# Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market Monday, July 21 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep** Today 117 1019 101 1571 Last Monday

1248 100 787 143 Last Year 84 1180 1018

Monday's Auction 1526 109 1021 102

Last Monday's Auction 104 838 159 1256

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Wednesday Choice and Prime slaughter steers 25-50 lower with few sales 1.00 lower, Good to low Choice steady to 50 higher; heifers steady to weak; cows 3.00-4.00 higher; bullocks firm to 1.00 higher; bulls mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1425 lb. 69.00-71.50, few 71.50-72.00; Choice 2 1150-1440 lb. 70.50-71.25, couple head 72.85-74.85; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb. 67.00-70.00, few 70.00-70.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 63.00-67.00; Good 2-3 59.00-63.50; Good to low Choice Holsteins 55.75-57.75.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 850-1075 lb. 62.50-64.75, few Choice 2 66.00-66.85; Good 2-3 825-1050 lb. 58.75-62.00.

Utility and COWS: Commercial 1-3 46.00-48.00. few 48.25-49.50; Commercial 3-4 44.00-46.00; Cutter 1-2 45.00-47.50; Canner and low Cutter 43.50-45.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1000-1300 lb. 56.00-61.00, few head 62.00-66.00; Good 1000-1250 1b. 53.50-56.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1900 lb. 56.00-59.00, few 62.00-63.10; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 51.00-55.50.

mostly steady. Demand only fair for calves returned to farm.

VEALERS: Prime 290-335 lb. 103.00-106.00; Choice 160-300 lb. 85.00-98.00, few 98.00-104.00; high Good and low Choice 125-280 lb. 75.00-90.00, 80-115 lb. 65.00-75.00 few 75.00-80.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 95.00-110.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs steady to weak.

SPRING LAMBS: Good 75-90 lb. 50.00-55.00; few lots Choice 85-100 lb. 64.00-66.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 10.50-18.00.

# Vintage Livestock

#### Tuesday, July 22 **Report supplied by USDA**

**Cattle Cavles Sheep** Today 1070 742 22

Last Tuesday 1003 780

Last Year 1425 774

last Tuesday slaughter steers firm to 50 higher; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 4.00-6.00 higher; bulls weak to 1.00 lower. Supply included 77% slaughter steers and 16% COWS.

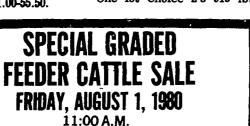
SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1400 lb. 68.75-71.50, few 71.50-72.00; Choice 2 1050-1350 lb. 70.50-72.25, few head 72.50-73.85; Choice 2-4 1000-1375 lb. 66.75-70.00, several lots 70.00-70.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 63.00-67.50; Good 2-3 59.00-64.00; Good and Choice 1235-1500 lb.

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Holsteins 54.00-57.50. **SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** One lot Choice 2-3 915 lb.



400 HEAD ON SALE All Breeds - All Weights

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 63.85; few Good 2-3 680-900 lb. 55.00-58.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 46.50-49.50, few 51.25-52.75; Cutter 1-2 44.50-49.00; Canner and low Cutter 43.00-44.50. BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 53.00-55.00; yield grade 2 1000-1300 lb. 51.00-53.00.

**VEAL CALVES: Vealers** weak to 5.00 lower, with high Good and low Choice 60-120 lb. fully 10.00 lower. Supply included 462 in graded sale of which 57% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Prime 285-340 lb. 101.00-109.00; choice 140-300 lb. 90.00-99.00; high Good and low Choice 120-260 lb. 72.00-88.00, 90-115 lb. 64.00-70.00, 60-85 lb. 55.00-65.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 32 head 100-125 lb. Holstein heifers 143.00-160.00; 33 head 90-105 lb. 110.00-130.00; few 80-95 lb. small frame 83.00-96.00. 31 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 99.00-100.00; 110 head 100-115 lb. 107.00-111.00; 41 head 90-95 lb. 80.00. SHEEP: Insufficient CATTLE: Compared to - volume for a market test; few Good 50-75 lb. spring slaughter lambs 47.00-54.00.

### Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, July 23 **Report supplied by USDA** Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

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CATTLE: Compared to Monday Prime slaughter steers 2.00-2.50 higher, Choice 1.00-1.50 higher, Good to low Choice firm to 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 higher on small supply; cows 1.50-2.50 higher; bullocks not tested; bulls steady to 1.00 higher. Supply included 84% slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1450 lb. 71.50-73.60; couple lots 73.85-74.35;

71.35; high Good and low 54.75; Canner and low Cutter Choice 2-3 1000-1400 lb. 65.50-68.75; few Good 2-3 1000-1250 lb. 60.00-65.75; Good and Choice 1150-1400 lb. Holsteins 54.60-56.60, few head Choice 57.60-59.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 850-1050 lb. 63.00-66.00; few Choice 2 900-1050 lb. 67.25-69.00; Good 2-3 825-1025 lb. 56.75-60.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 47.50-50.50, few 51.50-52.75; Commercial 3-4 45:00-50.00; Cutter 1-2 47.75-50.00; few Canner and low Cutter 40.00-43.50.

BULLS: 14 head yield 1 1130-1460 lb. 60.35-64.85; yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb. 54.75-59.75, three head 2090-2240 lb 55.85-58.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 52.00-54.50.

VEAL CALVES: Choice and Prime vealers absent; high good and low Choice 60-115 lb. mostly 10.00 lower.

VEALERS: High Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. 55.00-70.00, few 60-85 lb.

40.00-55.00 SHEEP: None.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, July 24 **Report supplied by USDA** CATTLE: 1580. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 50 higher; slaughter heifers fully steady on small supply; cows 6.00-8.00 bulls 1.00-1.50 higher; higher. Supply included 72 per cent slaughter steers; 13 per cent cows and 11 per cent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1375 lbs. 70.75-73.00, few head 73.00-74.00; Choice 2 1000-1325 lbs. 71.25-73.60; Choice 2-4 975-1400 lbs. 67.50-71.00, few lot 71.00-71.85; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lbs. 65.75-69.00; Good 2-3 59.50-66.00; Good and Choice 1200-1400 lbs. Holsteins 55.00-58.85, couple lots Choice 1000-1200 lbs. 59.25-60.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 880-1100 lbs. 63.10-66.25, few Choice 2 1050-1125 lbs. 67.60-68.00.

COWS: Utility and

44.00-46.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lbs. 55.00-59,50, few 59.75-62.25; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 52.00-56.50.

VEAL CALVES: 552. Vealers uneven, Choice and Prime mostly steady, instances 5.00 higher on Prime; high Good and low Choice 10.00 lower, instances 15 lower on 60-85 lbs. Demand fair for calves returned to farm.

VEALERS: Prime 240-340 lbs. 100.00-109.00, few 110.00-115.00; Choice 160-300 lbs. 78.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lbs. 72.00-85.00, 90-115 lbs. 60.00-70.00, few 70.00-75.00; 60-85 lbs. 50.00-60.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-115 lbs. Holstein bulls 95.00-113.00, several 80-100 lbs. 75.00-95.00; few 95-115 lbs. Holstein heifers 140.00-165.00, several 80-100 lbs. 80.00-110.00.

SHEEP: 54. Small supply spring lambs steady to

40-60 lbs. 47.00-57.00.

Last Year Slaughter CATTLE: steers closed the week firm to mostly .50 higher; slaughter heifers fully

This Week

Last Week

steady on small supply; cows progressively higher throughout the week with closing sales 6.00-8.00 higher; bullocks firm to 1.00 higher; bulls 1.00-1.50 higher. Supply included 72 per cent slaughter steers, 4 per cent slaughter heifers, 9 per cent cows, 8 per cent

bulls. SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1100-1425 lbs. 70.50-73.00, few 73.00-74.35; Choice Grade 2 1050-1350 lbs. 71.25-73.50, couple 73.50-74.50; Choice 2-4 1000-1400 lbs. 67.50-71.00, several lots 71.00-71.85, high Good and low Choice 2-3

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weak. LEBANON SPRING LAMBS: Choice 65-90 lbs. 58.00-64.00; Good VALLEY MARKET, INC. B&R CATTLE CO. RD1, Marietta, PA 1 mile East of 17547 Fredericksburg Office Phone: along Route 22 (717) 653-8164 PHONE: Specializing In JONESTOWN Stockers & Feeders 865-2881 JOHN BRAMAN Ph: (717) 653-5728 Sale every Tuesday at 1:30 P.M. starting with **RON RANCK** feeder cattle and pigs. Ph: (717) 656-9849 Also Hay Sale every Tuesday at 12:30. . . . HAY, STRAW & CORN --- SALE ---**Every Friday at 12 Noon GREEN DRAGON MARKET & AUCTION** RD No. 4 Ephrata, Pa. 717-733-2334 1 mile North of Ephrata on N. State St. Out of State Buyers - Cash or Certified Check Only 1 1 1 1 1 1 TT. NEW HOLLAND The Action Auction make the difference in AUCTIONS marketing livestock! makes the difference NEW HOLLAND in auctions! MONDAY'S AUCTION: 8 00 A M - Fat Hogs 10 00 A M - Horse Sale 11 00 A M - Hay, Straw & Ear Corn 1 30 P M - Fat Steers, Bulls, Cows & Veal WEDNESDAY'S AUCTION 12 00 Noon - Dairy Sale 1 30 P M - Feeder Pig Sale THURSDAY'S AUCTION: 11 00 A M - Beef Sale Order of Sale, Bulls, Fat Steers, Cows, Veal 3 30 P M - Calf Sale NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES INC. New Holland, PA Abram W. Diffenbach, Manager Phone: 717-354-4341

# Lancaster Weekly

Friday, July 25 Report supplied by auction Cattle Calves

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