

Livestock market and auction news

Western Maryland Market

Western Maryland Stockyards Inc.
July 11, 1978

BUTCHER CATTLE: Light run, prices higher. Fat Steers None, Heifers, top 49.50, Cows light run, very active \$4.00 higher. Good Cows to 46.00, individual at 47.00, standard & utility 40.00-43.00, canners 37.50-41.00, shelly 37.50 down, bulls strong demand, top 52.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: Top hogs 46.50, bulk 200-225 lbs. 46.00-46.50, 230-260 lbs. 45.00-46.00, 170-190 lbs. 43.00-45.00, heavy weights to 38.75, sows to 43.50.

VEAL CALVES: Large run fat calves higher. Tops to 83.00, good-choice 70.00-83.00, standard 65.00-75.00, light calves 50.00-65.00, weak & rough 49.00 down.

LAMBS: Medium run good demand. Good-choice to 57.00, medium to 50.00, feeders to 45.00.

STOCK CATTLE: Light run, very active & higher. Stock steers 45.00-63.00, stock heifers 40.00-64.00, stock bulls 40.00-54.50.

PIGS & SHOATS: Good run, active bidding. By the head 20.00-40.00, by the lb. to 45.00.

72.00-84.00, 120-160 lb. 67.00-78.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 62.00-75.00, 120-160 lb. 54.00-68.00, 90-115 lb. 40.00-59.00 mainly 45.00-52.00, few 70-95 lb. 34.00-44.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein heifers 56.00-68.00; bulk 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 62.00-78.00, few 100-110 lb. 78.00-82.00.

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Sale very Tuesday at 1:30 P.M. starting with feeder cattle and pigs.

Lancaster Market

Lancaster, Pa.
Monday, July 16, 1978

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	1415	160	1428 187
Last Monday	677	52	496 0
Last Year	1797	234	858 119
Monday's Auction	1427	180	1464 113
Last Monday's Auction	624	79	508 11

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers steady to weak, instances .50 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows 2.00-3.00 higher; bullocks steady; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1350 lb. 57.50-58.35, few 58.50-58.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1400 lb. 55.00-58.00, few lots mainly Yield Grade 2 58.00-58.35, few lots 1300-1585 lb. 54.00-55.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 53.50-56.10; Good 2-3 49.75-54.50; few Standard 1-2 47.60-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1025 lb. 51.50-53.25, few 53.25-53.75; Good 2-3 825-1025 lb. 48.50-51.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 44.50-45.60, load Utility and Commercial 3-4 beef breed 44.50-46.50; Cutter 1-2 41.50-43.50; Canner and low Cutter 39.50-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1275 lb. 51.50-53.50; Good 1000-1250 lb. 47.75-52.75.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 52.00-54.25, few 54.50-56.10; Yield Grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 48.25-52.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers fully steady.

VEALERS: Prime 270-300 lb. 82.00-88.00, one lot 325 lb. 95.00; Choice 160-290 lb. 75.00-82.00, 120-160 lb. 70.00-75.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 70.00-78.00, 120-160 lb. 64.00-72.00, 90-110 lb. 60.00-68.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-72.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs steady to 2.00 higher.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 70-105 lb. 55.00-58.00; Good 60-90 lb. 50.00-55.00.

Vintage Livestock

Vintage, Pa.
Tuesday, July 11, 1978

Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	1301	696 82
Last Tuesday	1001	420 38
Last Year 1509	827	53

CATTLE: Trend not comparable because market not reported last Tuesday because of holiday. Demand fair for slaughter steers with some late sales 1.00 lower than early; cows fairly active to a fair demand. Insufficient volume bulls or bullocks for a market test. Supply included 76 per cent slaughter steers and 19 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1350 lb. 57.00-58.00, few head 58.00-58.35 with a couple 58.50-58.85, some late sales 56.25-57.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 54.75-57.85, few late 54.00-55.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 53.50-55.25, few 55.25-56.10; Good 2-3 49.50-54.50; Standard 1-2 48.50-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple lots mixed Good and Choice 2-3 940-1030 lb. 49.25-50.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 41.50-43.50, few 43.50-45.25, couple 45.50-46.75; six head Commercial 3 1260-1840 lb. 45.75-48.60; Cutter 1-2 39.50-41.50, few 41.50-43.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.50-37.00.

BULLS: Few Yield Grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 51.00-52.00.

VEAL CALVES: Demand good for vealers although Choice and Prime scarce, with bulk of supply 80-120 lb. Supply included 447 70-125 lb. in graded sale of which 33 per cent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-260 lb. 66.00-72.00, couple Prime 80.00-81.00, Choice 120-160 lb. 62.00-67.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 62.00-69.00, 120-160 lb. 54.00-65.00, 90-115 lb. 45.00-59.00, few 70-100 lb. 34.00-47.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein heifers 56.00-68.00; bulk 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 62.00-78.00, 45 head 100-105 lb. 80.50.

Lancaster Auction

Lancaster, Pa.
Wednesday, July 12, 1978

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep
Today	1205	33	906 32
Last Wednesday	1260	135	1491 11
Last Year	1366	140	632 25
Wednesday's Auction	1236	31	908 18
Last Wednesday's Auction	1281	135	1476 11

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower on high Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers weak to 1.00 lower; cows 1.00-1.50 lower; Bullocks 50-1.50 lower; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 78 per cent slaughter steers and 15 per cent slaughter heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1375 lb. 56.35-57.25, few lots 2-3 1025-1125 lb. 55.75-56.25; Choice 2-4 975-1360 lb. 54.50-56.25, few lots late 56.25-57.10; high Good and low Choice 2-3 52.50-55.25; Good 2-3 25-53.00; Standard 1-2 48.25-50.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 860-1060 lb. 50.75-53.75, few 54.00-55.00; Choice 2-4 735-830 lb. 47.25-50.00; Good 2-3 825-1050 lb. 47.75-50.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 41.25-42.85, couple 45.50-46.10; Cutter 1-2 39.75-42.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.75-39.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1275 lb. 50.25-53.25; Good 1000-1250 lb. 46.50-49.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 49.50-51.50, few 53.00-55.75, individual 1430 lb. 58.85.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers not fully tested, although 90-115 lb. 10.00-12.00 lower.

VEALERS: High Good and low Choice 140-240 lb. 55.00-63.00; individual Choice 69.00; high Good and low Choice 85-115 lb. 47.50-55.00.

SHEEP: Market not fully tested. Few Good 50-80 lb. spring lambs 40.50-50.50.

SHEEP: Supply included 32 head 20-40 lb. goats sold by the head at 8.00-16.00.
SPRING LAMBS: Choice 45-70 lb. 57.00-61.00; few Good 40-65 lb. 49.00-56.00.

New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.
Thursday, July 13, 1978

Cattle	Calves	Sheep
Today	1427	506 7
Last Thursday	1626	698 9
Last Year 1502	568	46

CATTLE: 1427. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower on high Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers 1-2.00 lower on small supply; cows 1-1.50 lower; bullocks 1-2.00 higher; bulls 1.50-2.00 higher. Supply included 79 per cent slaughter steers and 17 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lb. 56.60-57.60; Choice mainly 2 1050-1300 lb. 56.50-57.35, couple 57.50-58.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lb. 54.50-57.00, few lots 1435-1535 lb. 55.00-56.10; high Good and low Choice 2-3 53.00-55.50; Good 2-3 49.75-53.75; Standard 1-2 46.75-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 875-980 lb. 52.60-53.85.

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BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1250 lb. 52.50-55.50; Good 1000-1225 lb. 49.50-52.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1900 lb. 51.25-54.50, few 54.50-55.50, individual 59.75; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 47.00-51.50.

FEDER STEERS: Around 50 head 20 Choice and Prime in Good to low Choice slaughter finish 900-1025 lb. 54.25-56.10.

VEAL CALVES: 506. Vealers uneven, Choice and Prime firm to 3.00 higher. 80-115 lb. 4-8.00 lower.

VEALERS: Prime 260-310 lb. 85.00-88.00, couple 91.00-97.00; Choice 160-270 lb. 77.00-84.00; -120-160 lb. 71.00-78.00; high Good and low Choice 160-260 lb. 65.00-75.00, 120-160 lb. 55.00-68.00, 90-115 lb. 40.00-57.00, few 70-95 lb. 34.00-42.00.

SHEEP: 7. No Market test.

Lancaster Weekly

Lancaster, Pa.
Friday, July 14, 1978

Cattle	Calves
This Week	5800 1400
Last Week	4781 1309
Last Year	7339 1731

CATTLE: Slaughter steers .50-1.00 lower with high Choice and Prime off 1.50; slaughter heifers .50-1.00 lower; cows 1.00-1.50 lower than last week's high close; bullocks and bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 71 per cent slaughter steers, 11 per cent cows, 7 per cent heifers, 6 per cent bulls with the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1350 lb. 56.50-57.75, few early part of week 58.00-58.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1400 lb. 54.50-57.00, few 1300-1585 lb. 54.00-56.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 52.50-55.50; Good 2-3 49.50-54.50; Standard 1-2 46.75-51.00.

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VEALERS: Prime 240-300 lb. 82.00-88.00, few 290-325 lb. 91.00-97.00; Choice 160-290 lb.

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