Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market Monday, May 5 Report Supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Hogs SheepGoats Monday's Receipts

74 734 294 401 **Monday's Auction** 339 424 1638 653 80 Last Monday's Auction 1360 117 444 1840 643 **Last Year's Auction** 1538 121 467 548

CATTLE: Compared to last Monday slaughter steers steady to weak; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows steady to 1.00 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 81% steers, 11% heifers, 3% cows, and 5% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 4 1190-1400 lb. 52.75-55.00, 3-4 1325-1450 lb. 52.00-53.25; Choice 2-3 few 4 1030-1400 lb. 51.75-54.00, few 54.00-55.10, 3-4 1150-1350 lb. 49.50-52.00; Choice 3 few 4 1400-1500 lb. 47.00-50.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lb. 48.50-52.00, few 1050-1100 lb. 52.50-53.50; Good and Choice 1250-1465 lb. Holsteins 42.75-45.25, few Choice 46.50-48.25, Standard and low Good 1100-1350 lb. 38.00-42.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 940-1280 lb. 49.00-52.85, few Choice 2 53.00-53.50; Good 2-3 850-1150 lb. 44.00-49.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.50-37.50, few 38.00-40.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.50-37.00, few 37.00-37.50; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-34.50.

BULLOCKS: Good 1-2 1025-1185 lb. 44.50-45.50; couple Choice 2 1200-1300 lb. 49.50-51.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1250-2085 lb. 48.75-51.25, couple 52.00-54.00; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 44.50-

VEAL CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included 16 head Prime special fed 325-405 lb. bought to arrive at 125.00-127.00.

VEALERS: Few high Choice and Prime 270-330 lb. 105.00-115.00; Choice 160-330 lb. 85.00-105.00; high Good and low Choice 160-325 lb. 65.00-85.00, 110-160 lb. 50.00-70.00, 80-110 lb. 40.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 350-550 lb. 45.00-60.00, couple 60.00-65.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 75.00-100.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs firm to 2.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady to 2.00 higher.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 80.00-84.00: Choice 75-105 lb. 75.00-80.00; Good 60-90 lb. 70.00-75.00; Choice 20-40 lb. 100.00-140.00, 40-70 lb. 80.00-100.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 20.00-32.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head; Large mature 55.00-70.00, around 10 head 70.00-80.00, Medium 35.00-50.00, Small 20.00-35.00; Large kids 22.00-30.00, Small 15.00-

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Vintage Cattle Tuesday, May 6 Report Supplied by USDA **Cattle Calves Sheep Goats**

Today 1307 22 10 613 Last Tuesday 963 645 62 8 Last Year 1517 643 25 3

CATTLE: Compared to last Tuesday slaughter steers mostly steady; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 2.00-3.00 higher; small supply bulls 1.00 higher. Supply included 77 percent slaughter steers and 21 percent

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 4 1125-1450 lb. 52.50-55.00, few head 55.00-55.75, 3-4 1300-1475 lb. 49.25-52.25; Good and Choice 1-2 1175-1425 lb. 54.75-56.00, 10 head 56.00-57.35; Choice 2-3 1100-1375 lb. 52.25-54.50, few 54.50-55.00, 1375-1475 lb. 50.00-53.00; Choice 3-4 1250-1500 lb. 47.25-51.00, few 4-5 1200-1500 lb. 44.00-47.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1100-1350 lb. 48.75-52.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 1050-1185 lb. 50.00-52.75; few good 2-3 985-1135 lb. 42.75-45.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-39.00, couple 39.00-40.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 36.00-38.75, few 40.25-41.75; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-35.50

BULLS: Few yield grade 1 1400-2000 lb. 44.75-47.50.

VEAL CALVES: High Good and low Choice vealers firm to 5.00 higher, Choice not fully tested. Supply included 509 in graded sale of which 82 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 180-290 lb. 80.00-88.00; high Good and low Choice 140-180 lb. 50.00-72.00, 110-140 lb. 47.00-55.00, 80-110 lb. 40.00-50.00, 65-80 lb. 30.00-38.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 220 head 100-125 lb. Holstein bulls 103.00-109.00, 55 head 90-95 lb. 95.00-100.00; 80 head small frame 90-115 lb. 73.00-84.00. 60 head 90-120 lb. Holstein heifers 60.00-76.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test; few Choice 25-65 lb. spring lambs 86.00-98.00; Utility and Good slaughter ewes 21.00-

GOATS: Supply mainly Large mature selling by the head at 45.00**Lancaster Auction** Wednesday, May 7 Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats Wednesday's Receipts 438 11 377 Wednesday's Auction

396 4 14 425 Last Wednesday's Auction 316 13 368 Last Year's Auction

435 602 12 **CATTLE:** Compared to Monday slaughter steers and heifers generally steady; cows steady; bulls not fully tested. Supply in-

cluded 84% slaughter steers. SLAUGHTER STEERS: One lot high Choice and Prime 2-3 1175 lb. 53.85, couple lots 2-3 few 4 1365-1435 lb. 50.85-53.85; Choice 2-3 1100-1320 lb. 52.10-54.25, 3-4 1290-1400 lb. 49.60-51.35, 1425-1524 lb. 47.75-48.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 920-1200 lb. 50.00-52.00; Good and Choice 1250-1535 lb. Holsteins 42.85-

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1100-1255 lb. 48.50-51.00; Good 2-3 1050-1150 lb. 45.00-48.50, few 790-850 lb. 43.50-45.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 35.25-38.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 35.25-38.00: Canner and low Cutter 32.00-35.00.

BULLS: Individual yield grade 1 1310 lb. 51.75, couple 1525-1625 lb. 47.50-47.75.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test; few Choice 180-270 lb. vealers 93.00-97.00; few high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. 40.00-50.00.

SHEEP: No market test. GOATS: None.

> New Holland Livestock New Holland, Pa. Thursday, May 9

GOATS: 42. All goats sold by the head, large mature 47.00-62.00, couple 62.00-72.00 with couple 80.00-85.00; medium 36.00-44.00; few medium kids 22.00-31.00.

New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa. Thursday, May 9

CATTLE 1542. Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers fully steady, some strength on 1350-1500 lb. weights; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks not comparable; bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 80 percent slaughter steers and 14 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3, few 4 1065-1420 lb. 52.85-55.25, few lots 55.25-56.10, 3-4 1325-1500 lb. 49.00-52.50; Choice 2-3, 1050-1400 lb. 51.75-54.50, several lots 54.50-55.00, 3-4 1100-1565 lb. 48.50-51.75, few lots 4, few 5 47.00-48.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 48.50-52.00; few Good and Choice 1100-1450 lb. Holsteins 43.75-47.00; Standard and low Good 1050-1275 lb. 40.00-43.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 1050-1350 lb. 49.50-53.50; few Good 2-3 950-1150 lb. 46.00-50.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.75-40.00, couple 40.50-41.75; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 36.25-39.25, few 39.50-40.00; Canner and low Cutter 32.25-36.00

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 1-3 1100-1375 lb. 49.00-51.25, couple 52.00-53.00; Good 1-2 1000-1275 lb. 45.50-48.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-1900 lb. 48.50-50.50, few 52.00-53.75; yield grade 2 1000-1350 lb. 44.50-48.50.

VEAL CALVES: 341. Vealers mostly steady, with high Good and low Choice 80-115 lb. 2.00-4.00 higher. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Prime special fed 395-405 lb. 127.00-128.00, few 275-350 lb. 110.00-111.00; Choice 165-335 lb. 82.00-96.00, couple 103.00 107.00; high Good and low Choice 150-320 lb. 65.00-82.00, 80-110 lb. 42.00-50.00, 65-80 lb. 32.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk ~ 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 88.00-112.00, around 35 head 114.00-123.00; several small frame 90-115 lb. 48.00-70.00, few 70.00-80.00.

SHEEP: 50. Supply mainly 35-65 lb. spring lambs; slaughter ewes 3.00-5.00 higher.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice 35-45 lb. 124.00-137.00, 50-55 lb. 114.00-129.00, 60-65 lb. 100.00-106.00, couple 80-105 lb. 82.00-87.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, May 9 Report Supplied by PDA

Cattle Calves This Week 5200 1050 4659 Last Week 1158 Last Year 5962 1254 CATTLE: Si. steers

mostly steady; sl. heifers steady; cows 1.00 to 2.00 higher; bullocks not fully tested; bulls 1.00 to 2.00 higher. Supply included 75 per cent sl. steers, 5 per cent sl. hefiers, 11 per cent cows, 3 per cent bulls, with the balance feeders.

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SLAUGHTGER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1280 lbs. 48.50-52.85, few Choice 2 53.00-53.50; Good 2-3 950-1150 lbs. 42.75-49.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 36.00-40.00, couple 40.50-41.75; Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 36.00-39.25, few 39.50-40.25; Canner & low Cutter 32.00-36.00. **BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1100-1375**

lbs. 49.00-51.25, couple 52.00-53.00; Good 1-2 1000-1275 lbs. 44.50-48.75. BULLS: YG 1, 1250-2085 lbs.

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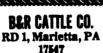
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95-125 lb. holstein bulls 88.00-112.00, around 35 head 114.00-123.00, several small frame 90-115 lbs. 48.00-70.00, few 70.00-84.00; around 75 head 90-125 lb. holstein heifers 60.00-76.00.

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