

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Lancaster, Pa. Monday, Feb. 13, 1978 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep			
Today	1197	187	775 86
Last Monday	712	46	939 34
Last Year	581	176	604 73
Monday's Auction	1138	183	777 85
Last Monday	791	138	848 35

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers firm to 50 higher, most advance on Choice and mixed Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows 50-1.00 higher; bullocks steady; bulls 50-1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1250 lb. 48.35-48.60; Choice mainly 2 1100-1300 lb. 48.25-49.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1325 lb. 46.50-48.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 44.50-47.00; Good 2-3 41.50-45.00; Standard 1-2 35.00-41.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1100 lb. 41.75-45.25, few 45.50-46.25; Good 2-3 800-1025 lb. 39.00-41.50; few Standard 35.00-39.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 32.50-34.00, several 34.00-34.75 with around 10 head 35.00-35.10; Cutter 1-2 31.00-33.00; Canner and low Cutter 29.75-31.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 43.50-45.25, couple 45.50-46.00; Good 1000-1250 lb. 39.75-43.00, few 950-1025 lb. 36.25-39.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1350 lb. 41.50-44.00, three head 45.00-45.85; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 38.75-42.00, few 925-1000 lb. 36.50-38.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, good demand for 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 170-270 lb. 70.00-76.00, few Choice and Prime 260-320 lb. 76.00-80.00, Choice 120-155 lb. 52.00-68.00; high Good and low Choice 160-280 lb. 51.00-65.00, 120-155 lb. 45.00-52.00, 90-110

Vintage Market

Vintage, Pa. Tuesday, Feb. 14, 1978 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep			
Today	1113	706	28
Last Tuesday	0	0	0
Last Year	907	548	5

CATTLE: All trends compared to two weeks ago because market was closed last week because of snow storm. Slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; slaughter heifers and bulls not fully tested. Supply included 61 per cent slaughter steers and 34 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 48.50-49.50; Choice mainly 2 1100-1325 lb. 48.25-49.50, around 10 head 49.75-50.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1400 lb. 46.00-48.50, mainly 46.50-48.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 44.00-46.25; Good 2-3 39.75-44.00; Standard 1-2 35.75-40.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few sales mixed Good and Choice 2-3 950-1100 lb. 40.00-42.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 32.50-34.50, few 34.50-35.00; Cutter 1-2 30.50-33.50; Canner and low Cutter 28.75-30.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 41.00-44.75; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 36.50-39.75.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers uneven, Choice mostly steady, mixed Good and Choice 80-115 lb. 2.00-4.00 lower. Supply included 339 in graded sale of wick 30 per

cent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 170-270 lb. 63.00-70.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 52.00-63.00, 120-160 lb. 44.00-56.00, 90-110 lb. 38.00-45.00, few 70-90 lb. 32.00-38.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: One lot 120-125 lb. Holstein heifers 51.00, couple lots 90-105 lb. 39.00-42.00; 75 head 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-64.00.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 70-95 lb. 62.50-65.00; Good and Choice 80-130 lb. 42.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-19.00.

Lancaster Auction

Lancaster, Pa. Wednesday, Feb. 15, 1978 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep			
Today	1313	114	647 26
Last Wednesday	634	56	518 0
Last Year	964	86	563 16

Wednesday's Auction 1302 116 954 26
Last Wednesday's Auction 525 78 787 0

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers fully steady, instances 25 higher on Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers steady to weak; Cows 50-75 lower; bullocks steady to weak; bulls mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1375 lb. 48.25-49.10; Choice mainly 2 1050-1275 lb. 48.00-49.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1375 lb. 46.50-48.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 44.50-46.50; Good 2-3 40.75-45.00; Standard 1-2 37.50-40.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 42.25-44.00; few 44.00-45.00; Good 2-3 825-1000 lb. 39.00-42.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 31.25-33.50; Cutter 1-2 30.25-31.50; Canner and low Cutter 29.00-30.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 42.75-44.60; Good 1000-1250 lb. 39.75-42.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1650 lb. 41.75-42.75, couple 44.50-45.35; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 38.00-41.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 2.00-4.00 lower.

cent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 170-270 lb. 63.00-70.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 52.00-63.00, 120-160 lb. 44.00-56.00, 90-110 lb. 38.00-45.00, few 70-90 lb. 32.00-38.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: One lot 120-125 lb. Holstein heifers 51.00, couple lots 90-105 lb. 39.00-42.00; 75 head 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-64.00.

SHEEP: Market not fully tested. Few Choice 65-105 lb. woolled lambs 60.00-65.00; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 14.00-21.00.

New Holland

Thursday, February 16 Cattle Calves Sheep		
Today	116	700 55
Last Thursday	1051	910 16
Last Year	748	441 8

CATTLE: 1116. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers fully steady, instances 50 higher on Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows 1-1.50 lower; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 2-3.00 lower. Supply included 54 per cent slaughter steers and 35 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1325 lb. 48.25-49.00; Choice mainly 2 1100-1325 lb. 48.00-49.25, couple lots 49.35-49.60; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 46.10-48.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 43.75-46.50, couple lots 46.50-47.25; Good 2-3 41.50-45.50; Standard 1-2 38.00-40.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1030 lb. 42.00-43.50, few Good 39.00-41.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 30.50-33.50, few 33.50-34.25, couple 35.50-36.10; Cutter 1-2 29.00-31.50; Canner and low Cutter 27.50-29.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 41.50-43.00, couple 43.00-43.50; Good 1000-1250 lb. 38.50-41.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1700 lb. 39.75-41.75, couple 42.00-42.50; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 38.75-40.00.

VEAL CALVES: 700. Vealers steady to weak, instances 4.00 lower on 80-110 lb. weights. Good demand for 95-110 lb. Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-260 lb. 68.00-74.00, 120-160 lb. 52.00-64.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 50.00-64.00, 120-155 lb. 40.00-52.00, 90-110 lb. 30.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 95-110 lb. Holstein bulls 50.00-58.00.

SHEEP: Market not fully tested. One lot Choice and Prime 75 lb. woolled lambs 68.00, one lot Choice 90 lb. 65.00.

Lancaster Weekly

Friday, Feb. 17, 1978 Cattle Calves		
This Week	5100	1750
Last Week	2553	1012
Last Year	3569	1253

CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady to 50 higher, most advances on choice and Prime; slaughter heifers steady to weak; cows closed 1.00-1.50 lower; bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 2.00-3.00 lower than last week's high close. Supply included 59 per cent slaughter steers, 20 per cent cows and 10 per cent heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1375 lb. 48.25-49.50; Choice mainly 2 1100-1325 lb. 48.00-49.25, few 49.35-49.75 with about eight head 49.75-50.25; Choice 2-4 1000-1375 lb. 46.00-48.50 mainly 46.50-48.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 43.75-46.50; Good 2-3 40.75-45.50; Standard 1-2 37.50-40.75, few 35.50-37.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 41.75-44.00, few 44.00-46.25; Good 2-3 800-1025 lb. 39.00-41.75.

VEALERS: Choice 180-300 lb. 68.00-75.00, few head Choice and Prime 75.00-81.00; Choice 120-160 lb. 50.00-63.00; high Good and low Choice 170-260 lb. 48.00-66.00, 120-165 lb. 38.00-50.00; 90-110 lb. 22.00-35.00, few 65-85 lb. 18.00-25.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-110 lb. Holstein bulls 52.00-62.00.

SHEEP: 55. Insufficient volume woolled lambs for a market test, Utility and Good slaughter ewes. 13.00-20.00. Supply included 31 goats sold by the head from 12.00-23.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 30.50-33.50, few 33.50-35.00; couple individual 35.50-36.10; cutter 1-2 30.00-31.50, few late 29.00-30.00; canner and low cutter 27.50-30.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 41.50-44.00, few 44.00-45.50; Good 1000-1250 lb. 38.50-42.00, few 950-1025 lb. 36.25-39.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 39.75-42.75, few 42.75-44.00; five head 44.75-45.85; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 36.50-41.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 1.00-2.00 lower, instances 4.00 lower on 80-110 lb. weights. Good demand for 95-110 lb. Holstein bulls returned to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice and Prime 260-320 lb. 76.00-81.00; Choice 180-300 lb. 68.00-75.00, 120-155 lb. 50.00-64.00; high Good and low Choice 160-280 lb. 48.00-65.00, 120-165 lb. 38.00-54.00, 90-110 lb. 30.00-42.00 late 22.00-35.00, few 65-85 lb. 18.00-30.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: One lot 120-125 lb. Holstein heifers 51.00, couple lots 90-105 lb. 39.00-42.00; bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 52.00-62.00, couple lots 62.00-64.00.



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- 12 00 Noon - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn
- 12 30 P M - Dairy Sale
- 1 00 P M - Feeder Pig Sale

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- Order of Sale Bulls, Fat Steers, Cows, Veal
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