Livestock market and auction news

Lancaster Livestock **Auction** Lancaster, PA

Monday, June 6, 1988

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats Monday's Receipts 559 442 592 1363 Monday's Auction 1214 109 538 518 465 Last Monday's Auction 72 719 554 378 804 Last Year's Auction

84 325 711 1186 311 CATTLE: Slaughter steers 1.00 higher; slaughter heifers steady; cows firm to 50 higher; bulls 3.00-5.00 higher. Supply included 70% slaughter steers, 11% slaughter ter heifers, 9% cows, and 10% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1100-1500 lb 77.00-79.25; Choice 2-4 950-1100 lb 72.00-75.75, 1100-1500 lb 73.00-77.00, bulk 74.00-76.00; mixed Select and Choice 2-3 1000-1500 lb 68.50-74.00; Select 2-3 1000-1400 lb 67.25-71.25; Holsteins, Choice 2-3 1350-1600 lb 69.00-70.00, Select 1-2 1200- 1400 lb 66.50-69.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few high Choice and Prime 2-3 1100-1300 lb 75.00-76.75; Choice 2-4 900-1100 lb 70.00-73.00, 1100-1300 lb 71.00-75.00; Choice 4 900- 1100 lb 68.00-70.75; Select 2-3 850-1125 lb 62.25-64.00.

COWS: LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 48.00-52.00 52.00-55.75 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 48.50-51.50 52.00-54.50 Canner and low Cutter 42.00-46.00 46.00-49.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-2000 lb 66.00-70.00, high dressing 70.00-72.00, few head from 74.00 up to 78.25; yield grade 2 1100-1500 lb 62.00-65.00, few low dressing 56.75-60.00.

VEAL CALVES: Vealers unevenly steady; Holstein bulls returned to farm 5.00- 10.00 lower.

VEALERS: Choice 150-380 lb 100.00-125.00; high Good and low Choice 110-350 1ь 90.00-110.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb Holstein bulls 125.00-150.00. HOGS: Barrows and gilts 2.00 lower;

sows steady to 1.50 higher.
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 215-245 lb 50.75-51.50. US 1 210-240 lb

52.00-54.00. US 1-3 205-250 lb 49.75-50.50. US 2-4 200-260 lb 48.00-49.50. SOWS: US 1-2 300-400 lb 34.00-37.50.

US 1-3 400-525 lb 33.00-36.50. US 2-3 450-550 1ь 31.00-35.00. BOARS: Under 300 lb 33.00-37.00; over

300 1ь 28.50-30.25.

SHEEP: Spring lambs and slaughter

ewes firm. SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 80-110 lb 68.00-72.00, 60-80 lb

65.00-80.00, few under 60 lb 70.00-110.00. SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 15.00-30.00; yearlings and two-year olds 30.00-50.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large 50.00-80.00, few up to 100.00, thin 35.00-50.00; Medium 35.00-50.00, thin 25.00-35.00; Kids 25 00-35.00, thin 15.00-25.00.

Midwest Flashes Thurs., June 2, 1988 Peoria Hogs

2200- BARROWS & GILTS SLOW, MOSTLY 1.50 LOWER.

US 1-3: 220-250 LB. 50.00-50.50. SOME 49.50, FEW 200-220 LB.

US 2-3: 240-260 LB. 49.00-50.00. SOWS: UNDER 400 LB. STEADY-.50 LOWER; OVER 400 LB. .50-2.00 LOW-ER (FEW LOTS UNSOLD) (15%)

US 1-3: 325-400 LB. 40.00-40.50, 400-500 LB. 37.00-38.00; FEW 500-650 LB. 35.50.

BOARS: OVER 350 LBS. 35 00; UNDER 350 LB. 34.00-35.00.

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Vintage Livestock Auction

Tuesday, June 7, 1988 Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats 1080 864 29 865 751 13 Today 0 Last Tuesday 1274 709 Last Year

CATTLE: SLAUGHTER STEERS FIRM; NOT ENOUGH SLAUGHTER HEIFERS OR BULLS TO TEST THE MARKET TRENDS; SLAUGHTER COWS STEADY. SUPPLY CONSISTED OF 67% SLAUGHTER STEERS, 3% SLAUGHTER HEIFERS, 29% COWS, WITH THE BALANCE BULLS.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1150-1400 LB. 77.00-79.50; CHOICE 2-4 1050-1450 LB. 74.00-77.75; SELECT AND CHOICE 2-3 1100-1300 LB. 70.00-74.00; SELECT 2-3 1100-1300 LB. 68.00-72.00; HOLS-TEINS, FEW MIXED STANDARD AND SELECT 1250-1600 LB. 63.00-67.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: FEW CHOICE 2-4 1000-1250 LB. 72.00-75.00. COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 BULK 48.00-52.00, HI DRESSING FEW 52.00-54.75; CUT-TER AND BONING UTILITY 1-3 BULK 48.00-51.25; CANNER AND LOW CUT-TER LO DRESSING FEW 42.00-45.00, BULK 46.00-49.00.

BULLS: FEW YIELD GRADE 2 1100-1900 LB. 60.00-66.50.

VEAL CALVES: VEALERS FIRM; CALVES RETURNING TO FARM SHARPLY LOWER, 10.00-20.00 LOW-ER. SUPPLY INCLUDED 618 IN GRADED SALE OF WHICH 58% SOLD TO RETURN TO FARM.

VEALERS: CHOICE AND PRIME 245-400 LB. 115.00-129.00; HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 65-135 LB. 95.00-108.00, FEW 130-170 LB. 65.00-85.00; STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 75-95 LB. 85.00-100.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: HOLSTEIN BULLS 100-125 LB. 123.00-129.00, 85-100 LB. 100.00-111.00; SMALL FRAME 80-130 LB. 100.00-115.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-115 LB. 128.00-130.00, FEW 70-90 LB. 98.00-101.00.

SHEEP: NO MARKET TEST. GOATS: NO MARKET TEST.

St. Louis Hogs

HOGS: 2500- BARROWS & GILTS SLOW, 1.00 LOWER.

US 1-3: 210-270 LB. 49.00-49.50, MANY 49.50.

US 2-3: 250-270 LB., 49.00-49.25; 270-300 LB. 46.25-48.50. SOWS: STEADY-1.00 LOWER.

(ABOUT 8%). US 1-3: 300-500 LB. 37.00-38.00: OVER 500 LB. 35.00, FEW 35.50-36.00,

CLEARANCE INCOMPLETE. BOARS: OVER 300 LB. 36.00, FEW 36.50; UNDER 300 LB. 35.00-36.00.

Lancaster Livestock Wed., June 8, 1988 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Wed's Receipts 350 170 Wed's Auction 12 420 0 0 Last Wed's Auction 467 188 0 0 Last Year's Auction

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CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady; not enough of any other class to test market trends. Supply included 77% slaughter

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SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1040-1350 lb 74.00-77.00, couple head high Choice 2-3 77.50-78.00; mixed Select and Choice 2-3 1050-1350 lb 70.00-74.25; Select 2-3 1100-1250 lb 68.00-72.00.

COWS: Few Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 47.50-50.00.

VEAL CALVES: Insufficient volume for a market test.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 2.00 higher; not enough sows to test market trends. BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 225-245 lb 53.25-53.75, 210-225 lb 52.50-53.00. US 1 Few 210-245 lb 54.00-55.00. US 1-3 200-270 lb 52.00-53.00.

SOWS: US 1-3 Few 395-500 lb 33.00-35.25.

BOARS: Few 400-475 lb 29.00-30.25. SHEEP: No market test. GOATS: No market test.

Indianapolis Hogs

HOGS: 600- BARROWS & GILTS MODERATELY ACTIVE, 1.25-2.00 LOWER, MOST DECLINE ON WEIGHTS OVER 260 LBS.

US 1-3: 225-250 LB. 49.50-49.75, ABOUT 120 HEAD 50.00-50.25. SOWS: MODERATELY ACTIVE, 1.00

LOWER IN LIGHT TEST. (3%). US 1-3: 425-525 LB. 35.00-36.00. BOARS: OVER 400 LB. 35.00.

East Coast Carlot Wed., June 8, 1988 Report supplied by USDA

EAST COAST CARLOT MEAT TRADE DELIVERED PRICES (CAF) BOSTON TO WASHINGTON AREA INCLUSIVE.

COMPARED TO TUESDAY'S CLOSE: CHOICE AND PRIME SPECIAL FED VEAL UNEVENLY STEADY. GOOD AND CHOICE BONING VEAL STEADY IN LIMITED TEST AND COM-PARISON; INSHIPPED UNTESTED. VEAL CARCASS

HIDE-ON CHOICE & PRIME SPECIAL FED 410 HEAD 210-213 LBS. 210.00-212.00, FEW

215.00, UNEVENLY STEADY.

New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa. Thursday, June 9 Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

1352 592 107 35 SLAUGHTER STEER AND HEIFERS STEADY TO MOSTLY 1.00 LOWER, HOLSTEIN STEERS 2.00-3.00 LOWER. COWS STEADY TO 1.00 LOWER, FULL DECLINE ON CANNER AND LOW DRESSING CUTTER. BULLS STEADY. SUPPLY INCLUDED 63% STEERS, 7% HEIFERS, 23% COWS, 5% BULLS WITH THE BALANCE FEEDERS.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1250-1650 LBS. 76.00-78.00; CHOICE 2-4 1200-1600 LBS. 73.00-77.00; 1000-1200 LBS. 73.00-75.00; MIXED SELECT AND CHOICE 2-3 1000-1500 LBS. 70.00-74.00; SELECT 2-3 1000-1300 LBS. 68.00-71.00. HOLSTEINS, CHOICE 2-3 1250-1600 LBS. 64.00-67.00; SELECT 2 1200-1500 LBS. 60.00-65.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-4 975-1250 LBS. 70.00-73.00.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 2-4 48.00-51.50, FEW HIGH DRESSING 51.50-53.25; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 1-3 47.25-50.75, FEW HIGH DRESSING 51.75-52.75; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 44.00-47.75, LOW DRESSING 42.00-44.00.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1100-2000 LBS. 66.00-70.50, YIELD GRADE 2 1100-1900 LBS. 60.00-66.00.

VEAL CALVES: COMPARED TO TUESDAY, VEALERS GENERALLY STEADY, CALVES RETURNING TO FARM STEADY EXCEPT SMALL FRAME WEAK.

VEALERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 250-400 LBS. 113.00-136.00, HIGH GOOD AND LOW CHOICE 120-400 LBS. 85.00-111.00, 70-120 LBS. 95.00-104.00; FEW STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-100 LBS. 80.00-92.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: BULK 85-130 LB. HOLSTEIN BULLS 113.00-135.00, SMALL FRAME 75-110 LBS. 99.00-110.00.

SHEEP: SPRING LAMBS FIRM, EWES STEADY IN A LIGHT TEST.

SPRING LAMBS: CHOICE AND PRIME 80-100 LBS. 68.00-76.00, 60-80 LBS. 75.00-86.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: UTILITY AND GOOD 19.00-25.00, FEW YEARLINGS AND TWO YEAR OLDS 25.00-48.00.

GOATS: ALL GOATS SOLD BY THE HEAD. FEW MEDIUMS 35.00-50.00, FEW SMALLS 14.00-30.00.

GOOD AND CHOICE **BONING TYPE - HIDE ON** NORTHEASTERN SUPPLIERS 100 HEAD 65-75 LBS. LTD 147.000, STEADY.

55-64 LBS. LTD 143.00. 45-54 LBS. LTD 139.00. 35-44 LBS. LTD 135.00. 34 LBS. DWN LTD 133.00. **INSHIPPED** NO SALES REPORTED. Lancaster County Weekly Lancaster, Pa.

Friday, June 10, 1988 Cattle Calves 4150 1550 This Week 3456 1396 Last Week 4695 1354 Last Year

CATILE: Choice slaughter steers closed steady weakening late, Holstein steers fell 2.00-3.00 late in the week; slaughter heifers closed 1.00 lower than a week ago; cows sold uneven, steady to 1.00 lower; bulls 2.00 higher. Supply included 61% steers, 7% heifers, 18% cows, 5% bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 2-4 1100-1500 lb 77.00-79.50, selling down to 76.00 late in the week; Choice 2-4 1100-1500 lb 73.00-77.00, 1000- 1200 1b 72.00-75.00; mixed Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1500 lb sold firm through the week at 70.00-74.00; Select 2-3 1000-1400 lb 68.00-72.00; Holsteins. Choice 2-3 1250-1600 lb 65.00-70.00, selling down to 64.00-68.00 late in the week, Select 2 1200-1500 lb 63.00-69.00, late sales 60.00-65.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few high Choice and Prime 2-3 1100-1300 lb 75.00-76.75; Choice 2-4 950-1300 lb 70.00-75.00, late sales 70.00-73.00; Select 2-3 850- 1125 lb 62.25-64.00

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 48 00-52.00, few high dressing 51.50-54.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 48.00-51.50, late sales 47.25- 50.75, few high dressing 51.75-53.00; Canner and low Cutter 44.00-47.75, as high as 49.00 early in the week, low dressing 42.00-44.00. BULLS: Yield grade 1 1100-2000 lb 66.00-70.00, few high dressing 70.00-

74.00; yield grade 2 1100-1900 lb 60.00-66.00. VEAL CALVES: Vealers generally steady; Holstein bulls to return to the farm 10.00-20.00 lower.

VEALERS: High Choice and Prime 250-400 lb 113.00-136.00; high Good and low Choice 110-400 lb 85.00-111.00, 70-120 lb 95.00-108.00; Standard and low Good 60-100 lb 80.00-100.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 85-125 lb Holstein bulls 113.00-135.00, few up to 150.00 early in the week; small frame 75-130 lb 99.00-115.00. Holstein heifers, 90-115 lb 128.00-130.00, few 70-90 lb 98.00-101.00.



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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

11 00 A M —Stocker and Feeder Cattle

SATURDAY

8 00 A M -- Slaughter Hogs

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