

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday March 7, 1977
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 904 211 757 69
 Last Monday 756 188 871 51
 Last Year 985 129 731 39
 Monday's Auction 838 141 810 69
 Last Monday's Auction 764 191 782 51

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 1.00 to instances 1.50 higher; cows fully 1.00 higher; bulls and bullocks not fully tested.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1300 lb. 39.25-40.60; Few head Choice 2 1050-1225 lb. 40.00-40.50, couple 41.25-41.60; Choice 2-4 1000-1325 lb. 38.10-39.75, one lot 1325 lb. 40.10; high Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1300 lb. 37.00-38.50; Good 2-3 34.75-37.50; Standard and low Good 1-2 32.00-34.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 800-1000 lb. 32.50-35.50, few Choice 35.50-37.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 29.50-31.85, three head high dressing 33.10-34.10; Cutter 1-2 27.10-30.25; Canner and low Cutter 23.75-25.50.

BULLOCKS: Couple Choice 1150-1250 lb. 39.50; couple yield grade 1 1200-1500 lb. bulls 34.75-36.00, two head 39.60-40.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady.

VEALERS: Choice 65.00-74.00, few Prime 74.00-77.00;

Vintage Market

Tuesday March 8, 1977
Cattle Calves Sheep
 Today 924 600 8
 Last Tuesday 789 576 14
 Last Year 797 440 13

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers uneven, Choice 2 and high Choice and Prime firm to 50 higher, Good to average Choice 50-1.00 higher with some early sales 1.50 higher; cows 1.00-1.50 higher than last week's close or steady to 50 higher than last week's early sales; bullocks not fully tested; bulls weak to 1.00 lower on small supply. Supply included 58 per cent slaughter steers and 34 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1100-1400 lb. 39.75-41.00; Choice mainly 2 1000-1325 lb. 40.00-41.75, seven head 42.25-42.75; Choice 2-4 975-1350 lb. 38.50-40.50, mostly 39.00-40.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 37.00-38.75; Good 2-3 34.00-37.00; Standard and Good 1-2 31.50-35.00.

high Good and low Choice 55.00-65.00; Good 45.00-55.00; Standard and Good 85-115 lb. 38.00-45.00; few Standard 70-85 lb. 28.00-35.00.

SHEEP: Market not fully tested; one lot Choice and Prime 109 lb. woolled lambs 55.00; one lot Choice and Prime 93 lb. spring lambs 62.00 and couple small lots 56 lb. spring lambs 70.00-71.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday March 9, 1977
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep
 Today 746 75 420 28
 Last Wednesday 823 98 607 27

Last Year 819 47 660 0
 Wednesday's Auction 829 75 480 28
 Last Wednesday Auction 763 142 728 39

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 50-75 lower on early sales of Choice and Prime; cows fully steady; bullocks mostly steady; small supply bulls steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 38.75-40.25, one lot 4-5 1350 lb. 38.25; Choice mainly 2 1100-1275 lb. 39.75-40.50; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 38.00-39.25, few 39.25-40.35; high Good and low Choice 2-3

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 2-3 780-1150 lb. 33.75-36.00, few Choice 2-3 36.35-39.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 28.50-31.75, few 32.00-32.75; Cutter 1-2 26.75-29.00; Canner and low Cutter 23.50-27.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1000-1250 lb. 32.85-35.00, couple Choice 36.00-37.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1500-1700 lb. 35.25-37.60.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 2.00 higher on Standard and Good 85-116 lb. Supply included 320 in graded sale of which 29 per cent sold as feeders.

VEALERS: Choice 66.00-74.00, couple Prime 75.00-76.00; high Good and low Choice 55.00-64.00; Good 46.00-55.00; Good to low Choice 110-125 lb. 42.00-48.00; Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 32.00-40.00; Standard 60-90 lb. 27.00-32.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 92 head Standard and Good 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 47.00-53.00.

SHEEP: No market test; couple head Choice 55-60 lb. 71.50; one lot Good 50 lb. 70.00

New Holland

Thursday March 19, 1977
Cattle Calves Sheep
 Today 938 584 2
 Last Thursday 741 570 3
 Last Year 973 586 16

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers firm to 50 higher; cows steady to 50 higher; bullocks steady to 1.00 higher; bulls fully steady. Supply included 41 per cent slaughter steers and 46 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 39.75-41.00, few 41.00-41.60; Choice mainly 2 1050-1350 lb. 40.25-41.00, few individual 41.35-41.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 38.50-40.35, few 925-1000 lb. 37.85-39.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 37.00-38.50; Good 2-3 33.75-37.50; Standard and low Good 1-2 31.50-34.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 2-3 800-975 lb. 32.00-33.75, couple Choice 35.60-37.25.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 29.50-32.00,

36.50-37.75; Good 2-3 33.10-36.50; Standard and low Good 31.00-34.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 2-3 800-1050 lb. 35.50-37.50, few 37.50-39.00; Good 2-3 800-1000 lb. 32.50-35.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 29.00-31.75, few 32.00-32.75; Cutter 1-2 26.50-29.50.

BULLOCKS: Good 950-1275 lb. 35.00-37.25, few Choice 37.50-39.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1750 lb. 35.75-38.25, couple 39.60-39.85.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady although Choice and Prime not fully tested.

VEALERS: Good to low Choice 55.00-60.00, individual Prime 79.50; Good 45.00-55.00; Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 38.00-45.00.

SHEEP: Few head Choice spring lambs steady. Couple lots Choice 50-65 lb. 70.00-71.50; one lot Good 50 lb. 64.50.

Lancaster Weekly

Friday March 11, 1977
Cattle Calves
 This Week 4000 1500
 Last Week 3517 1450
 Last Year 4009 1203

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50 higher, some sales 1.00 higher; cows mostly 50 higher; bullocks steady to firm; bulls fully steady. Supply included 57 per cent slaughter steers, 22 per cent cows, 4 per cent bulls, 4 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 39.75-41.00, few 41.00-41.60; Choice mainly 2 1050-1350 lb. 40.00-41.00, 10 head 41.75-42.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 38.50-40.50, few 950-1000 lb. 37.85-39.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1300 lb. 37.00-38.50; Good 2-3 33.75-37.50; Standard and low Good 1-2 31.00-34.50.

few 32.00-33.00; Cutter 1-2 27.25-30.25; Canner and low Cutter 23.50-27.25.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 37.50-39.00, couple 40.00-40.75; Good 975-1250 lb. 34.75-37.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1850 lb. 35.50-38.60; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 31.75-35.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, some early sales Standard and Good 85-115 lb. 3.00-4.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 75.00-80.00, few 80.00-83.50; Choice 66.00-76.00; high Good and low Choice 55.00-66.00; Good 43.00-55.00; Standard and Good 85-115 lb. 32.00-41.00, few early 28.00-34.00; Standard 70-95 lb. 20.00-30.00

SHEEP: No market test.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 29.00-32.00, few 32.00-33.00; Cutter 1-2 27.00-30.25; Canner and low Cutter 23.50-27.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 36.00-39.00, couple 40.00-40.75; Good 975-1250 lb. 32.75-35.50.


BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1850 lb. 34.75-38.50, few head 38.75-39.85; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 31.75-35.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers generally steady.

VEALERS: Prime 74.00-80.00, few 80.00-83.50; Choice 65.00-74.00; high Good and low Choice 55.00-65.00; Good 43.00-55.00; Good to low Choice 110-125 lb. 42.00-48.00; Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 32.00-45.00; Standard 70-90 lb. 27.00-32.00, few 20.00-27.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Standard and Good 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 45.00-50.00, couple lots 50.00-53.00.

American Viewpoints



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 11:00 A.M. - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn
 1:30 P.M. - Fat Steers, Bulls, Cows & Veal

WEDNESDAY'S ACTION:
 12:00 Noon - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn
 12:30 P.M. - Dairy Sale
 1:00 P.M. - Feeder Pig Sale

THURSDAY'S ACTION:
 11:00 A.M. - Beef Sale
 Order of Sale - Bulls, Fat Steers, Cows, Veal
 6:30 P.M. - Calf Sale

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