

Local Livestock Market, Auction News

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, July 28

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	942	160	516	151
Last week	991	117	262	51
Last year	998	112	449	15
This weeks Auction	942	160	516	151
Last weeks Auction	919	117	262	51

CATTLE — Slaughter Steers high-Choice and Prime steady to 50 lower; decline on average Choice and below; Good 50-75 lower; Standard and low-Good 25-50 lower; Cows and Bulls steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 34.25-35.60; Choice 32.00-33.75; Good and low-Choice 31.50-32.60; Good 29.00-32.00; Standard and low-Good 27.00-29.00.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.25-24.00; Cutter 21.00-22.50; Canner and low-Cutter 19.50-21.50.

BULLS — Choice 28.75-29.75; Good 27.00-28.75; Utility and Commercial 27.00-29.85.

VEAL CALVES — Choice Vealers steady to strong; other grades steady.

VEALERS — Choice 48.00-51.50; Good 43.00-48.00; Standard 37.50-42.50; Utility 36.00-41.00; Cull 65-110 lbs 31.00-36.00.

HOGS — Barrows and Gilts 25-35 lower than Monday

BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1 200-240 lbs 22.00-22.50. US 1-2 200-250 lbs. 21.50-21.75. US 2-3 200-250 lbs 21.10-21.65

SPRING LAMBS — Volume of good and Choice too small to provide price trend.

Local Grain

Thursday, July 29

These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by six participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel, except for ear corn which is per ton.

The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, July 29, 1971, are as follows:

	Bid*	Offered*
Ear Corn	45.00	50.33
Shelled Corn	1.65	1.82
Oats (local)	.71	.82
Oats (western)	.88	1.00
Barley	1.08	1.28
Wheat	1.51	1.69

*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.



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Every FRIDAY

- Dairy Cows 12:30 P.M.
- Hay & Straw Auction 1:00 P.M.
- Beef Cattle & Veal Calves 11:00 A.M.

Lancaster Market

Monday, July 26

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	885	227	787	144
Last Week	1044	239	839	248
Last Year	737	304	1027	140

CATTLE — Slaughter Steers, Choice and Prime 50-75 higher than last Wednesday, Good grade 50 higher; Standard and low-Good steady, Cows 25-50 lower, Bulls 50 higher Supply included 796 for afternoon auction.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 1025-1325 lbs. 34.25-35.60; Choice 950-1325 lbs. 32.50-33.75; Good and low-Choice 32.00-33.25; Good 29.75-32.50; Standard and low-Good 27.50-29.25.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.25-24.00; Cutter 21.00-22.50; Canner and low-Cutter 19.50-21.50.

BULLS — Choice 28.75-29.75; Good 27.00-28.75; Utility and Commercial 27.00-29.85, few 31.25-32.60.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers steady.

VEALERS—Choice 48.00-50.00; Good 43.00-48.00; Standard 37.50-42.50; Utility 36.00-41.00; Cull 65-110 lbs. 31.00-36.00.

HOGS — Barrows and Gilts mostly 50 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1 200-230 lbs. 22.00-22.25 few 22.50-22.75 US 1-2 200-250 lbs. 21.75-22.25 US 2-3 200-250 lbs. 21.50-22.00.

SHEEP—Spring Lambs fully steady; trading active as compared to slow trading previous week.

SPRING LAMBS — Choice 65-90 lbs. 28.50-30.00.

Lebanon Valley Auction

Tuesday, July 27

351 Head of Cattle
Steers: High Choice and Prime (few) 33.50-34.85; Choice 31.85-33.35; Good 29.60-31.50; Standard 27.25-28.50.

Heifers: Choice (few) 29.85-31.60; Good (few) 27.00-27.35.

Cows: Utility (individual) 23.00-24.10; Cutter 21.85-22.85; Canner 19.60-22.00; Shells down to 18.00.

Bulls: Good 29.00-31.50; Utility and Commercial 26.85-31.25.

223 Head of Veal Calves
Choice (few) 51.50-53.00; Good 47.00-50.50; Standard 44.00-47.00; Utility 39.00-43.00; Cull 90-120 pounds 31.50-38.00; Cull 70-85 pounds 27.00-32.00.

Farm Calves: Bulls 80-110 pounds 33.00-44.00; Heifers 85-120 pounds 45.00-59.00.

228 Head of Hogs
Barrows and Gilts: U.S. 2-3 190-250 pounds 21.25-21.50; U.S. 2-4 185-260 pounds 20.50-21.00.

Sows: U.S. 1-3 300-500 pounds 16.50-20.00; U.S. 2-3 300-600 pounds 13.00-14.60.

Boars: (few) 13.00-14.00.

29 Head of Feeder Pigs
U.S. 1-3 20-35 pounds (few) 8.50.

Composite Report

Friday Weekly, July 30

Lancaster, Vintage, and New Holland Markets

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	4800	1650
Last Week	5099	1671
Last Year	4342	1524

CATTLE — Compared to previous week's close, Slaughter Steers high-Choice and Prime about 50 lower; Good and Choice fully 50 lower, Standard and low-Good 25-50 lower; Cows steady; Bulls 50-75 higher Supply included an estimated 55 per cent Slaughter Steers, 30 per cent Cows and Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 950-1325 lbs. 33.25-35.00, some early sales to 35.60; Choice 31.50-33.25; high-Good and low-Choice 29.50-32.00; Standard and low-Good 26.50-29.00, early sales to 29.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 22.50-24.25; Cutter 21.00-23.25; Canner and low-Cutter 19.75-21.50.

BULLS — Choice 28.75-31.00; Good 27.00-29.50; Utility and Commercial 27.25-31.25.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers mainly steady, except some Cull 1.00 lower.

VEALERS — Choice 49.00-52.50; Good 43.00-48.00; Standard 38.00-44.00; Cull 90-120 lbs. 32.00-36.00, 65-85 lbs. 26.00-29.00.

CALVES RETURNED TO FARM—Bulk 90-120 38.00-47.00; Holstein Heifers 49.00-55.00.

Green Dragon Dairy Cattle

Friday, July 23

The Green Dragon market reported receipts of 115 head of cattle, well attended with prices stronger.

Consignments included:

Load New York State springers, 340-535.

Load Canadian cows, fresh, 465-555; springers, 410-600.

Load Canadian cows, fresh purebreds, 430-750; springing purebreds, 450-610; grades, 375-475.

Load Canadian purebred fresh cows, 515-705.

Load Susquehanna County springers, 455-505.

Load Connecticut springing heifers, 315-450.

Locally consigned cows, fresh and springers, 365-465.

Local first calf heifers, 380-425.

Colored cows, 315-335.

Open heifers 200-215.

One stock bull, 285.

Beef Cows
Beef cows steady with last weeks decline; feeder market higher.

Beef cows: Cutter, 23.50-24.50, few 25.00-25.50; Fat cows, 22.00-23.00; Utility cows, 17.00-20.50.

Stocker market: Feeder bulls, 23.50-26.50; Steers, 25.00-28.50.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, July 27

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	1282	769	352	93
Last Week	1265	754	580	59
Last Year	1020	658	365	49

CATTLE — Slaughter Steers, high-Choice and Prime 75-1.00 higher; Choice 50-1.00 higher; high-Good, low-Choice and Good grade 50 higher; Standard and low-Good steady to 25 higher; Cows 50 higher; Bulls 50-1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lbs 34.25-35.60; Choice 950-1350 lbs. 32.50-34.35; high-Good and low-Choice 31.50-32.75; Good 28.50-31.50; Standard and low-Good 27.25-29.50.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 23.00-24.60; Cutter 22.25-24.00; Canner and low-Cutter 20.25-21.75.

BULLS — Choice 28.75-31.50; Good 27.25-29.50; Utility and Commercial 28.25-30.50.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers steady to 1.00 lower, decline on some Cull.

VEALERS — Choice 48.00-52.50; Good 44.00-48.00; Standard 39.00-45.00; Utility 35.00-40.00; Cull 90-120 lbs. 32.00-36.00, 65-85 lbs. 29.00-32.00.

CALVES RETURNED TO FARM—Bulk 90-120 lbs. 38.00-49.00; Holstein Heifers 52.00-57.00.

HOGS — Barrows and Gilts steady.

BARROWS AND GILTS—US 1 200-225 lbs. 21.50-22.00 few 22.35 US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 21.00-21.50 US 2-3 190-245 lbs. 20.50-21.00.

SHEEP—Market not reported.

Fat Hogs and Feeder Pig Sale

Saturday, July 24

Hog Receipts—851 190-240 lbs.—21.60-22.25; 10 head 22.50 180-210 lbs. — 19.10-21.60. Light weights 160-180 lbs.—17.50-19.75.

New Holland Dairy Cattle

Wednesday, July 28

Reported receipts of 117 head of cattle, 23 heifers; market steady with last weeks market.

Herd dispersal from Luzerne County, all stages of production, 300-590.

Load Canadian cows, fresh, 425-500.

Load Canadian springers, 400-570.

Load New York State cows, fresh, 405-470; springers, 420-465.

Load Vermont cows, fresh, 410-640.

Load Franklin County purebred first calf springing heifers, 480-600.

Locally consigned cows, 275-560.

New Holland Auction

Thursday, July 29

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	1557	515	14
Last Week	1253	496	12
Last Year	1084	425	28

CATTLE — Slaughter Steers 50-75 lower; Cows steady; Bulls 50-75 higher than week ago.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 1000-1300 lbs. 33.25-34.50; Choice 975-1300 lbs. 31.50-33.50; high-Good and low-Choice 29.50-31.75; Good 28.50-31.50; Standard and low-Good 26.50-28.75.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 23.00-24.00; Cutter 21.00-23.00; Standard and low-Cutter 19.50-21.25.

BULLS — Few Choice 29.00-31.00; Good 27.25-29.10; Utility and Commercial 27.25-30.25.

VEAL CALVES—Vealers fully steady.

VEALERS — Choice 49.00-52.00; Good 43.00-47.00; Standard 38.00-44.00; Utility 33.00-39.00; Cull 65-110 lbs. 26.00-32.00.

SHEEP—Too small to provide a price test.

Monday, July 26

Reported receipts of 330 head of horses; market lower than last weeks market.

One load Kansas riding horses, 100-235.

One load Standard Bred driving horses, 190-400.

One load Standard Bred driving horses, 190-340.

Locally consigned work horses, 125-200; riding horses, 85-210; driving horses, 90-330; few better horses, 250-400.

Mare ponies, 15-40; Geldings, 10-30; Colts, 5-15; Larger ponies, 40-90; Killers, 8-9.

Monday, July 26

Hog Receipts 1154—Retail 22-22.50; Wholesale 234 21.50-22; Heavyweights 21-21.50; Sows 15-17; Boars 14½-16½.

Monday, July 26

Calf receipts 117—Choice and Prime 46-52; Standard 39-43; Good and L. Choice 44-48; Common 25-36½.

Monday, July 26

Ten loads of hay and straw sold as follows: Hay 32-36; Straw 28-35.

Hay Prices

For Southeastern and South Central Pennsylvania

Monday, July 26

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

Hay mostly steady to strong.

Straw steady.	
Alfalfa	28.00-35.00
Timothy hay	18.00-25.00
Mixed hay	22.00-30.00
Straw	18.00-25.00
Mulch	10.00-16.00

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