

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, Jan. 16
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Monday's Receipts
1098 98 558 425 463
Monday's Auction
1188 107 579 352 284
Last Monday's Auction
1420 113 520 422 423
Last Year's Auction
789 90 874 85 145

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday slaughter steers steady; slaughter heifers about steady; cows mostly steady; bullocks and bulls fully steady. Supply included 71% slaughter steers, 8% slaughter heifers, 14% cows, and 7% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1450 lb. 63.50-66.00, few 66.50-68.25; Choice 2-3 few 4 1050-1450 lb. 61.10-64.50, mainly 61.75-64.00; few Choice 2 1075-1375 lb. 64.50-65.75; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1025-1425 lb. 58.50-61.25; few Good 2-3 55.50-58.50; Good and Choice 1175-1560 lb. Holsteins 49.00-52.35, few Choice 55.50-57.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1250 lb. 56.00-60.25, few Choice 2 61.00-62.25; few Good 2-3 900-1150 lb. 52.00-55.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 39.50-43.00, few 43.00-44.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 38.50-40.50, couple 40.50-41.50; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-38.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1000-1400 lb. 52.25-56.50, couple 56.50-57.75; few Good 1-2 1000-1275 lb. 48.50-50.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2050 lb. 49.50-53.50, few 53.50-55.50; yield grade 2 1000-1550 lb. 47.00-50.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady; slaughter calves steady, instances 5.00 higher. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 160-300 lb. 75.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 160-325 lb. 62.00-75.00, 110-160 lb. 55.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 45.00-55.00, few 65-80 lb. 35.00-45.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 275-500 lb. 50.00-65.00, few 65.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb. Holstein bulls 85.00-100.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs weak to 5.00 lower; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 lower.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice and Prime 80-110 lb. 75.00-83.00, few head 83.00-87.00; Good 65-90 lb. 70.00-75.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 28.00-40.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large fleshy 50.00-65.00, couple 65.00-70.00, Large thin 45.00-55.00; Medium fleshy 40.00-50.00, thin 35.00-45.00; fleshy Kids 25.00-35.00, Small thin 15.00-25.00.

Penns Valley Livestock

Centre Hall, Pa.
Tuesday, Feb. 17

Report supplied by Auction

Feeder Cattle: 300-500 lbs. large frame 50.00-56.00; 300-500 lbs. small frame 45.00-48.00; 500-700 lbs. large frame 48.00-54.00; 500-700 lbs. small frame 44.00-46.00.

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Vintage Cattle

Tuesday, Feb. 17
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today	869	800	2	1
Last				
Tues.	620	843	3	0
Last Year	1093	832	0	0

CATTLE: Compared to Monday slaughter steers uneven, high Choice and Prime and Choice 2 fully steady, Good to average Choice .50-1.00 lower, instances 1.50 lower; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows steady to 1.00 lower; bulls scarce. Supply included 49 percent slaughter steers and 45 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 and Choice 2 1150-1500 lb. 63.75-66.75, 10 head 67.00-68.00; Choice 2-3 1075-1450 lb. 60.00-63.60, few 3-4 59.25-60.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1375 lb. 58.00-61.00; Good and Choice 1200-1475 lb. Holsteins 47.75-52.50, few Standard 45.50-47.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1140 lb. 56.25-59.25; Good 2-3 1000-1135 lb. 51.50-55.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 38.50-42.00, few 42.00-43.75; Commercial 3-4 37.00-39.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 38.00-41.00, several high dressing 41.50-44.75; Canner and low Cutter 36.00-39.00, few 33.00-35.50.

BULLS: Few yield grade 2 1050-1600 lb. 46.00-48.50.

VEAL CALVES: High Good and low Choice vealers firm to 3.00 higher, insufficient volume Choice for a market test. Supply included 612 in graded sale of which 75 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 225-365 lb. 86.00-100.00, couple high Good and low Choice 110-160 lb. 70.00-81.00; high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. 45.00-54.00; Standard 60-80 lb. 30.00-42.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 280 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 96.00-103.00; 100 head small frame 100-120 lb. 75.00-86.00 and 30 head 85-95 lb. 69.00-75.00. 50 head 100-120 lb. Holstein heifers 83.00-89.00.

SHEEP: No test.
GOATS: No test.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Feb. 18
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Wednesday's Receipts	231	22	357	0	0
Wednesday's Auction	211	14	320	0	0
Last Wed.'s Auction	344	16	584	0	0
Last Year's Auction	135	20	391	52	0

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday Good and Choice slaughter steers .50-1.00 higher, high Choice and Prime not fully tested; other classes not fully tested. Supply included 80% slaughter steers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice head high Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1375 lb. 64.75-66.25; Choice 2-3 few 4 1050-1375 lb. 61.00-63.60, few 63.60-64.50; few Choice 3-4 1200-1400 lb. 60.00-61.00; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1075-1350 lb. 59.50-61.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple choice 2-3 1110-1190 lb. 57.00-60.50; couple Good 2-3 1050-1215 lb. 54.75-55.00; 10 head Standard and Good 615-750 lb. Holstein heifers 38.00-40.00, 10 head 360-525 lb. 25.00-30.00.

COWS: Couple breaking utility 2-3 42.00-43.75; few Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 39.25-43.75; few low Cutter 36.75-38.00.

BULLS: Couple yield grade 1-2 1210-1570 lb. 48.75-50.50; individual choice 2 1125 lb. Bullock 56.60.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test; few high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. 45.00-55.00.

SHEEP: No market test.

GOATS: No market test.

North Jersey Livestock

Hackettstown, NJ
Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1987

Report supplied by auction

Calves-.20-1.17.
Cows 30.50-46.00.
Easy Cows 21.00-42.50.
Heifers 39.00-49.00.
Bulls 43.00-52.50.
Steers 47.25-58.00.
Hogs 46.00-51.00.
Roasting Pigs, each 20.00-29.00.
Boars 30.00-36.00.
Sheep .10-.58.
Lambs, each 11.00-57.00.
Lambs, per lb. .50-1.21.
Goats, each 25.00-68.00.
Kids, each 1.00-50.00.
Hides, each 5.00-37.00.
Total 1133.

New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa.
Thursday, Feb. 19

CATTLE: 1170. Slaughter steers firm to 50 higher; slaughter heifers steady on small supply; cows 2.00-3.00 higher; bullocks fully steady; bulls steady. Supply included 57 percent slaughter steers, 35 percent cows, 5 percent bulls with the balance slaughter heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1180-1375 lb. 64.00-65.75, couple 66.50-67.10; Choice 2-3, few 4 1090-1475 lb, few 1475-1550 lb. 61.50-65.00, mainly 62.00-4.60; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1275 lb. 59.00-61.50; few Good 2-3 54.50-59.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3, 1040-1170 lb. 56.50-58.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.00-44.75, few 45.50-46.75; Cutter and boning Utility 1-3 41.00-45.00, few 45.25-46.75; Canner and low Cutter 37.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1050-1350 lb. 53.75-56.75; Good 1-2 1000-1300 lb. 47.50-51.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2300 lb. 49.00-54.50, few 54.75-56.75; yield grade 2 1000-1550 lb. 46.00-50.00.

VEAL CALVES: 585. Vealers fully steady; few slaughter calves about steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 220-320 lb. 100.00-110.00; Choice 180-300 lb. 83.00-99.00; High Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 66.00-80.00, 110-160 lb. 52.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 45.00-55.00; Standard 65-80 lb. 35.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Good and Choice 280-400 lb. 42.00-52.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-130 lb. Holstein bulls 95.00-112.00; several small frame 90-110 lb. 60.00-85.00.

SHEEP: 33. Small supply all classes steady.

WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 95-115 lb. 77.00-81.00; few Good and Choice 110-165 lb. 51.00-63.00; few Choice 70-80 lb. new crop lambs 115.00-130.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 21.00-32.00.

GOATS: 20. All goats sold by the head, supply mainly medium 35.00-46.00, couple Large 65.00-71.00, couple Small 28.00-31.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, Feb. 20
Report Supplied by PDA

This Week	Cattle Calves	3500	1410
Last Week		3391	1501
Last Year		3132	1579

CATTLE: Slaughter steers .50 to 1.00 higher; sl. heifers fully steady; cows 1.00 to 2.00 higher, instances 3.00 higher; bullocks fully steady. Supply included 60 per cent sl. steers, 28 per cent cows, 5 per cent sl. heifers, 4 per cent bulls with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice & Prime 2-4 1180-1450 lbs. 63.75-66.75 few head 66.75-68.25; Choice 2-3 few 4 1075-1475 lbs. few 1475-1550 lbs. 61.00-64.50, few 64.50-65.00; high Good & low Choice 2-3 1050-1275 lbs. 58.50-61.50, few Good 2-3 55.50-59.50; Good & Choice 1175-1560 lb. holsteins 47.75-52.50, few Choice 55.50-57.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 950-1250 lbs. 56.00-60.50, few Choice 2 61.00-62.25; Good 2-3 900-1215 lbs. 51.50-55.50, 10 head Standard & Good 615-750 lb. holstein heifers 38.00-40.00, 10 head 360-525 lbs. 25.00-30.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 closed at 41.00-44.75, few 45.50-46.75; Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 41.00-45.00 few 45.25-46.75; Canner & low Cutter 37.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 1-3 1050-1400 lbs. 52.25-56.50, couple 56.50-57.75; Good 1-2 1000-1300 lbs. 47.50-50.50.

BULLS: YG 1, 1350-2300 lbs. 49.00-54.50, few 54.75-56.75; YG 2, 1000-1500 lbs. 46.00-50.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers fully steady, sl. calves steady, instances 5.00 higher. Demand good for holstein bulls to return to farm.

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SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good & Choice 275-500 lbs. 48.00-65.00, few Choice 65.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125 lb. holstein bulls 95.00-112.00, several small frame 85-120 lbs. 60.00-90.00, few 100-120 lb. holstein heifers 83.00-89.00.

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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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Fri., February 27- 11:00 AM
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