

Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Market

Monday, March 9
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Monday's Receipts
1178 103 534 290 297
Monday's Auction
1245 116 574 339 582
Last Monday's Auction
1074 98 518 352 429
Last Year's Auction
1288 123 797 522 257

CATTLE: Slaughter steers .50-1.00 lower; slaughter heifers 1.00-1.50 lower; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls .50-1.00 higher. Supply included 71% slaughter steers, 9% slaughter heifers, 13% cows, and 7% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1450 lb. 62.00-63.50, couple head 63.75-65.00; Good and Choice 1-2 1125-1425 lb. 62.50-64.00, couple 64.50-65.25; Choice 2-3 few 4 1100-1500 lb. 59.75-62.80, mainly 60.50-61.85; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lb. 58.25-61.50, with 50 head 1070-1185 lb. returned to feed at 60.10-61.50; few Good 2-3 57.00-59.00; Good and Choice 1150-1575 lb. Holsteins 52.75-56.10, few Choice 56.50-57.60, Standard and low Good 1100-1560 lb. 48.75-52.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1100-1335 lb. 59.00-62.25; Choice 2-3 950-1300 lb. 54.50-58.85; Good 2-3 900-1150 lb. 50.00-54.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 44.00-47.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 41.50-44.00, few 44.00-45.00; Canner and low Cutter 39.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 2-3 1100-1350 lb. 54.50-56.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-1900 lb. 50.50-55.25, few 56.00-57.00; yield grade 2 1000-1600 lb. 46.75-50.50.

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

VEALERS: Choice 160-300 lb. 80.00-95.00, couple high Choice and Prime 95.00-105.00; high Good and low Choice 160-300 lb. 60.00-80.00, 110-160 lb. 55.00-70.00, 80-110 lb. 48.00-60.00, several 65-80 lb. 35.00-50.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 275-450 lb. 55.00-65.00, few Choice 65.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb. Holstein bulls 90.00-105.00; few 95-120 lb. Holstein heifers 75.00-100.00.

SHEEP: Woolled lambs firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter ewes 10.00-15.00 higher.

WOOLED LAMBS: High Choice and Prime 75-105 lb. 85.00-90.00; Good and Choice 70-105 lb. 80.00-85.00, few 140-175 lb. 75.00-83.00.

NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 30-60 lb. 110.00-140.00, 60-80 lb. 95.00-110.00, 80-110 lb. 90.00-95.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 35.00-50.00, few late 30.00-35.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large fleshy 55.00-70.00, thin 50.00-60.00; Medium fleshy 45.00-55.00, thin 35.00-45.00; Small fleshy 25.00-35.00, thin 15.00-25.00.

Vintage Cattle

Tuesday, Mar. 10
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats
Today 782 787 1 5
Last 837 847 1 0
Tues. 1094 789 5 0
Last Year 1094 789 5 0

CATTLE: Slaughter steers mostly 1.00 higher, although some sales Good to low Choice steady; slaughter heifers not fully tested; cows 2.00-3.00 lower; bulls steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 41 percent slaughter steers and 52 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few high Choice and Prime 2-4 1075-1450 lb. 62.75-64.50; with 17 head Choice and Prime 2-3 1150-1425 lb. 65.00-67.85; Choice 2-3 few 4 1075-1450 lb. 60.75-63.25, mainly 60.25-62.50; high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1475 lb. 58.00-60.50; few Good 55.50-58.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few head Choice 2-3 1000-1185 lb. 56.00-60.50; 30 head Good 780-970 lb. sold to return to feed at 53.75-55.10.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 40.00-42.75, few 43.75-45.00; Commercial 3-4 37.75-39.50; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 38.75-42.75, few 43.50-44.00; Canner and low Cutter 36.75-39.75, few 35.50-36.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1325-1990 lb. 48.00-50.75; individual yield grade 3 2180 lb. 46.50.

VEAL CALVES: Small supply Choice vealers fully steady; high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb. steady to 2.00 higher. Supply included 603 in graded sale of which 79 percent sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 200-250 lb. 89.00-99.00; high Good and low Choice 125-250 lb. 67.00-81.00, 80-110 lb. 50.00-58.00; few Standard 65-75 lb. 35.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 300 head 90-125 lb. Holstein bulls 95.00-97.00; 100 head 90-115 lb. small frame 70.00-79.00. 56 head 100-120 lb. Holstein heifers 116.00-119.00 and 25 head small frame 90-105 lb. 80.00-84.00.

SHEEP: No market test.
GOATS: All goats sold by the head; few Medium 35.00-40.00.

Lancaster Auction

Wednesday, Mar. 11
Report Supplied by USDA
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats
Wednesday's Receipts
143 21 658 22 14
Wednesday's Auction
96 17 623 0 0
Last Wed.'s Auction
111 10 336 0 0
Last Year's Auction
157 22 371 0 0

CATTLE: Insufficient volume to fully test trends; few sales slaughter steers fully steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1100-1250 lb. 60.50-63.10, couple Choice 2 1400-1440 lb. 62.25-63.25; few high Good and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. 58.75-60.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few head Good to low Choice 2-3 1125-1160 lb. 54.00-48.25.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 43.50-45.25; couple Commercial 3-4 39.75-40.00; couple Cutter 1-2 41.75-42.50; Canner and Low Cutter 38.00-39.25.

BULLS: Individual yield grade 1 2240 lb. 54.25.

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

Keister's Hay

Middleburg, PA
Tuesday, Mar. 11
Report supplied by auction
47 loads Hay, Alfalfa, 100.00-110.00; Mixed Hay, 52.50-127.50; Timothy, 80.00-87.50; 14 loads Straw, 62.50-90.00; 5 loads Ear Corn, 45.00-55.00; 4 loads Oats, 1.55-1.90 nu.
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Lancaster County Weekly

Friday, March 13
Report Supplied by PDA
Cattle Calves
This Week 3600 1550
Last Week 3463 1620
Last Year 3949 1497

CATTLE: Slaughter steers weak to .50 lower; sl. heifers 1.00 to 1.50 lower; cows uneven, closing mostly steady to weak after opening 1.00 to 2.00 higher; bulls .50 to 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher. Supply included 52 per cent sl. steers, 6 per cent sl. heifers, 28 per cent cows, 4 per cent bulls with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice & Prime 2-3 few 4, 1150-1450 lbs. 61.75-63.50 few head 63.50-65.00; Good & Choice 1-2 1125-1425 lbs. 62.50-65.25, with around 20 head Choice & Prime 2-3 65.50-67.85; Choice 2-3 few 4 1100-1400 lbs. 59.75-63.25, mainly 60.50-62.00; high Good & low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lbs. 58.25-60.50 with around 70 head return to feed 60.00-61.50; Good 2-3 55.50-59.00; Good & Choice 1150-1650 lb. holsteins 50.50-56.25, few Choice 56.50-57.60; Standard & low Good 1100-1560 lbs. 48.75-51.00.

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COWS: Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-4 40.00-44.00, several mainly early part of week 44.00-47.00; Commercial 3-4 37.75-39.50; Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 39.75-42.75, several 42.75-44.00; Canner & low Cutter 37.50-41.00, several 35.50-37.50.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 2-3 1100-1550 lbs. 54.50-60.00; few Good 1-2 1050-1225 lbs. 48.50-51.50.

BULLS: YG 1, 1350-2100 lbs. 50.50-56.50, few 57.00-58.25; YG 2, 1000-1650 lbs. 46.75-51.00.

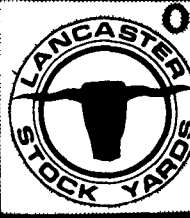
VEAL CALVES: Vealers steady, instances 2.00 higher; sl. calves steady, instances 5.00 higher. Demand good for calves to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Choice & Prime 290-420 lbs. 99.00-106.00; Choice 160-375 lbs. 80.00-95.00, few 95.00-99.00; high Good and low Choice 140-350 lb. 57.00-80.00, 110-140 lb. 56.00-65.00, 80-110 lb. 47.00-58.00; Standard 65-75 lbs. 35.00-45.00.

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10:00 A.M. — Slaughter Bulls, Heifers, Steers, Cows
11:00 A.M. — Veal Calves, Lambs

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