

Local Livestock Market, Auction News

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, May 10

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	1301	87	322	49
Last week	1095	88	460	27
Last year	905	115	519	30
This weeks				
Auction	1209	86	315	49
Last weeks				
Auction	1108	83	452	26

CATTLE — Compared to Monday, Slaughter Steers steady to 50 lower with most decline on Standard to low-Choice, Cows 50-100 lower, Bulls uneven, Good and Choice 50-75 lower, Utility and Commercial steady to weak

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1100-1375 lbs 36 25-37 10, lot Prime 1390 lbs 37 85, Choice 950-1400 lbs 34 60-36 35, high-Good and low-Choice 33 50-35 10, Good 32 50-34 50, Standard and low-Good 30 50-32 60

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 750-950 lbs 32 50-34 10, couple 34 60-35 10, Good 30 00-32 00, Standard 27 00-29 00

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 26 60-28 60, couple 28 85-29 25, Cutter 25 00-27 35, Canner and Cutter 23 50-25 50

BULLS — Choice 32 50-33 85, Good 30 25-32 50, Utility and Commercial 30 50-33 50, twelve head 33 60-34 60

VEAL CALVES — Vealers mostly steady

VEALERS — Prime 59 00-61 50, Choice 54 00-58 50, Good 50 00-56 00, Standard 42 00-50 50; Utility 36 00-41 50

SHEEP — Spring Lambs steady

SPRING LAMBS — Choice 40-50 lbs 43 00-46 50, Good 65-85 lbs 33 00-34 00

Local Grain

Thursday, May 11

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, May 11, 1972 are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn	39 00	45 33
Shelled Corn	1 38	1 56
Oats (local)	.76	.94
Oats (western)	.99	1 07
Barley	1 05	1 29
Wheat	1 40	1 60

+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, May 8

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	888	169	1076	74
Last week	1052	148	994	108
Last year	1187	181	804	91
This weeks				
Auction	1108	83	452	26
Last weeks				
Auction	1108	83	452	26

CATTLE — Compared to last Wednesday, Slaughter Steers mostly steady with high-Choice and Prime strong; Cows steady, Bulls steady. Supply included 578 in afternoon auction.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1000-1360 lbs 36 25-37 60, Choice 950-1350 lbs 34 75-36 35, high-Good and low-Choice 34 00-35 25, Good 32 50-34 50, Standard and low-Good 29 25-32 60

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 27 50-28 75, few 29 50-30 00, Cutter 25 50-27 50; Canner and low-Cutter 24 00-26 00

BULLS — Choice 34 00-34 60, Good 31 00-33 50; Utility and Commercial 30 75-33 50, few 33 85-34 60

VEAL CALVES — Vealers mostly steady, instances 2 00 lower on Prime, good demand for Calves returned to farm.

VEALERS — Prime 60.00-63.00; Choice 56 00-60 00, Good 50 00-56 00, Standard 42 00-49 00

RETURNED TO FARM — Bulk 90-120 lbs Bull Calves 50 00-55 00, with Holstein Heifers 60 00-65 00.

SHEEP — Slaughter Lambs and Slaughter Ewes mostly steady

SPRING LAMBS — Choice 70-95 lbs 36 00-37 00

WOOLED LAMBS — Few Choice 70-95 lbs 28 00-31 00, Good 24 50-26 50

SLAUGHTER EWES — Utility and Good 4 00-9 00.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, May 11

Receipts this week 4,000; Last week 3,900 Slaughter Steers and Heifers Average Choice and below closed 25 inst. 50 higher. High Choice and Prime strong to 25 higher. Cows steady to weak and bulls steady. Steers and Heifers largely High Good and Choice with few lots Choice and Prime. Cows about 20 per cent of total supply.

Steers — On Wed. Mixed Choice and Prime 1275-1300 pounds 3-4 36 75-37 00. Choice 1000-1250 2-4 35 50-36 50. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1200 34 50-35 25. Good 32 00-34 50 Standard and Low Good 30 50-32 00.

Heifers — On Wed. Few Choice and Prime 975-1000 pounds 3-4 36 00-36 25. Choice 825-1025 34 75-35 75 Mixed Good and Choice 775-950 33 50-34 50. Good 31.00-33.50 Cows — Commercial 24 50-26 00 Utility 25 00-27 50 few 28 00. Cutter 23 50-26 50 Canner 20 00-24 00

Bulls — Utility and Commercial 28 00-32 50

Composite Report

Friday Weekly, May 12
Lancaster, Vintage and
New Holland Markets

	Cattle	Calves
This week	4400	1025
Last week	4697	1110
Last year	5078	1095

CATTLE — Slaughter Steers uneven, Good to Prime 25-50 lower, Standard to low-Good steady to weak; Cows closed the week steady to 50 higher after some early weakness; Bulls uneven, Good and Choice steady to 50 lower, Utility and Commercial steady to 50 higher. Supply included an estimated 45 percent Slaughter Steers, 40 percent Cows and Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1000-1375 lbs. 36.10-37.60, around 20 head 37.85-38.25, Choice 950-1400 lbs. 35.00-36.75, few 34.60-35.00; high-Good and low-Choice 33 50-35 50; Good 32 50-35 00; Standard and low-Good 29 25-32 75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 700-950 lbs. 31 00-34 10, couple 34 60-35 10; Good 30 00-32 00; Standard 27 00-29 00

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 26 50-29 50, few 29 50-30 00; Cutter 25 00-27 75, Canner and low-Cutter 23 50-25 50

BULLS — Choice 32 50-34 50, few 35 00-36 10; Good 30 00-33 00; Utility and Commercial 30 00-34 00, few 34 00-35 25.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers steady, instances 2 00 lower; reduced demand for Calves returned to farm.

VEALERS — Prime 59 00-62 00, few 63 00-66 00; Choice 54 00-60 00; Good 48 00-56 00; Standard 42 00-50 00; Utility 36 00-42 00.

RETURNED TO FARM — Bulk 90-120 lbs. 45 00-55 00, few Holstein Heifers 55 00-62 00.

Green Dragon Dairy Cattle

Friday, May 5

The Green Dragon market reported receipts of 110 cows and 52 heifers, well attended with prices stronger.

Consignments included:
Load Pennsylvania springers, 417.50 - 840.

Load Pennsylvania and Canadian fresh cows, 285 - 480.
Load Pennsylvania cows, fresh, 305 - 600; springers, 340 - 560.

Load Pennsylvania springers, 300 - 590.
Load Canadian cows, fresh, 435 - 600; springers, 430 - 550.

Load Pennsylvania cows, fresh, 225 - 410; springers, 375 - 525.

Load Pennsylvania and Canadian cows, fresh, 375 - 482.50; springers, 340 - 580.

Load Pennsylvania heifers, 175

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, May 9

	Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	1087	495	499	64
Last week	1013	478	438	33
Last year	917	417	715	53

CATTLE — Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers steady to strong; Cows mostly steady, instance 25 lower; Bulls steady. Supply included 13 percent Cows and 17 percent Bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High-Choice and Prime 1025-1375 lbs. 36.10-37.60, three head 38.00-38.25; Choice 950-1400 lbs. 34.85-36.60, high-Good and low-Choice 34.00-35.25, Good 32.50-34.50; Standard and low-Good 30.50-33.10.

COWS — Utility and high-dressing Cutter 27.00-28.75, few 28.85-29 60, Cutter 25.50-27.85; Canner and low-Cutter 24.00-26.00.

BULLS — Choice 32.75-34.60; Good 30 25-33 00; Utility and Commercial 30 00-34 00, few 34 00-35 25.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers mostly steady, reduced demand for Calves returned to farm.

VEALERS — Prime 59 00-61 00, few 62 00-63 00; Choice 54 00-58 50; Good 47 00-54 00; Standard 42 00-47 00; Utility 36 00-43 00.

RETURNED TO FARM — Bulk 90-120 lbs. 45 00-55 00, few Holstein Heifers 55 00-60 00.

New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, May 8

Reported receipts of 393 head of horses; market active to higher.

Load Kansas riding and driving horses, 135 - 250.

Load Minnesota riding horses, 170 - 350.

Load Kansas riding horses, 100 - 250.

Load West Virginia riding horses, 155 - 300.

Load Iowa riding and driving horses, 170 - 370.

Local riding horses, 110 - 300; driving horses, 150 - 370, work horses, single, 200 - 380; pairs, 380 - 760.

Large Ponies, 40 - 90; Pony Mares, 25 - 55; Pony Colts and Geldings, 5 - 30; Killers, 10 - 12.

- 392.50.

Beef Cows

Beef sale prices lower in active market; feeder sale prices stronger in active market.

Beef Cows: Utility and High Dressers, 27.00 - 28.50; Cutters, 25 00 - 27 00; Low-Cutters, 23 00 - 25 00.

Stocker Market: Holstein type bulls, 28.00 - 34.00; Beef type bulls, 30.00 - 36.00; Light steers, 35.00 - 40.00; Heavy steers, 28.00 - 32.00; Holstein heifers, 30.00 - 35 00

New Holland Auction

Thursday, May 11

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	682	235	29
Last week	1183	391	14
Last year	1180	361	7

CATTLE — Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 25-50 higher, although Standard and low Good only steady; cows 50-1.00 higher; bulls fully steady with some strength on Utility and Commercial. Supply included 25 percent cows and 15 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 1075-1325 lb. 36.50-37.60, eight head 37.85-38.10; Choice 950-1425 lb. 35.25-37.00; high Good and low Choice 34.00-35.50; Good 32.50-35.00; Standard and low Good 30.00-32.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Choice 700-950 lb. 31.00-32.75.

COWS — Utility and high dressing Cutter 27 50-29 50, few 29 60-30 00; Cutter 25 25-27 75; Canner and low-Cutter 24 00-25 50.

BULLS — Choice 33 00-34 50, few 35 00-36 10; Good 30 50-33 00; Utility and Commercial 30 75-34 00, several 34 00-34 85.

VEAL CALVES — Vealers strong to 2.00 higher.

VEALERS — Prime 60 00-62 00, few 63 00-66 00; Choice 55 00-60 00; Good 48 00-55 00; Standard 44 00-49 00; Utility 36 00-42 00.

SHEEP — Spring lambs steady to weak.

SPRING LAMBS — Good and Choice 50-75 lb. 34.50-39.50.

Monday, May 8

Calf Receipts 91-Market \$2.00 higher. Choice and Prime 58.50-63.50; Standard 46-53; Good and Low Choice 53-58; Common 35-45.

Monday, May 8

29 loads hay & 14 loads straw.

Alfalfa, few loads 44.00-76.50; Timothy, few loads 35.50-51.00; Mixed hay 41.50-66.00, load at 70.00; Straw 35.00-42.00.

Green Dragon Hay Market

Friday, May 5

70 loads hay, including: Alfalfa 43-63, one load 70.50; Timothy 32-51; Mixed hay 32-61; Clover hay 43-53; couple loads Orchard Grass 34 and 43.50.

35 loads straw 35-40.

One load corn 42.50.

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