

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Weekly Review

January 22, 1970

CATTLE 1800 — Compared to last weeks close, Slaughter Steers uneven, weights under 1150 lbs mostly steady weights over 1150 lbs steady to 50 lower; Cows 100-125 lower, Bulls steady to 50 lower. Supply included an estimated 55 percent Slaughter Steers and 30 percent Cows and Bulls

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 975-1250 lbs 30 60-31 60, couple loads 1755-1300 lbs 30 00-30 25, Choice 950-1150 lbs 29 50-31 10; 1150-1300 lbs 29 25-30 50, 1350-1450 lbs 28 60-29 75, couple lots 1495-1515 lbs 28 10-28 25; high-Good and low-Choice 950-1250 lbs 28-60 29 75, 1200-1350 lbs 28 00-29-35 Good 27 00-29 00, Standard and low-Good 25 00-27 00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Few Choice 900-950 lbs 28 00-28 50

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 19 25-20 75, few mainly on Monday 20 85-21 85 Cutter 18 25-20 00 Canner and low-Cutter 17 50-18 50

BULLS — Choice 28 35-30 00, Good 27 50-28 50 Utility and Commercial 27 00-29 10

FEEDER STEERS — Few loads mixed-Standard and Good 1100 lbs Holsteins 29 50

CALVES 450 — Vealers closed steady to weak

VEALERS — Choice 51 00-54 00, few head 54 00-56 00, Good 46 00-53 00, Standard 43 00-47 00, Utility 34 00-42 00 Cull 90-120 lbs 28 00-30 00, 65-85 lbs 24 00-23 00

HOGS 900 — Barrows and Gilts 50-75 higher, Sows scarce

CLOSING SALES, BARROWS AND GILTS — One lot US 1 220 lbs 30 25 Couple lots US 1-2 190- (Continued on Page 3)

Auction Only

January 21, 1970

CATTLE 837 — Compared to Monday, Slaughter Steers uneven, weights under 1150 lbs mostly steady, weights over 1150 lbs steady to 25 lower, Cows 25-75 lower, Bulls steady to 50 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 975-1250 lbs 30 60-31 60, Choice 950-1150 lbs 29 50-31 10, 1150-1300 lbs 29 25-30 50, 1300-1450 lbs 28 60-29 75; couple lots 1495-1515 lbs 28 10-28 25, high-Good and low-Choice 950-1200 lbs 28 60-29 75, 1200-1350 lbs 28 00-29 35, Good 27 00-28 75; Standard and low-Good 25 00-27 00

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 19 25-20 75, few 20 85-21 85, Cutter 18 25-20 00; Canner and low-Cutter 17 50-18-50

BULLS — Choice 28 35-29 00, Good 27 50-28 35, Utility and Commercial 27 00-29 10

CALVES 26 — Small supply Vealers 1 00-2 00 higher

VEALERS — Choice 52 00- (Continued on Page 3)

Vintage Auction

January 20, 1970

CATTLE 790 — Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers strong to 50 higher, with most late sales 50 higher, Cows steady to 1 00 lower, most decline on Utility, Bulls scarce, few sales fully steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1050-1250 bs. 30 75-31 85; ten head 32 00-32 85; Choice 900-1200 lbs 29 75-31 00, several 31 00-31 60; Choice 1200-1325 lbs. 29 35-30 60; high-Good and low-Choice 28 60-30 00; Good 27 00-29 50; Standard 24 50-27 50

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 20 25-21 85, few 22 00-22 50; Cutter 19 25-21 00; Canner and low-Cutter 17 50-19-50.

BULLS — Good 26 85-28 35, couple Choice 28 75 30 00, Utility and Commercial 26 50-29 60.

CALVES 453 — Vealers steady to 1 00 lower

VEALERS — Choice 51 00-54-50, few 55 00-56 60, Good 47 00-51 00, Standard 41 50-47 00, Utility 35 00-41 00, Cull 90-120 lbs 28 00-32 00, 65 85 lbs 23 00-28 00 (Continued on Page 3)

New Holland Auction

January 22, 1970

CATTLE 646 — Compared to last Thursday, Slaughter Steers week to 25 lower, most decline on weights over 1200 lbs; Cows strong to mostly 50 higher; Bulls 25-50 lower, instances 1 00 lower on Good and Choice. Supply included 45 percent Cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1100-1400 lbs. 30 00-31 75; Choice 950-1200 lbs. 29 25-30 75, 1200-1350 lbs. 28 75-30 25; high-Good and low-Choice 1000-1200 lbs 28 50-29 50, 1200-1350 lbs. 28 00-29 00; Good 26 25-28 75.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 20 25 22 00, few 22 00-22 50; Cutter 19 50-21 25, Canner and low-Cutter 17 50-19 50

BULLS — Choice 28 60-29 25; Good 26 50-28 35, Utility and Commercial 26 50-29 00

CALVES 373 — Vealers mostly steady.

VEALERS — Choice 51 00-53 50, several 54 00-56 00; Good 47 50-52 00, Standard 43 50-48 00 Utility 34 00-41 00, Cull 90-120 lbs 29 00-34 00, 65-85 lbs 25 00-31 00

COWS

January 21, 1970

Receipts of 34 cows sold steady Holstein 375 590, Other breeds 225 350

HORSES

January 19, 1970

Receipts of 217 horses sold steady Work horses (single) 225-275, (pairs) 600-780, Mules (single) 150-360, (pairs) 340-500, Riding horses 85-345, Driving horses 90-220, Killers 7-8, Ponies 10-35

HOGS

January 19, 1969

Receipts of 1114 hogs sold steady Retail 29 25-31, Wholesale 28 75-29 25, Sows 20 50-24-50, Boars 18-20

CALVES

January 19, 1970

Receipts of 133 calves sold

steady Choice and Prime 49-54; Good and L Choice 43-48 50; Standard 35-42 50; Common 24-34 5c.

HAY

January 19, 1970

Receipts of 12 loads of straw sold as follows: Alfalfa hay, \$40-\$46, Mixed hay \$34-\$40; and Straw \$48-\$55.

Chicago Cattle

Weekly Review

Compared with last Friday, steers 50-75 higher; slaughter heifers steady to 25 higher, cows 50-75 higher, bulls steady.

Local receipts 76 percent slaughter steers and 20 percent slaughter heifers with balance mostly cows Overall finish slaughter steers improved over past week with 27 percent Prime and 64 percent Choice, compared with 22 percent Prime and 70 percent Choice last week and 11 percent Prime and 74 percent Choice last year Average cost and weight slaughter steers estimated at 29 45 and 1200 lbs, compared with 29 30 and 1196 lbs last week and 29 34 and 1158 lbs last year Heifer supply mostly High-Good to Prime weighing 850-1050 lbs

SLAUGHTER STEERS — On Monday, couple loads Choice and Low-Prime 1000-1100 lbs. Yield Grade 2 and 3 31 00 Wednesday, Prime 1200-1400 lbs Yield Grade 3 and 4 29 75-30 50, load 1250 lbs. 30 75, load Prime 1550 lbs. Yield Grade 4 and 5 28 00, High-Choice and Prime 1150-1400 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 29 25-30 25, Choice 950-1100 lbs 2 and 3 29 50-30 50, four loads 30 75, Choice 1100-1250 lbs 2 to 4 28 75-30 00, 1250-1400 lbs. 3 and 4 28 50-29 25, Choice 1400-1525 lbs 27 50-28 50, Mixed Good and Choice 950-1250 lbs 28 50-29 50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — On Wednesday, High-Choice and (Continued on Page 3)

FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, January 21 1970)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
January				62.90
February	29.25	28.17		54.55
March			3.51	48.25
April	30.35	27.05	3.73	42.00
May			4.37	38.25
June	30.07	27.60		38.25
July		27.25		
August	31.15	26.25		
September				40.05
October	30.50-b			37.45
November			2.49	
December	30.25			

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