

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lancaster Market

**Monday, March 21**  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1223	101	557	110
Last Monday	1120	199	711	101
Last Year	870	124	993	174

Monday's Auction  
1309 116 593 110

Last Monday's Auction  
1111 162 890 102

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 50 lower on early sales of Choice; Standard to low Choice Holsteins 50-75 higher; cows 50-1.00 higher; bullocks 1.00-1.50 lower; bulls steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1185-1325 lb. 39.35-40.85; Choice mainly 2 1100-1275 lb. 39.50-41.25; Choice 2-4 1000-1370 lb. 37.85-39.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 36.25-38.00; Good 2-3 34.75-37.00; Good to low Choice 1-3 1150-1475 lb. Holsteins 33.50-35.60; Standard 1-2 950-1300 lb. 32.10-34.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 800-1050 lb. 36.00-38.00, couple 39.00-40.00; Good 2-3 750-1000 lb. 31.75-35.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 31.00-32.50, few 32.75-33.35; Cutter 1-2 28.50-31.50; Canner and low Cutter 28.00-29.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1350 lb. 37.25-39.00, few 39.25-40.00; Good 975-1250 lb. 32.75-36.25.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1600 lb. 34.75-38.50, few 38.50-39.75; yield grade 2

## Vintage Market

**Tuesday, March 22**  
Cattle Calves Sheep

Today	911	544	15
Last Tuesday	937	557	29
Last Year	858	489	41

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers mostly 50 lower; cows uneven, Utility and Commercial steady to weak, Canner and Cutter firm to 1.00 higher; bullocks scarce; few bulls fully steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1400 lb. 39.35-40.00; Choice mainly 2 1050-1325 lb. 39.50-40.50, few 40.50-41.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1425 lb. 37.85-39.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1350 lb. 36.00-1000-1350 lb. 32.75-35.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady although Standard and Good 70-105 lb. 2.00-5.00 lower.

**VEALERS:** Prime 75.00-80.00; Choice 65.00-75.00; high Good and low Choice 54.00-64.00; Good 44.00-53.00; Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 29.00-38.00; Standard 70-90 lb. 18.00-25.00.

**SHEEP:** Spring lambs mostly steady, insufficient volume woolled lambs and slaughter ewes to fully test trends.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Choice 45-55 lb. 64.00-70.50, 55-80 lb. 60.00-65.00.

**WOOLED LAMBS:** One lot Choice 100 lb. 56.00; few Good 60-85 lb. 44.00-46.50.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 15.00-18.00.

## Lancaster Auction

**Wednesday, March 23**  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	962	49	748	43
Last Wednesday	881	103	919	64
Last Year	772	72	502	43

Wednesday's Auction  
978 48 726 43

Last Wednesday's Auction  
972 101 915 64

**CATTLE:** Compared to Monday slaughter steers to 50 lower; cows fully steady, with Canner and Cutter firm to 1.00 higher; bullocks mostly steady on small supply; bulls steady to 50 lower.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few high Choice and Prime 38.50; Good 2-3 34.75-37.25; Standard and low Good 1-2 32.00-34.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 35.75-37.25; Good 2-3 750-1000 lb. 33.50-35.25.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 28.50-31.00, few 31.00-32.00 with couple 32.00-32.85; Cutter 1-2 27.75-30.00; Canner and low Cutter 25.50-27.50.

**BULLS:** Few yield grade 1 1400-1850 lb. 35.00-37.35, individual 1850 lb. 40.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady, although Standard and Good 80-110 lb. weak to 2.00 lower instances 5.00 lower. Supply included 3-4 in graded sale of which 37 per cent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Choice 63.00-69.00; couple Prime 73.00-79.00; high Good and low Choice 52.50-63.00; Good 38.00-50.00; Standard and Good 80-110 lb. 29.00-35.00, few Standard 70-90 lb. 22.00-27.50.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Standard and Good 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 42.00-43.00; one lot Standard and Good 100-105 lb. Holstein heifers 42.50, and 20 head 90-95 lb. 30.00-31.00.

**SHEEP:** Market not fully tested. Five head Choice 30-40 lb. spring lambs 64.00-80.00; few Utility slaughter ewes 16.00-18.00.

## New Holland

**Thursday, March 24**  
Cattle Calves Sheep

Today	1077	507	71
Last Thursday	1000	566	17
Last Year	1255	431	8

**CATTLE:** 1077. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, mostly deadline on high Good to average Choice; cows fully 1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower on early sales; bullocks 50-1.00 lower; bulls 1-1.50 lower. Supply include 51 per cent slaughter steers and 37 per cent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1450 lb. 39.25-40.35; Choice mainly 2 1000-1300 lb. 39.25-40.00, few head 40.00-40.75, one lot 1280 lb. 42.75; Choice 2-4 975-1325 lb. 37.75-39.50; high Good and low [Continued on Page 3]

3-4 1125-1350 lb. 39.50-39.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 37.75-39.35; few Choice mainly 4 1250-1350 lb. 36.85-37.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 35.75-37.60; Good 2-3 34.50-36.50; Standard 1-2 33.00-34.60.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 800-1050 lb. 36.75-37.75, few 38.00-40.60; Good 2-3 750-1000 lb. 32.00-35.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 30.00-32.50, couple yield grade 4 28.85-29.00; Cutter 1-2 27.75-30.50, couple 31.00-32.00; Canner and low Cutter 26.00-28.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1350 lb. 37.75-39.75; Good 1000-1250 lb. 34.00-37.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 34.00-36.35; yield grade 2 1000-1250 lb. 32.00-33.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Few sales Good to Choice steady, Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 1.00-3.00 lower.

**VEALERS:** Few Choice 65.00-69.00, individual Prime 81.50; high Good and low Choice 55.00-62.00; Standard and Good 85-110 lb. 26.50-32.00, few Standard 70-90 lb. 18.00-25.00.

**SHEEP:** Small supply spring lambs mostly steady.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Choice 65-85 lb. 62.50-64.00.

## Lancaster Weekly

**March 25, 1977**

Cattle	4600	1225
Calves	5009	1440
This Week	4243	1132
Last Week		
Last Year		

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers uneven, weak to 50 lower with least decline on high Choice and Prime, although Standard to low Choice Holsteins firm to 50 higher; cows closed the week 1.00 lower after being mostly 1.00 higher the early part of week; bullocks 1.00-1.50 lower; bulls 50-1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower. Supply included 60 per cent slaughter steers, 18 per cent cows, 9 per cent heifers, 5 per cent bulls with the balance feeder steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1400 lbs. 39.25-40.85; Choice mainly 2 1050-1325 lb. 39.25-40.50, few 40.50-41.75, eight head 42.75; Choice 2-4 975-1325 lb. 37.75-39.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1350 lb. 36.00-38.50; Good 2-3 34.00-37.25; Good to low Choice 1-3 1150-1475 lb. Holsteins 33.50-35.60; Standard 1-2 30.50-34.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 800-1050 lb. 35.75-

38.00, few 38.00-40.00; Good 2-3 750-1000 lb. 32.00-35.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 closing 27.50-30.75 with sales early part of week mainly 31.00-32.50; Cutter 1-2 closed the week at 27.00-29.00; Canner and low Cutter 23.00-27.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1350 lb. 36.50-39.00, few 39.00-40.00; Good 1000-1250 lb. 32.75-36.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 34.00-37.00, few 37.50-39.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 31.00-34.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady with Standard and Good 80-110 lb. quoted 3.00-5.00 lower throughout early part of week, reflecting last week's late decline.

**VEALERS:** Prime 75.00-80.00, few 80.50-85.00; Choice 64.00-77.00; high Good and low Choice 150-220 lb. 53.00-64.00, 115-130 lb. 35.00-43.00; Good 38.00-50.00; Standard and Good 90-110 lb. 26.00-35.00; Standard 70-90 lb. 20.00-27.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Standard and Good 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 42.00-43.00; one lot Standard and Good 100-105 lb. Holstein heifers 42.50.

### LANCASTER STOCKYARDS SPECIAL GRADED FEEDER CATTLE SALE

**FRIDAY, APRIL 1**

12 Noon

800 Head On Sale

All Breeds - All Weight  
Prime - Choice - Good Grade  
Sold in lots of 10 or more  
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Slaughter Sales - Mon. & Wed. 11:00 A.M.  
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MONDAY'S ACTION:

8:00 A.M. - Fat Hogs  
10:00 A.M. - Horse Sale  
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

**NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES INC.**

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