Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, March 22 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

870 124 993 174 Last Monday 832 153 794

Last Year 737 148 845 1273 Monday's Auction

900 151 967 Last Monday's Auction

819 154 806 CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday, Slaughter Steers steady to firm, instances 50 higher; Cows 1.00-1.50 lower; Bulls and Bullocks fully steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High-Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1475 lbs. 36.60-38.10, one lot 3-5 1560 lbs. 36.10; Choice 2-4 975-1400 lbs. 36.50-37.75, few mainly Choice 2 38.00-38.60; high-Good and low-Choice 2-3 35.10-37.50; Good 2-3 34.50-36.50; Standard and low-Good 33.00-34.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 800-950 lbs. 35.50-37.00; Good 2-3 750-950 lbs. 31.00-34.00.

COWS: Utility and highdressing Cutter 27.75-29.10; Cutter 26.50-28.25; Canner and low-Cutter 23.50-26.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1100-1350 lbs. 38.25-39.10; Good 2-3 1000-1200 lbs. 34.00-37.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lbs. 35.00-36.00, few 38.00-38.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 32.75-36.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 3.00 lower on Standard and Good 90-110 lbs.

VEALERS: Prime 76.00-82.00; Choice 70.00-76.00; Good to low-Choice 48.00-60.00; Good 38.00-48.00; Standard and Good 110-125 lbs. 30.00-38.00, 90-105 lbs. 20.00-28.00, few 80-90 lbs. 18.00-23.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 95-115 lbs. Holstein Bulls 38.00-45.00.

SHEEP: Spring Lambs fully steady, Slaughter Ewes firm to 2.00 higher.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 40-55 lbs. 73.00-77.00; Choice and Prime 60-85 lbs. 61.00-66.50.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.50-20.00.



Some actors think that if part of their costume is yellow, they will have bad luck.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, March 23 **Cattle Calves Sheep** 858 489 41

Today Last Tuesday 879 655

Last Year 998 506 1434

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday, Slaughter Steers 50-1.00 lower; Cows 1.00-2.00 lower; Bullocks steady; Bulls weak to 1.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High-Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lbs. 36.75-37.75; Choice mainly 2 1000-1300 lbs. 37.75-39.25; Choice 2-4 975-1325 lbs. 36.00-37.75; high-Good and low-Choice 2-3 35.50-37.00; Good 2-3 33.50-35.75; Standard and low-Good 1-3 31.50-34.25.

COWS: Utility and highdressing Cutter 27.75-29.50, few 29.50-30.10; Cutter 26.00-29.00; Canner and low-Cutter 23.00-25.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1250 Jbs. 37.75-40.00; Good 34.00-36.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lbs. 34.75-37.50, few 37.50-38.25; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 32.50-35.00.

VEAL CALVES: Good to Choice vealers steady to 2.00 higher; Standard to low-Good steady. Supply included 308 in graded sale.

VEALERS: Choice 62.00-70.00; Good to low-Choice 56.00-62.00; Good 44.00-56.00; Standard and Good 110-120 lbs. 30.00-40.00, 85-105 lbs. 21.00-30.00, 70-85 lbs. 18.00-26.00, few Utility 60-75 lbs. 10.00-18.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 28 head 95-120 lbs. Holstein Heifers 59.50-62.00, 22 head 85-95 lbs. 22.00-26.00; 50 head 100-105 lbs. Holstein Bulls 41.50.

SHEEP: Few head 30-50 lbs. Choice Spring Lambs 71.00-77.00; around 25 head 50-70 lbs. Choice Slaughter Lambs 53.00-61.00, few Utility and Good Slaughter Ewes 11.00-16.00.

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Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, March 24 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Today

772 72 502 Last Wednesday 45 900 737 Last Year

972 81 837 117 Wednesday's Auction 72 502 703

Last Wednesday's Auction 783 47 822 18 CATTLE: Compared to

Monday slaughter steers fully steady; cows steady to weak; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 50-1.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 37.25-38.00, part load 3-5 1340-1390 lb. 36.75-36.85; Choice mainly 2 1075-1300 lb. 37.25-38.00, Choice 2-4 1000-1325 lb. 36.35-37.75, few Choice 4 35.35-36.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 35.50-37.00; Good 2-3 34.00-36.00: Standard and low Good 1-3 31.35-34.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 2-4 850-1065 lb. 35.00-36.50.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 27.25-28.25, few 28.50-29.00; Cutter 26.00-27.75; Canner and low Cutter 23.50-25.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 975-1250 lb. 36.50-38.85; Good 950-1200 lb. 33.50-36.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1500 lb. 35.25-36.85; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 32.50-35.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers fully steady, instances 2.00 higher on Standard and Good 85-110 lb.

VEALERS: Prime 76.00-80.50; Choice 68.00-75.00; Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 23.00-29.00.

SHEEP: Couple lots 65-80 lb. spring lambs 66.50-67.00; one lot Utility and Good slaughter ewes 17.00.

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Box 100

New Holland

Thursday, March 25 Cattle Calves Sheep Today 1255 **4**31

Last Thursday 1017 489

Last Year 828 336 CATTLE: 1255. Compared

to last Thursday slaughter steers uneven, Average Choice to Prime fully steady, instance 50 higher late, Standard to low Choice steady to 50 lower; Cows 50-1.00 lower, although Canner and low Cutter mostly steady; bullocks 50-1.00 lower; bulls 1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1300 lb. 37.25-38.60, one lot 1475 lb. yield grade 3-5 35.25-37.00; Choice mainly 2 38.00-38.75, couple 39.00-39.50; Choice 2-4 975-1350 lb. 36.00-38.00; few Choice 4-5 1175-1450 lb. 34.50-36.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1200 lb. 35.00-36.75; Good 2-3 950-1200 lb. _33.50-35.75; Standard and low Good 1-3 950-1325 lb. 30.50-34.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Good and Choice 2-4 800-875 lb. 30.00-34.00.

COWS: Utility and high dressing Cutter 27.50-29.50, few 30.00-30.50; Cutter 25.50-27.75; Canner and low Cutter 24.00-25.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1250 lb. 35.00-37.50, few 38.00-39.25; Good 1000-1200 lb. 32.00-35.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 34.00-36.00, few 36.00-36.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 31.50-34.50.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 800-1050 lb. 34.75-37.00; mixed Good and Choice 500-760 lb. 33.00-36.75. **VEAL CALVES: 431.**

Vealers weak to 2.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 71.00-76.50, around 20 head 300-380 lb. 67.00-72.00; Choice 64.00-71.00; mixed Good and

Lancaster Weekly

Friday, March 26

Cattle Calves This week 4200 1125 Last week 4099 1467 3780 Last year 1125

CATTLE: Slaughter steers uneven with choice and prime steady to 50 cents higher. Standard and good steady to weak. Cows - 1.00 lower with instances 2.00 23-30. Utility 60-75. lower. Bullocks - steady to 1.00 lower and bulls mostly 1.00 lower with instances 2.00 bulls and 3 pct. heifers with Holstein bulls 41.50. the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1475 lbs. 36.60-38.60; 1 lot 1475 lbs. 3-5 35.26-37; Choice mainly 2 1000-1300 lbs. 37.50-38.75; with couple at 39-39.60: Choice 2-4 1000-1325 lbs. 36-38; few Choice 4-5 1175-1450 lbs. 34.50-36.25; high good and low choice 2-3 35-37; good 2-3 950-1250 lbs. 33.50-36, Standard to low good 1-3 30-50-34.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and prime 2-4 850-1065 lbs. 35-36.50; Choice 2-4 800-900 lbs. 33.50-35.50; good 2-3 750-950 30-33.

COWS: Utility and high dressing cutter 27.50-29.50; few 29.50-30.50; cutter 25.50-28.25; canner and low cutter 23-26.50.

Choice 50.00-62.00; Good 40.00-50.00; Standard and Good 95-115 lb. 23.00-30.00, few 80-90 lb. 20.00-24.00.

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SHEEP 8. No Market Test. Steers Cows Bulls Feeders Heifers Cattle

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BULLOCKS: Choice 1000. 1350 lbs. 35-38.50; few 38.50. 40; good 1000-1200 lbs. 32-36,

BULLS: No. -1 1100-1700 lbs. 34-38; few 38-38.75; 2. 1000-1350 lbs. 31.50-35.50.

VEAL CALVES: Weak to 2.00 lower prime 71-78; few 78-82; 20 head 320-380 lbs. 67.

VEALERS: Choice 64-72: mostly good to choice 54-62: good 40-52; standard to good 110-120 lbs. 30-40; 90-105 lbs.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-110 lbs. Holstein bulls and heifers 28-40. 28 lower. Supply included an head 95-120 lbs. Holstein estimated 57 pct. slaughter heifers 59.50-62; 22 head 85-95 steers; 15 pct. cows; 8 pct. lbs. 22-26; 50 head 90-105

Local Grain

Friday, March 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, Mar. 26, are as follows:

Bid+Offered+ Ear Corn 62.33 **70.3**3 Shelled Corn 2.69 2.801/2 Barley 1.88 2.08 Oats Local 1.481/2 1.71% Western 1.80 1.97

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12:00 Noon - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn 12:30 P M - Dairy Sale

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