

MARKET NEWS REPORT

At Lancaster Yards

Auction Only

The Lancaster Union Stock Yards will be closed to trading Saturday, July 4th, Independence Day. Cattle arriving this day will be penned, fed and watered in the usual manner.

June 24, 1970

CATTLE 1227 — Compared to last Monday, Choice and Prime Slaughter Steers steady to 50 lower, Standard and Good mainly 50 lower, Cows 50-75 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower. Supply included 10 percent Cows, 9 percent Bulls with the remainder Slaughter Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 1000-1350 lbs. 29.75-31.50. Choice 950-1250 lbs. 29.75-31.50. Some average Choice and better 1200-1350 lbs. 29.50-30.25. High Good and low Choice 28.50-30.25. Good 27.00-29.00. Standard and low Good 25.50-27.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 23.25-24.50. Cutter 22.00-23.75. Canner and low-Cutter 20.25-21.75.

BULLS — Choice 29.50-30.85. Good 27.25-29.00. Utility and Commercial 27.85-31.00.

CALVES 175 — Vealers 100-200 lower, most decline on Good, largely represented.

VEALERS — Choice 49.00-51.50. Good 42.50-47.00. Standard 40.00-44.00. Utility 34.00-39.00.

HOGS 275 — Barrows and Gilts 75-100 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS—US — small lot 210-220 lbs. 27.85-28.10. US 2-3 200-240 lbs. 26.25-27.50.

SHEEP 45 — Spring Lambs steady.

SPRING LAMBS — Good 60-55 lbs. 24.00-26.50.

Chicago Cattle Weekly Review

CATTLE — Compared with last weeks close Slaughter steers mostly steady. Slaughter Heifers steady to 25 lower, Cows steady. Bulls steady to 25 lower.

Receipts 74 percent Slaughter Steers, 22 percent Heifers, the balance mainly cows. Overall finish of Slaughter Steers not quite as attractive as last week with 25 percent Prime and 65 percent Choice. This compares with 29 percent Prime and 61 percent Choice last week, and 19 percent Prime and 70 percent Choice last year. Average cost and weight of Slaughter Steers, estimated at 30.75 highest in six weeks and 1200 lbs. compared with 30.47 and 1202 lbs. last week and 33.62 and 1177 lbs. this year. Heifer supply mainly High Good to Low Prime weighing 850-1050 lbs. with the average weight expected to be about 930 lbs. highest since last October.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Prime 1200-1375 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 31.50-32.00 with a total of 29 loads at the lotter price. On Wednesday, High Choice and Prime 1125-1375 lbs. 50.75-31.75, several loads comparable grade 1400-1500 lbs. 30.25-30.50. Choice 950-1400 lbs. Yield Grade 2 to 4 30.00-31.25, mostly 30.00-31.00 mixed Good and Choice 950-1250 lbs. 29.50-30.25. Good 27.50-29.50. Standard and Low Good 27.00-27.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — High Choice and Prime 950-1050 lbs. Yield Grade 3 and 4 30.25-30.50 with two loads at 30.75 on Monday. Choice 850-1050 lbs. Yield Grade 2 to 4 at mid week 29.25-30.25 mixed Good and Choice 28.50-29.25. Good 26.75-28.25.

Weekly Review

June 25, 1970

CATTLE 2600 — Compared to last weeks close, Choice and Prime Slaughter Steers steady to 50 lower, Standard and Good 50 lower, Cows 50-75 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower. Supply included an estimated 60 percent Slaughter Steers, 20 percent Cows and Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Load Prime 1265 lbs. yield grade mostly 2 few 3. 32.50 high Choice and Prime 1000-1350 lbs. 31.10-31.85. Choice 950-1300 lbs. 29.75-31.50. Some average Choice and above 1200-1350 lbs. 29.50-30.25. High Good and low Choice 27.50-30.25. Good 27.00-29.00. Standard and low Good 25.50-27.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 23.25-24.50. few sales Monday 25.00-25.50. Cutter 22.00-23.75. Canner and low-Cutter 20.25-21.75.

BULLS — Choice 29.50-30.85. Good 27.25-29.00. Utility and Commercial 27.85-31.00.

CALVES 500 — Vealers 100-300 lower, major decline on Good.

VEALERS — Choice 49.00-51.50.

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Vintage Auction

NOTICE

The Saturday July 4th Hog Auction at Vintage Sales Stables has been canceled due to the holiday.

June 23, 1970

CATTLE 1187 — Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers mostly 50 higher for Choice and Prime, Standard and Good steady to 50 higher, Cows 50-100 lower. Bulls steady to 50 lower. Supply included 17 percent Cows and 11 percent Bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Prime 1000-1200 lbs. 31.75-32.50. High Choice and Prime 975-1275 lbs. 31.50-32.00. Choice 1000-1300 lbs. 30.25-31.75. High Good and low Choice 29.00-30.50. Good 28.00-29.50. Standard and low Good 26.25-28.25.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.50-24.50. few 25.00-25.50. Cutter 22.00-24.00. Canner and low Cutter 20.25-21.75.

BULLS — Choice 28.00-30.00. Good 26.50-28.50. Utility and Commercial 27.25-30.00. few individual head 30.00-31.00.

CALVES 550 — Vealers 100-200 lower.

VEALERS — Choice 49.00-51.50. Good 44.00-49.00. Standard 41.00-45.00. Utility 37.00-42.00. Cull 31.00-36.00. 65.85 lbs. 28.00-31.00.

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New Holland Auction

June 25, 1970

CATTLE 1313 — Compared to last Thursday, Choice and Prime Slaughter Steers steady to 50 lower, Standard and Good fully 50 lower, Cows about steady, Bulls steady to 50 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 1000-1350 lbs. 31.00-31.75. Choice 950-1350 lbs. 29.50-31.50. High Good and low Choice 28.50-30.00. Good 27.00-29.00. Standard and low-Good 25.50-27.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.75-24.75. few 27.00-25.50. Cutter 22.00-24.00. Canner and low Cutter 20.50-22.00.

BULLS — Choice 28.50-30.00, few 31.00-31.50. Good 26.50-28.50. Utility and Commercial 27.00-30.00, few 30.50-31.50.

CALVES 424 — Vealers steady, Calves returned to farm steady.

VEALERS — Choice 49.00-52.00. Good 46.00-50.00. Standard 42.00-47.00. Utility 35.00-40.00.

CALVES RETURNED TO FARM — Bulk 85-120 lbs. 29.00-49.00.

SHEEP 8 — Volume too small to provide price trend.

HORSES

June 22, 1970

Receipts of 368 horses sold steady. Riding Horses 90-435. Driving Horses 125-450, Work Horses (single) 140-200, Pony Mares 20-40, Geldings 15-30, Killers 9-10.

COWS

June 24, 1970

Receipts of 114 cows and 12 heifers sold steady. Fresh Hol-

stein 425-630. Other breeds 285-375, Heifers 245-360.

HOGS

June 22, 1970

Receipts of 936 hogs and 27 shoats sold steady. Retail 26.50-28. Heavyweights 24.50-25.50; Wholesale 26.25-27.75, Shoats 18-22. Sows 17.75-19. Boars 17-18.

CALVES

June 22, 1970

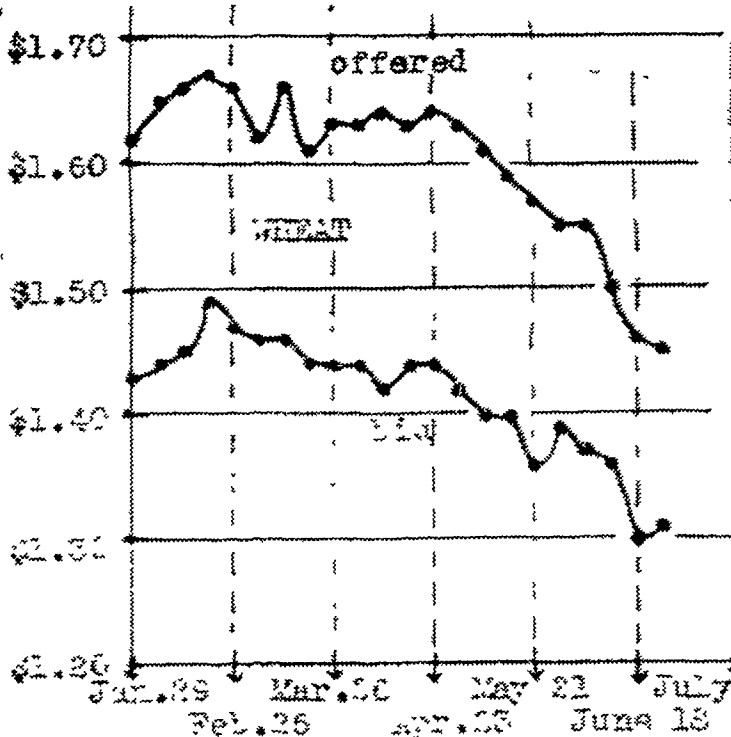
Receipts of 99 calves sold steady. Choice and Prime 48.50-54. Good and Low Choice 42-48. Standard 36.41-50. Common 22.35-50.

HAY

Five loads of hay and straw sold as follows: Mixed hay 22-38. straw 36-38.

New York Eggs

Prices continue to trend higher. Receipts moderate with increased arrivals of smalls and peewees from nearby areas. Buying activity about at the same level it has been all week, fan to good but lacking desired aggressiveness. Fancy large whites in relatively close balance with current needs while mediums and smaller sizes accumulated in some quarters. Jumbo, extra large and occasionally standards tight. Large and extra large browns long with street sales of large browns ranging 25-38½¢ but generally of a small lot nature. Carton orders just fan to occasionally improved slightly.



Local Grain Prices

These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by six participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel, except for ear corn which is per ton. Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.

	Bid	Offered
Ear Corn	\$38.00	\$43.00
Shelled Corn	1.52	1.68
Oats	.77	.86
Barley	.89	1.04
All Wheat	1.31	1.45

FUTURES TRADING

(Closing bids as of Thursday, June 25, 1970)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
July		26.20		39.45
August	31.55	23.85		
September				39.45
October	29.80	20.75		37.30
November			2.53	38.45
December	29.17	20.15		38.25
January '71				37.15
February	29.17	19.75		
March			2.86	
April	29.25	18.25	3.10	
May			3.66	
June	29.25			

a-asked b-bid n-nominal

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

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