

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market
Monday, Dec. 22
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
Today 752 139 952 57
Last Monday 866 151 600 59
Last Year 549 173 718 84
Monday's Auction 733 183 900 67
Last Monday's Auction 571 185 612 73
CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers fully steady, instances 50 higher on Choice; cows 25-1.00 higher; bullocks firm to 1.00 higher; bulls 1.00 higher.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: One lot Prime 1325 lb. 50.75; few Choice and Prime 1150-1325 lb. 49.50-50.00; Choice 1000-1300 lb. 46.75-48.50; high Good and low Choice 43.75-46.25; Good 40.50-44.75; Standard and low Good 35.50-40.50.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Six head Choice 900-950 lb. 44.85-45.75; Good 32.00-36.25; Standard and low Good 25.75-30.00.
COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 25.50-27.10, couple 27.25-28.10; Cutter 22.50-25.50; Canner and low Cutter 19.00-22.75.
BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 41.50-45.25, few 45.50-46.75; Good 36.75-42.25.
BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 31.00-34.25; yield grade 2 1000-1250 lb. 28.75-31.25.
VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady.
VEALERS: Prime 68.00-70.00, couple 72.00-73.00; Choice 55.00-65.00; Good to low Choice 45.00-55.00; Good 35.00-45.00; Standard to low Good 110-125 lb. 27.00-34.00, 90-105 lb. 21.00-26.00, 65-85 lb. 17.00-20.00.
RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-105 lb. Holsteins and heifers 30.00-33.00.
SHEEP: Woolled lambs steady on small supply.
WOOLED LAMBS: One lot Choice 95 lb. 52.00; few lots Good 60-86 lb. 33.00-40.00; One lot Choice 73 lb. new crop lambs 67.00.

Lancaster Feeder Cattle
Friday, Dec. 19
Feeder Cattle
Today 554
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Vintage Auction
Tuesday, Dec. 23
Cattle Calves Sheep
Today 490 469 22
Last Tuesday 780 678 63
Last Year HOLIDAY
CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; cows 1.75-3.00 higher; bullocks 4.00-5.00 higher; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 1000-1325 lb. 47.50-50.00, 40 head Choice and Prime 1050-1350 lb. 50.00-51.50; high Good and low Choice 45.00-48.25; Good 41.00-46.50; Standard and low Good 36.00-39.75.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 830-1000 lb. 43.25-46.50; few Good 775-925 lb. 39.50-40.00.
COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 26.50-28.00, 15 head 28.10-28.75, couple 29.35-30.00; Cutter 23.75-27.00; Canner and low Cutter 21.00-23.50.
BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 41.50-46.00; Good 39.00-41.50.
BULLS: Yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 28.00-31.00, few yield grade 1 31.00-33.50.
VEAL CALVES: Vealers 1.00-2.00 higher, few sales Choice 5.00-7.00 higher. Supply included 344 graded calves.
VEALERS: Choice 53.00-61.00, few 63.00-68.50; high Good and low Choice 41.00-53.00; Good 32.00-42.00; Standard and low Good 110-125 lb. 27.00-34.00, 90-105 lb. 21.00-27.00, 70-85 lb. 18.00-21.00, few 65-80 lb. Utility 11.50-18.00.
RETURNED TO FARM: 80 head 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 29.00-33.50.
SHEEP: Supply included 20 head 130-135 lb. replacement ewes at 25.00-29.00.

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Lancaster Auction
Wednesday Dec. 24
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
Today 228 14 396 2
Last Wednesday 651 112 719 52
Last Year
CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers steady to 50 lower; cows 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher on Cutter; Insufficient volumes bulls and bulls for a market test.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Choice 1300-1325 lb. 48.25-48.75; Choice 1050-1125 lb. 47.10-47.25; high Good and low Choice 44.75-46.85; Good 40.50-45.50; few Standard 34.85-39.10.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 750-950 lb. 33.25-36.00; Standard 24.00-28.00.
COWS: Load Commercial 29.50-31.00; Utility and high dressing Cutter 28.00-29.35; Cutter 24.60-27.60; Canner and low Cutter 22.75-24.10.
BULLOCKS: Couple Choice 40.50-41.25.
BULLS: Ten head yield grade 1 & 2 1100-1925 lb. 31.50-34.00.
VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test, Three Choices 68.00-72.00; Standard and low Good 90-105 lb. 18.00-22.00.
SHEEP: No Market test.

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Lancaster Weekly
Wednesday, Dec. 24, 1975
Cattle Calves
First Three Days 1667 623
Same Last Week 2495 941
Same Last Year 1723 770
CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady to 1.00 higher; cows 2-3.00 higher; bullocks 1-1.50 higher; bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Supply included 50 percent slaughter steers, 25 percent cows, 7 percent bulls, 6 percent heifers with the balance feeder steers.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: Around 50 head Choice and Prime. 1050-1325 lb. 50.00-51.50; Choice 975-1325 lb. 46.75-49.00, few 49.00-50.00; high Good and low Choice 44.50-47.00; Good 40.50-45.00; Standard and low Good 35.00-40.50.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 830-1000 lb. 43.25-46.50; Good 750-950 lb. 32.00-40.00; Standard and low Good 24.00-30.00.
COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 26.50-29.00, around 20 head 29.00-30.00; couple loads Utility and Commercial 29.00-31.00; Cutter 23.75-27.60; Canner and low Cutter 21.00-24.00, few sales on Monday 19.00-21.00.
BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 41.50-45.50, few 45.50-46.75; Good 36.75-42.25.
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1100-1900 lb. 31.00-34.25; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 28.00-31.50.
VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady with last weeks late advance.
VEALERS: Prime 68.00-70.00, couple 72.00-73.00; Choice 53.00-63.00, few 63.00-68.00; Good to low Choice 45.00-55.00; Good 32.00-45.00; Standard and low Good 110-125 lb. 27.00-34.00, 90-105 lb. 21.00-27.00, 65-85 lb. 17.00-21.00, few Utility 65-80 lb. 11.50-18.00.
RETURNED TO FARM: 100 head 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls 29.00-33.50.

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New Holland Middleburg
Middleburg, Pa.
Dec. 23, 1975
CATTLE 96. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter cows \$2 to \$3 higher. Few Good slaughter steers 40.50-43.50, Standard 33.00-37.00, few Utility 27.10-28.00. Individual Choice slaughter heifer at 41.10, few Standard and Good 32.00-33.25, few Utility 25.00-28.50. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.00-27.25, Cutters 23.50-25.75, Canners 21.10-23.00. Individual Good slaughter bullock at 39.20, individual Standard at 37.00, individual Utility at 28.85. Few Medium and Good 300-700 lbs. feeder steers 23.10-31.00.
CALVES 125. Vealers grading Utility \$2 to \$3 higher. Few Choice vealers 50.00-54.50, few Good 40.00-45.00, few Standard 30.00-38.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 23.00-39.00, 70-85 lbs. 18.00-22.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 190-115 lbs. 25.50-33.50.
HOGS 337. Barrows and gilts 25 cents to 75 cents lower. US No. 1-2 210-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 52.10-52.90, lot at 53.75, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 51.10-52.10, few lots No. 2-3 240-260 lbs. 50.10-51.10. US No. 1-3 300-800 lbs. sows 38.00-46.00. Few Boars 32.75-42.25.
FEEDER PIGS 194. US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 14.50-20.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 35.00-42.00, 75-100 lbs. 45.00-53.00 per head, No. 1-3 120-125 lbs. 43.50-46.00 per hundred weight.
SHEEP 4. Not enough of any one grade to establish a market.

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Omaha Cattle
December 24
Weekly 51 Cattle
Compared with last week close — closing price slaughter steers and heifers 25-50 cents higher, instances 75 cents higher. Cows and bulls firm to 50 cents higher.
Three day receipts 12,500 as compared 17,600 week ago and 10,100 for two days year ago. Early demand fairly good, but late inquiry narrowed as few plants observing non-slaughter of December 25, and 26th. Steer and heifer supply mainly good to average-choice with mud a prevalent factor.
STEERS: Two loads and part load Choice with end Prime 1200-1350 lbs. yield grade 3-4 46.50. Choice 1050-1250 lbs. yield grade 2-4 44.50-46.00, mainly 45.00-46.00, relatively clean lots. Choice 950-1050 lbs. yield grade 3 44.00-45.50. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1225 lbs. 43.00-44.75. Good 39.00-43.75. Standard and low-Good 36.00-38.00.
Average of LS 214 detailed quotations for Choice 900-1000 lb. steers this week 44.58, Choice 1100-1300 lbs. 45.04.
HEIFERS: Six loads Choice and Prime 950-1050 lbs. yield grade 3-4 44.00-44.25. Load 1075 lbs. with end prime yield grade 4 43.75. Choice 900-1050 lbs. yield grade 3 41.50-43.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-975 lbs. 39.50-41.50, Good 35.00-40.00. Small lots standard and Good 30.00-33.50.
COWS: Utility and Commercial 21.00-23.50, few 24.00. Canner and cutter 17.00-21.00, mixed cutter and utility 21.25-21.75.
BULLS: Yield grade 1&2 1400-1800 lbs. 23.00-26.50, individual yield grade 1 27.00-28.00. MGI.

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Local Grain

Friday, Dec. 26
These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by a number of participating area feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer or broker handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn and soybean meal which are per ton.

The average prices quoted Friday, Dec. 26 are as follows:

	Bid	Offered
Ear Corn	54.50	62.00
Shelled Corn	2.57	2.80
Barley	1.88	2.15
Oats		
Local	1.40	1.62
Western	1.84	2.07
Wheat	2.64	2.77
Soybeans	4.20	4.28
Soybean Meal		176.83

+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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11:00 A.M. - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn
2:30 P.M. - Fat Steers, Bulls, Cows & Veal
WEDNESDAY'S ACTION:
12:00 Noon - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn
12:30 P.M. - Dairy Sale
THURSDAY'S ACTION:
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