

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Oct. 18, 1976
 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 1538 169 712 65
 Last Monday 1109 137 726 143
 Last Year 1653 145 1081 80
 Monday's Auction 841 209 664 79
 Last Monday's Auction 684 144 724 151

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 50-75 higher; cows 75-1.00 lower; bullocks steady to 50 lower; bulls 50-1.00 lower.
SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-5 1075-1400 lb. 38.75-40.35, few mostly 5 1425-1620 lb. 34.50-37.00; Choice mainly 12 1000-1300 lb. 39.00-40.35; Choice 2-4 950-1300 lb. 37.75-39.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 36.25-37.85; Good 2-3 34.75-37.00; couple lots Standard 1-2 32.00-32.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1000 lb. 36.00-36.75, few 38.00-38.35; Good 2-3 33.50-36.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 25.00-27.10, couple 28.75-29.75; Cutter 1-2 23.00-26.00; Canner and low Cutter 21.00-24.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1025-1300 lb. 35.00-38.00, few 38.00-39.10; Good 34.00-35.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 34.75-36.60, few 36.75-37.50; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 31.50-34.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady. Supply included 34 head Prime 310 lb. bought to arrive at 80.00.

VEALERS: Choice 60.00-65.00; couple Prime 70.00-72.00; high Good and low Choice 47.00-54.00; Good 40.00-47.00; Standard and Good 80-110 lb. 35.00-39.00, few Standard 70-90 lb. 24.00-32.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs

Vintage Market

Tuesday, Oct. 19, 1976
 Cattle Calves Sheep
 Today 749 687 25
 Last Tuesday 1064 666 15
 Last Year 901 693 17

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers steady to 50 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bulls 50-1.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 39.00-40.50; Choice mainly 2 1000-1325 lb. 39.00-40.60, few 40.75-41.25; Choice 2-4 975-1375 lb. 37.75-39.75, few Choice and Prime 4-5 1330-1560 lb. 34.00-36.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 36.00-38.00; Good 2-3 34.50-37.00; few Standard 1-2 29.00-32.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 975-1100 lb. 2-4 34.60-37.35; Good 2-3 800-1000 lb. 31.75-35.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 24.60-26.75, few 27.00-27.85; few Commercial 3-4 23.75-24.75; Cutter 1-2 22.75-26.00; Canner and low Cutter 20.00-22.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1000-1600 lb. 31.75-34.00, few 34.00-34.50; few yield grade 2-900-1050 lb. 29.75-32.00.

VEAL CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday vealers 1.00-2.00 lower although Choice and Prime practically absent. Supply included 394 in graded saale of which 40 per cent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 52.00-56.00; high Good and low Choice 44.00-50.00; Good 32.00-44.00; Standard and

fully steady; slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 70-90 lb. 40.00-44.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 14.00-16.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Oct. 20, 1976
 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 1301 99 527 26
 Last Wednesday 957 68 424 88
 Last Year 715 65 461 19

WEDNESDAY'S AUCTION 820 115 530 24
LAST WEDNESDAY'S AUCTION 662 77 424 87

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 50 lower on high Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers steady to firm; cows 25-50 lower; bullocks steady; bulls steady to weak.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-5 1050-1350 lb. 38.50-39.60, couple lots mostly 5 1370-1400 lb. 36.60; Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lb. 37.50-39.00, few mainly yield grade 2 39.00-39.85; high Good and low Choice 2-3 35.00-37.60; Good 2-3 33.00-35.25.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 36.75-38.25, couple 38.50-38.85; Good 2-3 31.75-34.50; Standard 1-2 27.00-30.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 24.25-25.75-26.00-26.50; Cutter 1-2 22.75-24.00; Cutter and Utility 1-3 1000-1200 lb. beef breed 24.50-26.00; Cutter 1-2 780-925 lb. 21.35-23.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1350 lb. 35.60-37.10; couple 38.00-38.60; Good 950-1250 lb. 31.25-34.50.

Good 100-120 lb. 29.00-36.00, 75-100 lb. 23.00-30.00; few Standard 70-85 lb. 19.00-23.00; couple lots Utility 55-70 lb. 12.00-18.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 85 head Standard and Good 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 39.00-40.50, 25 head 90 lb. 34.50; one 15 head lot Standard and Good Holstein heifers 36.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume to test market trends; few Good and Choice 55-85 lb. woolled lambs 37.00-42.00; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 13.00-18.00.

New Holland

Thursday, Oct. 21, 1976
 Cattle Calves Sheep
 Today 1289 718 36
 Last Thursday 1045 677 31
 Last Year 1141 466 7

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers steady to weak, instances 50 lower, some sales Standard and low Good 50-1.50 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls firm to 50 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-5 1075-1375 lb. 39.00-40.50; Choice mainly 2 1000-1275 lb. 38.50-40.25, few 40.25-40.85; Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lb. 37.50-39.00; few Choice 3-4 1440-1685 lb. 34.00-37.10; high Good and low Choice 2-3 35.00-38.00; Good 2-3 33.25-36.50; Standard 1-2 950-1250 lb. 28.00-32.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 900-1050 lb. 36.00-37.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 24.50-26.00, few 26.00-26.50, couple 27.00-27.75; Commercial 3-4 23.50-24.75; Cutter 1-2 22.00-25.50; Canner and low Cutter 19.75-22.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 35.50-38.00; Good 975-1250 lb. 32.00-35.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1600 lb. 33.85-35.85; yield grade 1 1000-1300 lb. 31.50-33.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak to 2.00 lower, instances 4.00 lower on Standard and Good.

VEALERS: Prime 65.00-70.00; Choice 58.00-65.00; high Good and low Choice 48.00-58.00; Good 38.00-48.00; Standard and Good 80-110 lb. 29.00-34.00; few Standard 70-90 lb. 23.00-29.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs and slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Good 70-85 lb. 32.50-36.50; one lot Choice 80 lb. 42.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 13.00-15.00.

Lancaster Weekly

Friday Oct. 22, 1976
 Cattle Calves
 This Week 6600 1700
 Last Week 6567 1553
 Last Year 6258 1398

CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady to 50 lower; heifers mostly steady; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls steady to 1.00 lower although closing

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 35.50-38.50, few 38.50-40.10; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 32.50-34.75, few 850-1000 lb. 25.75-29.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 2.00-4.00 lower, instances 6.00 lower on Prime.

VEALERS: Prime 70.00-76.00; Choice 54.00-65.00; high Good and low Choice 42.00-51.00; Good 33.00-40.00; Standard and Good 100-115 lb. 28.00-33.50; 70-100 lb. 22.00-29.00; few Standard 60-90 lb. 15.00-20.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs and slaughter ewes steady on small supply.

WOOLED LAMBS: Few Choice 70-95 lb. 42.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 13.50-20.00.

fully steady. Supply included 32 per cent slaughter steers, 16 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls, 3 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers.

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SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 850-1000 lb. 36.00-38.25, couple 38.50-38.85; Good 2-3 800-1000 lb. 31.75-36.00; Standard 1-2 27.00-30.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 24.00-26.00, few mainly early part of week 26.00-28.00; Load Cutter and Utility 1-3 1000-1200 lb. beef breed 24.50-26.00; Cutter 1-2 22.00-25.50, around 100 head Cutter 1-2 780-920 lb. beef breed 21.35-23.50; Canner and low Cutter 19.75-22.75.

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