

Livestock market and auction news

Some markets not covered by PDA or USDA due to holiday

Lancaster Livestock Market

Lancaster, Pa.
Monday, December 29, 1986
 Report Supplied by PDA
CATTLE 1420...USDA. Compared with last Tuesday's market: Slaughter steers Choice and Prime firm to \$1 higher, Good to Low Choice mostly steady; Heifers .50-\$1 lower; Cows firm to \$1 higher; Bullocks steady; Bulls steady to weak. High Choice & Prime 3-4 steers 1250-1500 lbs. 61.75-64.25, Choice 2-3 few 4's 1150-1400 lbs. 59.60-62.50, several 3-4 1275-1450 lbs. with liberal fill 57-59.50, High Good & Low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lbs. 56.50-60.25, Good 53.50-57, Good & Choice 1235-1500 lbs. holsteins 46.25-48.75, Standard & Low Good 42.75-45.50. Choice 2-3 few 4's heifers 53.75-57.50, 2-3 850-950 lbs. 52.00-54, Good 50.00-54. Breaking Utility & Commercial-4 slaughter cows 36-39.50, Cutter [Boning Utility 1-3 33.50-37.75, Canner [Low Cutter 32-34.50. Choice 1-3 slaughter bullocks 1150-1250 lbs. 52-54.75, Good 45.75-50. Yield Grade No. 1, 1350-1925 lbs. slaughter bulls 48.00-51, No. 2, 1000-1550 lbs. 44.75-49.00.

CALVES 157...Vealers mostly steady. High Choice [Prime 250-350 lbs. 98.00-108, Choice 160-350 lbs. 80.00-90, High Good and Low Choice 160-350 lbs. 65.00-80, 110-160 lbs. 50.00-65, 70-110 lbs. 35.00-45. **Farm Calves:** Demand good; Bulk Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs. \$5.00-108, few Small Frame 90-110 lbs. 80.00-95; Slaughter calves \$5-\$10 higher; Good and Choice 325-500 lbs. sl. calves 50.00-65.00, few Choice 275-400 lbs. 65.00-75.00.

SHEEP 288...Woolled slaughter lambs \$2-\$3 higher. High Choice [Prime 85-110 lbs. wool lambs 70.00-75, Choice 80-115 lbs. 65.00-70, Good to Low Choice 60-75 lbs. 70.00-80; Choice 35-50 lbs. new crop lambs 150.00-190.00. Slaughter ewes steady; Utility [Good 25.00-40.00.

GOATS 305...Large Mature 50.00-65, Medium 40.00-50.00, Choice Kids 40.00-60, Good 25.00-40, few Plain Kids 20.00-25.00 — all per head.

Vintage Livestock Auction

Paradise, Pa.
Tuesday, December 30, 1986
 Report Supplied by PDA
CATTLE 1139...USDA...SUPPLY INCLUDED 41% SLAUGHTER STEERS AND 54% Cows. Compared with Monday's market: Slaughter steers \$1, instances \$1.50 lower; Heifers and Cows steady to \$1 lower, except Canner and low Cutter cows mostly steady. High Choice & Prime 2-4 slaughter steers 1150-1375 lbs. 64.25-67.10, few Choice #2 1150-1350 lbs. 62.75-64.25, Choice 2-3 few 4's 1100-1410 lbs. 58.00-61.25, mainly 58.50-60.50, few 3-4 1250-1300 lbs. 56.50-58, High Good & Low Choice 2-3 1050-1275 lbs. 55.00-58.50, few Good 925-1250 lbs. 53.00-56, couple lots Choice 1235-1325 lbs. holsteins 43.50-45.50. Few Choice 2-3 slaughter heifers 950-1075 lbs. 51.25-51.75, couple No. 2, 53-57.25, Good 950-1030 lbs. 46.75-48.50. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 2-4 36.25-38, few 41.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 33.50-37, several 38.75, Canner & Low Cutter 32.00-34.50, few 31.00-32. Yield Grade No. 1-2, 1250-1640 lbs. slaughter bulls 45.00-47.75, couple 2105-2130 lbs. 45-47.25, few No. 2, 1000-1200 lbs. 43.25-44.50.

CALVES 1039...SUPPLY INCLUDED 716 IN GRADED SALES OF WHICH 66% SOLD TO RETURN TO FARM...Vealers fully steady, instances \$5 higher on High Good and Low Choice 80-110 lb. weight. Couple Choice 270-315 lbs. 70.00-76, High Good and Low Choice 140-300 lbs. 55.00-70, 110-140 lbs. 45.00-60, 90-110 lbs. 40.00-50, 80-90 lbs. 38.00-41, 65-80 lbs. 30.00-38.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 100-125 lbs. 95.00-100, 90-95 lbs. 90.00, Small Frame 100-120 lbs. 66.00-83, 90-105 lbs. 48.00-50.00.

SHEEP 1...No market test.
GOATS 3...No market test.

Lancaster County Weekly

Wednesday, Dec. 31, 1986
 Report Supplied by PDA

	Cattle Calves	
This Week	2650	1190
Last Week	1982	1078
Last Year	3249	1541

CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady to 50 lower, after some early sales being 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 lower; cows steady; bullocks steady; bulls steady to weak. Supply included 49% slaughter steers, 9% slaughter heifers, 35% cows, 4% bulls, with the balance feeders; however, Thursday not included in report.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few high Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1425 lb. 61.75-64.25, with around 25 head 64.50-67.75; Choice 2-3 few 4 1075-1450 lb. 58.00-62.50, few 62.50-63.00, several 3-4 1250-1450 lb. with liberal fill 56.50-58.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lb. 55.00-60.00; Good 2-3 925-1250 lb. 53.00-57.00; Good and Choice 1235-1500 lb. Holsteins 46.25-48.75, Standard and low Good 1200-1350 lb. 42.75-45.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 few 975-1250 lb. 53.00-57.50, couple Choice 2 57.25-58.25; Choice 2-3 850-950 lb. 52.00-54.00; Good 2-3 850-1125 lb. 48.50-54.00; Standard and Good 950-1200 lb. heiferettes 40.00-44.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-39.00, few 39.00-41.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 33.50-37.75, few 38.00-38.75; Canner and low Cutter 32.00-34.50, few 31.00-32.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1150-1350 lb. 52.00-54.75, couple 56.00-57.00; Good 1-2 1000-1250 lb. 45.75-50.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-1925 lb. 47.75-51.00, few 53.25-57.50; yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb. 44.50-49.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers fully steady, instances 5.00 higher on high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb.; slaughter calves 5.00-10.00 higher. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 250-350 lb. 98.00-108.00; Choice 160-350 lb. 80.00-90.00, few 90.00-98.00; high Good and low Choice 160-350 lb. 65.00-80.00, 110-160 lb. 45.00-65.00, 90-110 lb. 40.00-50.00, 80-90 lb. 38.00-45.00, 65-80 lb. 30.00-38.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 325-500 lb. 50.00-65.00; few Choice 275-400 lb. 65.00-75.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 95.00-108.00, few 90-95 lb. 90.00; small frame 100-120 lb. 60.00-90.00, few 90-105 lb. 48.00-50.00.

Weekly Summary

Harrisburg, PA
Friday, Jan. 2
 Report supplied by PDA
8 Livestock Markets

CATTLE: 4200. Compared with 3275 head last week and 3856 head a year ago. Steers mostly .75 to 2.00 lower; heifers 1.00-2.00 lower; cows mostly steady to .50 lower; small supply bullocks uneven; bulls steady to 1.00 lower; High Choice & Prime No. 3-4, 61.75-64.25; Choice 57.00-62.50; Good 52.00-57.00; Standard 45.00-52.00; Choice heifers 52.00-57.00; Good 48.00-54.00; Standard 40.00-47.00; cows Breaking Utility & Commercial 36.00-39.50; Cutter & Boning 33.50-37.75; Canner & Cutter 30.00-34.50; shells 23.00; Choice bullocks 52.00-54.75; Good 49.75-52.00; YG No. 1 bulls 1000-1975 lb. 42.00-48.00; No. 2, 900-1475 lb. 38.00-42.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Med. No. 1 sters 300-700 lb. 47.00-59.50; Med. No. 1 heifers 350-550 lb. 40.00-51.00; few No. 2, 400-500 lb. 39.00-42.00; few Large No. 1 bulls 450-650 lb. 55.00-57.00; few Med. No. 1, 400-650 lb. 42.00-49.00.

CALVES: 2520. Compared with 2263 head last week and 2721 head a year ago. Unevenly steady; High Choice & Prime 98.00-108.00; Choice 80.00-90.00; Good 65.00-80.00; 110-130 lb. 50.00-65.00; 90-110 lb. 45.00-55.00; 65-85 lb. 38.00-46.00; Utility 50-100 lb. 30.00-38.00; holstein bulls 90-135 lb. 70.00-105.00, few to 130.00.

HOGS: 4451. Compared with 2816 head last week and 4374 head a year ago. Mostly steady to .50 lower; No. 1-2, 210-245 lb. 48.50-52.00; No. 1-3, 210-250 lb. 47.50-50.50; No. 2-3, 210-265 lb. 45.50-50.00; No. 2-4, 225-285 lb. 44.00-49.00; sows steady to 3.00 lower; 300-685 lb. 38.00-42.50; No. 2-3, 300-700 lb. 35.00-38.50; boars 32.00-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 521. Compared with 783 head last week and 85 head a year ago. Mostly 1.00-3.00 higher; 20-35 lb. 27.00-40.00; 35-50 lb. 38.00-53.00; 50-85 lb. 53.00-67.00.

GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE: 1086. Compared with 1359 head last week and 1435 head a year ago. Mostly steady to 9.00 lower; 30-40 lb. No. 1-2, 106.00-122.00; 40-50 lb. 92.00-113.00; 50-60 lb. 87.00-101.00; No. 2-3, 36-39 lb. 108.00-118.00.

SHEEP: 533. Compared with 500 head last week and 519 head a year ago. Steady to 5.00 lower; High Choice & Prime 70-120 lb. 70.00-79.00; Choice 80-115 lb. 65.00-75.00; Good & Choice 50-75 lb. 64.00-80.00; sl. sheep 18.00-27.00.

Frederick Co. Hay

Buckeystown, Md.
Thursday, Jan. 1, 1986
 Report Supplied by Auction
 43 loads. Market steady to strong on hay, weaker on straw.
 Alfalfa: 10 loads fair- good 125.00-160.00.
 Timothy: 9 loads fair- good 126.00-140.00.
 Mixed Hay: 7 loads fair- good 120.00-150.00; 5 fair some damaged 90.00-117.00.
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Oklahoma Cattle

Wednesday, Dec. 31
 Report supplied by USDA
Weekly Cattle Summary: Compared to Last Week— Scarce supply of feeder calves 1.00 higher. Few steers & heifers over 550 lb. steady to 1.00 lower. Feeder market hardly tested as holiday reduced receipts prevented normal buying practices at this market. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls fully steady. Cow & bull demand good. Receipts this week 1294 head; last week 1514; last year 3898. Feeder steers & heifers comprised 61% of the run; cows & bulls 39%. Due to light run following feeder prices should not be considered representative of full quality of each weight range.

Medium, few large frame 1.
FEEDER STEERS: 300-360 lb. 70.75-74.50; 500-550 lb. 62.60-66.75; 640-700 lb. 62.00-63.50; 700-750 lb. 60.30-63.40.

FEEDER HEIFERS: 220-300 lb. 62.50-66.25; 400-500 lb. 59.25-63.00; 525-640 lb. 56.20-57.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking Utility 2-4 34.00-37.70; Boning Utility 1-2 33.20-38.75; Cutter 1-2 33.20-36.60; Canner & Lo Dressing Cutter 28.25-32.75.

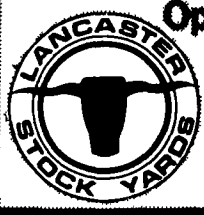
Montgomery Co. Names ASC Committeemen

CREAMERY — Charles Rhoads, Obelisk, a well known Montgomery County dairyman, was elected chairperson on the county Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee at the county ASCS convention, held Dec. 16, 1986 at the 4-H Center, Creamery, Pa.

Bernard Slemmer, Lederach dairyman was elected vice-chairperson and Stanley Moyer another local dairyman was elected as a regular member. These persons will serve for the coming year.

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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


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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