BULLS — Choice 24.50-25.50; Good 23-24.75; Utility and Commercial 22.75-24.50, few 24.75-25.35.

FEEDER STEERS — Choice 500-625 lbs. 28.50-30; Good 500-525 lbs. 27-28; part-load Choice 750 lbs. 27; couple loads Choice 900-1025 lbs. 25; load mixed Good and Choice 700 lbs. 24.50; load mixed Good and Choice 1275 lbs. 24; load mixed Standard and Good 525 lbs. 24.50; load Standard 800 lbs. 21.75.

CALVES 600 — Vealers \$1 higher than last weeks close; slaughter calves weak to \$1 lower.

VEALERS — Choice 43-46; few head 47-48; Good 40-44.50; Standard 36-42; Utility 32-38; Cull 95-120 lbs. 28-33; 70-90 lbs. 24-30.

SLAUGHTER CALVES — Choice 260-350 lbs. 30-34; Good 270-360 lbs. 25-30; Standard 22-26

HOGS 1500 Barrows and gilts 50 \$1 lower Sows scarce.

BARROWS & GILTS — US (Continued on Page 13)

Auction Only

October 30, 1968

CATTLE 688 — Compared to Monday, slaughter steers steady; cows about steady; bulls fully steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1100-1325 lbs. 29.10-30.10; Choice 900-1350 lbs. 26.75-28.75; high-Good & Low-Choice 26.50-27.25; Good 24.50-26.75; Standard and low-Good 22-24.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 750-900 lbs. 23-24.85; Standard 20-22.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 18-19, few 19.25-19.50; Cutter 16.50-18.25; Canner and low-Cutter 14.75-16.50; Couple loads low-Cutter and low-Utility 700-850 lb. beef breed 13.60-16.35.

BULLS — Choice 25-25.50; (Continued on page 3)

Vintage Auction

October 29, 1968

CATTLE 898 — Compared to last Tuesday, slaughter steers mostly steady, with some strength on Prime and some weakness on Choice 800-1025 lb. weights, cows 50-1.50 lower; bulls 50-75c higher. Supply included 27 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 950-1225 lbs. 28.80-30; Choice 850-1300 lbs. yield grade 2 to 4, 27-29, with most sales of 1000-1250 lbs. 27.50-29; high-Good to low-Choice 26.50-27.50; Good 24.75-27; Standard to low-Good 23-25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Few head Choice and Prime 800-950 lbs. 26.35-27.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 17.50-18.50, few 18.75-19.50; Cutter 16-18; Canner and low-Cutter 14-16.

BULLS — Choice 24.75-25.85; (Continued on Page 3)

New Holland Auction

October 31, 1968

CATTLE 1070 — Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers mostly steady; cows 50-1.00 lower; bulls fully steady; feeder steers steady to 50c higher. Supply included 29 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 975-1350 lbs. 27.35-29, few high-Choice and Prime 29-29.75; high-Good and low-Choice 26.35-27.60; Good 24.75-27; Standard and low-Good 22.25-24.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 770-900 lbs. 24.50-25.35; Good 750-850 lbs. 22.50-24.50; Standard 20-21.75.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 17.50-19.25, few 19.25-19.75; Cutter 16.75-18.25; Canner and low-Cutter 14.50-16.75.

BULLS — Choice 24.85-26.25, couple 27.60-27.85; Good 23.25-24.85; Utility and Commercial 22.75-24.

FEEDER STEERS — Lot Choice 900 lbs. 26; Good 800-950 lbs. 24.10-24.85; Mixed Good and Choice 580-660 lbs. 26-26.50; Standard 850 lbs. 22.85.

CALVES 496—Vealers steady to \$1 lower.

VEALERS — Choice 44-47; Good 41.50-45; Standard 37-41; Utility 32-36; Cull 95-120 lbs. 30-34, 70-90 lbs. 27-30.

SHEEP 16 — No Market Test.

COWS

October 30, 1968

Receipts of 326 cows, 2 bulls and 16 heifers sold stronger on the show sale. Holstein 525-2000; Guernseys 300-465; Other breeds 325-450; Bulls 340-640; Heifers 180-240.

HORSES

October 28, 1968

Receipts of 303 horses sold steady. Riding horses 85-230; Driving horses 95-145; Pony mares 20-35; Geldings 20-30; Killers 4 1/4-5 1/4.

HOGS

October 28, 1968

Receipts of 837 hogs sold steady. Retail 19.75-21.50; Wholesale 19-19.80; Heavyweights 18-19; Lightweights 17-19; Sows 14.50-16.50; Boars 10.50-12.50.

CALVES

October 28, 1968

Receipts of 121 calves sold steady. Choice and Prime 44-47; Good and L. Choice 41-43.50; Standard 36-40.50; Common 20-35.

Chicago Cattle Weekly Review

CATTLE — Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers were uneven, High Choice and Prime 25-50 lower. Kinds Average Choice and Below steady. Slaughter heifers strong to 25 higher, cows steady to 50 lower, bulls unchanged.

Local receipts 18,900, compared with 20,900 last week and 21,300 last year. Supply consisted of 77 percent slaughter steers, 20 per cent heifers and the balance mainly cows. Overall finish of slaughter steers not much different than last week with 10 percent Prime and 78 percent Choice. This compares with 11 percent Prime and 78 percent Choice. (Continued on Page 3)

FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, October 31, 1968)

	Midwestern Live Cattle — Chicago	Live Hogs — Chicago	Maine Potatoes — New York
November	27.50		2.67
December	27.05	18.85	
February	26.10	18.20	
March			3.05
April	25.65		3.25
May			3.80
June	25.52	19.00	
August	25.87		
October	25.80		

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TREND: Cattle are lower; Hogs are steady and Potatoes are stronger.

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