

# Local Livestock Market, Auction News

## Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, October 25

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep			
Today	771	108	426 19
Last week	958	111	348 55
Last year	1010	96	292 46
This weeks auction	593	126	419 19
Last weeks auction	612	140	326 56

CATTLE—Compared to last Wednesday, Slaughter Steers weak to 50 lower, instance 1.00 lower on weights over 1250 lbs.; Cows 75-1.50 lower; Bulls 50-1.00 lower, instance 2.00 lower on Utility and Commercial.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 36.25-36.85; Choice 950-1400 lbs. 35.75-36.75, few 1250-1400 lbs. 35.00-36.00; high-Good and low-Choice 34.50-36.25; Good 32.75-35.60; Standard 31.85-32.60.

COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 25.75-26.50; Cutter 23.75-25.50; Canner and low-Cutter 21.50-24.00.

BULLS—Couple Choice 33.85-34.35; Good 32.00-34.00; Utility and Commercial 31.75-34.50, few 35.25-36.35; Cutter and low-Utility 29.75-31.75.

FEEDER STEERS—Couple loads Choice and Prime 950-1050 lbs. with Good to low-Choice slaughter finish 35.60-36.75, one lot 1100 lbs. 35.10.

VEAL CALVES—Vealers steady to 2.00 lower.

VEALERS—Prime 62.00-65.00, eight head 68.00; Choice 57.50-63.00; Good 52.00-57.50; Standard 44.00-51.00; Utility 90-120 lbs. 38.00-44.00.

## Regional Hay Prices

Monday, Oct. 23, 1972

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

Hay and straw steady to strong

Alfalfa	50.00-55.00
Mixed hay	35.00-55.00
Timothy hay	32.00-40.00
Straw	25.00-30.00
Mulch	12.00-20.00

## New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, October 23

Reported receipts of 415 head of horses, market slower than last weeks market.

Load North Carolina work horses, 120 - 245 each.

Load Kansas riding horses, 135 - 270.

Local work horses, 140 - 200; driving horses, 80 - 525; riding horses, 90 - 185; better horses, 215 - 360; killers, 6 - 10.

Mare ponies, 6 - 10; colts, 5 - 8; geldings, 10 - 20; larger ponies, 35 - 45

## Lancaster Market

Monday, October 23  
No Monday report due to Veteran's Day Holiday

## New Holland Dairy

### Show and Sale

Wednesday, October 25

Show Judge — Dr. John L. McKittrick, Columbus, Ohio

Reported sale of 261 cows, 18 heifers, and 19 bulls; sale prices reported excellent with adequate buyers.

Grand Champion cow shown by Norman Kolb, Lancaster, purchased by Charles Myers, Black and White Farm, \$3,100.

### Holstein Fresh

First, Melvin Kolb and Marvin Eshleman, bought by William Kepler, Maryland, \$2,700; second, M. Kolb and M. Eshleman, bought by Kenneth Deamer, Thompsonstown RD1, \$1,950; third, Norman Kolb, bought by William Koepler, Rubicon, Wisc., \$1,725.

### Holstein Dry

First, grand champion cow; second, M. Kolb and M. Eshleman to Henry Kettering, Lititz RD3, \$1,675; third, Kolb and Eshleman to Charles Myers, \$2,700.

### Holstein Heifer

First, Dale Hostetter, Annville, to Ernest Wagner, Lebanon, \$2,000; second, Norman Kolb, sold to Daniel Lapp, Gordonville, \$1,075; third, N. Kolb to H. D. Matz, Ephrata, \$975.

### Guernsey

First, Norman Kolb, bought by Melvin Kolb, \$550; second, Kolb and Eshleman, sold to Wilmer Hostetter, Oxford, \$480; third, N. Kolb to M. Kolb, \$530.

### Mixed Breeds

First, Purebred Registered Red and White Holstein shown by Norman Kolb, sold to Charles Myers, \$3,350 (second place cow); second, H. D. Matz to M. Kolb, \$800; third, Kolb and Eshleman, bought by Elam King, Gordonville, \$750.

### Averages

The 10 top cows averaged \$2,595, the top 19 cows averaged \$2,185; 40 top cows, \$1,645; 100 top cows, \$1,157.

### Local Consignment

Local cows, 420 - 710.  
Springing Heifers, 400 - 465.  
Open Heifers, 85 - 305.  
Bulls, 175 - 485.

## Composite Report

Friday Weekly, October 27  
Lancaster, Vintage and New Holland Markets

Cattle Calves	
This week	4600 1625
Last week	4613 1564
Last year	5371 1565

CATTLE—Slaughter Steers steady to 50 lower, instances 1.00 lower on weights over 1250 lbs.; Cows 75-2.00 lower; Bulls uneven, Good and Choice 50-1.00 lower, Utility and Commercial 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included an estimated 30 percent Slaughter Steers, 30 percent Cows, 10 percent Bulls, with the balance mainly Feeder Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lbs. 36.25-37.75, few head Prime and Choice yield grade 2 and 3 37.85-39.00; Choice 950-1350 lbs. 35.75-37.75, few 1250-1400 lbs. 35.00-36.50; high-Good and low-Choice 34.50-36.75; Good 32.75-35.50, few early part of week to 36.00; Standard and low-Good 31.85-34.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS—Choice 800-1000 lbs. 33.75-35.25; Good 32.00-34.00.

COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 25.00-26.50, few early part of week 26.50-28.25; Cutter 23.25-25.50; Canner and low-Cutter 21.00-23.00.

BULLS—Choice 33.85-36.35; Good 32.00-34.25; Utility and Commercial 31.60-34.50, few 34.75-36.60; Cutter and low-Utility 29.75-31.75.

FEEDER STEERS—Around four loads Choice and Prime 950-1075 lbs. with good to low-Choice slaughter finish 35.60-37.25; Standard and Good 750-950 lbs. 32.25-33.25.

VEAL CALVES—Vealers 2.00-3.00 lower, fair demand for Bull Calves returned to farm; good demand for Holstein Heifers returned to farm.

VEALERS—Prime 62.00-65.00, few 65.00-68.00; Choice 55.00-63.00; Good 52.00-57.00; Standard 44.00-52.00; Utility 90-120 lbs. 39.00-44.00, 65-85 lbs. 33.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM—Bulk 70-120 lbs. Holstein Heifers 65.00-80.00, several 80.00-85.00; bulk 90-120 lbs. Bull Calves 51.00-55.00.

## Green Dragon

### Hay Market

Friday, October 20

28 loads hay, including: Few loads Alfalfa, 79.00 - 86.00; Timothy, 33.50 - 53.50; Mixed hay, 41.00 - 75.00; one load Clover at 48.00.

8 loads straw, 35.00 - 39.00.  
1 load ear corn, 53.00.

## Vintage Auction

Tuesday, October 24

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep			
Today	1140	820	369 57
Last week	782	752	455 45
Last year	938	728	718 85

CATTLE—Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers mostly steady, instances 25 lower on Prime and Standard; Cows 1.00-1.50 lower; Bulls weak to 50 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—High-Choice and Prime 1050-1325 lbs. 37.00-37.75, few head Prime and Choice yield grade 2 and 3 37.85-38.50; Choice 950-1350 lbs. 36.35-37.60, few 1300-1400 lbs. 36.00-37.00; high-Good and low-Choice 35.50-36.75; Good 34.00-36.00; Standard and low-Good 32.00-34.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS—Choice 800-1000 lbs. 33.75-35.25; Good 32.00-34.00.

COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 26.00-27.50, few 27.50-28.25; Cutter 23.75-26.60; Canner and low-Cutter 21.75-24.00.

BULLS—Choice 34.00-36.00; Good 32.00-34.00; Utility and Commercial 32.35-35.00, few 35.00-36.75.

FEEDER STEERS—Couple loads Choice and Prime 950-1075 lbs. with Good to low-Choice slaughter finish 35.75-37.25; Standard and Good 750-950 lbs. 32.25-33.25.

VEAL CALVES—Vealers 2.00-3.00 lower, fair demand for Bull Calves returned to farm; good demand for Holstein Heifers to be returned to farm. Supply included 436 graded Calves.

VEALERS—Prime 62.00-66.50; Choice 57.00-62.00; Good 52.00-57.00; Standard 46.00-51.00; Utility 90-120 lbs. 40.00-44.00, 65-85 lbs. 36.00-40.00, one lot 61 lbs. 35.00.

RETURNED TO FARM—Bulk 70-120 lbs. Holstein Heifers 78.00-84.00; bulk 90-120 lbs. Bulls 51.00-55.00.

## Lebanon Valley Auction

Tuesday, October 24

440 Head of Cattle

Compared with last weeks market, slaughter steers steady to 25c lower; slaughter cows weak to 75c lower; slaughter bulls steady to 25c higher.

STEERS: Choice 1000-1250 pounds 35.85-37.10; Good 34.50-36.10; Standard (few) 32.85-33.85; Utility 31.35-33.00.

HEIFERS: Good (individual) 34.35; Utility (few) 28.25-29.50.

COWS: Utility and High Dressing Cutter 26.35-28.25; Cutters 24.85-27.00; Canners 22.85-24.75; Shells down to 21.00.

BULLS: Good and Choice 35.00- (Continued on Page 3)

## New Holland Auction

Thursday, October 26

Cattle Calves Sheep		
Today	658	458 13
Last week	1133	510 17
Last year	823	507 33

CATTLE—Compared to last Thursday, Slaughter Steers uneven, most sales Choice yield grade 2 and 3 fully steady, other grades steady to 50 lower; Cows 1.00 to fully 2.00 lower; Bulls mostly 2.00 lower. Supply included 44 percent Cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS—Choice 925-1325 lbs. 36.00-37.75, around 12 head 37.85-39.00, few Choice 1075-1325 lbs. 35.50-36.00; high-Good and low-Choice 34.60-36.35; Good 33.75-35.75; Standard and low-Good 32.25-34.25.

COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 25.00-26.00, few 26.00-26.75; Cutter 23.25-25.00; Canner and low-Cutter 21.00-23.00.

BULLS—Choice 34.50-36.35; Good 32.00-34.25; Utility and Commercial 31.60-34.25, few 34.60-36.60; Cutter and low-Utility 30.00-31.50.

VEAL CALVES—Vealers 2.00-3.00 lower, bulk of the supply Utility to Good with Choice and Prime in short supply. Good demand for Holstein Heifers to be returned to farm.

VEALERS—Prime 62.00-65.00, few 65.00-67.00; Choice 55.00-61.00; Good 52.00-57.00; Standard 44.00-51.00; Utility 90-120 lbs. 39.00-44.00; 65-85 lbs. 33.00-40.00. RETURNED TO FARM—Bulk 90-130 lbs. Holstein Heifers: 65.00-77.00, few 78.00-85.00.

Monday, October 23

Calf Receipts - 155.  
Choice and Prime 62-68;  
Standard 50-55.50; Good and Low Choice 56-61.50; Common 35-49.50.

Monday, October 23

18 loads of Hay and 3 loads of straw sold as follows: (price per ton)

Timothy, few loads 44-55.50; Mixed Hay few sales 61-84; Straw few loads 33-44; Clover 1 load 61.

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