

## Livestock market and auction news

### Lancaster Weekly

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**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1300 lbs. 68.50-71.00, few 71.00-72.25, few 900-1000 lbs. 65.50-69.50; Good 950-1200 lbs. 64.50-67.00.

**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1 1100-1800 lbs. 69.50-73.50, few 74.00-76.50; Yield Grade 2 1000-1400 lbs. 64.50-69.50, few 900-1100 lbs. 62.25-65.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers uneven, Choice 3.00-5.00 lower although high Choice and Prime not fully tested. High Good and low Choice 90-115 lbs. steady to firm. A large share 90-125 lbs. holstein bulls and heifers sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few Prime 290-410 lbs. 119.00-127.00; Choice 160-300 lbs. 114.00-130.00, 120-160 lbs. 110.00-118.00; high Good and low Choice 120-240 lbs. 99.00-115.00, 90-120 lbs. 92.00-104.00, 70-90 lbs. 80.00-95.00, few 65-70 lbs. 69.00-80.00.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Several Choice 325-425 lbs. 85.00-103.00, few 115-230 lbs. 100.00-115.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 95-125 lbs. holstein heifers 150.00-195.00, several 195.00-210.00, 15 head 80-90 lbs. 130.00-170.00; bulk 90-125 lbs. holstein bulls 98.00-135.00, several 135.00-154.00.

### Pa. Auction

May 18, 1979

**CATTLE 5682.** Compared to 5605 last week and 7820 a year ago. Compared with last week's market, slaughter steers 1-1.50 lower, slaughter heifers steady to 1.50 lower. Sl. cows unevenly steady. Sl. bullocks and bulls uneven. Feeder cattle steady to weak. High Choice & Prime YG 3-4 sl. steers 72.00-76.85. Choice YG 2-4

70.50-76.25; Good 67-72.50; Standard 63-68.50. Choice sl. heifers 68-73.50; Good 64-68; Standard 60-65. Utility & Commercial sl. cows 58-64; Cutters 55-60; Canner & L. Cutter 51-55, Shells down to 44. Choice sl. bullocks 68.50-74, Good 55-69, Standard (few) 58-65. Yield Grade #1, 1000-2200 lbs. slaughter bulls 69-75.50, Yield Grade #2, 900-1600 lbs. 64-70.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Good and Choice 300-600 lbs. steers 75-89.50, Good & choice 63-80. Good & Choice 300-600 lbs. heifers 70-85.

**CALVES 2366.** Compared to 2568 last week and 3376 a year ago. Vealers mostly 5-10 lower. A few prime vealers 119-140, Choice 110-130, Good 98-120, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 90-110, 70-90 lbs. 85-95.

**FARM CALVES:** Hol. Bulls 90-120 lbs. 100-173. Hol. Heifers 90-150 lbs. 110-226.

**HOGS 7733.** Compared to 7060 last week and 7340 a year ago. Barrows and gilts unevenly steady. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts

46.50-47.50 few 48.25, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 45.50-47.00, No. 2-3 190-260 lbs. 43.00-45.50, No. 1-3 140-190 lbs. 40-44.

**SOWS:** mostly steady, US No. 1-3 300-575 lbs. sows 37-43, No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 34-39.

**BOARS:** 28-40.

**FEEDER PIGS 1549.** Compared to 1298 last week and 1352 a year ago. Feeder Pigs uneven. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 25-37 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 32-46, No. 1-3 50-80 lbs. 42-56.

**GRADED FEEDER PIGS 3403.** ALL SALES CWT. Compared with 4181 head last week, and 1594 head a year ago. Feeder pigs uneven, mostly weak to 9 lower. US No. 1-2 25-40 lbs. 93-114 few 120, 40-50 lbs. 98-101, 50-60 lbs. 79-97; US No. 2-3 25-40 lbs. 82-104, 40-50 lbs. 78-103, 50-60 lbs. 75-92; US No. 3 30-45 lbs. 56-77.



Lester Jones

MEDFORD, N.J.—Lester C. Jones, Medford, New Jersey, was re-elected to the Board of Directors of United Dairy Industry Association at the organization's annual meeting held recently in Houston, Texas.

He was also re-elected first vice chairman and board member of National Dairy Council.

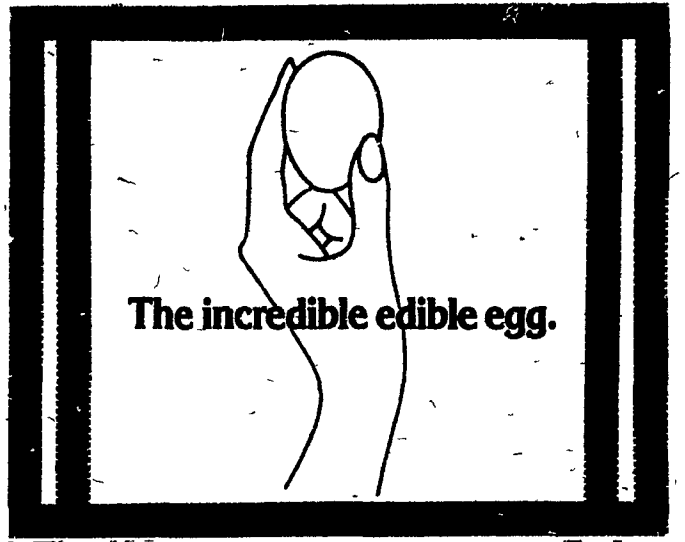
An active leader in the industry, Jones holds offices in several other dairy organizations. He is president of Interstate Milk Producer's Co-op; chairman of Federal Marketing Order #4's advertising and promotion agency; president of Dairy Council Inc. in Southampton, Pennsylvania; member of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station's board of managers; and member of the Board of American

**SHEEP 558.** Compared to 545 last week and 723 a year ago. Spring/or Woolled sl. lambs mostly steady. Choice 30-60 lbs. 90-103; 60-110 lbs. 74-90. Slaughter ewes 20-47.

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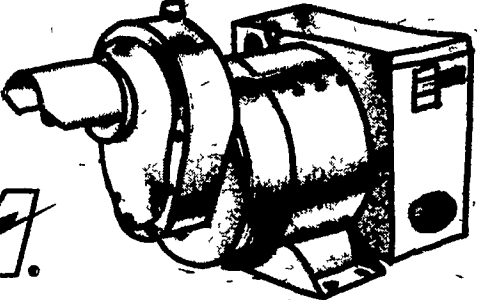
Dairy Association of Atlantic, a regional member unit of the national association. In the past Jones served as third vice chairman of NDC and president of the New Jersey State Board of Agriculture.

He owns and operates a 900-acre dairy farm in partnership with his son Lester, Jr. The farm includes a herd of 700 Holsteins, with major crops of corn, alfalfa and barley.



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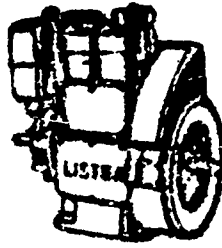
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