

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Jan. 31
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	870	120	1071	250
Last Monday	858	139	998	144
Last Year	1115	114	855	159
Monday's Auction	917	62	1062	247
Last Monday's Auction	915	116	1041	143

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers 50 to mostly 1.00 higher; heifers weak to 50 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 lower; bullocks steady to 1.00 higher; bulls mostly steady, instances 1.00 lower on yield grade 1. Supply included 67% slaughter steers, 13% heifers, 11% cows, and 9% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1240-1525 lb. 63.00-64.35, few mostly 4 1450-1850 lb. 62.00-62.75; few Choice 2-3 1150-1400 lb. 63.00-64.10; Choice 2-4 1000-1450 lb. 61.00-63.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1450 lb. 58.80-61.00, several mostly yield grade 2 61.00-61.85; Good 2-3 950-1350 lb. 53.00-59.25; Good and Choice 1165-1500 lb. Holsteins 52.00-55.00; few Standard 1-2 49.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1100 lb. 58.00-61.75, few yield grade 2 61.75-62.60; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 53.75-57.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 41.00-43.50, few 44.00-45.00; Commercial 3-4 35.00-40.00; Cutter 1-2 38.00-42.00, few 42.00-42.50; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-38.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb. 58.75-60.50, few 61.00-62.10; Good 1000-1275 lb. 53.25-57.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-2150 lb. 51.00-55.25, few 56.00-59.75; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 48.75-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 3.00 higher on high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Prime special fed 250-320 lb. 120.00-125.00; Choice 160-280 lb. 100.00-112.00, couple 112.00-120.00; high Good and low Choice 160-250 lb. 80.00-100.00, 115-160 lb. 65.00-80.00, 80-115 lb. 55.00-65.00, few 60-70 lb. 50.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-475 lb. 55.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-115 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-95.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs 2.00-4.00 higher; slaughter ewes fully steady. Supply included around 60 goats sold by the head.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 85-105 lb. 69.00-72.50; Choice 70-105 lb. 60.00-69.00; few Good 50-

85 lb. 55.00-60.00; few 40-50 lb. Choice new crop lambs 127.00-134.00, few 60-75 lbs. 80.00-91.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 20.00-32.00, mainly 25.00-32.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, mainly 21.00-40.00, around 20 head 44.00-60.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, Feb. 1
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep

Today	862	780	7
Last Tuesday	930	786	7
Last Year	1269	820	10

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 1.00 to mostly 1.50 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; cows mostly steady with last week's early sales or mostly 1.00 lower than last week's close; bulls steady. Supply included 47 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 43 percent cows, with the balance mainly bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1450 lb. 63.10-64.85, few 65.50-66.75; Good and Choice 1-2 64.00-64.75, couple 65.75-66.75; Choice 2-4 1075-1425 lb. mainly 1250-1400 lb. 61.00-64.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 59.00-61.50; Good 2-3 56.00-59.00; Good and Choice 1250-1450 lb. Holsteins 53.00-55.50, couple 56.25-57.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 935-1100 lb. 59.50-61.50; few mixed Good and Choice 2-3 900-1000 lb. 57.75-59.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.00-43.75, few 44.00-45.50; Cutter 1-2 39.00-41.00, few 43.00-45.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-38.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1500-2100 lb. 50.00-53.75; yield grade 2 1200-1500 lb. 48.75-50.75.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady. Supply included 549 in graded sale of which 72 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 180-260 lb. 99.00-106.00, three head 113.00-115.00, few Choice 130-160 lb. 90.00-101.00; high Good and low Choice 120-180 lb. 64.00-90.00, 80-115 lb. 60.00-66.00, 70-80 lb. 50.00-61.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 40 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 102.00-104.00; 20 head 90-95 lb. 68.00. 35 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 91.50; 175 head 100-115 lb. 95.50-98.00; 25 head 90-95 lb. 78.00; 36 head 110-125 lb. small frame 74.00-83.00, 62 head 100-105 lb. 65.50.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Feb. 2
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	388	14	810	0
Last Wednesday	220	15	503	0
Last Year	325	22	852	0
Wednesday's Auction	326	15	795	0
Last Wednesday's Auction	204	15	519	16

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers steady to firm; slaughter heifers not tested; cows generally steady, instances 1.00 higher on Commercial; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 65 percent slaughter steers and 30 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1100-1350 lb. 61.00-64.00; couple Prime 3-4 1300-1430 lb. 64.10-64.35; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1450 lb. 58.00-62.10; Good and Choice 1200-1450 lb. Holsteins 52.00-54.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.25-43.00, couple 43.00-45.00; Commercial 3-4 beef breed 40.00-43.25; Cutter 1-2 38.00-41.75; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-39.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 50.00-51.50, three head 2200-2525 lb. 45.50-48.60. Individual Choice 1100 lb. bullocks 56.50.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test.

SHEEP: None.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, Feb. 3

CATTLE: 867. Compared to last Thursday slaughter 1.00-1.50 higher; slaughter heifers firm to 1.00 higher; cows mostly steady, instances 1.00 higher on Cutter; bulls fully steady. Supply included 48 percent slaughter steers, 7 percent slaughter heifers, 38

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Lanc. Co. Weekly

Friday, Feb. 4

This Week	3300	1400
Last Week	3302	1425
Last Year	4065	1352

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 higher; slaughter heifers steady to firm; cows mostly steady, instances 1.00 higher than last week's close; bullocks steady to 1.00 higher; bulls mostly steady, instances 1.00 lower on Yield Grade 1. Supply included 50 percent slaughter steers, 7 percent slaughter heifers, 27 percent cows, 5 percent bulls, balance mainly feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1500 lb. 63.00-65.35, few head 65.50-66.75, few 1500-1650 lbs. 62.00-63.50, Good and Choice 1-2 64.00-65.00, couple 65.75-66.75; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lb. 61.50-64.25, high Good and low Choice 2-3 59.00-62.00; Good 2-3 950-1350 lbs. 55.00-60.00; Good and Choice 1165-1600 lb. holsteins 52.00-56.00, few Choice 56.00-60.25, Standard 1-2 48.00-52.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 875-1150 lbs. 57.25-61.50, few Yield Grade 2 61.50-62.60, couple high Choice and Prime 63.00-63.75; Good 2-3 850-1100 lbs. 53.75-58.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 40.00-43.75, few 44.00-45.50, couple 46.00-46.75, Commercial 3-4 35.00-40.50, Cutter 1-2 39.00-42.00, few 42.00-44.00, Canner and low Cutter 36.00-39.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lbs. 58.75-60.50, few 61.00-62.10;

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