

Hog Prices

Vintage Auction

Saturday, August 19
HOGS 880: Barrows & Gilts: Mostly \$1 higher. US No. 1-2 205-230 lbs. 31.60-32.00; US No. 1-3 200-230 lbs. 31.00-31.50; Few US No. 1-3 190-200 lbs. 30.00-30.25; US No. 2-3 195-250 lbs. 30.50-31.00; US No. 2-4 145-190 lbs. 28.25-28.75.
SOWS: US No. 1-3 260-495 lbs. 24.00-26.50; US No. 2-3 350-490 lbs. 18.25-21.25
BOARS: 21.75-22.25
Tuesday, August 22
 Barrows and gilts 25 lower, instances 50 lower.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 205-240 lb. 30.35-30.50. 11 head lot US 1 31.00. US 2-3 195-255 lb. 30.00-30.25.

Lebanon Valley Auction

Barrows and Gilts: U.S. 2-3 195-240 30.00-30.35; U.S. 2-4 190-260 29.10-29.75.
 Sows: 1-3 300-550 pounds 25.10-25.25; 2-3 300-600 24.00-24.75.

New Holland Auction

Monday, August 21
HOGS 832: Barrows & Gilts: 25c to 50c higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 31.00-31.50; US No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 30.50-31.00; US No. 2-4 250-280 lbs. 29.50-30.50; US No. 2-4 150-195 lbs. 28.00-30.50
Sows: US No. 1-3 300-560 lbs. 23.50-26.50
Boars: 23.50-25.00

Indianapolis Auction

HOGS 2500. Barrows and gilts steady to 50 lower, largely steady to weak compared to Wednesdays close.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-235 lb. 29.00-29.25. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 28.75-29.00.

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St. Louis Auction

HOGS 4500. Barrows and gilts steady to 25 lower.
Barrows and gilts: US 1-2 210-240 lb. 29.00-29.25. US 1-3 200-240 lb. 28.75-29.00.

Peoria Auction

Hogs: 3500. Barrows and gilts 25-50 lower.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 29.00-29.25. US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 28.50-28.75.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, August 23
Barrows and gilts 1-1.50 lower.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 210-230 lbs. 30.50. US 1-2 210-240 lbs. 29.50-30.00. US 2-3 200-250 lbs. 29.00-29.35. One lot 195 lb. 28.75.

Lancaster Market

Monday, August 21
Barrows and Gilts strong to mostly 25 higher; Sows scarce.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 200-240 lbs. 31.50-31.75; US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 30.75-31.25; US 2-3 195-260 lbs. 30.50-31.00.

New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, August 21
 Reported receipts of 257 head of horses; market steady with last weeks market.
Load Ohio driving horses, 250-425.
Load Ohio driving Horses, 130-250.
Load Ohio riding horses, 170-300.
Load Kansas riding horses, 125-285.
 Locally consigned riding horses 100-190; driving horses 110-370; work horses 150-235; mules killer way; few better horses 280-370; killers 5-7.
 Mare ponies 5-25; geldings 5-20; colts 3-8; larger ponies 30-50.

U. S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection			
Week to date	494,000	1,191,000	148,000
Same period last week	500,000	1,141,000	156,000
Same period last year	488,000	1,288,000	145,000

Nottingham Auction

Hogs 230-240 pounds 29.60.
 Sows 340-490 pounds 20.25-24.10.
 Boars 200-220 pounds 22.00-23.25.

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, August 24
 Compared to last weeks close: High-Good to Prime slaughter steers 1.00-1.25 instances 1.50 lower, Standard and Average-Good 50c-1.00 lower. Heifers 1.00-1.50 lower. Cows 75c-1.00 lower. Bulls steady Feeder Cattle and Calves fully 50c lower.
 Four day receipts 14,600 as compared 18,200 previous week and 19,000 a year ago. Slaughter steers approximately 37 percent, Heifers 39 percent, Cows 12 percent and Feeders 10 percent. Fed cattle prices again forced sharply lower by a bearish and sharply declining carcass trade as the number slaughtered under federal inspection the past two weeks the largest of the current year. The average cost Slaughter steers and Heifers at the lowest level since the first of the year. The weeks offering Slaughter steers and Heifers mainly High-Good and Choice, only a moderate showing high-choice and Prime.

Steers: Early in the week, load High-Choice and Prime 1252 pounds 35.75 and five loads same grade 1022-1168 pounds 35.25-35.50. At midweek, nine loads High-Choice and Prime 1131-1292 34.75-35.00. A few loads Choice with End Prime 1025-1261 pounds 34.50. Late sales Choice 950-1250 pounds 33.50-34.35. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1250 pounds 32.75-33.50. Good 31.00-32.75 1100-1200 pounds Holsteins 31.25-31.75. Standard and Low-Good 30.25-31.00.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 33.77 average weight 1099 pounds as compared 35.48 and 1086 pounds the previous week and 32.75 and 1088 pounds a year ago.

Heifers: Early in the week, ten loads High-Choice and Prime 846-1027 pounds 33.85-34.15. At midweek, thirteen loads same grade 888-1050 pounds 33.40-33.65. At the close, Choice 850-1000 32.50-33.25. Mixed Good and Choice 750-

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, August 24)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
August				
September				34.60
October	33.30	27.35		36.00
November			3.57	39.75
December	33.85	27.40		41.95
January '73				41.80
February	34.85	27.25		40.00
March			4.31	39.00
April	34.70	24.45	4.52	39.30
May			5.20	
June	35.05	25.30		
July		25.50		
August	34.90	24.05		
October		22.72		

Trend - Cattle are higher, Hogs are higher, Potatoes are lower and Eggs are lower.

a-asked b-bid n-normal
 Markets provided by Commodity Dept., Reynolds Securities, Inc.

975 pounds 31.75-32.50. Good 29.00-31.75. Small lots Standard and Good 28.50-29.00.

Cows: At the close, Utility and Commercial 24.50-26.50. Canner and Cutter 22.50-24.75. Mixed Cutter and Low-Utility 25.00-25.25. Shelly Canner 21.00-22.00.

Bulls: Utility, Commercial and Good 28.50-33.00, Commercial 33.50-34.00. Cutter and Low-Utility 25.50-28.50.

Feeders: Feeder cattle closed fully 50c lower. Outshipments of 1500 about the same as the previous week. Supply mainly 900-1050 pound fleshy two-way steers.

Small consignment Choice 520 pound steers 40.00. Bulk High-Good and Choice 877-1113 pounds 33.00-34.00, load Choice 1037 pounds 34.50. Small lots mostly Good 1085-1106 pounds 32.00-32.50.

New York Dressed Meats

Thursday, August 24
 Compared with last week: Steer beef mostly 1.00 lower, Choice heifer weak to mostly 50c lower. Veal steady, Calf and Spring Lamb 1.00 lower, Pork loins 3.00 lower, Picnics 1.00 lower, Butts, Spareribs, and Hams steady.

Movement of fresh meats continue slow with tonnage moving into retail or other outlets holding conservative.

Steer Beef
 Prime 600-900 pounds 56.50-58.00; Choice 600-700 56.00-57.00; 700-800 55.50-56.50; 800-900 55.50-56.50; Good 500-800 53.00-54.00.

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