Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Dec. 2 Report Supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Hogs SheepGoats Monday's Receipts

1078 168 306 230 **Last Monday**

863 128 668 684 Last Year

Last Monday's Auction

847 169 837 889 Monday's Auction 168 772 369 1121 260

678 136 617 303 380 CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers fully steady; slaughter heifers .50-1.00 higher; cows fully steady; bulls 1.50-2.00 higher. Supply included 60% slaughter steers, 20% claughter heifers, 14% cows, and 6% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1175-1400 lb. 66.00-68.60, individual 70.00; Choice 2-4 1200-1450 lb. 63.00-67.00, 1000-1200 lb. 62.50-67.10; mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1040-1375 lb. 58.75-63.00; Good 2-3 1090-1300 lb. 55.00-60.00; Choice 1-3 Holsteins 1300-1595 lb. 49.00-55.25, Good 1-3 44.25-49.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 3-4 1050-1300 lb. 64.50-67.10, few individuals 67.75; Choice 2-4 900-1285 lb. 60.00-64.75; mixed Good and Choice 2-3 930-1250 lb. 55.50-60.00; Good 2-3 870-1220 lb. 51.00-55.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 35.00-38.75, few high dressing individuals 39.00-40.25; high Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.25-36.75; Canner and low Cutter 30.00-34.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-2100 lb. 46.00-52.50, few high dressing individuals 53.00-56.75; yield grade 2 1100-1900 lb. 43.25-47.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers and Calves to return to farm 5.00 higher. Supply included 15 head Prime special fed 300 lb. bought to arrive at 125.00.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 150-320 lb. 100.00-120.00; Choice 150-300 lb. 80.00-100.00; high Choice and low Choice 120-250 lb. 60.00-80.00, 80-120 lb. 40.00-55.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 80-110 lb. Holstein bulls 65.00-85.00. SHEEP: Slaughter lambs steady

to firm; slaughter ewes steady. WOOLED LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 85-110 lb. 70.00-76.00;

Open 24 hours a day

AUCTIONS

MONDAY

Heifers, Steers, Cows

9:00 A.M. - Slaughter Bulls,

12 Noon —Slaughter Hogs

9:00 A.M. —Slaughter Hogs

1:00 P.M. -Feeder Pigs

10:00 A.M. —Goats, Veal Calves,

Lambs

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

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Good and Choice 85-110 lb. 65.00-70.00

FEEDER LAMBS: Choice and Fancy 55-85 lb. 65.00-75.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 2.00-35.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; Large steady to 10.00 lower, Medium and Small steady. Large mature 50.00-65.00; Medium 30.00-50.00; Small 15.00-30.00.

Vintage Market

Tuesday, Dec. 3 Report Supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Sheep Goats**

1131 999 8 9 Last Tuesday 825 1032 12 61 Last Year 807 914 29 1

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers 2.00 lower; insufficient volume of slaughter heifers and bulls to test the market; cows fully steady. Supply included 49% steers and 46% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Prime 3-4 1175-1320 lb. 68.00-70.85; Choice 2-4 1045-1390 lb. 62.75-67.85, mostly 64.00-66.25; mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1115-1400 lb. 57.75-63.00; Good 2-3 1085-1310 lb. 53.00-58.00; Good and Choice 1-3 1190-1450 lb. Holsteins 43.75-46.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-4 950-1200 lb. 58.25-61.00. individual up to 64.00; Good 2-3 950-1175 lb. 53.00-58.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 34.75-38.75, few high dressing individuals 39.00-42.00; high Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-37.50; Canner and low Cutter 1-2 30.00-33.50, few low dressing individuals 28.00-29.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1350-2120 lb. 41.50-47.50, few yield grade 1 47.25-50.10.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady to 5.00 lower; calves to return to farm 3.00-5.00 lower. Supply included 679 in graded sale of which 70% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Prime 205-275 lb. 88.00-94.00; Choice 150-335 lb. 69.00-85.00; high Good and low 130 lb. 35.00-50.00, 80-100 lb. 30.00- steers, cows active. Supply in-46.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 85.00, bulk 78.00-85.00; 90-100 lb.

SHEEP: No market test. GOATS: No market test.

Lancaster Auction Wednesday, Dec. 4 Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Today 188 16 386 24 3 Last Wednesday 201 23 235 16 0 Last Year

303 57 630 Wednesday's Auction

156 33 345 Last Wednesday's Auction 156 23 267 0 0

CATTLE: Limited sales slaughter steers and heifers fully steady; cows weak in a light test, with quality and weight condition not as attractive as Monday. Supply included 59% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few high Choice 2-4 1250-1420 lb. 66.50-67.35; Choice 2-4 1150-1430 lb. 62.75-66.85: mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1080-1290 lb. 61.00-62.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-4 955-1140 lb. 60.00-63.75; mixed Good and Choice 2-3 950-1145 lb. 55.00-60.00.

COWS: Few Breaking Utility 2-4 34.00-39.75; high Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-36.75, few low dressing individuals 30.50-33.25; Canner and low Cutter 1-2 28.00-32.75; excessively full Canners 23.50-28.25.

BULLS: Absent. VEAL CALVES: No market test. SHEEP: No market test. GOATS: No market test.

New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa. Thursday, Dec. 5 Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

1107 860 59 CATTLE: No Trends available due to no sale last Thursday because of Thanksgiving holiday.

cluded 53% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few Holstein bulls 100-120 lb. 70.00- high choice prime 2-4 1170-1405 lbs. 66.70-67.60; Choice 2-4 1055-1200 lbs. 61.00-65.25 1200-1400 lbs. 62.00-66.00. Mixed good & choice 2-3 1100-1400 lbs. 57.00-61.25, good 1-3 900-1350 lbs. 54.00-58.25; choice 1-3 1300-1520 lbs. holsteins 48.50-50.00; Mixed good & choice 1-3 44.25-48.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1050-1320 lbs. 59.00-63.85; few good 1-2 1300-1330 lbs. 64.25-64.60 mixed good & choice 2-3 1000-1250 lbs. 54.00-58.75.

COWS: Breaking utility & comm. 2-4 35.00-40.00 few high dressing incls. 40.00-42.00. High 42.00-48.50. cutter & boning utility 1-3 33.75-37.00; canner & low cutter 1-2 29.50-34.75, few low dressing incls. 27.00-

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1150-1880 lbs. 48.00-53.50. few high dressing incl. 54.25-55.00; yield grade 2 1000-2070 lbs. 42.00-48.50.

VEALERS: Prime 215-345 lbs. 100.00-114.00; choice 140-335 lbs. 140-320 lbs. 54.00-75.00 100-120 lbs. few 64.00-78.00. 48.00-55.00 80-100 lbs. 42.00-51.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120 lbs. holstein bulls 76.00-88.00, few 64.00-78.00.

WOOLED LAMBS: Prime 90-115 lbs. 73.00-74.00; choice 85-115 lbs. 70.00-72.00; Good 85-110 lbs. 67.00-

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility & good 23.00-37.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; large 42.00-55.00; medium 30.00-40.00; small 15.00-26.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, December 6 Report Supplied by PDA

Cattle Calves This Week 2100 4155 **Last Week** 1183 2192 3479 2228 **Last Year** CATTLE: Sl. steers closed 1.00-

2.00 lower after opening steady; sl. heifers 1.00 lower; cows firm; bulls 1.50-2.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice & Prime 2-4 1170-1400 lbs. 66.50-68.00, early sales 68.00-70.85; Choice 2-4 1050-1200 lbs. 61.00-65.50, 1200-1400 lbs. 62.00-66.00; mixed Good & Choice 2-3 1040-1400 lbs. 57.00-61.25, early sales up to 63.00; Good 1-3 1000-1350 lbs. 53.00-58.25; Choice 1-3 1300-1520 lb. holsteins

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SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice & Prime 2-4 1050-1300 lbs. 64.50-67.25 early; Choice 2-4 1050-1320 lbs. 59.00-63.85; few Good 1-2 1300-1330 lbs. 64.25-64.60; mixed Good & Choice 2-3 1000-1250 lbs. 54.00-59.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 35.00-40.00, few high dressing individuals 40.00-42.25; high Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 33.00-37.50; Canner & low Cutter 1-2 30.00-34.75; few low dressing Canners 27.00-30.00.

BULLS: YG 1 1150-2120 lbs. 47.50-53.50; high dressing individual 54.25-56.75; YG 2 1000-2070 lbs.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers closed 5.00-10.00 higher; calves returned to farm steady.

VEALERS: Prime 215-345 lbs. 100.00-114.00, few up to 120.00; Choice 140-335 lbs. 75.00-97.00; high Good & low Choice 140-320 lbs. 54.00-75.00, 100-120 lbs. 48.00-55.00, 80-100 lbs. 42.00-51.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 75.00-97.00 high good & low choice 90-120 lb. holstein bulls 76.00-88.00.

Weekly Summary

Harrisburg, PA Friday, December 6 Report supplied by PDA 15 Livestock Markets

CATTLE: 6192. Compared with 3901 head last week and 5830 head a year ago. Steers steady to 2.00 lower; heifers & bulls steady to strong; cows mostly steady; High Choce & Prime 66.00-68.60; Choice 60.50-67.75; Good 52.00-62.00; Standard 45.00-53.50; Choice heifers 58.00-64.75; Good 51.00-58.75; Standard 41.50-51.50; cows 35.00-39.00; Cutter & Boning Utility 32.50-37.00; Canner & Cutter 27.00-34.50; shells 20.00; bullocks few Good & Choice 50.00-60.00; bulls Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-2100 lb. 44.00-52.00; No. 2, 900-1400 lb. 39.75-

FEEDER CATTLE: Large & Med. No. 1, 300-800 lb. stees 49.00-59.00; heifers Large & Med. No. 1, 300-700 lb. 38.00-48.50.

CALVES: 4232. Compared with 2922 head last week and 4654 head a year ago. Vealers uneven; Good & Choice Grades steady to 3.00 higher; Standard & Low Good steady to 5.00 lower; few High Choice & Prime 100-120 lb. 75.00-100.00; Good 60.00-78.00; 90-110 lb. 40.00-54.00; 70-90 lb. 30.00-49.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 90-130 lb. 60.00-95.00.

HOGS: 4719. Compared with 4856 head last week and 7218 head a year ago. Barrows & Gilts uneven, mostly steady to .75 higher; No. 1-2, 210-250 lb. 46.00:48.50; No. 2-3, 200-260 lb. 44.25-47.50; few No. 2-4, 240-280 lb. 42.60-46.00; few No. 1-3, 175-200 lb. 42.00-45.00; sows steady to weak; No. 1-3, 300-700 lb. 35.50-40.00: boars 26.00-36.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 699. Compared with 981 head last week and 1294 head a year ago. Few No. 1-3, 15-35 lb. 13.00-26.00; 30-55 lb. 20.00-46.00.

2 GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES: 1353. Compared with 1293 head last week and 2330 head a year ago. Mostly steady to 10.00 higher; No. 1-2, 20-30 lb. 95.00-115.00, few to 130.00; 30-40 lb. 71.00-83.00; 40-50 lb. 74.00-89.00; 50-60 lb. 65.00-91.00; 60-70 lb. 66.00-72.00; No. 2-3, 30-40 lb. 70.00-87.00; 40-50 lb. 76.00-79.00; 50-70 lb. 60.00-69.00; all per hundred weight.

SHEEP: 824. Compared with 768 head last week and 1567 head a year ago. Mostly steady; High Choice & Prime 75-110 lb. 66.00-76.00; Choice 65-110 lb. 60.00-71.00; Good 50-100 lb. 50.00-60.00; Good & Choice 60.00-85.00; feeder lambs 67.00-75.50; sl. ewes 13.00-36.00.

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