

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

November 15, 1968

CATTLE 3500 — Compared to last weeks close, slaughter steers steady; cows steady to 50 higher, least advance on Utility; bulls mostly steady; feeder steers fully steady. Supply included an estimated 30 percent slaughter steers, 15 percent cows and bulls with the balance mainly feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Mixed Choice and Prime 1100-1250 lbs. 29.25-29.75; Choice 900-1375 lbs. 27.50-29.10; high-Good and low-Choice 26.60-27.75; Good 25.10-27.10; Standard and low-Good 22.35-24.25.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 17.50-18.75; Cutter 16.50-18.00; Canner and low-Cutter 15.00-16.50.

BULLS — Choice 25.00-26.25, few head 26.75; Good 23.00-25.10; Utility and Commercial 22.75-25.00, few head 25.50-26.35.

FEEDER STEERS — Mixed Choice and Prime 450-525 lbs. 31.00-32.00; Choice 445-560 lbs. 29.25-30.00; Good 400-650 lbs. 27.00-28.50; Choice 600-900 lbs. 26.00-27.50; Choice 1050-1150 lbs. 24.75-25.75; Good 800-1025 lbs. 23.00-25.00, load Standard 1200 lbs. 21.35.

VEALERS 550 — Steady to \$1.00 higher, Cull only steady

VEALERS — Choice 43.00-47.00; couple head on Monday \$48.00; Good 40.00-44.00; Standard 37.00-41.00; Utility 32.00-38.00; Cull 95-120 lbs. 27.00-33.00, 70-90 lbs. 23.00-27.50.

HOGS 1500 — Barrows and gilts weak to 50c lower.

CLOSING SALES — US 1-2 200-235 lbs. 20.50-21.00 One lot US 1, 218 lbs. 22.00. US 2, 200-250 lbs. 19.25-19.85 US 2-3 250-285 lbs. 18.25-19.00

SOWS — One lot US 1-3 375 lbs. 14.25.

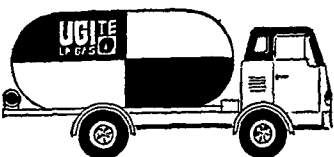
SHEEP #00 — Woolled lambs steady to 50c higher. Ewes steady

WOOLED LAMBS — Choice 60-95 lbs. 25.50-27.00, few lot 27.50, Good 22.50-25.50, Utility 19.00-22.50

SLAUGHTER EWES — Utility and Good 5.00-8.00.

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Auction Only

November 13, 1968

CATTLE 963 — Compared to Monday, slaughter steers steady; cows steady to 50c higher, least advance on Utility; bulls mostly steady. Supply included 15 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 900-1350 lbs. 27.50-29.10, few high-Choice and Prime 29.25-29.50; high-Good and low-Choice 26.60-27.75; Good 25.10-27.10; Standard and low-Good 22.35-24.25.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 17.50-18.75; Cutter 16.50-18.00; Canner and low-Cutter 15.00-16.50.

BULLS — Choice 25.00-26.25; Good 23.50-25.10; Utility and Commercial 22.75-25.00, few 25.60-26.35.

VEALERS 73 — Small supply unevenly steady.

VEALERS — Choice 43.00-47.00 (Continued on Page 3)

Vintage Auction

November 12, 1968

CATTLE 805 — Compared to last Tuesday, slaughter steers steady to 25c higher, advance mainly on Choice and Prime under 1150 lbs.; cows uneven, Utility steady to 25c lower; Canner and Cutter steady to 25c higher; Good and Choice bulls steady, Utility and Commercial weak to 50c lower, Supply included 31 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 975-1300 lbs. 29.00-30.10; Choice 900-1350 lbs. 27.50-29.25; high-Good and low-Choice 27.00-28.10; Good 25.00-27.25; Standard and low-Good 22.60-24.60.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 750-950 lbs. 24.00-25.75; Good 23.00-24.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 17.25-18.75, few head 18.85-19.35; Cutter 16.50-18.25; Canner and low-Cutter 15.00-16.50 (Continued on Page 3)

New Holland Auction

November 14, 1968

CATTLE 1041 — Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers steady; cows and bulls about steady; feeder steers fully steady. Supply included 38 percent cows and 35 percent slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 950-1325 lbs. 27.50-29.25, few high-Choice and Prime 29.10-30.10; high-Good and low-Choice 26.85-27.75; Good 25.10-27.00; Standard and low-Good 23.25-25.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 835-1025 lbs. 25.00-26.25.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 17.50-18.75, few 19.00-19.60; Cutter 16.60-18.00; Canner and low-Cutter 15.00-16.50.

BULLS — Choice 25.50-26.75, few head 27.00-27.25; Good 23.25-25.35; Utility and Commercial 22.75-25.60, few head 26.10-27.10; Cutter and low-Utility 21.00-22.50.

FEEDERS STEERS — Load Choice 555 lbs. 27.85, lot Choice 445 lbs. 28.50; Good and Choice 675-780 lbs. 25.00-25.75; lot Good 875 lbs. 23.85; Lot Standard 950 lbs. 21.60.

CALVES 545 — Vealers \$1.00-2.00 lower.

VEALERS — Choice 44.00-46.00; Good 39.50-43.50; Standard 36.50-40.50; Utility 31.00-37.00; Cull 95-120 lbs. 27.00-31.00, 70-90 lbs. 22.00-27.50

SHEEP 1 — All classes fully steady.

WOOLED LAMBS — Choice and Prime 75-90 lbs. 27.00-28.00; Good 22.00-24.00

SLAUGHTER EWES — Utility and Good 4.00-8.50.

COWS
November 13, 1968

Receipts of 184 cows and 6 heifers sold lower Holstein 410-555, Guernseys 165-320; Other breeds 265-385; Heifers 85-140.

HORSES
November 11, 1968

20-35; Geldings 20-30; Killers 4-5.

HOGS

November 11, 1968

Receipts of 784 hogs sold 25 higher. Retail 20-22.50; Wholesale, No. 2, 3 & 4 19.20-19.75; Heavyweights 18.50-19.25; Sows 13-16.

CALVES

November 11, 1968

Receipts of 122 calves sold steady. Choice and Prime 42-47; Good and L. Choice 39-41.50; Standard 35-38.50; Common 20-34.

Chicago Cattle Weekly Review

CATTLE WEEKLY — Compared with last weeks close, all slaughter classes steady, except cows steady to 50 lower.

Local receipts 22,600, largest for any week since mid-Dec. of last year, compared with 19,300 last week, and 20,000 a year ago. Supply consisted of 73 percent slaughter steers, 22 percent heifers and the balance mainly cows. Overall finish of slaughter steers was the same as last week with 10 percent Prime and 78 percent Choice, and practically the same as last years 10 percent Prime and 77 percent Choice. Average cost and weight of slaughter steers, estimated at 28.40, highest since April 1966 and 1140 lbs. compared with 28.15 and 1135 lbs. last week, and 26.26 and 1156 lbs a year ago. Heifer supply largely High Good to low Prime, weighing 825-1050 lbs.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Prime 1200-1350 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 30.00-30.75, load 1300 lbs Monday 31.25, highest since April, 1966. Mixed High Choice and Prime 1150-1350 lbs. 29.00-30.25, Choice 950-1350 lbs. Yield Grade 2 to 4 27.75-29.25, Mixed Good and Choice 27.25-28.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — (Continued on Page 3)

FUTURES TRADING

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

	Midwestern Live Cattle — Chicago	Live Hogs — Chicago	Maine Potatoes — New York
November	27.87	19.25	
December	27.50	18.90	
February	26.72	18.20	
March			3.17
April	26.25	18.20	3.40
May			4.05
June	25.92	19.10	
August	26.02	19.85	
October	26.00		

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Trend — Cattle are steady; Hogs are steady and Potatoes are stronger.

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