

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Feb. 2
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	556	116	650	200
Last Monday	873	170	694	193
Last Year	636	158	633	141

Monday's Auction
554 115 673 195
Last Monday's Auction
755 187 508 193

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 1.25-2.00 higher; cows 50-75 higher; bullocks steady to firm; bulls 1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1050-1275 lb. 42.75-43.85; Choice 975-1300 lb. 41.50-42.75, few head 43.00-43.60; high Good and low Choice 39.50-41.50; Good 38.00-41.00; Standard and low Good 36.50-38.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 800-1050 lb. 38.00-41.35; Good 34.50-37.00.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 29.50-31.10, few 31.50-32.25; Cutter 26.75-29.60; Canner and low Cutter 23.00-27.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 975-1250 lb. 39.50-41.60; Good 37.75-39.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1650 lb. 35.25-38.25, few 38.50-39.00; yield grade 2 1000-1250 lb. 33.75-35.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady; slaughter calves 4.00-5.00 lower.

VEALERS: Few Choice 70.00-72.00; Good to low Choice 50.00-58.00; Good 45.00-50.00; Standard and low Good 110-125 lb. 36.00-45.00, 90-105 lb. 29.00-35.00, few 65-85 lb. 20.00-28.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Choice 280-370 lb. 29.00-35.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs mostly steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: One lot Choice and Prime 95 lb. 51.00; Choice and Prime 104-109 lb. 48.00-48.50, 112-115 lb. 44.00-45.00, one lot 128-133 lb. 40.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, Feb. 3
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	502	618	3
Last Tuesday	803	589	18
Last Year	650	779	9

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 2.50-4.50 higher; cows mostly 2.50 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Choice and Prime 1075-1375 lb. 44.75-46.00; Choice 950-1325 lb. 43.00-45.00, few 42.50-43.00; high Good and low Choice 41.50-43.50; Good 39.75-42.50; Standard and low Good 34.25-39.50; Utility and low Standard 29.50-32.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 890-1115 lb. 39.10-40.75, few 42.75-43.85.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 30.00-31.60, few 32.50-33.50; Cutter 27.50-30.00; Canner and low Cutter 24.00-27.00.

BULLOCKS: Couple Good 1100-1150 lb. 36.75-38.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1250-1700 lb. 34.75-36.85; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 30.00-32.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers uneven, Good to Prime steady w firm, Standard to low Good 1.00-3.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 73.00-77.00; Choice 59.50-69.00; Good to low Choice 47.00-58.00; Good 39.00-49.00; Standard and low Good 110-125 lb. 30.00-42.00, 90-105 lb. 25.00-33.50, 75-85 lb. 18.00-26.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: One 25 head lot 110-115 lb. Holstein bulls 50.00, 45 head 100-105 lb. 37.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

Lancaster Feeder Cattle
Friday, Jan. 30

Today	308
Last Friday	431

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Feb. 4
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	761	154	954	22
Last Wednesday	571	115	648	29
Last Year	472	51	204	38

Wednesday's Auction
843 149 863 23
Last Wednesday's Auction
461 126 659 30

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, few late sales Choice 1.50-2.00 lower; cows 50-1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower on Utility; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 50-1.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 1090-1325 lb. 41.25-42.75, one lot 43.00, few late sales 1150-1300 lb. 39.75-40.75; high Good and low Choice 38.60-41.60; Good 37.60-40.50; Standard and low Good 34.75-37.60.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 900-1050 lb. 40.75-41.75; Good 850-1000 lb. 35.00-39.50.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 27.50-29.75; Cutter 25.75-28.50; Canner and low Cutter 24.00-26.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1000-1200 lb. 31.25-38.25; individual Choice 41.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 34.00-37.00; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 30.50-34.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady to 2.00 higher.

VEALERS: Prime 77.00-83.50; Choice 65.00-74.00; Good to low Choice 52.00-62.00; Good 45.00-55.00; Standard and low Good 110-125 lb. 35.00-45.00, 90-105 lb. 27.00-33.00, 65-85 lb. 22.00-28.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume to fully test market trends; couple lots Choice and Prime 85-95 lb. 48.00-53.00; one lot Good 60 lb. 30.00.

TREND: Insufficient volume any one class for a market test.

Lancaster Weekly

February 6, 1976
Cattle Calves

This Week	3100	1313
Last Week	3362	1424
Last Year	2897	1399

CATTLE: Slaughter steers uneven closing steady to 1.00 higher. Although receipts in the early part of the week were lower due to snow storm with 3.00-4.00 higher; cows uneven with utility and high dressing cutter 2.00-3.00 lower. Canner and cutter 50 cents lower. Bullocks were steady to firm with bulls steady to 1.00 higher. Supply included an estimated 55 percent slaughter steers; 5 percent slaughter heifers; 29 percent cows, 6 percent bulls and the remainder feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1150-1350 lbs. 41.75-43; with sales in the week 44.50-46; Choice 975-1350 lbs. 39.75-43, mainly 40.50-42.50; high Good and low Choice 38.25-41.50; good 37-40.50; standard to low good 33.50-38.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 950-1100 lbs. 39.50-41.75; few 42.75-43.85; Good 800-1000 lbs. 34.50-39.50; and few 31.75-35.

COWS: Utility and high dressing cutter 27.50-29.75; few 30-31.50 and few 32-33.50; cutter 25-28.75; canner and cutter 22-26.

BULLOCKS: 975-1250 lbs. 39.50-42; good 1000-1300 lbs. 36-40 and few 32-36.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lbs. 33.75-37.00; some 37-40 and yield grade 2 100-1300 lbs. 30-34.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady to 3.00 higher. Prime 75-82 few 83-85.50; Choice 64-75; Good to low Choice 51-62; Good 38-55; mainly 40-48; Standard to low Good 110-125 lbs. 30-42; 90-105 lbs. 24-33.50; 65-85 lbs. 18-26.

RETURNED TO FARM: One head 25 head lot 110-115 lb. Holstein bulls 50.00, 45 head 100-105 lb. 37.00.

New Holland

Thursday, Feb. 5
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	997	446	4
Last Thursday	939	546	7
Last Year	862	411	6

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers steady, instances 1.00 higher on Standard and Good; cows uneven, Utility and high dressing Cutter 2.00-3.00 lower, Canner and Cutter weak to 50 lower; bullocks steady to firm; bulls steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1250-1350 lb. 41.75-43.00; Choice 975-1350 lb. 40.00-42.25, mainly 40.50-42.00; high Good and low Choice 38.25-40.75; Good 37.00-40.00; Standard and low Good 33.50-38.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 800-1000 lb. 31.75-36.25; couple Choice 36.75-37.85.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 27.75-29.75, few 30.25-30.75; Cutter 25.50-28.75; Canner and low Cutter 22.00-25.50.

BULLOCKS: Good 1000-1300 lb. 36.00-40.00; couple Choice 41.75-42.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1600 lb. 33.75-37.00, couple 37.50-40.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 29.75-33.50.

FEEDER STEERS: Couple lots 800-815 lb. Good Holsteins 27.85-28.00, one lot 635 lb. 24.75.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady to 2.00 higher, instances 4.00 higher.

VEALERS: Prime 82.00-85.50; Choice 64.00-79.00; Good to low Choice 51.00-62.00; Good 38.00-55.00, mainly 40.00-48.00; Standard and low Good 110-125 lb.

Oklahoma

February 5
Thursday Feeder Cattle Auction

Estimated Receipts 2,000
Same Day Last Week 4,200

Trade active, feeder steers and heifers steady to 50 cents higher, with most advanced noted on Choice offering over 600 lb. Bulk of receipts Mixed Good and Choice and Choice 400-800 lb. feeder steers, 300-700 lb. feeder heifers; moderate attendance of buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 350-500 lb. 36.50-42.50; bulk 37.00-40.75; 500-700 lb. 37.00-40.50, 700-950 lb. 38.50-40.75; Mixed Good and Choice 300-600 lb. 33.00-37.00; scattered sales 700-900 lb. 34.00-38.00; Good 765-785 lb. Holsteins 29.25-30.25.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 300-400 lb. 28.50-31.00; 400-500 lb. 30.50-33.75, 500-600 lb. 29.50-34.50, majority 32.00-34.50, 600-775 lb. 32.25-35.25; Mixed Good and Choice 300-400 lb. 25.50-29.00; 400-500 lb. 26.75-30.50, few 600-780 lb. 27.00-31.00; Good 400-600 lb. 25.00-28.75.

30.00-39.00, 90-105 lb. 22.00-29.00, 65-85 lb. 18.00-26.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

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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:
11:00 A.M. Beef Sale
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