

# Livestock market and auction news

## Lancaster Market

Lancaster, Pa.  
Monday, Oct. 17, 1977

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep				
Today	1241	181	1056	3
Last Week	1675	164	833	44
Last Year	1519	169	712	65
Monday's Auction	847	139	951	7
Last Monday's Auction	990	163	871	53

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers steady to weak, instances 50 lower on Choice and Prime; cows 50-1.00 lower; bullocks steady to weak; bulls steady to 1.00 lower.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1300 lb. 43.25-45.10; Choice mainly 2 1050-1225 lb. 43.25-44.60; Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lb. 41.00-43.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 38.50-41.25; Good 2-3 36.00-39.50; Standard 1-2 32.35-35.50, one lot 30.85.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 950-1025 lb. 38.35-41.10; Good 2-3 800-1000 lb. 34.85-36.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 23.50-25.60; Cutter 1-2 21.75-24.25; Canner and low Cutter 19.00-20.50.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1300 lb. 36.75-39.35, couple 40.00-40.50; Good 1000-1250 lb. 30.75-35.25.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1600 lb. 32.00-34.60; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 29.00-31.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers 2.00-4.00 higher.

**Vealers:** Prime 280-325 lb. 70.00-73.00; Choice 180-240 lb. 60.00-70.00; high Good and low Choice 160-225 lb. 48.00-60.00; Good 120-180 lb.

## Vintage Market

Vintage, Pa.  
Tuesday, Oct. 18, 1977

Cattle Calves Sheep			
Today	1015	687	33
Last Tuesday	1083	748	27
Last Year	749	687	25

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers steady to 50 lower; cows 25.50 lower, instances 1.00 lower; bullocks scarce; bulls 50-1.00 higher. Supply included 56 per cent slaughter steers and 33 per cent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1050-1325 lb. 43.75-45.25, few 45.25-46.00; Choice mainly 2 1050-1325 lb. 43.50-44.75; Choice 2-4 950-1350 lb. 41.00-44.00, few 40.50-41.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 38.00-40.50; Good 2-3 35.50-38.75; Standard 1-2 32.00-35.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 38.50-40.00, few 40.75-41.50; Good 2-3 800-950 lb. 32.00-36.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 24.50-26.50, few 26.50-27.50; Commercial 3-4 23.00-24.50; Cutter 1-2 22.50-24.75, few 25.00-26.00; Canner and low Cutter 20.00-22.25.

**BULLOCKS:** Couple Choice 1050-1175 lb. 35.50-36.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 33.50-35.50; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 31.50-33.50.

38.00-46.00, 90-110 lb. 32.00-38.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 95-110 lb. Holstein bulls 40.00-44.00.

**SHEEP:** No market test.

## Lancaster Auction

Lancaster, Pa.  
Wednesday, Oct. 19, 1977

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep				
Today	1223	90	624	12
Last Wednesday	1260	73	1091	30
Last Year	1301	99	527	24
Wednesday's Auction	987	103	926	21
Last Wednesday's Auction	849	72	1121	30

**CATTLE:** Compared to Monday slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, instances 75 lower, on high Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows mostly steady; bullocks fully steady; bulls steady.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1350 lb. 42.35-44.00; Choice mainly 2 1100-1350 lb. 43.25-44.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 40.75-43.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 38.50-41.50; Good 2-3 36.50-39.00; Standard 1-2 31.50-35.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 38.75-40.75, four head 43.00-43.50; Good 2-3 800-1025 lb. 34.75-37.75.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 23.50-25.50, few 25.50-26.25; Cutter 1-2 21.50-23.50; couple loads

37.75.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers 3-5.00 higher. Supply included 485 in graded sale of which 29 per cent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Choice 180-220 lb. 55.00-64.00, couple Prime 67.00-69.00; Choice 120-150 lb. 47.00-53.00; high Good and low Choice 135-185 lb. 39.00-46.00; Good 80-118 lb. 34.00-41.50, few 70-90 lb. 30.00-35.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** One lot 101 lb. Holstein heifers 61.00, few head 110-120 lb. 48.00-53.00 and 22 head 90-95 lb. 41.00; around 125 head 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 48.00-50.50.

**SHEEP:** Market not fully tested, few Choice 75-95 lb. woolled lambs 50.00-55.00 and few Good 60-90 lb. 40.00-49.00.

## New Holland

New Holland, Pa.  
Thursday, Oct. 20, 1977

Cattle Calves Sheep			
Today	1235	750	25
Last Thursday	1414	704	27
Last Year	1289	718	36

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 25-50 lower, instances 1.00 lower; cows 50-1.00 lower; bullocks mostly steady; bulls steady to 50 higher. Supply included 60 per cent slaughter steers and 27 per cent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1050-1300 lb. 43.75-45.00; Choice mainly 2 1050-1300 lb. 43.25-45.00; Choice 2-4 950-1300 lb. 41.00-43.75, few lots 43.75-44.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 38.50-41.25; Good 2-3 36.50-40.75; Standard 1-2 30.35-35.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-950 lbs. 35.75-38.00; Good 2-3 775-925 lb. 33.50-35.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 23.75-25.50, few 25.50-26.75; Commercial 3-4 21.00-24.00; Cutter 1-2 21.50-24.50; Canner and low cutter 19.50-22.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 1000-1200 lb. 36.00-37.50, couple 38.00-38.85; Good 1000-1300 lb. 32.50-35.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lbs. 32.50-35.00, few 35.00-36.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 30.50-32.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers mostly steady although 80-120 lb. 2.00-3.00 higher.

**VEALERS:** Choice 180-285 lb. 62.00-69.00, couple Prime-

Utility and Commercial 3-4 beef breed 20.50-22.50.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1300 lbs. 38.50-40.50, few 40.50-41.35; Good 1000-1200 lb. 31.00-34.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1100-1600 lb. 32.00-34.50, couple 35.75; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 30.00-33.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers fully steady.

**VEALERS:** Choice 180-300 lb. 59.00-65.00; high Good and low Choice 160-225 lb. 48.00-60.00; Good 140-180 lb. 38.00-48.00, 80-110 lb. 32.00-38.00.

**SHEEP:** One lot Utility slaughter ewes 11.50.

## Lancaster Weekly

Friday, Oct. 21, 1977

Cattle Calves	
This Week	6100 1700
Last Week	6782 1689
Last Year	7242 1673

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers 25-50 lower, instances 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows slow, 50.100 lower; bulls and bullocks mostly steady. Supply included 43 per cent slaughter steers, 15 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls, 4 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1050-1350 lb. 43.25-45.00, few mainly individual head lots 45.00-46.00; Choice mainly 2 1050-1300 lb. 43.25-45.00; Choice 2-4 950-1350 lb. 41.00-44.00, few 40.50-41.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 33.50-41.50; Good 2-3 36.50-40.50; Standard 1-2 30.35-35.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 38.35-40.50, few 40.50-41.50, four head 43.00-43.50; Good 2-3 800-1000 lb. 32.00-36.00, few 36.00-37.75.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 1-3 23.50-25.50, few 25.50-26.75; Cutter 1-2 21.50-24.50, few 24.50-26.00; Canner and low Cutter 19.50-22.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Choice 1000-1300 lb. 35.50-38.50, few

72.00-76.00; Choice 120-160 lb. 47.00-55.00; high Good and low Choice 160-250 lb. 45.00-54.00; Good 120-220 lb. 39.00-45.00, 80-110 lb. 31.00-39.00, 70-90 lb. 25.00-33.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls 44.00-50.00, few 50.00-54.00; 95-115 lb. Holstein heifers 38.00-44.00.

**SHEEP:** Few head Good 50-75 lb. woolled lambs 41.00-48.00.

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40.50-41.35; Good 1000-1200  
lb. 30.75-35.25.

**BULLS:** Yield Grade 1 1100-1650 lb. 32.50-35.00, few 35.00-35.75; Yield Grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 29.00-33.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers 1.00-2.00 higher, instances 4.00 higher on 80-120 lb weights.

**VEALERS:** Prime 280-325 lb. 70.00-76.00; Choice 180-270 lb. 59.00-70.00, 120-160 lb. 47.00-55.00; high Good and low Choice 160-250 lb. 42.00-54.00; Good 120-220 lb. 38.00-46.00, 80-115 lb. 31.00-38.00 with a few 38.00-41.50, 70-90 lb. 25.00-35.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls 44.00-51.00, few 51.00-54.00, few sales 90-105 lb. 40.00-44.00; one lot 101 lb. Holstein heifers 61.00, few 110-120 lb. 48.00-53.00, 90-100 lb. 39.00-44.00.



**SAMPLING...** Research assistant Larry Shakelford bags and marks a sample taken at specific depth from a storage bin at U.S. Grain Marketing Research Center, Manhattan, Kans., where solar energy is being used to dry grain.

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

**THURSDAY'S AUCTION:**  
11 00 A.M. - Beef Sale  
Order of Sale - Bulls, Fat Steers, Cows, Veal  
4 30 P.M. - Calf Sale

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