

# Local Livestock Market, Auction News

## Lancaster Market

Monday, November 19

|           | Cattle | Calves | Hogs | Sheep |
|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|
| Today     | 539    | 137    | 676  | 122   |
| Last Week | 906    | 197    | 686  | 72    |
| Last Year | 367    | 171    | 750  | 143   |

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Wednesday, slaughter steers 25-50 higher; cows 50-75 higher; bulls uneven, yield grade 1 steady, yield grade 2 weak to 50 lower. Supply included 503 in afternoon auction.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 1150-1350 lb. 41.35-42.75, lot 1420 lb. 40.60; Choice 950-1425 lb. 42.10-42.75, part load Choice yield grade 3-5 1390 lb. 38.10; Good 39.50-41.85; Standard 38.50-39.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Good 750-925 lb. 38.50-40.00; Standard 34.00-37.00.

**COWS:** Utility and high dressing Cutter 32.75-34.75; Cutter 31.25-33.75; Canner and low Cutter 30.00-31.25.

**BULLOCKS:** Good 42.00-43.00, couple Choice 44.00-44.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1200-1600 lb. 41.75-45.25, several 1600-1900 lb. 44.75-46.75; yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb. 39.00-42.00, few 37.75-39.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers 3.00-5.00 lower, few sales 90-120 lb. returned to farm fully steady.

**VEALERS:** Prime 75.00-80.00; Choice 68.00-75.00; Good 60.00-68.00, Standard 48.00-58.00; Utility 90-120 lb. 39.00-44.00, 65-85 lb. 34.00-40.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein heifers 60.00-70.00, with 90-120 lb. bull calves 55.00-60.00.

**SHEEP:** Woolled lambs 1.00 lower.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** Choice 60-95 lb. 33.00-34.00, couple lots 35.00; Good 29.00-32.00.

## Local Grain

Friday, November 23

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 ear corn which is per ton.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, November 8, 1973, are as follows:

|               | Bid   | Offered |
|---------------|-------|---------|
| Ear Corn, New | 52.66 | 61.33   |
| Shelled Corn  | 2.63  | 2.94    |
| Oats, Local   | 1.12  | 1.34    |
| Oats,         |       |         |
| Western       | 1.72  | 1.82    |
| Barley        | 2.14  | 2.42    |
| Wheat         | 3.92  | 4.28    |
| Soybeans      | 5.47  | 5.75    |

+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

## Vintage Auction

Tuesday, November 20

|           | Cattle | Calves | Hogs | Sheep |
|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|
| Today     | 561    | 580    | 33   |       |
| Last Week | 828    | 658    | 70   |       |
| Last Year | 590    | 857    | 50   |       |

**CATTLE:** Compared to, last Tuesday, slaughter steers fully steady, instances 50 higher; cows 1.00-1.25 higher; small supply bulls fully steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 950-1350 lb. yield grade 2-4 41.00-43.50, few mainly yield grade 2 43.75-45.35; Choice yield grade 3-5 1350-1475 lb. 36.00-39.00; few yield grade 5 1475-1595 lb. 33.10-35.35; Good 39.00-40.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Good 800-1050 lb. 37.50-39.10.

**COWS:** Utility and high dressing Cutter 32.75-34.50, few 34.75-35.35; Cutter 31.25-33.75; Canner and low Cutter 28.75-31.25.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1200-1600 lb. 42.00-44.75, couple 45.00-45.85; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 40.00-42.50; few Good bullocks 39.00-42.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers uneven, Good to Prime 5.00-8.00 lower; Utility and Standard 2.00-5.00 lower.

**VEALERS:** Prime 75.00-80.00; Choice 69.00-72.00; Good 57.00-67.00, Standard 48.00-55.00; Utility 100-125 lb. 40.00-45.00, 80-95 lb. 30.00-37.00, 60-75 lb. 22.50-26.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-125 lb. bull calves 64.50-72.00; bulk 80-120 lb. Holstein heifers 54.00-65.00.

**SHEEP:** Supply mainly Good woolled lambs selling steady to 1.00 lower.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** Good 50-80 lb. 25.00-30.00.

## Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, November 21

|           | Cattle | Calves | Hogs | Sheep |
|-----------|--------|--------|------|-------|
| Today     | 323    | 39     | 229  | 27    |
| Last Week | 904    | 75     | 577  | 40    |
| Last Year | 342    | 66     | 219  | 35    |

**WEDNESDAY'S AUCTION:** 317 38 231 5  
Last Wed's Auction 586 129 614 40

**CATTLE:** Compared to Monday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; cows 75-1.50 higher, instances 2.00 higher; bulls 1-2.00 higher.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 1250-1425 lb. yield grade 3 - 4 41.10-42.75; Choice 950-1300 lb. yield grade 2-3 42.00-44.00, few 1300-1380 lb. yield grade 3-4 40.25-41.10, 1440-1550 lb. 37.00-40.00; high Good and low Choice 1000-1300 lb. 40.50-42.00; Good 38.25-41.25.

**COWS:** Utility and high dressing Cutter 33.50-36.25, several 36.85-37.50; Cutter 32.10-35.10.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1225-1525 lb. 43.00-45.35; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 41.00-43.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Small supply vealers steady to weak.

**VEALERS:** Couple Prime 75.00-77.00; Good 61.00-70.00, Utility 70-105 lb. 37.50-42.00.

**SHEEP:** No Market test.

## New Holland Auction

No Market held due to Thanksgiving holiday.

Monday, Nov. 19

Calf Receipts 105.  
Choice and Prime 68-72; Good and Low Choice 62-68; Standard 50-62; Common 40-50.

Monday, Nov. 19

41 loads of Hay and 13 loads of straw sold as follows (prices per ton)

Alfalfa 43-74; Timothy 40-53; Mixed Hay 40-60; Grass 3 loads 28-47; Orchard grass 1 load 43.50; Clover 1 load 55; Straw 40-50; Ear Corn 6 loads 60-67; Fodder 1 load 35; Corn Stalks 1 load 37.

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Wednesday feeder cattle auction 3,900.

Feeder steers and heifers steady, good attendance. Quality of supply below recent sessions with majority mixed Good and Choice lots. Only exception was eight loads of Choice and Prime 400 pound Montana calves trend includes all load lots sold through 2:30 p.m. totaling 1,400 head: recap of remaining 2,500 will be included in Weekly Feeder Cattle Summary.

Seven loads Choice and Prime pre-conditioned 399-448 pound steers Montana origin 64.50-66.20. Mixed Good and Choice 403-491 54.00-57.75. Load Good 480 pound 50.75. Choice 501-580 54.25-58.50. Mixed Good and Choice 528-595 52.00-53.00. Choice 607-676 52.70-53.80. Mixed Good and Choice 648-672 51.50-53.00. Load Standard and Good 777 pound Holsteins 42.50. Three loads Choice and Prime 826-907 fleshy 45.80-47.10. Two lots 910 and 926 pound 42.50-43.20.

One load Choice and Prime 366 pound pre-conditioned heifers Montana origin 58.00. Mixed Good and Choice 392-442 46.50-51.25. Mixed Good and Choice 505-571 42.50-47.60. Lot 637 pound 44.00. Few lots Choice 731-833 fleshy 39.25-44.30.

## Regional Hay Prices

Monday, November 19, 1973

(All hay No 2 and better prices paid by dealers at the farm price per ton.)

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Hay & Straw steady. |             |
| Alfalfa             | 50.00-60.00 |
| Mixed Hay           | 35.00-50.00 |
| Timothy Hay         | 30.00-40.00 |
| Straw               | 35.00-40.00 |
| Mulch               | 15.00-25.00 |

## Composite Report

Weekly November 21

|                       | Cattle | Calves |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| First Three Days      | 1553   | 758    |
| Same Period Last Week | 2787   | 966    |
| Same Period Last Year | 1407   | 1094   |

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers steady with last weeks close; cows 1-2.00 higher; bulls closed the period 1-2.00 higher. Supply included 40 per cent slaughter steers, 35 per cent cows, 10 per cent bulls with the balance mainly feeder steers.

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**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers uneven, Choice and Prime 5-10.00 lower; Standard and Good 3-5.00 lower; Utility weak to 2.00 lower.

**VEALERS:** Prime 75.00-80.00, one lot 295 lb. 83.00; Choice 68.00-75.00; Good 57.00-67.00; Standard 48.00-57.00; Utility 100-125 lb. 40.00-45.00, 80-95 lb. 30.00-37.00, 60-75 lb. 22.50-26.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-125 lb. bull calves 60.00-72.00, bulk 80-120 lb. Holstein Heifers 54.00-65.00, few early 65.00-70.00.

## Saunas

In Finland, saunas are often built as separate cabins made of wood, sometimes roofed with sod, and preferably next to one of the nation's 70,000 lakes. In Southern California they may be built in colonial Spanish style complete with curved roof tiles and plaster outside walls.

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