

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, July 9

Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1643	134	1100	254
Last Monday	1092	110	1067	402
Last Year	1897	131	911	445
Monday's Auction	1684	135	1097	328
Last Monday's Auction	1156	115	1026	483

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher; slaughter heifers 2.00-3.00 higher; cows steady to 1.00 higher, some sales Canner and Cutter 2.00 higher; bullocks firm to 1.00 higher; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 74% slaughter steers, 8% heifers, 10% cows, and 8% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1125-1550 lb. 67.75-69.50, several 70.00-71.50; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lb. 63.85-67.25, several 67.25-68.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1250 lb. 62.00-64.25; few Good 2-3 60.00-62.00; Good and Choice 1200-1375 lb. Holsteins 52.00-55.00, few Choice 1250-1350 lb. 56.00-58.25, Standard 1000-1200 lb. 49.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1250 lb. 58.00-63.50, few Choice 2 64.00-65.25; Good 2-3 850-1100 lb. 51.00-58.00; few Good 850-1150 lb. heiferettes 42.25-47.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.5-46.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 42.00-44.00; Canner and low Cutter 40.00-42.00.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 1050-1250 lb. 55.50-58.00, couple 1645-1660 lb. 60.50-61.75; Good 1000-1250 lb. 51.25-55.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1250-1975 lb. 52.00-55.50, couple 55.75-58.75; yield grade 2 950-1350 lb. 47.25-52.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves not tested. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 270-350 lb. 90.00-103.00; Choice 160-220 lb. 70.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 120-160 lb. 55.00-75.00, 80-115 lb. 45.00-58.00 few 40.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-90.00.

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SHEEP: Spring lambs 2.00-4.00

lower; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included around 150 goats.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 55.00-60.00; Choice 80-105 lb. 50.00-55.00; Good and Choice male lambs 45-65 lb. 60.00-73.00, female 45.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-25.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; bulk 35.00-45.00, few large mature goats 45.00-50.00, few kids 15.00-30.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, July 10

Report supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1573	901	27	1
Last Tuesday	987	746	16	1
Last Year	1145	914	39	15

CATTLE: Compared to last Choice and Prime slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher, Good to low Choice weak to .50 lower; slaughter heifers not tested; cows weak to 1.00 lower; bulls and bullocks scarce. Supply included 73 percent slaughter steers and 24 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1185-1450 lbs. 67.50-69.85, seven head 70.00-70.75; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1375 lb. 67.00-69.75, four head 70.00-70.85; Choice 2-4 1035-1375 lb. 63.60-67.00, several 67.00-67.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1350 lb. 60.00-63.50; Good 2-3 900-1250 lb. 56.00-61.25; Good and Choice 1200-1450 lb. Holsteins 53.50-55.75, Standard 1000-1450 lb. 50.00-52.00.

COWS: Few Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.25-44.50, couple 44.50-45.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.25-42.75, few 43.00-44.75, couple 45.00-45.50; Canner and Low Cutter 36.00-39.50.

BULLOCKS: Few Good and Choice 1000-1300 lb. 53.25-56.10.

BULLS: Couple yield grade 1 1875-2100 lb. 53.00-56.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 2.00-5.00 lower. Supply included 648 in graded sale of which 51 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Good and low Choice 165-250 lb. 52.00-67.00;

couple Choice 200-240 lb. 74.00-82.00; high Good and low Choice 120-160 lb. 48.00-52.00, 80-110 lb. 34.00-45.00 few 45.00-48.00, 70-80 lb. 30.00-34.00, few 55-65 lb. 21.00-30.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 40 head 100-115 lb. Holstein Heifers 50.00-52.00, 30 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00, 220 head 110-115 lb. 54.00-55.00, 25 head 90-95 lb. 46.00; 25 head small frame 110-120 lb. 18.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume to test trends; couple Choice 65-90 lb. spring lambs 58.00-61.00, Good 45-70 lb. 48.00-54.00; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 13.00-16.00.

GOATS: Individual 23.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, July 11

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Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	230	56	998	0
Last Wednesday				
JULY 4th HOLIDAY				
Last Year	129	20	496	57
Wednesday's Auction	191	30	968	0
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JULY 4th HOLIDAY				

CATTLE: Small supply of all classes mostly steady. Supply included 41 percent slaughter steers, 12 percent slaughter heifers, 30 percent cows, and 17 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1050-1325 lb. 64.00-67.50, high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lb. 61.00-64.00; Good 2-3 925-1150 lb. 57.00-61.00; Standard 1000-1150 lb. Holsteins 46.00-49.00, couple Good 1025-1135 lb. 50.25-51.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1000-1110 lb. 58.00-61.00, individual 1040 lb. 63.75; Good 2-3 950-1100 lb. 52.00-57.50; Good 1000-1200 lb. Heiferettes 43.00-49.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.75-44.00, couple 44.50-45.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 40.75-41.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-40.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1050-1300 lb. 52.00-54.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1275-1775 lb. 51.75-54.00; yield grade 2 950-1300 lb. 46.50-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: High Good and low Choice 80-105 lb. vealers mostly steady. Supply included 33 head Prime special fed bought to arrive.

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SHEEP: None.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, July 12

CATTLE 1703: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows weak to 1.00 lower; bullocks 1.00-2.00 lower; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 71 percent slaughter steers, 2 percent slaughter heifers, 21 percent cows and 6 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1160-1465 lb. 67.25-69.60, around 30 head 70.00-71.25; Choice 2-4 1050-1325 lb. 63.75-67.60, few Choice 2-3 980-1050 lb. 62.60-64.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1325 lb. 61.00-64.25; Good 2-3 900-1100 lb. 56.75-61.50; Good and Choice 1150-1450 lb. 52.00-54.00, few Choice 54.50-55.50; Standard and low Good 1050-1400 lb. 46.00-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 970-1100 lb. 61.00-64.10, few Good 900-1075 lb. 55.00-58.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.75-44.50, few 44.50-45.50; Cutter and boning Utility 40.00-44.00, few 44.50-46.25; Canner and low Cutter 37.00-40.25, several 34.50-37.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb. 55.50-58.25; Good 1000-1300 lb. 51.00-54.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1250-2000 lb. 50.00-52.50, few 53.00-54.00; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 47.50-50.50, several 800-1000 lb. 44.00-47.00.

VEAL CALVES: 743. Choice and Prime vealers 5.00-8.00 higher, high Good and low Choice 60-110 lb. weak to 3.00 lower. Demand only fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 270-370 lb. 97.00-102.00, couple 105.00-112.00; Choice 160-320 lb. 88.00-97.00; high Good and low Choice 160-250 lb. 67.00-85.00, 120-160 lb. 56.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 48.00-59.00, few 60-80 lb. 43.00-49.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 100-130 lb. Holstein Bulls 58.00-65.00, few 65.00-72.00; few 90-100 lb. 56.00-62.00.

SHEEP: 23. Insufficient volume to test trends, few Good and Choice

35-70 lb. spring lambs 65.00-71.00; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 18.00-25.00.

GOATS: 34. All goats sold by the head, mainly 22.00-40.00, six head 43.00-49.00.

Lancaster Co. Weekly

Friday, July 13

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	5400	1835
Last Week	3542	1465
Last Year	4582	1731

CATTLE: Slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers 2.00-3.00 higher; cows weak to 1.00 lower; bullocks and bulls closed 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 68 percent slaughter steers, 4 percent slaughter heifers, 18 percent cows, 5 percent bulls with the balance feeders.

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RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-130 lb. Holstein Bulls 54.00-65.00, few 65.00-75.00, few small frame 90-120 lbs. 46.00-53.00.

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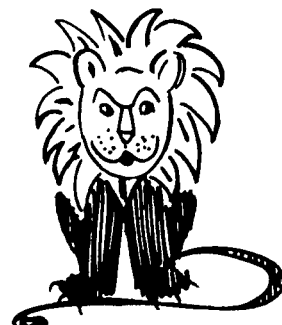
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10:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs
1:00 P.M. — Feeder Pigs

WEDNESDAY

8:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs
10:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows
11:00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs, Hogs
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