

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, July 30
Report Supplied By USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	1396	175	973	439
Last Monday	1153	203	1053	453
Last Year	1377	125	829	236
Monday's Auction	1452	171	931	471
Last Monday's Auction	1136	149	1132	427

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers steady to firm; slaughter heifers firm to 50 higher; cows mostly steady; bullocks firm to 1.00 higher; bulls 2.00-3.00 higher. Supply included 71% steers, 11% heifers, 10% cows, and 8% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1500 lb. 67.60-69.00, 10 head 69.35-69.60; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lb. 64.35-67.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 900-1400 lb. 61.50-64.50; Good 2-3 58.00-61.75; Good and Choice 1250-1500 lb. Holsteins 51.50-54.75, few Choice 55.50-56.35, Standard 1050-1200 lb. 43.50-49.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 900-1100 lb. 58.00-60.75, few 61.50-63.00; Good 2-3 850-1050 lb. 55.00-57.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 43.00-45.50, few 45.50-46.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 40.50-43.50; Canner and low Cutter 38.00-40.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1350 lb. 55.75-58.75, few 60.00-60.75; Good 950-1250 lb. 51.00-55.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1900 lb. 51.00-56.00, three head 2250-2425 lb. 47.00-49.00; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 48.00-51.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak to 5.00 lower; slaughter calves steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm. Supply included around a dozen head Prime special fed 300-350 lb. bought to arrive at 98.00-102.00.

VEALERS: Few high Choice and Prime 180-350 lb. 80.00-90.00; Choice 150-320 lb. 70.00-80.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lb. 55.00-75.00, 120-160 lb. 50.00-60.00, 80-115 lb. 40.00-55.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-350 lb. 50.00-70.00, 350-500 lb. 50.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-90.00;

few 95-120 lb. Holstein heifers 55.00-60.00.

SHEEP: Choice and Prime spring lambs steady, Good weak to 3.00 lower; slaughter ewes firm to 2.00 higher. Supply included around 160 goats.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 60.00-65.00; Choice 70-110 lb. 55.00-60.00; Good 60-90 lb. 50.00-55.00, few 45.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 18.00-25.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, bulk mature 35.00-45.00 few 45.00-60.00, kids 20.00-35.00.

Vintage Auction

Tuesday, July 31
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	1324	965	19	8
Last Tuesday	1009	923	20	0
Last Year	1584	922	13	3

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 2.00-3.00 lower; slaughter heifers scarce, steady; cows unevenly steady; bulls firm to 2.00 higher. Supply included 67 percent slaughter steers and 29 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1475 lb. 67.25-69.00, couple 69.10-70.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1300 lb. 67.00-68.75; couple 69.00-69.50; Choice 2-4 1100-1425 lb. 63.75-66.85; few Choice 2-3 990-1075 lb. 62.00-64.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 61.00-63.50; Good 2-3 58.00-62.00; Good and Choice 1180-1600 lb. Holsteins 50.75-53.75, few Standard 49.00-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple Prime 3 1185 lb. 64.50, few Choice 2-3 980-1300 lb. 60.00-62.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.75-44.25, couple 44.50-46.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.50-42.50, few 42.50-43.75; Canner and low Cutter 35.00-40.00.

BULLS: Few yield grade 1 1400-1850 lb. 48.00-51.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 5.00 lower, instances 10.00 lower. Supply included 557 in graded sale of which 68 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: 12 head Prime special fed 295-380 lb. 70.00-82.00; Choice 140-315 lb. 55.00-70.00, in-

dividual 180 lb. 78.00; high Good and low Choice 120-300 lb. 50.00-58.00, 80-115 lb. 36.00-45.00 few 45.00-52.00, 60-80 lb. 25.00-36.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 10 head 110-120 lb. Holstein heifers 66.00; 70 head 80-110 lb. 44.00-50.00. 210 head 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 78.00-83.00; 50 head 90-95 lb. 60.00-66.00 and 40 head small frame 100-105 lb. 52.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test; couple head Choice 65-100 lb. spring lambs 44.00-51.00; few Utility and Good slaughter ewes 18.00-27.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, three head 35.00-36.00, with five head 17.00-20.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Aug. 1
Report supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today	193	28	630	0
Last Wednesday	181	38	767	50
Last Year	243	25	775	29
Wednesday's Auction	127	31	694	0
Last Wednesday's Auction	181	38	702	50

CATTLE: Insufficient volume of slaughter steers or heifers for a market test; cows fully steady; small supply bulls steady. Supply included 50 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Couple Choice 2-3 1080-1265 lb. 58.00-58.75; few Good 2-3 780-1175 lb. 53.00-55.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.25-44.50, individual 1470 lb. 48.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.50-42.50; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-40.50.

BULLS: Couple yield grade 1 1235-1800 lb. 50.75-58.00, three head 2265-2495 lb. 43.75-46.25; yield grade 2 1100-1600 lb. 46.00-49.75.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume to fully test trends. Couple Prime special fed 300-325 lb. 90.00; high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. 40.00-50.00. Few 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls returned to farm at 50.00-60.00.

SHEEP: None.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, August 2
Report supplied by USDA
CATTLE: 1226. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 2.00

lower, instances 3.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows mostly steady, although instances 1.00 lower on Breaking Utility and Commercial; bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 62 percent slaughter steers, 4 percent slaughter heifers, 28 percent cows and 6 percent bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1525 lb. 67.50-69.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lb. 63.00-66.75, few Choice 2-3 985-1050 lb. 62.50-63.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1275 lb. 61.75-64.25; Good 2-3 57.00-61.50; Good and Choice 1175-1350 lb. Holsteins 50.50-53.75; Standard 1000-1250 lb. 47.75-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 925-1050 lbs. 58.00-60.50, few Choice 2 61.00-62.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 42.50-45.50, few 45.50-46.50; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 40.00-43.50, few 44.00-45.00; Canner and Low Cutter 36.50-40.00, few 40.00-41.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1300 lb. 55.50-59.00, couple 59.25-61.00; Good 1000-1275 lb. 51.00-54.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2000 lb. 51.00-53.50, few 53.50-54.25, couple 1130 lb. 56.00-58.50; yield grade 2 1000-1375 lb. 47.50-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: 704. Vealers steady to 5.00 lower. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 180-330 lb. 85.00-89.00, couple 93.00-96.00; Choice 150-320 lb. 70.00-85.00; high Good and low Choice 120-300 lb. 50.00-70.00, few 45.00-50.00, 80-115 lb. 45.00-52.00, few 52.00-55.00, 60-80 lb. 32.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-130 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-78.00, few 78.00-82.00; several 80-100 lb. 55.00-70.00.

SHEEP: 30. Small supply spring lambs and slaughter ewes steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Few Choice 55-95 lb. 61.00-67.00; Good 50-80 lb. 53.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 17.00-26.00.

GOATS: 14. All goats sold by the head, five had 50.00-56.00, couple 38.00-48.00, with couple kids 21.00-28.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, August 3

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	4400	1850
Last Week	3986	1965
Last Year	5467	1701

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 2.00-3.00 lower; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows steady to 1.00 higher; bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 61 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 21 percent cows, 6 percent bulls, balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1525 lbs. 67.25-69.00, couple 69.00-70.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1300 lbs. 67.00-69.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lbs. 63.00-67.00; few Choice 2-3 985-1050 lbs. 62.00-64.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 900-1400 lbs. 61.00-64.25; Good 2-3 57.00-62.00; Good and Choice 1175-1500 lb. holsteins 50.50-53.75, few Choice 54.00-56.35; Standard 1000-1259 lbs. 47.75-51.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple Prime Grade 3 1185 lb. 64.50; Choice 2-3 900-1150 lbs. 58.00-62.00, few Choice Grade 2 62.00-63.00; Good 2-3 850-1075 lbs. 53.00-57.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.75-45.50, few 45.50-46.50, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.50-43.50, few 44.00-45.00, Canner and low Cutter 36.50-40.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1050-1300 lbs. 55.50-59.00, few 59.25-61.00; Good 950-1275 lbs. 51.00-55.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1300-2000 lbs. 50.75-56.00, 6 head 2250-2495 lbs. 43.75-49.00; Yield Grade 2 1000-1600 lbs. 46.00-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers weak to 5.00 lower. Demand fair for holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 180-350 lbs. 78.00-90.00, couple 93.00-96.00; Choice 150-320 lbs. 70.00-85.00; high Good and low Choice 120-300 lbs. 50.00-75.00, 80-115 lbs. 45.00-55.00, few uncertified 36.00-45.00, 60-80 lbs. 32.00-45.00, few uncertified 25.00-35.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 80-110 lb. holstein heifers 44.00-50.00, one lot 110-120 lbs. 66.00; bulk 95-120 lb. holstein bulls 65.00-90.00, several 80-100 lbs. 52.00-70.00.

Belleville Livestock

Wednesday, August 1

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 143: Compared with last Wednesday's market; Slaughter cows mostly 1.00-3.00 higher. Few Good slaughter heifers 50.25-58.25. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.75-45.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 39.00-43.50, Canner & Low Cutter 36.25-39.00, Shells down to 26.00. Yield Grade No. 1 620-1180 lbs. slaughter bulls 40.00-47.35.

CALVES 190: Few Good Vealers 49.00-56.00, Standard and Good 75-110 lbs. 41.00-47.00, Couple 49.00, Utility 50-85 lbs. 25.00-40.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 90-125 lbs. 46.00-64.00.

HOGS 237: Barrows and gilts 2.00 lower. US No. 1-2 210-255 lbs. barrows and gilts 52.00-53.85, few to 54.75, No. 1-3 200-245 lbs. 49.50-51.50, One Lot No. 1-3 188 lbs. at 44.75. US No. 1-3 380-545 lbs. sows 41.25-44.50, One Boar at 36.25.

FEEDER PIGS 203: US No. 1-3 25-40 lbs. feeder pigs 15.00-20.00 per head, No. 1-3 40-55 lbs. 18.00-27.00.

SHEEP 50: Choice 50-90 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 50.00-60.00, Good spring slaughter lambs 50-80 lbs. 39.00-51.00. Slaughter ewes 11.50-30.00.

GOATS 9: Few Large 17.00-20.00 per head, Few Kids 10.00-12.00 per head. Holstein Dairy Cows 500.00-900.00; couple to 960.00 per head.



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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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