# Livestock market and auction news

#### Lancaster Market

Mon., July 16, 1979 Lancaster, Pa. Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today

146 1232 56 1028 Last Monday 1611 107 1195 85

Last Year 213 1072 242 1122 Monday's Auction

145 1327 1126 Last Monday's Auction 85

1472 109 1223 CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers steady; slaughter heifers 1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower; cows 2.00-3.00 lower: bullocks not fully established; bulls 8.00-10.00 lower or 11.00-14.00 lower than last Monday.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1425 lbs. 66.25-67.50, few 67.50-68.25, yield grade 4-5 1250-1425 lbs. 64.75-66.00; Choice mainly 2 1100-1300 lbs. 67.75-68.75; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lbs. 65.60-67.75, 4-5 1175-1425 lbs. 62.25-65.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 63.50-65.75; Good 2-3 61.00-63.50; Standard 1-2 1150-1500 lbs. 58.50-62.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1075 lbs. 61.00-66.50; Good 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 57.75-58.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 49.75-54.00, couple 54.00-55.25; Commercial 3-4 47.75-50.00; Cutter 1-2 48.25-52.50; Canner and low Cutter 44.75-49.50.

BULLOCKS: Good 950-1150 lbs. 55.00-59.00, couple Choice 59.50-64.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lbs. 59.75-63.50, few 65.50-67.50, 1100-1300 lbs. 57.50-58.50; yield grade 2

1100-1400 lbs. 53.00-58.75.

VEAL CALVES: Choice and Prime vealers 3.00-8.00 lower, high Good and low Choice 70-120 lbs. steady to weak.

VEALERS: Prime 280-320 lbs. 95.00-104.00; Choice 150-250 lbs. 85.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 90-120 lbs 80.00-90.00, few 70-90 lbs. 75.00-80.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs 2.00-5.00 lower.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 85-106 lbs. 53.00-62.00; Good 55-90 lbs. 52.00-58.00.

#### Vintage Livestock

Tues., July 17, 1979 Paradise, Pa. Cattle Calves Sheep

1203 766 50 Last Tuesday 1444 640 75

Last Year 1001 743 24 CATTLE: Compared to

last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 lower, instances 2.00 lower; cows 8.00 to mostly 10.00 lower; bulls 8.00-10.00 lower. Supply included 80 per cent slaughter steers and 14 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1325 lbs. 66.00-67.75, few head 68.00-68.60, 4-5 1175-1400 lbs. 63.25-65.75; Choice mainly 2 1075-1350 lbs. 67.50-68.60, seven head 69.00-70.25; Choice 2-4 975-1350 lbs. 64.35-67.25, 4-5 1075-1350 lbs. 62.25-64.50, few head mostly 5 58.50-61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 63.00-65.50; Good 2-3 60.75-64.25; Standard 1-2 58.50-61.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** One lot Choice 2-3 875 lbs.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 45.00-49.00, few 49.25-50.50, couple 51.50-51.75; Commercial 3-4 38.00-44.00; Cutter 1-2 42.75-46.25, few 46.50-47.50; Canner and low Cutter 40.00-43.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-1700 lbs. 60.00-65.00, few 68.35-69.50; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 56.50-60.09.

VEAL CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday vealers 15.00-20.00 lower. Supply included 455 in graded sale of which 49 per cent returned to farm

VEALERS: Choice 120-300 lbs. 74.00-89.00, couple Prime 90.00-97.00, high Good and low Choice 120-220 lbs. 65.00-78.00, 90-120 lbs. 47.00-60.00, 80-90 lbs. 40.00-55.00; around 60 head Standard and low Good 60-75 lbs. 20.00-32.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 50 head 90-115 lbs. Holstein heifers 122.00-138.00; 12 head 80-85 lbs. 96.00. 110 head 100-115 lbs. Holsteins bulls 117.00-121.00; 35 head 90-95 lbs. 111.00; 20 head 120-125 lbs. 104.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume slaughter lambs for a market test; few slaughter ewes 17.00-30.00. Supply included 27 goats sold by the head at 25.00-34.00, few sold to return to farm at 3.00 per head.

Market courtesy of USDA.

## Lancaster Auction

Lancaster, Pa. Wednesday, July 18, 1979 **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep** 

Today 59 1254 21 911 Last Wednesday 107 1236 798 Last Year

908 41 891 Wednesday's Auction 57 1333

Last Wednesday's Auction 97 1259 CATTLE: Compared to

Monday slaughter steers weak to 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady to 1.00 higher; cows 4.00-6.00 lower; bulls and bullocks not 61.75; Standard and low fully tested.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1400 lb. 66.00-67.85, few 61.25, one lot 63.50. 4-5 64.00-65.50; Choice

68.10; Choice 2-4 1000-1325 lb. 63.75-67.10, 4-5 1175-1350 lb. 62.50-64.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 62.50-64.25; Good 2-3 60.00-62.1., Stan dard 1-2 59.00-61.35.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 63.25-65.75, couple 66.00-67.00; Good 2-3 800-1050 lb. 57.50-62.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.75-46.50. couple 48.25-49.10; Commercial 3-4 42.50-44.00; Cutter 1-2 43.00-47.25, few high dressing Cutter 48.00-49.50; Canner and low Cutter 40.00-42.50.

BULLS: Few yield grade 1 1100-1650 lb. 57.35-60.75; couple yield grade 2 975-1250 lb. 52.00-55.00.

VEAL CALVES: Small supply vealers mostly steady, although Choice and Prime 220-350 lb. not tested.

**VEALERS:** Couple Choice 140-225 lb. 90.00-97.00; high Good and low Choice 90-120 lb. 80.00-90.00, few 70-90 lb. 70.00-80.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls and heifers 95.00-114.00.

SHEEP: Few Good 50-100 lb. spring lambs 50.00.

#### New Holland Livestock

Thurs., July 19, 1979 CATTLE: 1466. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 1-1.50 lower, instances 2.00 lower; slaughter heifers 1-2.00 lower; cows 4-6.00 lower; bullocks not tested. bulls 6-8.00 lower. Supply included 75 per cent slaughter steers and 16 per cent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1325 lbs. 64.85-66.75, few 4-5 63.00-64.75; Choice mainly 2 1000-1325 lbs. 66.50-68.00, eight head 69.00-70.75; Choice 2-4 975-1375 lbs. 64.00-66.00, few 62.75-64.00; 4-5 1175-1375 lbs. 60.75-64.00: high Good and low Choice 2-3 61.75-64.75; Good 2-3 59.50-Good 57.00-65.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 825-1065 lbs. 60.00-

COWS: Utility and mainly 2 1150-1375 lb. 67.00- Commercial 1-3 44.00-47.00,

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BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1900 lbs. 58.00-62.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 54.00-58.09.

VEAL CALVES: 447. Vealers uneven. Choice and Prime 5-8.00 lower, high Good and low Choice 65-120 lbs. 10-15.00 lower. Demand good for calves returned to farm.

VEALERS: Prime 280-330 lbs. 99.00-104.00, few 104.00-108.00; Choice 160-300 lbs. 86.00-98.00, 120-160 lbs. 83.00-92.00; high Good and low Choice 140-220 lbs. 82.00-98.00, 80-120 lbs. 72.00-80.00, few 65-80 lbs. 54.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lbs. Holstein bulls and heifers 85.00-105.00, few 105.00-120.00, couple 140.00-165.00.

SHEEP: 110. Spring lambs steady to weak; slaughter ewes mostly steady. Supply included 24 goats sold by the head. SPRING LAMBS: Choice

60-105 lbs. 55.00-64.00; bulk of supply Good 45-80 lbs. 45.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 27.00-36.00, few 22.00-27.00.

GOATS: Bulk 30-115 lbs. by the head at 24.00-38.00. Market courtesy of USDA.

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### -Lancaster Weekly

**Cattle Calves** 5200 1425 This Week 5805 1340 Last Week 4900 1589 Last Year

Slaughter CATTLE: steers 1.00-1.50 lower, instances 2.00 lower; slaughter heifers 1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower; Cows continued to decline throughout the week and closed 4.00-6.00 lower; bullocks not fully tested; bulls 6.00-8.00 lower, extremes 10.00 lower. Supply included 68 per cent slaughter steers, 10 per cent cows, 5 per cent heifers, 4 per cent bulls, with the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1325 lbs. 65.75-67.50, few late sales 64.85-66.50; 4-5 1175-1400 lbs. 63.00-65.50; Choice mainly 2 1000-1325 lbs. 67.00-68.50, about 15 head 69.00-70.75; Choice 2-4 975-1325 lbs. 63.75-67.00, few late 62.75-64.00; 4-5 1175-1350 lbs. 60.75-64.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 61.75-64.75; Good 2-3 60.00-62.25; Standard 1-2 57.00-61.00.

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