

# Livestock market and auction news

**Wednesday markets not covered  
by USDA & PDA due to holiday**

## Lancaster Market

Monday, July 2

Report Supplied By USDA  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1092	110	1067	402
Last Monday	1547	204	1045	623
Last Year	1406	42	955	111
Monday's Auction	1156	115	1026	483
Last Monday's Auction	1617	211	1011	666

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Monday Choice and Prime slaughter steers 1.00-1.50 higher, Good to low Choice steady to 50 higher; heifers not fully comparable, as bulk of supply Standard and Good 700-950 lb.; cows 50-1.00 higher, some sales Canner and Cutter 2.00 higher; bullocks steady to weak; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 59% steers, 9% heifers, 10% cows, and 12% bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1450 lb. 66.25-67.85, around 30 head 68.00-68.60; Choice 2-3 1100-1400 lb. 63.00-65.50, few 65.50-66.35; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 58.75-63.00; Good 2-3 1050-1225 lb. 55.00-59.50, few 900-1050 lb. 51.00-57.00, couple lots Choice 1300-1425 lb. Holsteins 54.00-58.60, Good 1050-1300 lb. 50.00-52.00, Standard 1000-1200 lb. 44.00-48.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few head Choice 2-3 900-1100 lb. 55.00-57.50; Good 2-3 900-1100 lb. 52.00-55.75; Standard and Good 750-950 lb. 43.50-46.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.50-44.50, few 44.75-46.00; few Commercial 3-4 beef breed 41.00-43.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 40.50-43.00; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-40.50.

**BULLOCKS:** Good 1000-1275 lb. 52.25-55.50, couple Choice 57.25-60.25.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1300-2050 lb. 50.00-51.50, couple 53.00-54.25; yield grade 2 1000-1360 lb. 45.25-50.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers weak to 5.00 lower; slaughter calves not tested. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** High Choice and Prime 270-350 lb. 85.00-102.00; Choice 160-320 lb. 70.00-85.00; high Good and low Choice 120-160 lb. 50.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 40.00-52.00, few 52.00-60.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-85.00.

**SHEEP:** Spring lambs 2.00-4.00 higher; slaughter ewes 3.00-5.00 higher. Supply included around 100 goats.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 58.00-62.00; Choice 80-105 lb. 55.00-68.00, Good 60-85 lb. 50.00-55.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 15.00-23.00.

**GOATS:** All goats sold by the head; bulk of mature goats 30.00-50.00; few large billies 50.00-60.00; kid goats 20.00-30.00.

## Vintage Auction

Tuesday, July 3

Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	987	746	15	1
Last Tuesday	1565	758	21	2
Last Year	1501	952	20	0

**CATTLE:** Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 50-1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher; slaughter heifers not tested; cows mostly steady, instances 1.00 lower; bulls weak to 1.00 lower. Supply included 68 percent slaughter steers and 28 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1425 lb. 66.50-68.85, five head 69.10-69.60; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1375 lb. 67.25-68.85, four head 69.00-69.85; Choice 2-4 1050-1460 lb. 63.10-67.00, several 67.00-67.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 995-1350 lb. 61.00-63.35; few Good 2-3 58.00-61.00.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.50-44.25, few 44.25-45.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.75-43.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-39.75.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1400-1800 lb. 49.50-52.00, couple 2300-2455 lb. 54.25-55.75; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 45.00-48.50; couple Good 1050-1300 lb. bullocks 52.35-53.00.

**VEAL CALVES:** Choice vealers not tested; small supply high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 5.00-10.00 lower, 70-105 lb. 5.00 lower. Supply included 487 in graded sale of which 79 percent sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Few high Good to low Choice 160-315 lb. 58.00-61.00; couple Choice 145-160 lb. 75.00-78.00; high Good and low Choice 110-140 lb. 46.00-59.00, 80-105 lb. 39.00-47.00, 70-80 lb. 32.00-39.00, few 60-70 lb. 25.00-35.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** 20 head 110-125 lb. Holstein heifers 69.00-71.00, 50 head 90-105 lb. 50.00-55.00, 50 head 120-135 lb. Holstein bulls 76.00-87.00, 150 head 100-115 lb. 91.00-98.00, 25 head 100-105 lb. 103.00, 25 head 90-95 lb. 83.00; 90 head small frame 90-115 lb. 49.00-55.00.

**SHEEP:** Insufficient volume for a market test; couple Choice 75-80 lb. spring lambs 61.00-62.00; Good 55-100 lb. 47.00-58.00.

**GOATS:** Individual big billy 39.00.

## New Holland Livestock

Thursday, July 5

**CATTLE:** 1336. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 2.00-2.50 higher; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows firm to 1.00 higher, although Breaking Utility and commercial scarce; small supply bulls fully steady. Supply included 70 percent slaughter steers, 24 percent cows, 3 percent slaughter heifers and 3 percent bulls.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1170-1430 lb. 67.25-69.60, about 15 head 70.00-70.35; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1325 lb. 67.00-70.00; Choice 2-4 1100-1400 lb. 64.25-67.50, few 67.50-68.00; Choice 2-3 1025-1100 lb. 63.00-64.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 60.75-64.50; Good 2-3 58.00-61.00; Good and Choice 1090-1450 lb. Holsteins

52.75-55.00, couple Choice 56.50-58.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Good 2-3 900-950 lb. 49.00-54.00, Standard and Good 640-800 lb. 43.25-46.00.

**COWS:** Few Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 44.00-46.00; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 40.75-44.50, several 44.50-46.00; Canner and low Cutter 37.00-41.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Couple Choice 1100-1225 lb. 57.25-59.00; few Good 1050-1275 lb. 53.50-55.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1350-1850 lb. 51.00-52.75, individual 53.60; yield grade 2 900-1450 lb. 48.00-51.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** 609. Vealers uneven, few high Choice and Prime 5.00-8.00 lower, Choice and high Good and two Choice firm to 5.00 higher. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** High Choice and Prime 300-370 lb. 89.00-99.00; Choice 160-300 lb. 75.00-90.00, few 90.00-97.00, individual 175 lb. 100.00; high Good and low Choice 140-250 lb. 58.00-76.00, 80-115 lb. 54.00-60.00, 70-80 lb. 45.00-54.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 84.00-97.00, few 98.00-106.00; few 120-145 lb. 74.00-89.00, several small frame 90-115 lb. 57.00-75.00.

**SHEEP:** 59. Spring lambs fully steady; slaughter ewes steady.

**SPRING LAMBS:** Choice 55-80 lb. 64.00-70.00; few Good and Choice 20-40 lb. 68.00-69.00; Good 50-75 lb. 42.00-55.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 14.00-21.00.

**GOATS:** 12. All goats sold by the head, mainly 24.00-34.00, couple 44.00-55.00.

## Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, July 6

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	3600	1475
Last Week	5446	1762
Last Year	5671	1620

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers sold progressively higher throughout the week, closing 2.00-2.50 higher; slaughter heifers steady on small supply; cows mostly steady, instances 1.00 higher; bullocks steady to weak; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 67% slaughter steers, 5% slaughter heifers, 20% cows, 5% bulls, with the balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1450 lb. 66.25-69.60, about 15 head 70.00-70.35; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1375 lb. 67.00-70.00; Choice 2-4 1025-1460 lb. 63.00-67.50, late mainly 64.50-67.50, with few 67.50-68.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 975-1350 lb. 60.50-64.50; Good 2-3 55.00-61.00; Good and Choice 1909-1450 lb. Holsteins 52.75-55.00, couple lots Choice 56.50-58.60, Standard 1000-1200 lb. 44.00-50.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Few Head Choice 2-3 980-1100 lb. 55.00-57.50; Good 2-3 900-1100 lb. 49.00-55.25; Standard and Good 640-900 lb. 43.25-46.50.

**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.50-44.75, few 44.75-46.00; few Commercial 3-4 beef breed 41.00-43.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.75-44.50, several 44.50-46.00; Canner and low Cutter 37.00-41.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Good 1000-1275 lb. 52.25-55.50; couple Choice 1100-1225 lb. 57.25-60.25.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1300-2050 lb. 50.00-52.75, few 53.00-54.25, individual 2300 lb. 55.75; yield grade 2 900-1450 lb. 45.00-51.50.

**VEAL CALVES:** Vealers uneven; high Choice and Prime weak to 5.00 lower; other grades firm to 5.00 higher. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** High Choice and Prime 270-370 lb. 85.00-102.00; Choice 160-320 lb. 70.00-90.00, few 90.00-97.00; high Good and low Choice 140-320 lb. 58.00-78.00, 110-140 lb. 50.00-59.00, 80-115 lb. 39.00-52.00 with late sales certified 54.00-60.00, several uncertified 60-80 lb. 25.00-40.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Few 110-125 lb. Holstein heifers 69.00-71.00, around 50 head 90-105 lb. 50.00-55.00. Bulk 100-115 lb. Holstein bulls 84.00-97.00, few 97.00-106.00; several 120-145 lb. 74.00-89.00; 90-95 lb. 80.00-85.00; several small frame 90-115 lb. 49.00-70.00.

## Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.

Monday, July 2, 1984

Report Supplied by PDA

**CATTLE:** 249. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents-\$1.50 down. One Prime slaughter steer at 67.85, few choice 2-4 1050-1250 61.75-66.00, few Choice Holstein 55-58.00, few Good 55-61.25, few Holstein 50-54.50, few Choice slaughter heifers 58-65.00, few Good 52-58.25, few standard 48.50-50.50, Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.50-44.85, Couple to 46.75, Cutter & Boning Utility 39.75-44.00, Canner & Low Cutter 35.50-39.75, Shells down to 31.00. Yield Grade No. 1 11-2050 lbs. slaughter bulls 44.75-50.50.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Steers one Lot Medium Frame #1 350 lbs. at 70.00 few large Frame #2 at 550-825 lbs. 40.50-43.50.

**CALVES:** 265. One Prime at 90.00, Good & Choice 64-76.00, Standard & Good 75-105 lbs. 52-58.00, Utility 60-85 lbs. 40-50.00.

**FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls 90-130 lbs. 58-86.00.

**HOGS:** 158. Barrows & gilts \$1-2 higher. US No. 1-2 205-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 53-55.60, No. 1-3 210-260 lbs. 51.50-54.50. Sows US No. 1-3 3-610 lbs. sows 40-46.00 Couple down to 37.50. Few Boars 30-33.00.

**FEEDER PIGS:** 278. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 17-30.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 28-35.00, No. 1-3 60-70 lbs. 35-41.00 per head.

**SHEEP:** 21. Few Choice 80-100 lbs. Spring slaughter lamb 50-52.00. Slaughter ewes 5-18.00.

**GOATS:** 16; Large 10-25.00 per head.



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### AUCTIONS

MONDAY

9:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows  
11:00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs, Hogs

TUESDAY

10:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs  
1:00 P.M. — Feeder Pigs

WEDNESDAY

8:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs  
10:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows  
11:00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs, Hogs  
12 NOON — Slaughter Sale Load Lot (5 or more)

FRIDAY

11:00 A.M. — Stocker and Feeder Cattle

SATURDAY

8:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs

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