Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, February 2 Report supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep**

| Today | | | 0 | |
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| Tuay | 914 | 123 | 804 | 240 |
| Last Mon | | | | |
| | 1267 | 113 | 1048 | 114 |
| Last Yea | r | | | |
| | 540 | 124 | 870 | 92 |
| Monday's | s Auctio | n | | |
| | 822 | 126 | 868 | 256 |
| Last Mon | day's A | uction | | |

1284 118 1115 152 CATTLE Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers 50-1 00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows steady, instances 1.00 lower; bullocks fully steady, bulls 100-200 higher Supply included 67% slaughter steers, 12% bulls, 12% cows, with the balance slaughter heifers

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 3-4 1225-1425 lb. 62.50-63 85, few lots mostly 4 61 25-61.75; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1400 in 64.00-65.25; Choice 2-3 1000-1275 lb 61 50-64 00, 3-4 1225-1425 lb 58.00-61.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lb 60.50-63 00; Good 2-3 58.75-61.50; Good and Choice 1025-1425 lb. Holsteins 55 50-58 25: Standard 1-2 53 00-56.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-3 900-1050 lb 59.00-62 00, few yield grade 2 64 75-67.25; Good 2-3 850-1000 lb 53 25-59.00

COWS. Utility and Commercial 1-3 45 50-48 50, few 48 75-49.75, Cutter 1-2 43 25-46 50, few 47 00-48 00, Canner and low Cutter 38.50-42 50

BULLOCKS Choice 1050-1300 lb 61 00-65.00, couple 68 00-68 75, Good 1000-1250 lb 55.75-60 00, few 60 00-62 25

BULLS Yield grade 1 1300-1800 lb 59 00-63.50, few 64 00-67.00; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb 54 75-60 00, few 900-1050 lb. 51.75-54 50

VEAL CALVES Vealers mostly steady. Fair demand for Holstein bulls returned to farm.

VEALERS. Prime special fed 300-360 lb 85.00-100.00, around 20 head 105 00, Choice 120-235 lb 85 00-100 00; high Good and low Choice 140-250 lb. 75 00-85 00, 80-115 lb. 50,00-60.00 few 60.00-68 00.

RETURNED TO FARM Few 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 80 00-90 00 SHEEP: Wooled lambs generally 2.00-3 00 lower, few sale steady; slaughter ewes steady

WOOLED LAMBS Choice 85-105 lb. 55.00-60.00, few 60 00-61 00; Choice 110-125 lb. 53.00-55.00; Good 60-85 lb. 45.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 27.00-33.00.

Vintage Livestock

Tuesday, February 3 **Report supplied by USDA** Cattle Calves Sheep Today 889 665 16 Last Tuesday

929 683 11 Last Year 816 661 22

Compared to last Cattle fuesday slaughter steers 1 00-2.00 lower; slaughter heifers not fully tested, cows steady to 1 00 lower, with the decline mainly on Utility and Commercial, bulls and bullocks not tested Supply included 65% slaughter steers and 30% cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1430 lb 61 00-64 00, few head 64 00-65 00, Good and Choice 1-2 1025-1350 lb 64 50-65 75, 14 head 66 00-67 60, seven head 68 00-71.75; Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 60 50-63.10, few 63 25-63 75, Choice 3-4 1175-1450 lb 56 60-61 50, few lots mostly 4 55 00-56 50, high Good and low Choice 2-3 57 00-61 00; few Good 2-3 53 75-56.50, Good and Choice 1200-1510 lb Holsteins 55 00-56 25, few Standard 1-2 50 00-54 50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-3 875-1150 lb 57 25-60 60, couple yield grade 2 62 00-63 00

COWS Utility and Commercial 1-3 44 25-47 00, tew 47 00-49.25, Cutter 1-2 42 50-45 75, few 46.00-47 75, Canner and low Cutter 39 50-42 50

BULLS Few yield grade 1-2 1400-1900 lb 55 00-59 25

VEAL CALVES Vealers firm to 5 00 higher Supply included 520 in graded sale of which 67% sold to return to farm

VEALERS Choice 140-250 lb 96 00-102 00, tew 104 00-109 00, high Good and low Choice 160-210 lb 74 00-90.00 115-160 lb 73 00-82 00, 85-115 lb 64 00-73.00, 60-85 lb 55 00-65 00

REFURNED IO FARM 100 head 90-120 lb Holstein heiters 112 00-140 00, and 250 head 90-125 Ib Holstein bulls 93 00-102 00 SHEEP Insufficient volume for a market test

> Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, February 4 **Report supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep** Today

549 38 1101 Last Wednesday 698 29 1 418 Last Year 28 1115 483

Wednesday's Auction 38 1141 17 549 Last Wednesday's Auction

29 691 1 473 CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances 50 lower, slaughter heifers steady; cows steady to 50 lower, instances 100 lower; bullocks not tested, few sales bulls steady. Supply included 76% slaughter steers, 12% cows, 8% heifers, balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1375 lb 61 60-64.00, couple head 64.10-64 75; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1350 lb 63 75-64 25, couple 65 60-66 00; Choice 2-3 1050-1375 lb 60.50-63 60, Choice 3-4 1100-1450 lb 57.50-61 50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 57-00-61 75; few Good 1-2 56 50-59 00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS. Choice 2-3 900-1100 lb 58.75-62 25, few yield grade 2 63.50-65 60, few head Good 850-975 lb 56.00-59 00.

COWS Utility and Commercial 1-3 44 25-47 00, couple 47 00-48.50, Commercial 3-4 38.25-42 25; Cutter 1-2 43 50-46.25; Canner and low Cutter 39.50-42 25

BULLS: Couple yield grade 1 1500-1850 lb. 59 75-61.25, yield grade 2 1200-1500 lb 55 25-58 50

VEAL CALVES. Vealers mostly steady

VEALERS. Couple head low Choice 150-200 lb 80 00-90 00; high Good and low Choice 80-120 lb 50 00-60.00, few 100-115 lb. 60 00-70 00

RETURNED TO FARM Few 90-120 lb. Holstein bulls 75 00-85 00 SHEEP: Insufficient volume for

market test Few Utility а slaughter ewes 25 00-26 00

New Holland Livestock Thursday, February 5 Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep

This Week 874 437 -30 Last Thursday 931 523 5 723 455 Last Year Compared to last CATTLE Thursday Slaughter Steers 100-1 50 lower, instances 2 00 lower, Slaughter Heifers 50-1 00 lower, cows weak to 1 00 lower, instances 2rd off Bullocks steady to weak, bulls fully steady Supply included 56 per cent Slaughter Steers, 28 per cent Cows, 8 per cent Slaughter Heifers and 8 per cent Bulls

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1400 lb 61 35-63 25, Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1450 lb 63.25-65 50, five head 67 75-70 00, Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb 60 75-62 75, Choice 3-4 1200-1425 lb 57 75-60 50, few lots mostly 4 1200-1450 lb 55 00-58 50; high Good and low Choice 2 1000-1375 lb 59 00-61 50, few Good 2-3 55 00-59 50, Good and Choice Holstein 56 75-58 50, couple head 59 00-60 75 few standard 1-2 52 00-56 50

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-3 800-1050 lb 57 75-60 50, few yield grade 2 61 50-62 25, Good 2-3 800-1100 lb 54 50-58 50

COWS Utility and Commercial 1-3 44 00-47 00, few 47 25-49 50, Commercial 3-4 42 00-44 00, Cutter 1-2 42 50-46 50 few 46 75-48 25, Canner and Low Cutter 38 00-42 50 BULLOCKS Choice 1050-1350 lb 58 25-63 25, few 65 00-66 50, Good

1000-1250 lb 55 50-58 50 BULLS Yield Grade 1 1400-1950

lb 57 50-62 25, few 63 25-66 50, yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb 53 25-57 50

VEAL CALVES Vealers mostly steady, demand good for calves returned to farm

VEALERS- Prime Special Fed 329-375 lb 97 00-105 00, choice 140-270 lb 95 00-110 00, few 112 00-120 00, High Good and Low Choice 125-240 lb 75 00-93 00, 80-120 lb 64 00-70 00, few 110-125 lb 70 00-80 00, few 60-80 lb 55 00-64 00

RETURNED TO FARM Bulk 80-120 lb Holstein Bulls 86 00-100 00, few 100 00-106 00, bulk 90-115 lb Holstein Heifers 90 00-110 00 few 110 00-125 00

SHEEP Insufficient volume for a market test, few Good and Choice 70-110 lb Wooled Lambs 51 00-59 00

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, February 6, 1981

| | Cattle Calves | | |
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| This Week | 3300 | 1275 | |
| Last Week | 3704 | 1355 | |
| Last Year | 2757 | 1267 | |

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1 00-1 50 lower, instances 2.00 lower, slaughter heifers 50-1 00 lower. cows weak to 1.00 lower, extremes 2 00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls generally 100 higher Supply included 62 per cent slaughter steers, 21 per cent cows, 6 per cent bulls, 6 per cent heifers with the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1450 lbs 61 00-64 00, few head 64 00-65 00, Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1400 lbs 63 25-65.50, around 30 head 65 50-67.50. extremes 68.00-70.00; choice 2-3 1050-1325 lbs. 60.50-63.50, 3-4 1225-1450 lbs 57 00-61.50, few lots mostly Grade 4 1200-1450 lbs 55 00-58 50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1375 lbs 57 00-61.50, Good 1-2 55.00-59 00; Good and Choice 1025-1425 lb holsteins 55 00-58 50, few head 59.00-60 75, Standard 1-2 50 00-56.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-3 850-1150 lbs. 57 75-62 25. few Yield Grade 2 62.50-67 25; Good 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 54.50-59 00

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 44.00-47.00, few 47 00-49 75, Commercial 3-4 38 25-44.00, Cutter 1-2 42 50-46.50, few 46 75-48 25, Canner and low Cutter 38 50-42 50

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lbs 58.25-65.00, few 65 00-68 75, Good 1000-1250 lbs 53 25-60 00

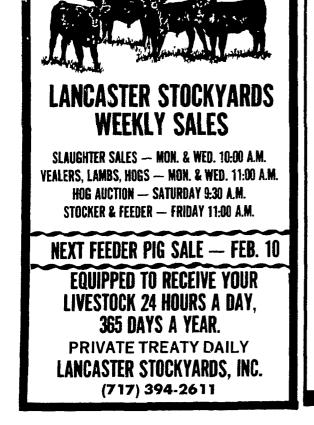
BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1300-1950 lbs 57 50-62.25, few 62 50-67 00 Yield Grade 2 1000-1450 lbs 53 25-60 00, few 900-1050 lbs 50 00-54 00

VEAL CALVES Vealers mostly steady, instances 500 higher on high Good and low Choice 60-120 lbs Demand good for calves returned to farm

VEALERS Prime special fed 290-380 lbs 88 00-100.00, few 100 00-105 00, Choice 140-270 lbs 92 00-110 00, few 110 00-120.00, high Good and low Choice 125-240 lbs 73 00-93 00, 80-120 lbs 64 00-70 00, few 110-125 lbs 70 00-80.00, 60-85 lbs 55 00-65 00

RETURNED TO FARM Bulk 80-120 lb Holstein bulls 86 00-100 00, few 100 00-106 00; bulk 90-120 lb Holstein Heifers 90 00-125 00, few 125 00-140.00





SALE EVERY TUESDAY - 11 A.M. WEEKLY: WED. & SAT. - 9 A.M. EVERY THURSDAY — 12:30 P.M. HAY & STRAW & GRAIN SALE Get calves in early We start to grade FOR MARKETING INFORMATION HOME PHONE 215-458-5060 L. ROBERT FRAME. MANAGER Box 100 10 miles East of Lancaster on Rt 30