HOG PRICES

Lancaster Market

Monday, July 15, 1974 **HOGS: Barrows and Gilts** 1.00-1.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: Few small lots sorted US 1 200-225 lb. 41.50-42.00; US 1-2 200-240 lb. 39.50-40.00. US 1-3 200-250 lb. 39.00-39.50; US 2-3 250-265 lb. 38.25-39.00.

Vintage **Auction** Saturday, July 13

HOGS 515: Compared with last Saturday's market. Barrows & Gilts \$2 to \$2.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 38.00-38.75, No. 1-3 200-260 lbs. 37.50-38.00. US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. sows 25.50-28.00. Boars: 22.00-24.00, Light Weights 30.00-35.00.

Wednesday, July 17 HOGS 600: Compared with last Wednesday's market. Barrows & Gilts mostly \$3 lower. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. 38.50-39.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 37.50-38.50. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 25.00-28.00. Boars: 22.00-25.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, July 17 HOGS: Barrows and Gilts 1.50-2.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-230 lb. 37.75-38.25; One lot 212 lb. 38.50; US 1-3 195-245; b. 37.00-37.75; US 2-3 200-250 lb. 36.00-36.60; US 2-3 250-275 lb. 35.25-24.75.

SOWS: Few US 2-3 350-530 lb. 24.00-24.75.

New Holland Auction

Monday, July 15 HOGS 1230: Compared with last Monday's market.

#AY & STRAW SALE **EVERY** WEDNESDAY **AT 12 NOON**

PAUL Z. MARTIN SALES STABLES 2 miles East of Intercourse Sale managed by Harvey Z. Martin

Barrows & Gilts \$1.25 to \$1.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. 40.00-42.00, No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 39.25-40.00, No. 2-3 200-260 lbs. 37.00-39.25, No. 2-4 160-190 lbs. 36.00-39.25.

SOWS: US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. 24.00-29.50. Boars: Heavy 26.00-30.00, Light 30.00-37.00.

Leb. Valley Auction

HOGS 520. Barrows & Gilts \$3 lower. 1-3 190-230 pounds barrows & gilts 38.25-38.85, one lot 39.00, 2-3 210-260 37.00-38.25. 1-2 and 2-3 300-600 sows 26.75-28.50.

FEEDER PIGS 87. Few lots 1-3 10-20 pounds feeder pigs 6.00-9.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 pounds 15.50-22.50 per

Peoria **Auction**

HOGS: 3000. Barrows and Gilts opening 50, instances 1.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-230 37.50-38.00, Near 200 head 38.25-38.50; US 1-3 200-240 37.00-37.50.

Indianapolis **Auction**

HOGS: 1500. Barrows and Gilts active, 1.00-1.25 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2, one lot near 215 lb. 39.00; US 1-3 200 240 lb. 38.00-38.50.

St. Louis **Auction**

HOGS: 4000. Barrows and Gilts 50-1.00 higher. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 210-240 lb, 38.25-38.50, 48 head 38.75; US 1-3 210-240

New York Dressed Meats

Thursday, July 18 Compared with Wednesday: steer and heifer beef weak throughout. Veal and calf weak, spring lamb mostly \$1.00 lower, pork loins, butts and hams steady. picnics \$2.00 higher, spareribs \$2.00 lower.

Movement of beef mostly slow with very obvious cut back in tonnage moving into retail. Lamb chucks very slow and open for bid in instances.

Steer Beef Prime 600-900 lb. 74.50-76.00; Choice 600-700 75.00-76.00; 700-800 74.50-75.50; 800-900 73.00-74.50.; Good 500-800 71.50-72.50.

Heifer Beef Choice 500-700 lb. 74.00-

Calf (Skin Off) Choice 150-350 lb. 80.00-86.00; Good 150-350 69.00-76.00; Standard 150-350 65.00-

Veal (Skin Off) Choice 90-150 lb. 102.00-106.00; Good 60-90 920-79.70; Standard 60-120 78.00-82.00. **Spring Lamb**

Choice and Prime 30-55 lb. 84.00-87.00; 55-65 82.00-86.00. **Choice Beef Cuts**

Hinds (steer) 145-190 lb. 86.50-88.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 62.00-65.00; Ribs (7-rib) 34-40 93.00-96.00; Loins (trmd) 50-70 116.00-118.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 83.00-85.00; Full Plates 30.00-31.00; Hinds (heifer) 120-170 86.00-

Pork Cuts (Fresh)

Loins (regular) 8-14 lb. 84.00-87.00; 14-17 82.00-85.00; Picnics (regular) 4-8 65.00-68.00; Boston Butts 4-8 65.00-68.00; Spareribs 3 lbs. down 80.00-82.00; Hams (skinned) 14-17 59.50-61.50; 17-20 57.50-

New Holland Horse **Auction**

Wednesday, July 17 Reported receipts of 452 head of horses, mules and

984,000

772,000

U. S. Inspected **Livestock Slaughter**

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspections

CATTLE 481,000 Week to date Same Period Last Week 511,000 1,055,000 Same Period Last Year 450,000

Omaha Cattle Thursday, July 18

CATTLE: Compared with last weeks close - closing prices average-good to prime slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower, standard and lowgood 1.50-2.00 off. Heifers 75-1.50 lower, most downturn on good and low-choice 800-925 lbs. cows 1.00-1.50 lower. Bulls 4.00-5.00 lower in limited trading.

Four day receipts 20,500 as

compared 22,700 previous

week and 12,500 a year ago. Slaughter steers near 50 percent, heifers 30 percent, predominance good to average-choice, modest volume high-choice and prime. Cows 15 percent, feeders continued scarce. STEERS: Two loads Choice and Prime 1085-1118 pounds 45.00 early. Modest volume same grade 1034-1247 3-4 43.50-44.00, few loads 1225-1307 43.00. Choice 975-1250 2-4 closed 42.00-43.25, load 1123 2-3 44.50, some 1250-1350 3-5, 40.00-41.50. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1225 40.50-42.00. Good mainly 35.00-40.00, 2-3 1150-1400 Holsteins 32.50-33.25. Standard and low-

Good 31.00-32.50. HEIFERS: Early, load High-Choice and Prime 961 pounds 3-4 43.75, several loads 922-1059 43.00-43.50. At the close, Choice and Prime 950-1025 3-4 42.25-42.75. Choice 825-1025 2-4 40.50-42.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-1000 39.00-41.00. Good 33.00-38.50. Small lots Standard and low-Good 31.50-32.50.

COWS: Utility Commercial 20.00-21.50, Canner and Cutter 17.00-20.00, Mixed Cutter and Low-Utility 20.25-21.00. Shelly Canner 15.00-17.00.

BULLS: 1 & 2 1300-1800 pounds 24.00-30.00.

FEEDERS: Two loads Good and Choice 793-804 pound steers 35.00. Load Good and Choice heifers 479 pounds 28.00.

ponies. Market steady with last weeks market.

Load of New York State driving horses 205-320. Load of Kansas riding horses 155-300.

Load of Ohio riding horses 200-305.

Load of Canadian driving horses 195-250.

Local work horses 275-450, mules 130-240, driving horses 170-435, riding horses 145-210, HOGS better horses 235-430.

Lightweight killers 14-16, heavyweight killers 17-20. Mare ponies 15-55, colts 5-15, gelding 15-35 and larger ponies 60-115.

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, July 18)

•	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
July		40.50		43.75
August	46.15	40.10		48.50
September				55.85
October	47.02	39.10		55.75
November	r		4.95	59.00
December	46.20	41.00		60.65
January 1975			5.10	- 56.50
February	45.97	42.70		
March			5.60	
April	45.87	41.07	5.90	
Мау			6.70	
June	46.00	43.10		
July		43.00		
August	45.95			
				

Trend — Cattle are Much Stronger, Hogs are Stronger, Potatoes are Stronger and Eggs are Stronger. Markets Provided by Commodity Department, Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing bids as of Thursday, July 11)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
July	3.383/4	4.361/2	2.27	147.50
August			7.16	
September	3.241/4	4.33	7.16½	148.70
October			1	
November			7.12½	
December	3.10	4.511/2	:	158.00
Jaņuary 1975			7.16	
Mareh	3.13½	4.511/2	7.19	164.30
May	3.14	4.443/4	7.19	167.00

Trend — Corn is Much Stronger, Wheat is Much Stronger, Soybeans are Much Stronger, and Soybean Meal is Much Stronger.

Markets Provided by Commodity Department,

IMPORTANT NOTICE

ON AUGUST 6, BEGINNING AT 1 P.M.,

THE THIRD FEEDER PIG SALE WILL BE HELD AT THE LANCASTER STOCKYARDS.

All pigs consigned to the sale must arrive that day between 7 A.M. and 11 A.M., at which time they will be state inspected for health, state graded and sorted and then weighed and penned. Trucks bringing pigs from out of the state must be disinfected and all pigs bought at the sale must be loaded out not later than midnight, August 6.

Since all pigs must be tagged it is suggested that the consignors tag their pigs at the farm, thereby saving 25 cents per pig expense. Tags for this purpose can be picked up at

We respectfully solicit your consignments which will be handled by a staff of experienced and well qualified personnel. For further information call (717) 397-5136.

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