

# MARKET NEWS REPORT

## At Lancaster Yards

### Weekly Review

**May 15, 1969**  
**CATTLE 3000** — Compared to last weeks close, Slaughter Steers 100-150 higher, Cows 25-75 higher, Bulls 50-75 higher, Feeder Steers 50-100 higher. Supply included an estimated 60 percent Slaughter Steers, 20 percent Cows and Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers. Feeder buyeis competed quite aggressively on Good to low-Choice Slaughter Steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — Two loads prime 1175 lbs 36 00, high-Choice and Prime 1050-1300 lbs 34 00-35 85, Choice 950-1300 lbs 32 00-34 85, high-Good to low-Choice 31 00-32 85, Good 29 00-32 00, Standard to low-Good 27 00-29 50.

**COWS** — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22 50-25 00, several 25 00-25 50, Cutter 20 50-23 50, Canner and low-Cutter 19 00-21 00.

**BULLS** — Choice 28 50-30 85, couple 31 10-31 35, Good 26 00-29 00, Utility and Commercial 26 50-29 50, around 10 head 29-85-31 00, few early sales low Utility 25 50-26 50.

**FEEDER STEERS** — Mixed-Choice and Prime 980-1120 lbs with Good to low-Choice slaughter finish 32 75-33 60, Choice 850-1200 lbs 30 35-32 75.

**CALVES 425** — Vealers 2 00-5 00 lower, least decline on Cull.

**VEALERS** — Choice 46 00-48 00, few mainly on Monday 49 00-50 00, Good 42 50-46 00, Standard 37 50-43 00, Utility 33-50 38 50, Cull 90-120 lbs 28 50-25 00, 65 85 lbs 25 00-30 00.

**HOGS 1150** — Barrows and Gilts 25-75 higher.

**CLOSING SALES, BAR-**  
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### Auction Only

**May 14, 1969**

**CATTLE 1127**—Compared to Monday, Slaughter Steers 50-100 higher, Cows 25-50 higher. Bulls 50-75 higher. Feeder buyeis competed on Good to low-Choice Slaughter Steers and purchased around 150 head.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — High-Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lbs 34 60-35 85, Choice 950-1300 lbs 32 50-34 85, high-Good and low-Choice 31 10-32 85, Good 29 50-32 00, Standard and low-Good 27 00-29 50.

**COWS**—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22 75-25 00, several 25 00-25 50, Cutter 21 00-23 50, Canner and low-Cutter 19 50-21 00.

**BULLS**—Choice 29 00-30 85, couple 31 10-31 35, Good 26 60-29 25, Utility and Commercial 27 50-29 60, ten head 29 85-31 00.

**FEEDER STEERS** — Choice and Prime 980-1120 lbs 32 75-33 60, Choice 1050-1200 lbs 30 35-32 75.

**CALVES 139**—Vealers 2 00-3 00 lower.

**VEALERS** — Choice 46 00-47 50, couple 48 00-49 00, Good 42 50-46 00, Standard 37 50-43 00, Utility 33 50-38 50, Cull 90-120 lbs 28 50-34 50.

**HOGS 150**—Barrows and Gilts 50-150 higher.

**BARROWS AND GILTS** — US 1-2 195-235 lbs. 25 00-25 25 US 2 195-250 lbs 23 50-24 25 US 2-3 190-260 lbs 22 60-23 10.

**SHEEP 33**—Slaughter Lambs steady with Monday's decline.

**SPRING LAMBS**—Few Good 50-70 lbs 32 00-33 50.

**WOOLED LAMBS**—Good 60 80 lbs 27 00-28 00.

## Vintage Auction

**May 13, 1969**

**CATTLE 828** — Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers 1.00-2.00 higher, Cows 50 to mostly 1 00 higher; Bulls strong to 1 00 higher. Supply included 18 percent Cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — Few high-Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lbs. 34 50-35 75; Choice 950-1350 lbs 32 25-34 75, high-Good and low-Choice 31 25-33.00, few 33 00-33.75; Good 29-25-31.75, Standard and low-Good 26 00-29 35.

**COWS** — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22 50-24 85, 12 head 25 00-25 60, Cutter 20 75-23 00, Canner and low-Cutter 18 50-21 00.

**BULLS** — Good and Choice 27 85-29 25, few 29 60-30 10, Utility and Commercial 27 50-29-75, few 30 00-30 75, individual 31 50.

**CALVES 255** — Vealers 2 00-3 00 lower although Cull only steady to weak.

**VEALERS** — Choice 47 00-50 00, Good 45 00-48 00, Standard 42 00-46 00, Utility 38 00-43-00, Cull 90-120 lbs 33 00-39 00, 65-85 lbs 29 00-34 50.

**CALVES RETURN TO FARM** — 100-115 lbs 48 00-52-00, 85-100 lbs 40 00-46 00.

**HOGS 369** — Barrows and Gilts steady to 25 lower.

**BARROWS AND GILTS** — US 1-2 210-235 lbs. 23 75-24 10 US 2 190-245 lbs 22 75-23 25 US 2-3 190-250 lbs 22 00-22 60.

**SHEEP 79** — Spring Lambs 2 00-3 00 lower, Ewes mostly steady.

**SPRING LAMBS** — Choice 35-70 lbs 35 00-39 00, Good 32-00-35.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES** — Utility and Good 5 50-9.50.

### Keep Check On Horse

A long gallop on a horse with overlong heel or toe could produce lameness and possibly even permanent injury. Inflammation from undue strain can produce splints, ring bones, side bones, founder and other injuries that could become permanent.

It is a good practice to have a veterinarian check your horse's teeth for uneven growth and sharpness. Uneven teeth hamper proper grinding and chewing, says James H. Gallagher, extension livestock specialist at The Pennsylvania State University.

## New Holland Auction

**May 15, 1969**

**CATTLE 741**—Compared to last Thursday, Slaughter Steers 100-150 higher, Cows 50-100 higher, Bulls 100-150 higher. Supply included 22 percent Cows and 15 percent Bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — Twenty Prime 1020-1415 lbs 36 00-36 85, high-Choice and Prime 1020-1300 lbs. 34 85-35 85, Choice 950-1300 lbs 32 85-35 00, high-Good and low-Choice 32 00-33 75, Good 29 75-32 75, Standard and low-Good 27 50-29 50.

**COWS**—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22 75-25 00, few 25 25-25 85; Cutter 21 00-23 50, Canner and low Cutter 19 00-21 25.

**BULLS**—Choice 29 25-30 10, three head 31 35-32 10, Good 27 50-29 25, Utility and Commercial 27 35-29 75, five head 29 85-21 00, Cutter and low-Utility 24 25-27 00.

**CALVES 331**—Vealers 1 00-3 00 lower.

**VEALERS**—Choice 46 00-48 00, Good 43 00-47 00, Standard 38 50-43 00, Utility 36 00-40 00, Cull 90-120 lbs 32 00-37 00, 65-85 lbs 27 00-32 00.

**SHEEP 30**—Spring Lambs 2 00-2.00 lower, Slaughter Ewes mostly steady.

**SPRING LAMBS**—Choice 50-80 lbs 31.50-33 50, Good 28 50-31 50.

**SLAUGHTER EWES**—Utility and Good 6 00-9 50.

### COWS

**May 14, 1969**

Receipts of 75 cows, 1 bull and 22 heifers sold steady. Holstein 400-550; Other breeds 290-350; Bull 270, Heifers 145-245.

### HORSES

**May 12, 1969**

Receipts of 438 horses sold stronger. Mules 145-200; Work horses 165-210; Riding horses

135-350, Driving horses 125-345; Pony (mares) 20-35, (geldings) 20-25, Killers 9-10.

### HOGS

**May 12, 1969**

Receipts of 935 hogs sold steady. Retail 23-24; Wholesale 22-23; Heavyweights 18-22; Sows 15 50-18 25; Boars 12-14.

### CALVES

**May 12, 1969**

Receipts of 71 calves sold steady. Choice and Prime 46-51; Good and L Choice 42-45 50; Standard 37-41 50; Common 25-36.

## Chicago Cattle Weekly Review

**CATTLE**—Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers mostly 1 00 higher, slaughter heifers 75-1 00 higher, cows 25-50 lower, bulls 50 higher.

Local receipts 73 percent slaughter steers, 23 percent heifers and the balance mainly cows.

Overall finish of slaughter steers about the same as last week with 15 percent Prime and 71 percent Choice. This compares with 7 percent Prime and 78 percent Choice last year. Average cost and weight of slaughter steers, estimated at 33 50, highest since April, 1952, and 1158 lbs. compared with 32 34 and 1163 lbs. last week, and 27.26 and 1179 lbs. a year ago. Heifer supply mainly average Good to Low Prime, weighing 800-1100 lbs.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS** — On Wednesday, Prime 1200-1375 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 36.00-36.50, load 1255 lbs 37.00, highest since April, 1959. Mixed High Choice and Prime 1150-1375 lbs. 34.75- (Continued on Page 3)

## FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, May 15, 1969)

	Midwestern Live Cattle — Chicago	Live Hogs — Chicago	Maine Potatoes — New York
June	33.10	24.80	
July		25.12	
August	31.65	24.70	
October	30.65	21.95	
November			2.44
December	29.85	21.25	
February	29.35		
March			2.77
April	29.00		3.00
June	28.70		

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Trend Cattle are stronger, Hogs are stronger and Potatoes are steady.

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 2:30 P.M. — FAT STEERS, BULLS, COWS & VEAL  
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 DAIRY SALE — WEDNESDAY at 12:30 P.M.  
 FAT STEERS, BULLS, COWS & VEAL — THURSDAY at 12:30 P.M.

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## SECOND SPRING

# FEEDER CATTLE SALE

## LANCASTER UNION STOCK YARDS

Friday, May 23rd — 1:00 P.M.

Feeder Calves, Yearlings and Replacements  
 Sorted and Graded In Uniform Lots

All Weights and Grades

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