

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, August 2
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1046	144	705	231
Last Monday	1227	143	712	352
Last Year	867	101	1092	154
Monday's Auction	1086	151	719	237
Last Monday's Auction	1250	117	715	336

CATTLE: Compared to last Wednesday slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher, instances 2.50 higher on Choice and Prime over 1175 lb.; slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 higher, with Utility and Commercial as much as 4.00 higher; bullocks steady to weak; bulls 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 72% slaughter steers, 9% heifers, 10% cows, and 9% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1160-1450 lbs. 68.75-71.75, around 60 head 72.00-73.60; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lbs. 65.00-68.00, few 1175-1350 lbs. 68.50-70.25; Choice 2-3 975-1050 lbs. 63.00-65.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lbs. 60.00-64.50; Good 2-3 58.50-62.00; Good and Choice 1150-1350 lbs. Holsteins 54.00-57.50, few Choice 57.50-61.00; Standard 1-2 48.00-53.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 825-1075 lbs. 57.50-62.50, few yield grade 2 62.50-63.75; Good 2-3 800-1050 lbs. 54.00-57.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 46.50-49.00, few 49.75-51.00; Cutter 1-2 41.75-45.00, few 45.00-46.50; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lbs. 55.50-57.50, couple 60.50-61.50, individual 1250 lb. 64.00; Good 1000-1300 lb. 50.50-55.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2000 lbs. 50.50-53.75, few 54.00-55.00, couple 57.85-61.00; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 47.00-50.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady to weak, with high Good and low Choice 70-115 lb. 5.00-10.00 lower. Demand fair for calves to return to farm.

VEALERS: One lot Prime special fed 320 lb. bought to arrive at 115.00; Choice 160-320 lb. 75.00-85.00, couple 85.00-88.00; high Good and low Choice 120-270 lb. 60.00-75.00, 80-115 lb. 45.00-55.00, few 65-75 lb. 40.00-46.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-85.00; couple 95-115 lb. Holstein heifers

80.00-90.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs uneven, few Choice and Prime firm to 2.00 higher, Good 3.00-5.00 lower; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 lower.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 60.00-64.00; Good 50-85 lbs. 40.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 10.00-25.00, mainly 13.00-17.00.

Vintage Livestock

Tuesday, August 3
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1194	960	18	12
Last Tuesday	1106	973	28	13
Last Year	1360	804	30	

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows uneven, Utility and Commercial .50-1.00 lower, Canner and low Cutter firm to .50 higher; bullocks not fully tested; bulls mostly steady. Supply included 73 percent slaughter steers and 22 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1450 lb. 69.75-73.35, 10 head 73.60-74.10; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb. 65.75-69.00, few 69.00-70.00, 950-1050 lb. 63.00-66.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1350 lb. 62.00-65.75; Good 2-3 57.00-61.75; Good and Choice 1150-1500 lb. Holsteins 54.50-60.00, couple Choice 62.10.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.75-46.00, few 46.00-47.25; Commercial 3-4 41.00-44.00; Cutter 1-2 41.75-44.25, few 44.50-47.50; Canner and low Cutter 40.00-41.50, several 800-1050 lb. 36.00-40.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1150-1350 lb. 53.25-56.00, couple Choice 56.50-60.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1850 lb. 50.75-54.00, couple 55.50-58.25; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 47.50-50.50.

VEAL CALVES: Choice and Prime vealers not fully tested; high Good and low Choice steady, instances 5.00 higher. Supply included 624 in graded sale of which 51 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 170-250 lb. 72.00-78.00; high Good and low Choice 140-250 lb. 57.00-72.00, 115-140 lb. 54.00-70.00, 90-115 lb. 49.00-53.00, 70-90 lb. 45.00-51.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 37 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 72.00-

74.00; 18 head 90-95 lb. 52.00; and 15 head small frame 100-105 lb. 54.00. 161 head 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 79.00-83.00; 73 head 90-95 lb. 52.50-54.50; and 11 head small frame 110-115 lb. 53.50.

SHEEP: Small supply spring lambs mostly steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Few Choice 40-70 lb. 53.00-59.00, couple Good 43.00-49.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, mainly 29.00-40.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, August 4
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	420	42	991	0
Last Wednesday	205	26	793	2
Last Year	356	58	839	11

Wednesday's Auction
340 47 985 0

Last Wednesday's Auction
256 26 761 0

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers firm to .50 higher, although high Choice and Prime not fully tested, Standard and Good Holsteins .50-1.00 lower; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows 1.00-1.50 lower, although Utility and Commercial not fully tested; small supply bulls 2.00-4.00 higher. Supply included 70 percent slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1275 lb. 70.25-71.00; Choice 2-4 1075-1275 lb. 65.00-69.00, few 69.00-70.50; Choice 2-3 940-1075 lb. 63.50-67.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1250 lb. 62.50-66.00; Good 2-3 59.00-62.50; Good 1125-1350 lb. Holsteins 52.00-54.25; Standard 1-2 48.00-51.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1100 lb. 58.00-62.00; Good 800-1000 lbs. 55.00-59.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 44.00-45.50; Cutter 1-2 40.50-44.50; Canner and low Cutter 36.50-40.00; several 875-1050 lb. Utility and Commercial beef breed 34.50-38.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-2350 lb. 52.00-56.25. Few Choice 985-1100 lb. bullocks 55.75-59.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly

steady.

VEALERS: High Good and low Choice 120-280 lb. 60.00-75.00, 80-115 lb. 47.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Good and Choice 250-400 lb. 52.00-65.00.

SHEEP: None.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, August 5
Report supplied by USDA

CATTLE 1824: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 1.50-2.50 higher with some sales high Choice and Prime 4.00 higher; slaughter heifers small supply slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 higher; cows steady to .50 higher; bullocks steady to weak; bulls steady. Supply included 76 percent slaughter steers and 14 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1140-1385 lb. 69.60-72.50, around 65 head 72.60-69.75, mainly 66.00-68.50; Choice 2-3 925-1050 lb. 62.75-66.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1200 lb. 61.75-65.50; Good 2-3 58.50-62.75; Good and Choice 1075-1450 lb. Holsteins 54.00-57.50, few Choice 58.00-61.00; Standard 1-2 47.50-54.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Prime 2-3 1090-1100 lb. 65.75-68.50; Choice 2-3 900-1100 lb. 60.00-64.00; Good 2-3 750-1025 lb. 53.75-57.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 44.00-45.50, few 45.50-46.75; Commercial 3-4 42.75-44.00; Cutter 1-2 41.50-44.25, few 44.75-46.00; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Good 1025-1300 lb. 52.00-55.00, couple Choice 55.00-58.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1145-1900 lb. 51.00-54.50, couple 54.50-56.50; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 49.00-51.50.

VEAL CALVES: 558. Vealers weak to 4.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 180-320 lb. 80.00-95.00, few 95.00-98.00; high Good and low Choice 180-320 lb. 65.00-80.00, 120-160 lb. 55.00-66.00, 80-115 lb. 40.00-50.00, few 52.00, 60-80 lb. 34.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-80.00,

80-90 lb. 60.00-70.00.

SHEEP: 33. Insufficient volume for spring lambs for a market test; slaughter ewes firm to 5.00 higher.

SPRING LAMBS: Few Choice 110-125 lb. 59.00-61.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 21.00-29.00.

GOATS: 4. No market test.

Lancaster Co. Weekly

Friday, August 6
Cattle Calves

This Week	4600	1710
Last Week	4514	1717
Last Year	4208	1470

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher with some sales high Choice and Prime as much as 4.00 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows closed the week firm to .50 higher; bullocks steady to weak; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 71 per cent slaughter steers, 4 per cent slaughter heifers, 15 per cent cows, 5 per cent bulls with the balance feeder steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1140-1450 lbs. 69.50-72.50, around 75 head 72.75-75.80; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lbs. 64.50-70.00, mainly 66.00-68.50; Choice 2-3 925-1050 lbs. 62.75-66.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1350 lbs. 61.75-65.50, Good 2-3 58.50-62.75; Good and Choice 1075-1450 lb. holsteins 54.00-57.50, few Choice 57.50-61.00, Standard 1-2 47.50-54.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Prime 2-3 1090-1100 lbs. 65.75-68.50; Choice 2-3 825-1100 lbs. 57.50-62.50, Choice 62.50-64.00; Good 2-3 750-1050 lbs. 53.75-57.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 43.75-46.00, few 46.00-47.25, Commercial 3-4 41.50-44.00, Cutter 1-2 41.50-44.25, few 44.50-47.50, Canner and low Cutter 38.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lbs. 55.00-57.50, few 58.00-61.50; Good 1000-1300 lbs. 50.50-56.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1350-2000 lbs. 50.50-54.50, few 54.50-56.00, couple 57.00-61.00; Yield Grade 2 1000-1350 lbs. 47.00-51.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak to 4.00 lower. Demand good for holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: One lot Prime

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12:00 Noon - Dairy Sale
1:30 P.M. - Feeder Pig Sale

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