

Local Livestock Market, Auction News

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, December 8
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 572 133 190 28
 Last week 805 133 237 57
 Last year 662 115 257 28
 This weeks
 Auction 496 140 181 28
 Last weeks
 Auction 467 132 244 57
CATTLE — Compared to Monday, Slaughter Steers 25-50 higher, Cows 50, instances 1 00 lower, Bulls steady to 50 lower.
SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1125-1350 lbs 35 75-36 50, Choice 950-1300 lbs 34 75-36 00, lot 1350-1425 lbs. 33 85-34 50, high-Good and low-Choice 33 35-35 00, Good 31 50-33 85, Standard 1050-1425 lbs 26 60-29 85
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 750-950 lbs 30 50-33 10, couple 33 75-34 50
COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 21 00-23 00, Cutter 20 00-21 50, Canner and low-Cutter 18 50-20 00
BULLS — Choice 30.00-32.00, couple 32 50, Good 28 00-30 00, Utility and Commercial 27 60-30 25, few 31.10-32 50
VEAL CALVES — Vealers strong to 2 00 higher
VEALERS — Choice 51 00-54 00, few 54 50-56 50, Good 47 00-51 00, Standard 43.00-47 00, Utility 35 00-42 00, Cull 90-120 lbs 30 00-35 00
HOGS — Barrows and Gilts strong to 25 lower
BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1 210-235 lbs 23 00-23 75, US 1-2 210-235 lbs 22 10-22 35, US 2-3 190-250 lbs 21.50-22 10
SHEEP — Couple lots Choice 100-110 lbs Woolled Lambs fully steady at 27 50.

New Holland Dairy Cattle

Wednesday, December 8
 Reported receipts of 105 head of cattle, 4 heifers, market stronger on good top fresh cows
 Load Canadian and Franklin County cows, fresh, 425 - 750; springers, 430 - 560
 Load Canadian cows, fresh, 350 - 750, springers, 380 - 600
 Two loads New York State cows, fresh, 480 - 900, springers, 345 - 570
 Load Vermont cows, fresh, 395 - 550
 Load Wisconsin cows, fresh, 560 - 620
 Locally consigned cows, 345 - 590
 Springing heifers, 360 - 425



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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, December 6
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 636 296 863 198
 Last week 719 222 940 76
 Last year 451 370 819 209
CATTLE — Compared to last week's close, Slaughter Steers mostly steady, Cows steady to 50 lower, Bulls weak to mostly 50 lower Supply included 347 in auction
SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 950-1250 lbs. 24 35-36 00, small lot high-Choice and Prime 1165 lbs 36 25, high-Good and low-Choice 33 10-34.25, Good 31 00-33 50, Standard and low-Good 28.50-30.00
COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 21 50-23.50, few 23 50-24.00, Cutter 20 50-22 75; Canner and low-Cutter 19.00-20 50
BULLS — Choice 30 85-32 50; couple lots Good 28.50-29 60, Utility and Commercial 27 50-29 50, four head 30 75-31.60.
VEAL CALVES — Vealers steady to 1 00 lower.
VEALERS — Choice 51 00-53 00, few head 53 50-54.00, Good 47 00-51 00, Standard 40.00-47.00, Utility 34.00-40.00; Cull 90-120 lbs. 29 00-33 00, 65-85 lbs 25.00-29.00
HOGS — Barrows and Gilts steady to 50 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1 205-235 lbs. 22 50-23.00, US 1-2 200-240 lbs 21 75-22.25; US 2-3 195-250 lbs. 21 50-22 00; US 3-4 245-265 lbs. 21.00-21 50.
SHEEP — Woolled Lambs steady to strong; Ewes weak to 1 00 lower
WOOLED LAMBS — Choice 75-90 lbs. 26.50-28.00, few 28.50, Good 23 00-26.50, few low-Good 20.00-23.00
SLAUGHTER EWES — Utility and Good 3.00-8.00.

Local Grain

Thursday, December 9
 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, December 9, 1971, are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn (New)	30 66	36 66
Shelled Corn	1.31	1 49
Oats (local)	.79	92
Oats (western)	1.05	
Barley	1 06	1 29
Wheat	1 43	1 65

+Bid is the price the dealer will by from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell at this mill.

Composite Report

Friday Weekly, December 10
 Lancaster, Vintage and New Holland Markets
Cattle Calves
 This week 3300 1500
 Last week 3891 1640
 Last year 3138 1508

CATTLE — Slaughter Steers steady, instances 50 lower on high-Choice and Prime, Cows steady to 50 lower, instances 75 lower at mid-week; Bulls 25-75 lower Supply included an estimated 25 percent Slaughter Steers, 40 percent Cows and Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1025-1275 lbs. 35 75-37 00, around a dozen head mainly Choice yield grade 2 37.00-37.50, Choice 950-1325 lbs. 34 60-36.50, high-Good and low-Choice 33.00-35.00; Good 30.00-34 00; Standard and low-Good 28.00-39.50, load Standard 1600-1750 lbs. 26.35-29.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 750-900 lbs. 30.50-33.10, Good 27.00-29.50
COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 21.00-23.00, few 23 00-23.85; Cutter 20.00-22.50; Canner and low-Cutter 18.50-20 50.

BULLS — Choice 30.00-32.00, few 32.50-33.50, Good 27 50-30.00; Utility and Commercial 27.25-30 50, few 30.75-32.50.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers strong to 2.00 higher, with demand good for Calves returned to farm.
VEALERS — Choice 51.00-55 00, few 55.50-58.00; Good 46.00-52.00; Standard 42.00-47.00; Utility 35.00-42.00; Cull 90-120 lbs. 30.00-35.00, 65-85 lbs. 24.00-30.00.

Hay Prices

Monday, December 6
 (All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealers at the farm, price per ton).
 Hay and straw steady to \$2.00 higher.
 Alfalfa 37.00-45.00
 Timothy hay 22.00-35.00
 Mixed hay 25.00-40.00
 Straw 27.00-35 00
 Mulch 15.00-22.60

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 Kenneth E. Hershey, Sales Manager

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, December 7
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 775 577 509 23
 Last week 740 689 277 56
 Last year 699 578 420 72

CATTLE — Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers uneven, mainly weak to 50 lower, although few sales Choice and Prime fully steady; Cows 25-50 lower, Bulls steady to weak, instances 50 lower. Supply included 42 percent Cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1050-1300 lbs. 36.00-37.00, dozen head mainly Choice yield grade 2 37.00-37 50; Choice 950-1375 lbs. 34.60-36.50; high-Good and low-Choice 33.00-34 50, Good 30.00-33.75; Standard and low-Good 27.50-30 50, load Standard 1600-1750 lbs. 26 35-29.25

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 21.50-23.25, few to 23.50 with a couple 24.00-24.25; Cutter 20 50-22.00; Canner and low-Cutter 19.00-20.50.

BULLS — Choice 30.00-32.10, few 33.00-33.50; Good 27.50-30.00; Utility and Commercial 27.25-29 50, few 30.50-31.75

VEAL CALVES — Vealers steady to strong, with good demand on Calves returned to farm.

VEALERS — Choice 50.00-55.00, few 55.50-58.00; Good 46.00-51 00; Standard 42.00-47.00; Utility 34.00-42.00; Cull 90-120 lbs. 28.00-33.50, 65-85 lbs. 23.00-28.00.

CALVES RETURNED TO FARM — Bulk 90-120 lbs. 38.00-
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New Holland Auction

Thursday, December 9
cattle calves sheep
 Today 763 464 24
 Last week 800 580 24
 Last year 788 402 17

CATTLE — Compared to last Thursday, Slaughter Steers 25-50 higher; Cows steady to 50 lower; Bulls 25-75 lower. Supply included 46 percent Cows and 27 percent Slaughter Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Choice 950-1350 lbs. 35.00-36.00, few Choice including some Prime 36.00-36 85; high-Good and low-Choice 33.35-35.10; Good 30.50-34 00; Standard and low-Good 28.50-31.10.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Good 800-1100 lbs 27.00-29.35, few Choice 835-1000 lbs. 30.75-32.75.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 21.50-22.85, few 23.00-23.85; Cutter 20.50-22.60; Canner and low-Cutter 19.00-20.50.

BULLS — Choice 30.35-32.00, few 32.00-32.75; Good 27.50-30.00; Utility and Commercial 27.25-30.50, few 31.00-32.00.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers 1.00-2.00 higher, with demand good for Calves returned to farm.

VEALERS — Choice 52.00-55.00, few 55.50-57.00; Good 46.00-52.00; Standard 42.00-47.00; Utility 35.00-42.00; Cull 90-120 lbs. 30.00-35.00, 65-85 lbs. 24.00-30.00.

SHEEP — One lot Choice 88 lbs. Woolled Lambs fully steady at 27.50.

Monday, December 6
HOGS 921: Retail 22.75-24.50; Wholesale 2s, 3s, 4s 21.75-22.75;
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 FAT STEERS, BULLS, COWS & VEAL — THURSDAY at 12:30 P.M.

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