

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

August 14, 1969

August 21, 1969

CATTLE 3050 — Compared to last weeks close, Slaughter Steers 75-100 lower, some sales Choice off 1.25. Cows steady to 25 lower. Bulls 50, instances 100 lower. Supply included an estimated 40 percent Slaughter Steers, 20 percent Cows and Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Closing sales high Choice and Prime 1050-1250 lbs 31.00-31.85, Choice 950-1350 lbs 29.35-31.00, few on Monday 31.25-31.50. High-Good and low-Choice 28.50-29.60, Good 27.50-29.00. Standard and low Good 25.50-28.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 815-935 lbs 28.25-29.10. COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.00-23.50; few on Monday 24.00, Cutter 20.75-22.60. Canner and low-Cutter 17.50-21.00.

BULLS — Choice 28.00-30.00; Good 25.75-28.00. Utility and Commercial 26.00-28.50; few 28.75-30.00; Cutter and low-Utility 22.50-25.00.

FEEDER STEERS — Load Choice 730 lbs 30.00; couple loads Choice 900-995 lbs 28.50; load mixed-Good and Choice 975 (Continued on Page 3)

Auction Only

August 13, 1969

August 20, 1969

CATTLE 935 — Compared to Monday, Slaughter Steers 75-100 lower, some sales Choice off 1.25. Cows steady, instances 25 lower on Utility. Bulls steady to 50 lower decline on Good and Choice.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 1050-1250 lbs 31.00-31.85, Choice 950-1350 lbs 29.35-31.00, high-Good and low-Choice 28.50-29.60, Good 27.50-29.00. Standard and low-Good 25.50-28.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 815-935 lbs 28.25-29.10. COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.00-23.35, Cutter 21.00-22.60, Canner and low-Cutter 18.00-21.00.

BULLS — Choice 28.00-28.50. Good 27.00-28.00, Utility and Commercial 26.00-28.50, few 28.75-30.00. Cutter and low-Utility 22.50-25.00.

CALVES 168 — Vealers mostly steady, Slaughter Calves 1.00-2.00 higher.

VEALERS — Choice 46.00-48.00, individual 50.50, Good 43.00-46.00, Standard 39.00-43.00. Utility 34.50-40.00. Cull 90-120 lbs 30.00-35.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES — (Continued on Page 3)

Vintage Auction

August 19, 1969

CATTLE 872 — Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 50-100 lower, with most sales 75-100 lower; cows strong to 50 higher. Bulls steady to 50 higher. Supply included 22 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lb 31.50-32.60, Choice 950-1350 lb 29.75-32.00, high Good and low Choice 29.25-30.60, Good 28.00-29.60, Standard and low Good 26.00-28.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — (Continued on Page 5)

New Holland Auction

August 21, 1969

CATTLE 887 — Compared to last Thursday, Slaughter Steers 50-100 lower, with most decline on Choice. Cows 25-100 lower, with most decline on Utility. Bulls 50-75 lower. Supply included 30 percent Cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Small supply, high Choice and Prime 1050-1250 lbs 31.00-31.60, couple 32.35. Choice 29.50-31.10, high Good and low-Choice 28.50-29.75, Good 27.75-29.50. Standard and low Good 26.00-28.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Few head Choice 325-950 lbs 28.25-28.60. Good 25.00-26.00.

COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 21.10-23.10, few head 23.50-24.35, Cutter 20.00-22.00; Canner and low-Cutter 18.00-20.50.

BULLS — Choice 28.00-29.35; Good 25.60-28.25, Utility and Commercial 25.35-27.75, few 28.00-28.35.

CALVES 425 — Vealers steady to 1.00 higher.

VEALERS — Choice 46.00-48.50, couple 50.00-51.00. Good 44.00-47.00. Standard 41.00-44.00; Utility 35.00-40.00. Cull 90-120 lbs 31.00-35.00. 65-85 lbs 25.00-31.00.

SHEEP 6 — Insufficient volume for a market test, one lot Good 75 lb Spring Lambs 28.00.

COWS

August 20, 1969

Receipts of 161 cows, 2 bulls and 14 heifers sold steady. Holstein 400-635. Other breeds 265- (Continued on Page 5)

FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, August 21, 1969)

	Midwestern Live Cattle — Chicago	Live Hogs — Chicago	Maine Potatoes — New York
October	28.75	23.82	
November			2.22
December	28.00	22.95	
February '70	28.75	22.27	
March			2.54
April	27.70		2.73
May			3.26
June	27.60		
August	27.55		
October	27.00-b		

a-asked b-bid n-nominal

Trend Cattle are higher. Hogs are lower and Potatoes are higher.

Chicago Cattle Weekly Review

CATTLE — Compared last weeks close, Slaughter Steers 50-100 lower, most downturn on high Choice and Prime. Slaughter Heifers 50-75 lower. Cows 50 lower. Bulls weak to 25 lower.

Receipts near 75 percent Slaughter Steers, 22 percent Heifers, balance mainly cows. Overall finish of Slaughter Steers more attractive than last week with 20 percent Prime and 68 percent Choice. This compared with 17 percent Prime and 66 percent Choice last week and 11 percent Prime and 74 percent Choice last year. Average cost and weight of Slaughter Steers, estimated at 30.75 and 1165 lbs compared with 31.08 and 1148 lbs last week and 28.02 and 1151 lbs last year. Heifer supply mainly high Good to low Prime weighing 800 lbs.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — On Monday, load around 1275 lbs, 33.00. On Wednesday Prime 1225-1375 lbs Yield Grade 3 and 4 31.50-32.00, high Choice and Prime 1125-1400 lbs 30.50-31.50, Choice 975-1350 lbs Yield Grade 2 to 4 29.25-30.75, mixed Good and Choice 28.50-29.25, Good 27.00-28.50, Standard and low Good 25.50-27.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — On Wednesday, high Choice and Prime 950-1025 lbs Yield Grade 3 and 4 28.75-29.25, Choice 800-1000 lbs Yield Grade 2 to 4 27.25-28.75, Mixed Good and Choice 750-950 lbs 26.50-27.25, Good 25.00-26.50.

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