Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market Monday, April 14 Report supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today 81 1378 72 Last Monday 79 1014 43 813

Last Year 68 1369 803 949 Monday's Auction 96 1349 1212

Last Monday's Auction 79 1119 46 834

CATTLE: Slaughter steers fully 1.00 higher than last Wednesday's late sales or steady to firm, instances 50 higher than last Wednesday's early sales; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows firm to 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 bulls 1.00-2.00 higher;

higher. **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1375 lb. 63.75-65.25, few individual head 65.50-66.00: Choice 2 1050-1325 lb. 65.00-66.00; Choice 2 975-1350 lb. 61.25-64.35; high Good and low Choice 2-3 60.00-62.50; Good 2-3 56.00-60.00, several lots mixed Good and Choice 1300-1525 lb. Holsteins 55.50-

58.00. SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 60.35-63.00, few head 63.00-64.10; Good 2-3 800-1050 lbs. 57.00-60.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 49.50-53.25; Cutter 1-2 48.50-52.50, few 53.00-54.75; Canner and low Cutter 44 %)-48.00.

EULLOCKS: Few Choice 1000-1300 lb. 61.00-63.00, couple 65.00-65.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 60.75-64.75, three head 1625-2290 lb. 65.60-69.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 57.00-60.00.

VEAL CALVES: Choice and Prime vealers 5.00-8.00 higher; high Good and low Choice 80-120 lb. mostly steady.

VEALERS: One lot Prime Special Fed 200 lb. 130.00; choice 160-280 lb. 108.00-120.00: high Good and low Choice 120-180 lb. 75.00-95.00, 90-115 lb. 60.00-80.00, few 50-85 lb. 50.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 98.00-108.00.

HOGS: Compared to last Wednesday barrows and gilts 1.00-1.50 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1 205-240 lb. 29.50-30.00, Few Selected 30.00-31.00. US 1-2 200-240 lb. 28.50-29.00, US 1-3 210-255 lb. 28.00-28.50, US 2-3 255-290 lb. 27.00-28.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs fully steady; slaughter ewes steady. SPRING LAMBS: Choice

90-102 lb. 75.00-82.00, few 30-38 lb. 121.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 20.00-28.00.

Vintage Livestock

Tuesday, April 15 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Sheep**

Today 1165 534 32 Last Tuesday 26 633 1183 Last Year

988 384 229 CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers mostly 1.00 lower, with some late sales 1.50-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 2.00-3.00 higher; bulls not fully tested.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1325 lb. 64.00-65.85; Choice 2 1075-1300 lb. 64.50-66.00, 12 head 66.25-67.35; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 60.50-64.85, few late sales Choice 4 few 5 1075-1325 lb. 58.00-61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 60.00-62.50; Good

including Holsteins 55.00-59.00; few Standard 54.00-57.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb. 60.75-61.25.

COWS: Utility and Commercail 1-3 48.00-51.00, few 51.00-53.25; Commercial 3-4 45.00-48.00; Cutter 1-2 47.00-49.75, few 50.00-51.00; Canner and low Cutter 44.00-

VEAL CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday vealers firm to 5.00 higher. Supply included 360 in graded sale of which 55 per cent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 140-320 lb. 105.00-113.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 85.00-105.00, 120-160 lb. 80.00-95.00, 90-120 lb. 67.00-75.00, 70-90 lb. 52.00-66.00; few Standard 60-85 lb. 50.00-55.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 50 head 90-115 lb. Holstein heifers 145.00-166.00, few 70-80 lb. 100.00-107.50; 130 head 100-120 lb. Holstein bulls 80.00-89.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test. Few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 26.00-35.00. Few Choice 70-95 lb. spring lambs 94.00-96.00.

Lancaster Auction Wednesday, April 16 Report supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

689 33 1269 Last Wednesday 44 1449 1113

Last Year 53 1060 826 Wednesday's Auction

45 1268 703 Last Wednesday's Auction 45 1448 21

877 CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers steady to 1.00 lower, most decline on high Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers 50-1.00 lower; cows mostly steady on small supply; bulls 1.00-1.50 higher on small supply. Supply included 85 per cent slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1300 lb. 63.50-64.85, one lot 1240 lb. 65.35; Choice 2-4 975-1450 lb. 61.50-64.00, few 64.00-64.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 57.00-61.50: Good 2-3 including Holsteins Commercial 1-3 46.50-48.50,

56.25-59.00; few Standard 1-2 few 49.00-51.50; Commercial 54.25-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1075 lb. 59.75-62.00, few yield grade 2 62.25-

63.50; Good 2-3 850-1000 lb. 55.00-59.00.

Utility and COWS: Commercial 1-3 48.00-51.00; Cutter 1-2 46.75-50.00, few 50.50-51.85; Canner and low Cutter 44.50-46.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-1800 lb. 59.85-63.00, few 63.75-66.85, individual 2440 lb. 57.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 56.00-60.00.

VEAL CALVES: Small supply vealers mostly steady

VEALERS: Few Choice 140-270 lb. 108.00-114.00; high Good and low Choice 120-220 1b. 75.00-95.00, 90-115 lb. 60.00-75.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts mostly steady.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 200-240 lb. 28.50-29.10, Few lots 29.25-29.35. Few Selected US 1 205-235 lb. 31.00-31.50, US 1-3 225-265 lb. 28.00-28.50.

SHEEP. No market test.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, April 17 Report supplied by auction CATTLE: 1497. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers fully steady, instances 50 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00 lower, instances 2.00 lower; cows 3.00-5.00 lower; bullocks steady to 1.00 higher; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher, around 40 head high dressing yield 1 2.00-3.00 higher. Supply included 56 per cent slaughter steers, 24 per cent cows and 15 per cent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1450 lb. 63.25-64.60. few yield 4-5 60.00-62.00; Choice yield grade 2 1050-1325 lb. 64.50-67.25; Choice 2-4 975-1400 lb. 60.50-64.00, few 64.00-64.60; Choice 4-5 1100-1425 lb. 57.75-61.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 58.50-61.25, few lots mixed Good and Choice Holsteins 56.00-58.00; Good 2-3 55.00-59.00; Standard 1-2 52.75-56.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1060 lb. 58.50-60.50, few 60.50-62.25; Good 2-3 825-1025 lb. 53.00-57.00.

3-4 43.00-46.00; Cutter 1-2 44.75-47.75, few 48.00-48.50: Canner and low Cutter 42.25-

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 59.00-61.25, couple 62.00-66.00; Good 1000-1250 lb. 54.50-57.00.

44.50

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 61.75-65.50, several 66:00-67.50, around 40 head 1400-1750 lb. 70.50-73.50; yield gradé 2 1000-1350 lb. 56.00-61.50.

VEAL CALVES: 442. Choice and Prime vealers 5.00-10.00 lower, instances 15.00 lower on Prime special fed vealers; high Good and low Choice fully steady.

VEALERS: Few Prime 220-300 lb. 110.00-118.00; Choice 130-280 lb. 93.00-108.00, few 108.00-112.00: high/Good and low Choice 120-240 lb. 80.00-100.00, 90-115 lb. 52.00-67.00, few 105-115 lb. 68.00-72.00, 70-90 lb. 48.00-58.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lb. Holstein heifers 85.00-120.00. few 138.00-163.00; Blk 85-115 lb. Holstein bulls 78.00-99.00, few 100.00-114.00.

SHEEP 59: Spring lambs and slaughter ewes steady to 3.**0**0 lower.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 85-110 lb. 65.00-70.00, few 25-45 lb. 80.00-100.00.

SLAUGHTER Utility and Good 23.00-28.00.

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54.00-57.00.

This Week

Last Week

Last Year

CATTLE:

66.25-67.35; Choice 2-4 1000-1425 lbs. 60.50-64.50 few sales 4-5 1075-1325 lbs. 57.75-61.00 high good low choice 2-3 58.50-62.00, good 2-3 56.00-60.00 several lots Good and Choice 1300-1525 lbs. Holsteins 55.00-58.00 1-2

GOATS: 31 All goats sold

by the head mainly 19.00-

Lancaster

Weekly

Friday, April 18

steers mostly steady after

early sales, .50 higher;

Slaughter heifers 1.00 lower.

extremes 2.00 lower;

Slaughter cows, uneven,

closing the week 3.00-5.00

lower New Item: Slaughter

steers, High Choice-Prime 3-

4 1100-1450 lbs. 63.25-64.85

few early week 65.00-65.85,

few yield grade 4-5 60.00-

Cattle Calves

5041

5572

4800 1125

Slaughter

1265

906

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THURSDAY'S AUCTION: 11 00 A M - Beef Sale

Order of Sale, Bulls, Fat Steers, Cows, Veal 3 30 P M - Calf Sale

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