

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, April 6, 1981

Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1002	112	1041	763
Last Monday	875	78	1144	287
Last Year	813	79	1014	43
Monday's Auction	997	117	1092	777
Last Monday's Auction	807	79	1274	204

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers fully steady, instances .50 lower on Good and Choice Holsteins; slaughter heifers steady; cows steady to 1.00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls steady to weak. Supply included 72% slaughter steers, 14% cows, 8% bulls and balance slaughter heifers

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS. High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1375 lb 62.50-64.10, few lots mostly 4 1200-1350 lb. 61.50-62.50; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1300 lb. 62.50-64.00, few 64.00-65.00; Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb 60.25-63.25; choice 3 to mostly 4 1150-1350 lb. 59.00-60.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 57.50-60.75; Good 2-3 55.00-57.50; Good and choice 1175-1450 lb Holsteins 53.00-55.00, few mostly Choice 55.50-56.25; Standard 1-2 50.00-53.25

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2-3 875-1050 lb 57.85-60.35, few head Choice 2 63.75-66.25.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 42.75-45.50, few 45.50-46.25; Cutter 1-2 41.00-43.75, few 43.75-44.50; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.00

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb 57.00-60.50, few 61.00-64.10; Good 1000-1250 lb. 52.50-55.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1900 lb 54.50-59.00, few 59.50-1.75, couple 62.75-64.10; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 52.00-54.75.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady; demand good for calves to return to farm

VEALERS. High Choice and Prime 280-350 lb. 115.00-122.00; choice 180-290 lb. 95.00-112.00; high

Good and low Choice 130-250 lb 80.00-95.00, 115-130 lb 65.00-75.00, 85-115 lb. 50.00-62.00, few 60-80 lb. 40.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM Bulk 85-115 lb Holstein bulls 75.00-90.00, few 90.00-100.00; few 90-115 lb Holstein heifers 125.00-146.00

SHEEP Supply mainly 20-80 lb spring lambs sold to the Easter trade, slaughter ewes fully steady

SPRING LAMBS Few Choice 20-27 lb 170.00-182.50; choice 30-39 lb 145.00-162.50, one lot 36 lb 172.50, choice 40-49 lb 125.00-150.00, few 155.00-160.00, choice 50-59 lb 88.00-105.00, few 120.00-132.00; Choice 70-95 lb 80.00-96.00; few Good 70-85 lb 65.00-75.00

SLAUGHTER EWES Utility and Good 28.00-37.00

GOATS: All sold by the head at mainly 30.00-37.00

Vintage Livestock

Tuesday, April 7, 1981

Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1277	636	355	32
Last Tues	1278	742	21	3
Last Year	1183	633	24	2

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers mostly .50 lower; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows firm to .50 higher; bullocks not tested; bulls 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 73% slaughter steers and 20% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 3-4 1075-1400 lb. 62.25-64.50, few 64.50-65.35; Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1375 lb 63.75-65.50, 12 head 66.00-67.00; Choice 2-4 975-1400 lb. 60.25-63.25, few 63.35-63.85; Choice 3-4 1150-1325 lb. 58.00-61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 58.50-61.00; Good 2-3 54.75-59.00; Good and Choice 1175-1475 lb Holsteins 54.00-55.50, few choice 55.75-56.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.75-46.25, couple 47.00-48.25; Commercial 3-4 41.50-43.50; Cutter 1-2 42.50-45.50, few 45.50-47.00, couple 48.50-49.50; Canner and low Cutter 38.75-43.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1900

lb. 53.50-56.50, couple 56.50-59.00; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb 51.00-54.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, although high Good and low Choice 60-115 lb. weak to 5.00 lower. Supply included 470 in graded sale of which 50% sold to return to farm

VEALERS: Choice 170-280 lb 102.00-109.00; high Good and low Choice 125-240 lb 76.00-90.00, 90-125 lb. 50.00-64.50 few 64.00-75.00, 70-85 lb 46.00-52.00, few Standard 60-105 lb 30.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM 75 head 90-125 lb. Holstein heifers 156.00-179.00; 25 head 80-90 lb small frame 69.00-98.00 135 head 100-120 lb Holstein bulls 75.00-79.00

SHEEP Supply mainly 20-50 lb spring lambs sold to the Easter trade. Woolled lambs fully steady Slaughter ewes steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 20-29 lb. 135.00-144.00; Choice 30-39 lb 122.00-138.00, 40-49 lb 89.00-112.00 few 112.00-116.00; Choice 50-60 lb 80.00-90.00, few 60-95 lb. 62.00-75.00; Good 40-50 lb. 75.00-90.00, 50-59 lb 70.00-80.00.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 50-95 lb. 59.00-72.00

SLAUGHTER EWES Utility and Good 17.00-28.00

GOATS: All goats sold by the head at mainly 33.00-42.00, few 22.00-28.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, April 8

Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	805	30	1037	19
Last Wednesday	495	27	674	10
Last Year	877	45	1448	21
Wednesday's Auction	625	33	1014	19
Last Wednesday's Auction	349	27	777	10

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers not tested; cows steady to weak; bullocks absent; bulls firm, instances 1.00 higher on yield grade 1 Supply included 79% slaughter steers, 12% cows and 8% bulls

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1180-1420 lb 62.25-64.00, few mainly 4 61.10-62.00, few head Choice 2 1150-1250 lb 63.00-64.75; Choice 2-4 950-1350 lb 60.50-62.50, high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1300 lb. 58.00-61.00; Good 2-3 57.00-59.75; Good and Choice 1150-1585 lb Holsteins 54.00-56.75

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Couple Choice 3 950-1025 lb 58.50-58.85

COWS Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.00-44.60, couple 45.00-45.75; Commercial 3-4 41.50-42.75; Cutter 1-2 40.75-43.75, Canner and low Cutter 38.50-40.50

BULLS Yield grade 1 1450-1800 lb. 56.50-59.50, couple 1835-2100 lb 59.35-62.00; yield grade 2 1050-1400 lb 51.00-55.00, few 950-1050 lb 49.50-51.00

VEAL CALVES Insufficient volume for a market test Few high Good and low Choice 85-115 lb 45.00-55.00, couple 60-80 lb. 40.00-45.00

RETURNED TO FARM Few 85-110 lb Holstein bulls 75.00-91.00

SHEEP: No market test

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, April 9

Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1165	471	992	124
Last Thurs	1078	511	30	54
Last Year	1338	509	26	6

CATTLE Compared to last Thursday Slaughter Steers mostly steady, Slaughter Heifers steady; Cows fully 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher, Bullocks fully steady; Bulls steady Supply included 60 per cent Slaughter Steers, 26 per cent Cows, 9 per cent Bulls and 5 per cent Slaughter Heifers

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1425 lb 62.85-65.25, few 65.25-65.60; Choice 2 1050-1275 lb 63.00-65.50, few 65.50-66.25; Choice 2-4 975-1350 lb 60.25-63.00, few 63.00-63.60, Choice 3 to mostly 4 1150-1425 lb 57.50-61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 57.75-61.00; Good 2-3 55.00-58.50; Good and Choice Holsteins 54.25-56.75, few Choice 56.75-57.75, Standard 1-2 50.50-54.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice 2 925-1075 lb. 60.50-61.25, Choice 2-3 900-1100 lb 57.25-60.25, few Good 2-3 850-1050 lb 53.50-57.50

COWS Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.50-47.00, few 47.00-48.00, Commercial 3-4 41.25-43.50; Cutter 1-2 43.00-46.50, several 46.50-47.25, Canner and Low Cutter 39.75-43.50

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb 54.75-60.00, couple 62.50-65.75, Good 1000-1300 lb 52.00-54.75

BULLS. Yield Grade 1 1450-1950 lb 55.00-59.00, couple 59.00-60.00, few 2000-2200 lb. 52.60-55.00; Yield Grade 2 1000-1400 lb 50.00-54.50

VEAL CALVES Vealers uneven, mostly steady although Prime weak to 5.00 lower and high Good to low Choice firm to 5.00 higher Demand Good for Calves returned to farm and bulk of 75-115 lb sold this way

VEALERS Prime 260-350 lb 110.00-120.00; Choice 160-300 lb 98.00-110.00; High Good and low Choice 125-250 lb 85.00-100.00, 80-125 lb 55.00-65.00, few 65.00-70.00, few 60-75 lb. 45.00-55.00

RETURNED TO FARM Bulk 85-115 lb Holstein Heifers 80.00-105.00, few 120.00-147.00; bulk 80-115 lb. Holstein Bulls 70.00-90.00, few 90.00-95.00

SHEEP Supply mainly 20-60 lb Spring Lambs sold to the Easter Trade Slaughter Ewes steady

SPRING LAMBS Choice 20-40 lb 125.00-140.00, few 20-30 lb 140.00-150.00 Choice 40-60 lb 69.00-90.00, few 90.00-95.00; few Choice 60-80 lb 60.00-75.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES Utility and Good 16.00-32.00, few 32.00-38.00

GOATS All Goats sold by the head mainly 28.00-44.00, few 44.00-56.00

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, April 10

Cattle Calves	4800	1260
This Week	4404	1365
Last Week	5041	1265
Last Year		

CATTLE: Slaughter steers uneven, generally steady to .50 lower although late sales steady;

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LANCASTER STOCKYARDS WEEKLY SALES

SLAUGHTER SALES — MON. & WED. 10:00 A.M.
VEALERS, LAMBS, HOGS — MON. & WED. 11:00 A.M.
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