

Hog Prices

Lancaster Market

Monday, October 2
Barrows and Gilts steady to 50 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 205-240 lbs. 31.00-31.50; US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 30.25-30.75; US 2-3 190-255 lbs. 29.75-30.25.

Vintage Auction

Saturday, September 30
HOGS 911: Barrows & Gilts: Steady, spots 25c higher.
US No. 1-2 190-240 lbs. 30.35-31.00; US No. 1-3 190-245 lbs. 29.60-30.25; US No. 2-4 200-255 lbs. 29.00-29.75.

Sows: US No. 1-3 310-540 lbs. 24.25-26.50.

Boars: 21.25-24.25.

Tuesday, October 3, 1972

Barrows and Gilts weak to mostly 25 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: Few US 1 200-230 lbs. 30.75-31.00; US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 30.50-30.75; US 2-3 195-250 lbs. 30.25-30.50; US 2-4 235-270 lbs. 29.50-30.25.

New Holland Auction

Monday, October 2
HOGS 849: Barrows & Gilts: Mostly 25c lower.

US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 30.25-31.25; US No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 29.75-30.25; US No. 2-4 240-270 lbs. 28.50-29.75; US No. 2-4 160-195 lbs. 28.00-29.75.

Sows: US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 22.50-26.00.

Boars: 24.00-25.25.

Peoria Auction

HOGS: 4000.
Barrows and gilts mostly 25 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 29.25-29.50, 100 head 29.75; US 1-3 200-260 lb. 29.00-29.25.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, October 4
Barrows and gilts 50-75 lower.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 225-235 lb. 31.00. One lot 200 lb. 30.50. US 2-3 195-265 lb. 29.60-30.10. Few 235-250 lb. 30.25. Couple lots US 3-4 260-270 lb. 29.00-29.35.

Indianapolis Auction

HOGS: 2000.
Barrows and gilts fully 25 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 29.50-29.75. 45 head 30.00. US 1-3 200-260 lb. 29.25-29.65.

St. Louis Auction

HOGS: 5000.
Barrows and gilts steady to strong.
BARROWS AND GILTS: 150 head US 1 215-220 lb. 30.00. US 1-2 210-240 lb. 29.50-29.75. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 29.25-29.50.

Lebanon Valley Auction

Lebanon Valley Hogs
Tuesday, October 3
195 Head of Hogs

Barrows and Gilts steady to 25c higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: U.S. 2-3 200-240 pounds 30.10-30.75; 2-4 (few lots) 190-245 29.00-29.85.

SOWS: U.S. 1-3 and 2-3 350-600 pounds 23.50-24.50.
BOARS: (Few) 24.00-24.25.

18 Head of Feeder Pigs
U.S. 1-3 35 pounds 17.00 and 18.50 per head.

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, October 5

Compared to the previous week's close slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 25c lower late, mainly on weights 1150 pounds and heavier. Heifers strong to 25c higher under brisk late demand. Cows generally steady and bulls strong to 50c higher. Feeder cattle fully steady.

Four day receipts 16,900 as compared 15,400 previous week and 19,100 a year ago. Slaughter steers approximately 25 percent, heifers 30 percent, with liberal percentage Choice and moderate volume High-Choice and Prime. Cows 9 percent, feeders approximately 33 percent, including some 4,000 for Friday auction, these not included in four day total above. FcI cattle prices showed little net change for the period. Early demand was good even in the face of a bearish early carcass trade. Steer prices came under some pressure at mid-week, however, with best demand centered on those which would produce 600-700 lb. carcass. Feeder buyers again aggressive for fleshy two-way steers after some decreased activity Monday.

STEERS: Four loads High-Choice and Prime 1001-1144 pounds 3-4 36.00, moderate volume same grade 1079-1401 3-4 35.50-35.75, nine loads at latter price. Choice 975-1275 2-4 34.50-35.50. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1225 34.00-34.50, occasionally 34.75. Good 32.75-34.25, Holsteins 1100-1330 2-3 32.75-33.75. Standard and Low-Good 31.50-32.75.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 35.04 average weight 1135 pounds as compared 34.94 and 1123 pounds previous week and 32.10 and 1104 pounds a year ago.

HEIFERS: Eight loads High-Choice and Prime 905-1034 pounds 3-4 34.35-34.50, others same grade 916-1044 34.00-34.25 during week. Choice 825-1025 2-4 closed 33.25-34.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-975 32.50-33.25. Good 30.50-32.50. Small lots Standard and Good 29.50-30.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 26.00-27.50, a few Utility Dairybreds 27.75-28.00. Canner and Cutter 23.00-26.00, mixed Cutter and low-Utility 26.25-26.50, Shelly Canner 21.50-22.50.

BULLS: Utility, Commercial and Good 29.00-33.00, commercial 1-2 33.50-34.00. Cutter and low-Utility 26.00-29.00.

FEEDERS: Prices fully steady under continued broad demand for all classes with many fleshy two-way steers again going on feeder account. Outshipments

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, October 5)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
October	35.55	29.25		27.70
November			3.57	34.30
December	36.85	29.15		39.10
January '73				38.70
February	37.85	28.55		38.20
March			4.30	38.60
April	37.55	25.80	4.45	38.05
May			5.19	35.50
June	37.65	26.50		
July		26.55		
August	37.30	25.15		
October		23.95		

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

a-asked b-bid n-normal

Markets provided by Commodity Dept., Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Local Grain

Thursday, October 5

These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by five 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.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, October 5, 1972 are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn, Old	47.00	53.33
Shelled Corn	1.51	1.69
Oats (local)	.78	.95
Oats (western)	-1.07	-1.15
Barley	1.14	1.33
Wheat	1.69	1.91

+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.

chucks of hindsaddle cuts with front ends slow, pork outlet moderate.

Steer Beef

Prime 600 - 900 pounds 57.50 - 59.00; Choice 600 - 700 57.00 - 58.00; 700 - 800 56.75 - 57.50; 800 - 900 56.75 - 57.50; Good 500 - 800 54.00 - 56.00.

Heifer Beef

Choice 500 - 700 pounds 54.50 - 56.00.

Calf (Skin Off)

150 - 350 Pounds
Choice 78.50 - 82.50; Good 85.00 - 90.00; Standard 68.50 - 72.50.

Veal (Skin Off)

Choice 90 - 150 pounds 93.00 - 101.00; Good 60 - 90 85.00 - 90.00; Standard 60 - 120 72.00 - 75.00.

Lamb

Choice 30 - 65 pounds 65.00 - 68.00.

Choice Beef Cuts

Hinds (Steer) 145 - 190 pounds 66.00-69.50; Arm Chucks 90 - 105 47.00 - 49.00; Ribs (7-rib) 34 - 40 70.00 - 78.00; Loins (trmd) 50 - 70 84.00 - 86.00; Rounds (Steer) 70 - 95 66.00 - 67.50; Full Plates 30.50 - 31.50; Hinds (Heifer) 120 - 170 63.50 - 65.50.

Fresh Pork Cuts

Loins (regular) 8 - 14 pounds 63.50 - 66.50, 14 - 17 61.50 - 64.50; Picnics (regular) 4-8 40.00 - 42.00; Boston Butts 4 - 8 54.50 - 56.00; Spareribs 3 pounds down 56.50 - 58.50; Hams (skinned) 14 pounds down 59.00 - 61.50; 14 - 17 56.00 - 58.50; 17 - 20 55.50 - 57.50.

Kosher Market

Mid week prices steady on steer beef; prices weak to \$1 lower on lamb.

Steer Beef: Prime Fores 51.00 - 53.50; Choice 50.50 - 53.50.

Lamb: Choice and Prime Foresaddles 67.00 - 75.00.

U. S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

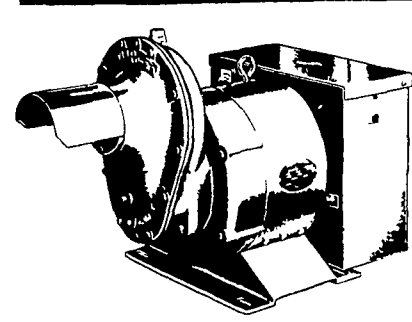
Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspection

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
This week	508,000	1,258,000	169,000
Last week	499,000	1,278,000	170,000
Last year	490,000	1,267,000	166,000



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