

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, July 7
Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats
1657	137	426	420	217
Monday's Auction				
1756	156	508	437	249
Last Monday's Auction				
1519	93	579	428	266
Last Year's Auction				
1846	121	813	430	278

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday slaughter steers mostly steady, instances .50 higher; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks steady; bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Supply included 74 percent slaughter steers, 10 percent slaughter heifers, 10 percent cows, with the balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3, few 4, 1150-1375 lb. 58.00-59.85, few 60.10-61.00; Choice 2-3, few 4, 1050-1375 lb. 55.50-58.50, couple lots 58.50-59.00, few mostly 4, 1300-1525 lb. 50.00-54.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 52.00-55.75; few Good 2-3 48.00-52.75. Good and Choice 1100-1450 lb. Holsteins 44.25-48.75, few Standard and low Good 40.75-44.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 880-1210 lb. 50.75-55.00; few high Good and low Choice mostly 3 1125-1325 lb. 48.00-50.75; Good 2-3 850-1100 lb. 45.00-50.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.00-40.00, few 40.00-40.50; Commercial 3-4 beef breed 34.75-38.00; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 36.75-39.50; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-36.75.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 1-3 1050-1325 lb. 48.50-52.25; Good 1-2 1000-1250 lb. 45.00-48.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2100 lb. 48.50-51.75, couple 53.75-57.50; yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb. 43.00-49.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady; slaughter calves steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm. Supply included one lot Prime special fed 380 lb. bought to arrive at 117.00.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 280-320 lb. 90.00-100.00; Choice 160-325 lb. 70.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 60.00-70.00, 120-160 lb. 50.00-60.00, 80-110 lb. 40.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 300-500 lb. 50.00-60.00, few 60.00-64.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 70.00-90.00.

SHEEP: Spring lambs 2.00-3.00 lower; slaughter ewes mostly steady.

SPRING LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 73.00-76.00; Choice 40-60 lb. 75.00-85.00, 80-80 lb. 73.00-80.00, 80-110 lb. 70.00-73.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 80-120 lb. 30.00-40.00, 120-250 lb. 22.00-32.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head, Large mature 50.00-65.00, few 65.00-70.00; Medium 35.00-50.00; Small 20.00-35.00, with plain 10.00-20.00.

Vintage Cattle

Tuesday, July 8
Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
1297	922	9	0
Today			
Last Tuesday			
1003	834	10	2
Last Year			
1508	953	61	13

CATTLE: Slaughter steers .50-.75 higher early, later sales steady to .50 lower; slaughter heifers not tested; cows steady to .50 lower, with some early sales .50-1.00 lower; bulls steady. Supply included 74 percent steers and 24 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3, few 4 1115-1380 lb. 57.50-59.60, few 59.75-60.60; Good and Choice 1-2 1100-1325 lb. 59.00-60.60, six head 60.75-61.10; Choice 2-3, few 4 1020-1375 lb. 55.00-59.00, several early 59.00-59.60, few mostly 4 53.00-55.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 52.00-55.50; few Good 48.00-52.00; Good and Choice 1200-1580 lb. Holsteins 42.00-44.25.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-39.00, few 39.00-40.75; Commercial 3-4 34.25-35.50; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 35.25-38.50, few 38.50-39.00, Canner and low Cutter 32.00-35.25, few 30.00-32.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1400-1900 lb. 45.75-49.25.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers mostly steady, instances 5.00 lower on high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. Supply included 563 in graded sale of which 61 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 165-300 lb. 76.00-84.00; high Good and low Choice 140-300 lb. 60.00-70.00, 110-140 lb. 44.00-60.00, 80-110 lb. 34.00-44.00; Standard 55-85 lb. 28.00-34.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 250 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 90.00-95.00, 60 head small frame 100-115 lb. 60.00-67.50; 30 head 100-115 lb. Holstein heifers 62.50-70.00.

SHEEP: Insufficient volume for a market test, few Choice 50-75 lb. spring lambs 71.00-80.00.

In 1944, there were a record number 25.6 million dairy cows on farms, compared to less than 11 million now. National production was more than 100 billion pounds. Fifty years later, it tops 135 billion pounds of milk.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, July 9
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Cattle	Calves	Hogs	Sheep	Goats
632	35	397	5	0
Wednesday's Receipts				
Wednesday's Auction				
350	21	348	0	0
Last Wednesday's Auction				
137	15	220	0	0
Last Year's Auction				
300	17	557	2	0

CATTLE: Slaughter Steers steady with Tuesday's late sales or .50 lower than Monday; Slaughter Heifers steady; Cows steady; Bulls not fully tested. Supply included 63 percent Slaughter Steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: One lot high choice and prime 3 1225 lb. 59.35, one lot 3, few 4 1395 lb. 58.10; Choice 2-3, few 4 1050-1400 lb. 54.75-58.60; few high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 53.00-55.00; few standard and low good 1125-1400 lb. Holsteins 40.00-42.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Good and Choice 2-3 895-950 lb. 47.00-51.10.

COWS: Breaking Utility 2-3 36.00-40.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 34.75-38.00. Couple 38.25-38.75; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-34.75.

BULLS: Couple yield grade 1-2 1675-1850 lb. 47.25-48.75.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test, few high good and low choice 80-110 lb. 40.00-45.00.

SHEEP: None.

GOATS: None.

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AUCTIONS

MONDAY

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

10:00 A.M. — Goats, Veal Calves, Lambs

12 Noon — Slaughter Hogs

TUESDAY

9:00 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

FRIDAY

11:00 A.M. — Stocker and Feeder Cattle

SATURDAY

8:00 A.M. — Slaughter Hogs

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New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.
Thursday, July 10

Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
1449	713	128	86
Today			
780	492	65	51
Last Thursday			
2060	756	166	38
Last Year			

CATTLE: Slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher; Slaughter Heifers steady to 1.00 higher; Cows .50-1.00 lower; Bullocks steady to 1.00 lower; Bulls 1.00-1.50 lower. Supply included 64 percent slaughter steers, 26 percent cows, 7 percent bulls with the balance mainly slaughter heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1085-1380 lb. 58.00-60.50, with about 20 head 60.75-61.25; few good and choice 1-2 1150-1400 lb. 59.00-61.25; choice 2-3 few 4 1050-1400 lb. 56.50-59.25, few 59.35-59.50, 3-4 1400-1550 lb. 53.75-58.00; good and choice 2-3 1050-1350 lb. 52.00-56.00; few good 2-3 49.50-52.75; Good and Choice 1225-1475 lb. Holsteins 43.00-46.75; few standard and low good 40.00-43.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1025-1125 lb. 50.75-55.00; good 2-3 900-1100 lb. 45.00-50.25.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 3-4 35.00-38.50, couple 39.00-40.75; Cutter and boning utility 1-3 34.75-38.00, few 38.00-38.75; canner and low cutter 32.00-34.75, few 30.50-32.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050-1350 lb. 49.00-51.50; Good 1-2 1000-1275 lb. 44.00-48.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1950 lb. 47.50-51.00; yield grade 2 1000-1450 lb. 44.00-47.50.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady to weak; slaughter calves 5.00-8.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High choice and prime 270-320 lb. 94.00-99.00, five head 295-440 lb. 102.00-109.00; choice 160-320 lb. 69.00-85.00, few 85.00-89.00; high good and low choice 160-320 lb. 58.00-70.00, 80-110 lb. 40.00-46.00, few standard 70-85 lb. 30.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 320-425 lb. 44.00-55.00, few Choice 55.00-59.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-130 lb. Holstein Bulls 80.00-100.00, several 100.00-106.00; several small frame 90-110 lb. 55.00-80.00.

SHEEP: Spring Lambs 3.00-5.00 higher; Slaughter Ewes mostly steady.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 73.00-80.00, few choice 50-65 lb. 78.00-81.00; good 70-90 lb. 55.00-70.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 25.00-34.00.

GOATS: All Goats sold by the head, couple large 52.00-54.00; Medium 34.00-48.00; small 20.00-32.00, few plain 12.00-20.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, July 11
Report Supplied by PDA

Cattle	Calves
5400	1815
This Week	
3957	1448
Last Week	
5963	1845
Last Year	

CATTLE: Sl. steers .50-1.00 higher, instances 1.50 higher; slaughter heifers steady to 1.00 higher; cows opened the week 1.00-2.00 higher, then sold progressive lower to close weak to 1.00 lower; bullocks steady to weak; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 63 percent slaughter steers, 5 percent slaughter heifers, 17 percent cows, 4 percent bulls with the balance feeders.

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