Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market Monday, April 8 Report Supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Hogs SheepGoats

Today 1281 100 740 2346 Last Monday 712 2588 1289 128 Last Year 1921 124 730 2374 Monday's Auction 106 741 1752 644 1168 Last Monday's Auction

694 1922 1313 **138** CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers weak to 50 lower; heifers steady, instances 1.00 higher on Choice; cows firm to 50 higher; bullocks and bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 73% slaughter steers, 12% slaughter heifers, 7% cows, and 8%

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1400 lb. 60.50-62.60; Choice 2-4 1075-1400 lb. 58.50-61.00, few head 61.00-61.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1000-1425 lb. 54.00-58.50; few Good 2-3 52.00-54.50; Good and Choice 1150-1450 lb. Holsteins 49.00-52.00, few Choice 53.00-55.75, few Standard 1050-1250 lb. 47.00-49.00.

HEIFERS: SLAUGHTER Choice 2-3 950-1250 lb. 53.50-57.50, few 57.50-59.00, couple Choice 2 59.25-60.25: Good 2-3 950-1150 lb. 51.00-53.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 40.50-43.50, few 44.00-44.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 39.00-42.00, few 42.00-42.50; Canner and low Cutter 37.50-39.50, few early 34.75-37.00.

BULLOCKS: Good 1-2 950-1200 lb. 49.50-52.00; couple Choice 2 1150-1225 lb. 53.50-54.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 48.00-52.00, few 53.00-54.50, couple 54.75-55.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 45.00-49.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady; slaughter calves steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included one lot Prime special fed bought to arrive at 115.00.

VEALERS: Few high Choice

Open 24 hours a day

AUCTIONS

MONDAY

Heifers, Steers, Cows

Heifers, Steers, Cows

LOAD LOT FAT CATTLE SALE

- 10 Or More Per Lot -

All Cattle For Load Lot Sale

Must Arrive By 9 AM.

All Cattle Sold In Order

Of Arrival At Market

1147 Lititz Pike Lancaster, Pennsylvania 17601

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9:00 A.M. —Slaughter Bulls,

10:00 A.M. —Goats, Veal Calves,

12 Noon —Slaughter Hogs

9:00 A.M. —Slaughter Hogs 1:00 P.M. —Feeder Pigs

8:00 A.M. —Slaughter Hogs

0:00 A M -Slaughter Bulls

8:00 A.M. -Slaughter Hogs

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SALE

11:00 A.M. —Veal Calves, Lambs

Lambs

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

LANCASTER STOCKYARDS, INC.

ATTENTION CATTLE FEEDERS

Starting Wed., March 27, 1985

11:00 A.M. —Stocker and Feeder Cattle

365 days a year

(717) 394-2611

and Prime 280-350 lb. 98.00-105.00; Choice 180-220 lb. 80.00-95.00; high Good and low Choice 160-325 lb. 70.00-80.00, 120-160 lb. 60.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 48.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-350 lb. 55.00-75.00, 350-500 lb. 50.00-55.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Few 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 60.00-75.00.

SHEEP: Supply mainly 20-60 lb. spring lambs sold to the Greek Easter trade; wooled lambs steady; slaughter ewes steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 20-30 lb. 160.00-180.00, 30-40 lb. 150.00-165.00, 40-50 lb. 120.00-140.00, 60-100 lb. 80.00-120.00; Good 20-40 lb. 140.00-160.00, 40-60 lb. 110.00-130.00, 60-100 lb. 70.00-85.00.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 75.00-80.00, few head 80.00-84.00; Choice 70-105 lb. 68.00-75.00; Good 60-90 lb. 65.00-

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-30.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; generally steady; large mature goats 40.00-50.00, medium 30.00-40.00, small 20.00-30.00; fancy kid goats 45.00-60.00 few 60.00-70.00, medium 30.00-50.00, plain 15.00-30.00.

Vintage Market Tuesday, April 9

Report Supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Sheep Goats**

Today 1020 720 109 23 Last Tuesday 1111 724 188 32 Last Year 1379 655 232 1

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers fully steady; slaughter heifers firm to 1.00 higher; cows firm to 50 higher; bulls steady. Supply included 59 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers and 31 percent cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1485 lb. 60.00-62.50, few 62.75-63.50, with five head 64.10-65.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1425 lb. 62.50-63.75,

12 head 64.00-65.25; Choice 2-4 1100-1450 lb. 58.00-62.00, mainly 58.75-61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1250 lb. 56.00-58.50; few Good 2-3 51.00-54.00; Good and Choice 1090-1500 lb. Holsteins 50.00-54.00, few Choice 54.00-57.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1000-1315 lb. 58.00-61.75; Good 2-3 900-1100 lb. 52.00-56.25.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 40.50-43.75, few 44.00-47.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 38.75-42.00, few 42.00-43.25; Canner and low Cutter 35.75-39.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1950 lb. 48.00-50.75, individual 2100 lb. 47.25; yield grade 2 1000-1400 lb. 45.00-48.00.

VEAL CALVES: Choice and Prime vealers steady; high Good and low Choice 120-150 lb. steady, 55-110 lb. 5.00-8.00 higher. Supply ıncluded 536 ın graded sale of which 73 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 315-375 lb. 98.00-103.00; Choice 215-380 lb. 78.00-99.00; high Good and low Choice 140-250 lb. 67.00-80.00, 120-140 lb. 55.00-67.00, 80-115 lb. 55.50-58.00, 55-80 lb. 50.00-

RETURNED TO FARM: 50 head 90-115 lb. Holstein heifers 57.50-58.00. 20 head 120-125 lb. Holstein bulls 68.00, 200 head 100-115 lb. 70.00-74.00, 35 head 90-95 lb. 65.00-66.00; 20 head small frame 110-115 lb. 61.00-65.00, and 75 head small frame 90-105 lb. 57.50-59.00.

SHEEP: Supply mainly 20-50 lb. spring lambs sold to the Greek Easter trade; around 25 percent slaughter ewes firm to 5.00 higher.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 30-50 lb. 168.00-176.00, 10 head 30-40 lb. 182.00-191.00, few Choice 60-70 lb. 128.00-144.00; Good 30-45 lb. 126.00-142.00. one lot Good 24 lb. 110.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-25.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; five head medium kids 40.00-41.00, couple plain 22.00; medium mature 16.00-20.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, April 10 Report Supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep**

Today

265 13 648 16

Last Wednesday

239 15 323 Last 475 19 831

Wednesday's Auction Last Wednesday's Auction 1 212 13 271 7

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers firm to 50 higher; insufficient volume any other class to fully test trends. Supply included 85 percent slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: 91 head Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 1269-1345 lb. 61.75-63.00; 81 head Choice 2-4 1200-137 lb. 60.50-61.35, one lot 1097 lb. 59.25; one lot Choice 2-3 1080 lb. 58.75; one lot Good and Choice 1255 lb. Holsteins 51.85.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good 2-3 765-955 lb. 43.00-48.25; dividual Choice 2 1210 lb. 61.25

COWS: Couple Breaking Utility 2-3 39.75-43.25; Canner and low Cutter 35.50-37.75.

BULLOCKS: Good and Choice 1-2 1150-1230 lb. 50.00-54.50; individual yield grade 1 1550 lb. Bull 50.25, couple yield grade 2 1165-1260 lb. 45.50-47.50.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test; couple high Good and low Choice 175-180 lb. 70.00-75.00, couple 120-130 lb. 59.00, 75-90 lb. 48.00-55.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

New Holland Livestock

Thursday, April 11

CATTLE 1090. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers 50 to mostly 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers scarce steady; cows steady, instances 1.00 higher; bullocks 1.00 lower; bulls weak to 1.00 lower with yield grade 1 mostly 1.00 lower. Supply included 51 percent slaughter steers and 38 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1480 lb. 61.10-62.50, few 62.75-63.85; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1325 lb. 61.00-63.25; Choice 2-4 1080-1350 lb. 59.00-61.25; high Good and low Choice 2-3 950-1275 lb. 56.00-59.00; few Good 2-3 52.00-56.00; Good and Choice 1250-1450 lb. Holsteins 52.00-54.50; Few Standard 48.00-50.00. SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few -

Choice 2-3 840-1100 lb. 53.50-57.00; Good 2-3 850-1000 lb. 50.00-53.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 40.00-43.00, several

43.25-45.75; Cutter and balls. Utility 1-3 38.00-41.00, few 45.00. 2.50; Canner and low Cutter 35.00. 38.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050-1300 **47,48.75-51.**75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 140-2025 lb. 48.30-51.00; yield grade 2 45,75-48.50

VEAL CALVES: 629. Vealers 3.00-5.00 higher, although high Good and low Choice 160-320 lb. mostly steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 320-370 lb. 103.00-109.00, couple 109.00-111.00; Choice 160-320 lb. 80.00-96.00, few 96.00-101.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lb. 58.00-80.00, 120-160 lb. 58.00-70.00, 80-115 lb. 52.00-58.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-115 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-74.00 several 85-105 lb. 59.00-65.00.

SHEEP: 258. Supply mainly 20-60 lb. spring lambs, few 70-100 lb. Slaughter ewes steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 20-50 lb. 96.00-122.00, 50-70 lb. 80.00-100.00, 70-100 lb. 78.00-86.00; Good 20-50 lb. 70.00-95.00.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 95-115 lb. 64.00-73.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 14.00-26.00.

GOATS: 115. All goats sold by the head, Fancy Kids 28.00-36.00, medium 25.00-30.00; Large mature 38.00-46.00, couple 48.00-50.00; medium 25.00-35.00, few small 17.00-25.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, April 12 Report supplied by PDA

Cattle Calves This Week 3900 1465 Last Week 3334 1402 Last Year 5921 1299 CATTLE: Sl. steers fully steady with some closing sales 1.00 higher; Sl. heifers steady, instances 1.00 higher; cows steady, instances 1.00 higher; bullocks 1.00 lower; bulls weak to mostly 1.00 lower. Supply included 57 per cent Sl. steers; 6 per cent Sl. heifers; 21 per cent cows; 5 per cen bulls with a balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice & Prime 3-4 1200-1480 lb. 60.50-63.00, few head 63.00-63.85; Good & Choice 1-2 110-1325 lb. 61.50-63.75, 12 head 64.00-65.25; Choice 2-4 1075-1450 lb. 58.50-61.25, few 61.25-62.00; High Good & Low Choice 2-3 950-1400 lb. 55.00-59.00; Good 2-3 51.00-55.00; Good & Choice 1150-1450 lb. Holsteins 50.00-54.50; few Choice 54.50-57.25; Standard 1050-1250 lb. 47.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1250 lb. 53.50-57.50, few mainly Choice 2 57.50-61.75; Good2-3 850-1100 lb. 50.00-54.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 40.00-43.00, several 43.00-45.75; Cutter & Boning Utitlity 1-3 38.00-42.00, few 42.00-43.25; Canner & Low Cutter 36.00-39.00, few 34.75-37.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050- 1300 lb. 52.75-54.75; Good 1-2 950-1200 lb. 48.75-52.00

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 48.00-52.00; few 53.00-54.50, couple to 55.75; Yield Grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 45.00-49.25

VEAL CALVES: Vealers 3.00-5.00, extremes 8.00 higher; 1 High Good

& Low Choice 80-115 lb. SLAUGHTER CALVES: Steady.

Demand fair for Hol. bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice & Prime 280-370 lb. 98.00-109.00, few 109.00-115.00; Choice 160-380 lb. 78.00-95.00, few 95.00-101.00; High Good & Low Choice 160-320 lb. 58.00-80.00; 120 -160 lb. 58.00-70.00; 80-115 1b. 52.00-58.00; 55-80 lb. 50.00-55.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good & Choice 250-350 lb. 55.00-75.00; 366-500 lb. 50.00-55.00.

HAY, STRAW & CORN _ SALE ---



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