

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, February 4
Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Today 990 74 1182 624

Last Monday 1014 117 1052 582

Last Year 1072 101 979 238

Monday's Auction 1025 103 1175 250 361

Last Monday's Auction 1071 131 1015 444 233

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers and heifers generally steady, instances .50 lower; cows 1.00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls fully steady. Supply included 61% slaughter steers, 18% heifers, 15% cows, and 6% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1400 lb. 67.50-69.00, 10 head 69.10-69.50; Choice 2-4 1050-1425 lb. 65.35-68.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1450 lb. 62.00-65.00; Good 2-3 950-1325 lb. 59.00-62.75, few 56.50-59.00; Good and Choice 1200-1475 lb. Holsteins 51.00-54.00, few Choice 54.00-56.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1325 lb. 64.75-66.85; few Good and Choice 1-2 1050-1125 lb. 64.25-67.10; Choice 2-3 900-1175 lb. 60.00-63.75; Good 2-3 850-1150 lb. 53.00-60.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 40.50-43.00, few 43.50-45.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 38.00-40.00, few 40.00-41.00; Canner and low Cutter 35.00-38.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1-2 100-1350 lbs. 52.00-55.25; few Choice 2-3 1100-1425 lb. 58.75-61.00, couple 62.00-63.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1850 lb. 50.00-55.00, few 55.50-58.00; yield grade 2 950-1350 lb. 44.75-50.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady. Supply included one lot Prime special fed 370 lb. bought to arrive at 110.00.

VEALERS: Few high Choice and Prime 280-350 lb. 100.00-110.00; Choice 180-280 lb. 90.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 160-270 lb. 70.00-90.00, 120-160 lb. 50.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 48.00-60.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-75.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs firm to 3.00 higher, with Good 5.00-10.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 70.00-78.00; Choice 80-100 lb. 65.00-70.00; few

Good 80-100 lb. 62.00-70.00, 60-80 lb. 70.00-75.00, with Good 40-50 lb. buck lambs 100.00-130.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 30.00-40.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, steady to 5.00 lower; large mature 45.00-65.00; medium 30.00-45.00; small mainly 25.00-35.00, few thin and weak 10.00-20.00.

Vintage Market

Tuesday, February 5

Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Today 1063 813 6 3

Last Tuesday 895 735 9 2

Last Year 1129 806 2 0

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers steady to weak, instances 1.00 lower on high Choice and Prime; slaughter heifers scarce; cows firm to 1.00 higher; bulls not fully tested. Supply included 57 percent slaughter steers and 38 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1450 lb. 67.50-69.50, few 69.50-70.00, 10 head 70.00-71.25; Good and Choice 1-2 1150-1350 lb. 68.50-70.00, five head 70.50-72.00; Choice 2-4 1100-1450 lb. 65.00-67.75, few 67.75-68.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 62.00-65.50; Good 2-3 58.00-62.00; Good and Choice 1250-1475 lb. Holsteins 51.00-54.75, few Choice 56.00-58.25, Standard 46.75-50.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.00-46.00, few 46.00-47.50, couple 47.50-49.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.50-44.00, several 44.00-45.25; Canner and low Cutter 37.00-40.00, few 34.75-37.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 2 1150-1800 lb. 47.00-50.00; couple yield grade 1 1300-1750 lb. 52.00-55.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, although Choice and Prime scarce. Supply included 526 in graded sale of which 64 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 170-

280 lb. 81.00-88.00, individual 370 lb. 101.00; high Good and low Choice 160-270 lb. 58.00-75.00, 120-160 lb. 52.00-65.00, 80-115 lb. 50.00-56.50, 65-80 lb. 42.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 16 head 90-95 lb. Holstein heifers 55.00. 20 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 79.00, 170 head 100-115 lb. 84.00-85.00, 40 head 90-95 lb. 75.00-77.00; 60 head 100-120 lb. small frame 67.00-76.00, 20 head 100-105 lb. 56.50 and 20 head 90-95 lb. 63.00.

SHEEP: No market test; couple Choice 90-110 lb. woolled lambs 67.00; couple Utility slaughter ewes 20.00-30.00.

GOATS: Couple large mature goats at 38.00-39.00 per head.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, February 6

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Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep

Today 70 26 594 0

Last Wednesday 111 24 577 17

Last Year 466 16 652 9

Wednesday's Auction 61 7 474 0

Last Wednesday's Auction 100 24 526 0

CATTLE: Market not fully tested; supply mainly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Couple Good 2 985-1195 lb. 60.00-62.50.

COWS: Good to Commercial 2-3 beef breed 41.00-45.50, couple 45.75-46.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 41.50-43.75; couple low Cutter 33.75-35.25.

BULLS: Individual yield grade 1 1935 lb. 53.50; couple yield grade 1-2 1120-1370 lb. 48.00-51.50.

VEAL CALVES: Market not fully tested; few high Good to low Choice 80-115 lb. 42.00-52.00.

SHEEP: None.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, Feb. 7

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CATTLE 989. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 lower, instances 3.00 lower, although Holsteins steady; small supply slaughter heifers steady;

cows steady; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 44 percent slaughter steers, 5 percent slaughter heifers, 45 percent cows, 4 percent bulls with the balances feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few high Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1375 lb. 66.85-68.25, couple Prime 2 1275-1300 lb. 71.25-71.50; couple Choice 1-2 1175-1325 lb. 67.75-68.10; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lb. 63.75-66.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 61.50-64.00; Good 2-3 55.00-61.00; Good and Choice 1150-1425 lb. Holsteins 52.00-54.50, few Choice 55.00-57.75; Standard 1025-1260 lb. 48.00-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1390 lb. 59.75-64.25, couple yield grade 2 64.50-66.50; Good 2-3 945-1200 lb. 54.00-56.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 40.50-43.50, several 43.50-46.00; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 38.25-41.75, few 42.00-43.25; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-38.75, few 34.50-36.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1-2 1050-1200 lb. 55.00-59.00, couple Choice 2 1150-1250 lb. 61.75-62.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1850 lb. 51.75-55.00, few 55.00-56.00; yield grade 2 1050-1450 lb. 47.50-51.00.

VEAL CALVES: 581. Vealers mostly steady, although high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. weak to 5.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm, with the bulk of the 95-120 lb. sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 310-400 lb. 102.00-110.00; Choice 180-330 lb. 88.00-103.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lb. 67.00-85.00, 120-160 lb. 55.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 45.00-55.00, 65-80 lb. 40.00-46.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-90.00, several 90.00-96.00, few 85-100 lb. 55.00-75.00.

SHEEP: 31. Small supply woolled lambs 5.00-10.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 70-105 lb. 82.00-90.00; Choice 70-100 lb. 67.00-77.00; few Good 70-90 lb. 60.00-65.00; Couple Choice 40 lb. new crop lambs 116.00-120.00, couple 50-65 lb. 93.00-100.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 19.00-27.00, couple 34.00-37.00.

GOATS: 21. All goats sold by the head, bulk 37.00-47.00, few 49.00-55.00, couple 60.00-67.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, Feb. 8

Report supplied by PDA

	Cattle	Calves
This Week	3300	1500
Last Week	2700	1333
Last Year	4104	1543

CATTLE: Slaughter steers sold progressively lower closing 1.00-2.00 lower, instances 3.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady to 1.00 lower; cows mostly steady; bullocks continued scarce; bulls closed 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 51 percent slaughter steers, 8 percent slaughter heifers, 32 percent cows, 4 percent bulls, balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice & Prime 3-4 1175-1450 lb. 66.85-68.50, few 68.50-70.00, 10 head early 70.00-71.25; Good & Choice 1-2 1150-1350 lbs. 67.75-69.00, 10 head 69.50-72.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1450 lbs. 63.75-67.50, several early 67.50-68.25, high Good & low Choice 2-3 61.50-64.50, Good 2-3 55.00-62.00; Good & Choice 1150-1475 lb. holsteins 52.00-54.75, few Choice 55.00-59.00, Standard 1025-1260 lbs. 46.75-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice & Prime 2-4 1150-1325 lbs. 64.75-68.85; Choice 2-3 1050-1390 lbs. 59.75-64.25, couple Yield Grade 2 64.50-67.10; Good 2-3 850-1200 lbs. 53.00-58.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 40.50-43.50, several 43.50-46.00, couple 46.00-47.50, Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 38.00-41.75, few 42.00-43.25, Canner & low Cutter 36.00-40.00, few 34.75-36.00.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 2-3 1100-1425 lbs. 58.75-62.00; Good 1-2 1000-1350 lbs. 52.00-59.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1300-1850 lbs. 51.00-55.00, few 55.00-58.00; Yield Grade 2 950-1300 lbs. 47.50-51.00, few early 44.75-47.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, although high Good & low Choice 80-115 lbs. closed weak to 5.00 lower. Demand good for holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice & Prime 280-400 lbs. 102.00-110.00; Choice 180-330 lbs. 88.00-103.00; high Good & low Choice 160-350 lbs. 67.00-90.00, 120-160 lb. 50.00-70.00, 80-115 lbs. 45.00-55.00, few 55.00-60.00, 65-80 lbs. 40.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Small lot 90-95 lbs. holstein heifers 50.00; bulk 95-120 lb. holstein bulls 75.00-90.00, several 90.00-96.00, few 85-100 lbs. 55.00-75.00.

Belknap Livestock

Dayton, Pa.

Wednesday, Feb. 6

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CATTLE 32. One Choice slaughter steer at 60.50. One Good slaughter heifer at 50.00. Few Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 45.00-50.00, few Cutter & Boning Utility 39.25-44.50, Canner & Low Cutter 29.50-39.

FEEDER CATTLE Few Medium Frame #1 335-450 lbs. steers 52.00-54.00. Few Medium Frame #1 325-625 lbs. heifers 35.50-45.50.

CALVES 78. One Choice vealer at 84.00, Standard & Good 90-120 lbs. 48.00-56, 65-85 lbs. 40.00-52, few Utility 50-70 lbs. 20.00-31.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 95-125 lbs. 61.00-92.50. Beef cross bulls and heifers 60-100 lbs. 54.00-59.00.

HOGS 148. BARROWS AND GILTS STRONG TO 50 cents HIGHER. US No. 1-2 210-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.-51.25, lot 52.50, No. 1-3 210-260 lbs. 50.00-51, few No. 2-3 280-310 lbs. 45.00-47, No. 1-3 190-205 lbs. 48.00-50, Lot 150 lbs. at 45.00. Few US No. 1-3 380-605 lbs. sows 40.00-46.00. BOARS 32.00-40.00.

FEEDER PIGS 56. US Utility 15-30 lbs. feeder pigs 3.00-11 per head, 35-50 lbs. 11.00-15.50 per head.

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9:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls,
Heifers, Steers, Cows
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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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