

Hog Markets

Lancaster Market

Mon., Jan. 9, 1978
 HOGS: Barrows and gilts 1.00-2.00 higher.
 BARROWS AND GILTS:
 US 1-2 200-240 lb. 48.00-48.35;
 US 1 200-240 lb. 49.00-49.25;
 US 1-3 200-255 lb. 47.25-48.00.

New Holland Hog

New Holland, Pa.
 Monday, Jan. 9, 1978
 Hog Auction
 Today 1820
 Last Monday 1076
 TREND: No trend available, market not reported last two weeks because of holidays. Barrows and gilts active on early sales.
 BARROWS AND GILTS:
 US 1-2 200-240 lb. 46.75-47.75; Few US 1 195-235 lb. 47.75-48.25; US 2-3 220-250 lb. 46.00-46.75.

New Holland Feeder Pig

New Holland, Pa.
 Wednesday, January 11, 1978
 Feeder Pigs
 Today 1009
 Last Wednesday 881
 TREND: Compared to last Wednesday, feeder pigs steady to 5.00 lower. All prices on a per hundred weight basis.
 US: 1-2 35-50 lb. 70.00-85.00;
 50-75 lb. 69.00-78.00. US 2-3 30-45 lb. 58.00-83.00; 45-70 lb. 45.00-72.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Jan. 11, 1978
 HOGS: Barrows and gilts 25-50 higher.
 BARROWS AND GILTS:
 US 1-2 200-240 lb. 48.25-48.85; Few US 1 200-235 lb. 49.25-49.50; US 1-3 200-255 lb. 47.50-48.25.

Vintage Hog

Saturday, January 7
 Reported 781 head.
 No. 1, 200 to 240 lbs. 47.60-48.25; No. 1-2, 200 to 240 lbs. 46.85-47.50; No. 2-3, 200 to 240 lbs. 46.35-46.85; sows 34.50-37.25; boars 27.00-33.00; heavystraights 43.00-46.00; lightweights, 140 to 180 lbs. 38.50-40.00.

Peoria Hog Auction

Thursday, January 12, 1978
 HOGS: 3800. Barrows & gilts fairly active, opening mostly 1.00 lower than the bulk of Wednesday's sales.
 US 1-2 200-230 lb. 45.50-46.00, 56 head 46.25; US 1-3 200-240 lb. 45.00-45.50.
 SOWS: .50-1.00 lower.
 US 1-3 350-500 lb. 38.00-38.50.

St. Louis Hog Market

Thursday, January 12, 1978
 HOGS: 7000. Barrows & gilts moderate, 50-75 lower.
 US 1-3 200-250 lb. 45.50-46.00.
 SOWS: .50-1.00 lower.
 US 1-3 300-450 lb. 38.00-38.50.

Indianapolis Hog

Thursday, January 12, 1978
 HOGS: 2500. Barrows & gilts moderately active, mostly 1.00, instances 1.25 lower.
 US 1-2 200-230 lb. 46.25-46.50; US 1-3 200-245 lb. 45.50-46.25.
 SOWS: Steady to weak; trade moderately active.
 US 1-3 300-425 lb. 37.50-38.00.

Lancaster Grain

Friday, Jan. 13, 1978
 These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by a number of participating area feed and grain concerns. It should be noted however, that not every dealer or broker handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn and soybean meal which are per ton.
 The average prices quoted Friday, Jan. 13 are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn	52.00	59.00
Shelled Corn	2.25	2.48
Barley	1.95	2.15
Oats		
Local	1.25	1.50
Western	1.80	2.00
Wheat	2.52	2.70
Soybeans	5.50	
Soybean Meal		226.00

Chambersburg Auction

CATTLE 462. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter cows 50 cent to \$1.50 higher. Few Choice 1150-1450 lbs. slaughter steers 42.75-44.60, Good 37.50-41.50, few Standard 34.75-38.00, few Utility 30.60-32.85. Few Good slaughter heifers 35.10-37.50, few Standard 31.50-33.50, few Utility 28.85-31.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 26.50-29.00, few to 29.50, few Commercial No. 4-5 25.50-27.50, Cutters 25.00-27.50, Canner & Low Cutter 23.00-26.00, Shells down to 19.50. Few Standard slaughter bullocks 32.85-33.85, few Utility 26.00-29.10. Yield Grade #1 1200-1950 lbs. slaughter bulls 33.10-37.35, one 38.50. Good & Choice 400-800 lbs. feeder steers 30.00-38.00, few to 40.00.

CALVES 673. Vealers \$1 to mostly \$3 to \$9 lower. Prime vealers 74.00-82.00, Choice 64.00-80.00, Good 50.00-65.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 43.00-55.00, 90-110 lbs. 37.00-42.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 30.00-35.00, Utility 50-100 lbs. 5.00-25.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 39.00-56.00, few to 58.00.
 HOGS 136. US No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 44.00-44.85, few No. 2-3 190-250 lbs. 43.00-43.75. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 32.00-35.00. Boars 22.00-25.50.
 FEEDER PIGS 110. US No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. feeder pigs 14.00-23.50 per head.
 SHEEP 21. Choice 50-80 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 56.50-68.00.

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Futures Trading

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, January 12, 1978)

	Chicago Cattle	Chicago Hogs	New York Maine Potatoes	Chicago Fresh Eggs
Jan.				45.50
Feb.	41.65	44.90		
March			3.84	43.15
April	41.20	39.65	4.14	41.80
May			4.79	42.10
June	42.55	41.25		
July		41.10		
Aug.	43.00	38.55		
Nov.				

Trend - Cattle are mixed, Hogs are lower, Potatoes are higher, and eggs are higher.

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Chicago Grain Futures

(Closing Bids as of Thursday, January 12, 1978)

	Corn	Wheat	Soybeans	Soybean Meal
Jan.			5.96 $\frac{3}{4}$	163.30
March	2.24 $\frac{3}{4}$	2.77 $\frac{3}{4}$	6.05 $\frac{1}{2}$	163.20
May	2.28 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.89 $\frac{3}{4}$	6.13	165.80
July	2.30 $\frac{1}{2}$	2.89 $\frac{3}{4}$	6.17 $\frac{3}{4}$	167.80
Sept.	2.30	2.95	6.15 $\frac{1}{2}$	168.10

Trend - Corn is lower, Wheat is lower, Soybeans are mixed, and Soybean Meal is lower.

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U.S. Inspected Livestock Slaughter

Estimated Daily Livestock Slaughter
 Under Federal Inspection

	CATTLE	CALVES	HOGS	SHEEP
Week to Date	597,000	73,000	1,136,000	88,000
Same Period Last Week	450,000	55,000	880,000	66,000
Same Period Last Year	584,000	71,000	1,054,000	97,000

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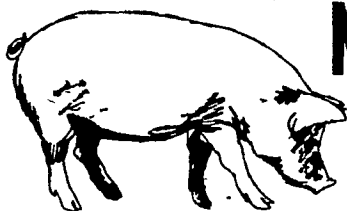
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