

HOG PRICES

Lancaster Market

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 50-75 higher than last. Wednesday.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 210-240 lb. 43.00-43.50; US 1-2 200-245 lb. 42.25-42.80; US 2-3 225-285 lb. 41.85-42.25.

Vintage Auction

Saturday, November 30
HOGS 643: Boars and gilts 25 cents to 75 cents higher. 1-2 200-220 pounds 42.75-42.85; 1-3 200-250 pounds 42.00-42.60; 2-3 39.50-42.00 few 2-4 165-175 pounds 32.50-34.00. U.S. 1-3 330-420 pounds 29.25-33.00; few boars 26.75-31.00.

Wednesday, December 4
HOGS 372: Boars and gilts steady to 1.00 lower; 1-2 200-240 pounds 40.50-42.00; 1-3 40.50-41.50; 2-3 230-250 pounds 39.25-40.10; 2-4 180-190 pounds 40.00; U.S. 1-3 sows 30.50-34.00. Boars 25.50.

Lancaster Auction

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 50-75 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 210-235 lb. 42.50-42.75; US 1-2 200-240 lb. 41.50-42.10; US 2-3 195-260 lb. 40.25-41.35.

Leb. Valley Auction

No market report available at press time.

New Holland Auction

HOGS 951. Boars and gilts 1.00-1.50 higher. 1-2 200-240 pounds 42.75-43.75 1-3 200-250 pounds 42.25-42.75; 2-3 220-270 pounds 40.00-42.25; 2-4 160-190 pounds 40.00-42.25; 1-3 sows 300-600 pounds 29.50-34.00; boars 28.00-37.00.

Peoria Auction

PEORIA HOGS: 4500 Barrows and gilts opening 25 higher on weights under 240 lb.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 40.50-41.00.

St. Louis Auction

ST. LOUIS HOGS: 5000 Barrows and gilts 25-50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 200-240 40.25-40.50.

Indianapolis Auction

INDIANAPOLIS HOGS: 1500

Barrows and gilts moderately active, strong to mostly 25 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 40.50-41.00; US 1-3 200-250 40.25-40.75.

Feeder Pig Sale

FEEDER PIGS: 545
The twice monthly feeder pig sale was held on Tuesday, December 3, 1974. The supply included 16 per cent US 3 and ungraded pigs sold for slaughter.

82 head US 1-2 38-52 lb. 62.50-67.50; Bulk US 1-2 40-60 lb. 52.00-59.50; US 2 55-75 lb. 46.50-52.00; Couple lots US 2-3 45-55 lb. 45.50-46.00.

U. S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter Under Federal Inspections

	CATTLE	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to Date	509,000	1,292,000	121,000
Same Period Last Week	409,000	986,000	95,000
Same Period Last Year	469,000	1,232,000	132,000

New York Dressed Meats

December 5, 1974
Compared with Wednesday: Prices mostly unchanged for fresh meats. However, price resistance still prevalent for beef while lamb under pressure through poor demand. Late arriving cars mainly railstock classes, not causing too much concern as wholesalers feel no urgency in unloading, due to relatively poor movement of meats.

Steer Beef
Prime 600-900 lbs. 63.50-65.00; Choice 600-700 62.50-64.00, 700-800 62.00-64.00, 800-900 60.00-63.00; Good 500-800 57.50-60.00.

Heifer Beef
Choice 500-700 lbs. 61.50-63.50.

Calf (Skin Off)
Choice 150-350 lbs. 60.00-68.00; Good 150-350 50.00-58.00; Standard 150-350 48.00-50.00.

Veal (Skin Off)
Choice 90-150 lbs. 87.00-95.00; Good 60-90 72.00-80.00; Standard 60-120 62.00-67.00.

Lamb
Choice & Prime 30-55 87.00-89.00, 55-65 86.00-88.00.

Choice Beef Cuts
Hinds (Steer) 145-190 lbs. 74.00-76.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 52.00-56.00; Ribs (7-Rib) 34-40 87.00-90.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 92.00-95.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 77.00-78.00; Full Plates 36.00-37.00; Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 73.00-75.00.

Pork Cuts (Fresh)
Loins (Regular) 8-14 77.00-80.00, 14-17 77.00-79.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 45.50-48.00; Boston Butts 4-8 63.00-66.00; Spareribs 3 lbs. down 76.00-80.00; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 82.00-85.00, 17-20 77.00-80.00.

Kosher Steer Beef
Choice & Prime Forequarters \$53.00-56.00.

New Holland Horse Auction

No market report available at press time.

Oklahoma City

Thursday, December 5
Estimated Receipts 8,100 Same Day Last Week - Holiday.

Trade fairly active, demand improved over yesterday. Choice feeder steers and heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; Good and Mixed Good and Choice steady to 1.00 higher. Bulk of supply Mixed Good and Choice, and Choice 350-650 lb. feeder steers, 350-600 lb. feeder heifers. Good attendance buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 350-500 lb. 30.50-34.10; 500-600 lb. 30.90-33.90; 600-750 lb. 30.00-32.00; few loads 800-875 lb. 29.90-31.10. Mixed Good and Choice 350-500 lb. 25.50-29.50; 500-800 lb. 22.50-28.75. Good 400-500 lb. including bulls 21.50-26.80; few lots 710-915 lb. Holsteins 19.30-21.85.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 300-500 lb. 23.00-24.75, couple lots 350-387 lb. 25.60-26.00; 500-700 lb. 23.00-25.50; Mixed Good and Choice 350-600 lb. 20.10-22.75. Few Good 300-500 lb. 18.00-18.25.

FOR THE WEEK: Compared to the close of last week, feeder steers and heifers closed strong to 2.00 higher with the most advance noted on the Choice grades late. Slaughter cows finished 50-1.50 higher. Slaughter bulls remained at near steady prices.

Peoria Cattle

December 5, 1974
CATTLE: Receipts this week 4500, compared to the 4-day period a week ago 3478, and to last year 5531.

Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 lower.

Slaughter Heifers 75-1.50 lower. Cows steady to 1.00 lower. Bulls scarce and steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 1175-1360 lbs. 3-4, 37.00-38.25, load 1200 lbs. 38.50. Choice 950-1250 lbs. 2-4, 36.00-38.50; late 36.00-38.00. Load 1450 lbs. 2-3, 37.50. Mixed Good and Choice 900-1300 lbs. 35.00-36.00. Good 32.00-35.00. Standard and Good Holsteins 29.00-33.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 900-1050 lbs. 2-4, 37.00-37.75. Choice 800-1000 lbs. 2-4, 35.50-38.00; late 35.50-37.00. Couple loads Monday 38.50. Mixed Good and Choice 750-1100 lbs. 33.00-35.50. 1 Good 31.00-33.00.

Futures Trading

(Closing bids as of Thursday, December 5)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
December	39.45			60.05
January			4.00	61.20
February	42.20	45.85		59.90
March			4.07	60.95
April	42.55	45.00	4.42	58.10
May			5.28	57.40
June	43.55	47.80		58.00
July		48.45		
August	43.50			

Trend — Cattle are Stronger, Hogs are Stronger, Potatoes are Steady, and Eggs are Stronger.

Markets Provided by Commodity Department Reynolds Securities, Inc.

Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing bids as of Thursday, December 5)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
December	3.66¼	4.82		156.00
January 1975			7.68	166.00
March	3.75	5.02¼	7.83½	172.75
May	3.77¼	5.04½	7.98	179.00
July	3.77¼	4.67	8.05	181.00
September	3.61	4.73	8.00	185.50

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

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COWS: Utility and Commercial 15.00-17.00. High dressing Utility 18.00, early up to 20.00. Cutter 13.00-16.00. Canner 10.00-13.00. BULLS: 1-2, 1100-1600 lbs. 21.00-25.00, mostly 21.00-23.00.

Philadelphia Produce

Wednesday, Dec. 4

APPLES

Ctn Tray Pack

PENNA US Combination ExFcy & Fcy Red Delicious 88-113s 6.25-6.50 125s 6.00 Staymans 72-113s 5.50-6.00 Romes 72-100s 7.00 VA Red Delicious US Combination ExFcy & Fcy 88-113s 7-7.50 125s 6.75 NJ Red Delicious no grade mark 100-113s fair color 5.50 Round Reds - repacked locally Origin Unknown Baled film bag 5-lb sks 50 cents

Ctn Cell Pack - NY McIntosh USFcy 100-120s few best 7.25-7.50
Ctn Film Bag 12-3 lb US No. 1 or Better 2¼" & Up - NY Red Delicious & Staymans 5.40 McIntosh 4.20-4.80 MAINE McIntosh 4.80 PENNA Red Delicious & Romes 4.80 VA Red Delicious & Staymans 5.40

BEETS

NJ 4-5 bu crt b chd 12s 2-2.50 bu bkt Topped 3-3.25

GREENS

Wirebound crt approx. 1½ bu unless otherwise stated - NJ bchd Collard 2.75-3.00 mostly 3.00 loose including bu bkt Hanover Salad Turnip Tops Mustard & Kale 2.75-3.00 mostly 3.00 VA bchd Collard fair qual cond 1.50-2.00

MUSHROOMS

PENNA 4-qt bkt med-lge 2.25-2.50 few best 2.75 sml-med best 2-2.25 fair cond 1.50-1.75

ONIONS — DRY

NY Yellow sml-med 1.75-2.25 mostly 2-2.25 few 2.50 ctn film bag 12-3 lb 3.50-3.75 20-2 lb 3.50

POTATOES

50-lb sks US No. 1 Size A wshd unless otherwise stated Round Whites - MAINE 2.25-2.40 few 2.50 LI 2.25-2.40 Baled 10-lb sks 58-60 cents 5-lb sks 34-35 cents. PENNA unwshd 1.75-2.00 Round Reds - repacked locally Origin Unknown Baled film bag 5-lb sks 50 cents Russets - IDAHO 2" or 4-oz min 5.00 ctn approx 50-lb count 80-100s 7.00-100 lb sks 10'oz min 8.00 WISC ctn approx 50-lb count 80-120s 6-6.50

SPINACH

NJ bu bkt Savoy Type few 4.50

SQUASH

NJ Butternut & Acorn Offerings insufficient to quote

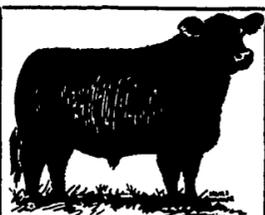
STRAWBERRIES

MEXICO per Pint sml 40-45c

SWEET POTATOES

Ctn approx 50-lb Porto Rico Type unless otherwise stated

NJ no grade mark Orange Jersey 5-5.50 few 5.75 ½ bu hmp Open Face Yellow Jersey 3-3.50 sml-med 2-2.25



DANVILLE LIVESTOCK MARKET

Old RT. 11
Danville, Pa.
Phone (717) 275-2880

SALE EVERY MONDAY 2 P.M.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

LET US HANDLE YOUR FEEDER PIGS NEXT FEEDER PIG SALE TUES., DEC. 17

As a result of increased receipts and popular demand on the part of both buyers and seller, Bi-monthly Feeder Pig Sales will be held at the Lancaster Stockyards.

Feeder pigs consigned to Walter M. Dunlap and Sons must arrive at the stockyards between 7 A.M. and 11 A.M. the day of the sale. Upon arrival they will be inspected by a veterinarian, tagged, and state graded.

The two sales scheduled for December will be held on Tuesday, the 3rd, and Tuesday, the 17th, starting at 1 P.M. Consignors wishing to tag their pigs on the farm can get the tags at the state office at the stockyards, not later than 4 P.M. any day preceding the sale, thereby saving 25 cents per pig.

Consign all your feeder pigs to Walter M. Dunlap & Sons where they will be handled by a capable and experienced staff, and for further information call 717-397-5136.

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