Lancaster Co. Livestock Market Auctions

Lancaster

Livestock Auction Lancaster, Pa.

Monday, April 6, 1992 **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats** Monday's Auction

1278 81 177 2164 799 Last Monday's Auction

295 1636 314 1115 76 Last Year's Auction

1257 51 132 702 ~ 172 CATTLE: Slaughter steprs mostly steady; slaughter heifers 50-1.00 higher; cows 50 to mostly 1.00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls 50-1.00 lower. Supply included 63% slaughter steers, 13% slaughter heifers, 14% cows, with the balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Few mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1100-1350 lb 75.25-76.50, 3-4 1350-1550 lb 73.75-76.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1400 lb 72.50-76.00, mostly 73.00-75.25; few Choice 2 1050-1200 lb 75.75-77.00; Choice 3-4 1150-1550 lb 68.50-72.75; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 68.00-73.25; few Select 2-3 1000-1250 lb 65.00-68.50.

HOLSTEINS: Choice 2-3 1085-1715 lb 64.85-68.75, few 69.00-70.25; Select 1-3 1100-1400 lb 61.25-65.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lb 69.00-73.00, 20 head 73.25-74.00; Select 2-3 1000-1400 lb 62.50-65.50; few Commercial and Choice 2-4 1150-1350 lb heiferettes 59.00-61.25, several Utility to Choice 2-4 950-1500 lb heiferettes 53.50-58.00.

COWS: LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 46.50-48.00 48.00-49.00 Commercial 3-4 46.50-47.50 Cutter & Boning Utility 1-2 44.00-46.00 47.00-48.00 Canner & low Cutter 40.00-41.25 45.00-46.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 950-1350 lb 65.00-69.00, Select 1-3 62.50-65.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1350-2000 lb 62.50-66.00, few 1500-2000 lb 67.00-73.50; Yield grade 2 1100-1700 lb 59.00-63.00, few low dressing 55.00-59.00.

CALVES: Vealers steady; slaughter calves 5.00-10.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice and Prime 175-350 lb 105.00-120.00; high Good and low Choice 150-300 lb 90.00-100, few 80-110 lb 75.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 275-550 lb 65.00-80.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 85-120 lb Holstein bulls 120.00-150.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 50-1.00 higher; sows 2.00-3.00 higher; boars 1.50- 2.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 210-245 lb 40.00-41.50.

SOWS: US 1-3 300-400 lb 27.00-30.00. 425-500 lb 32.00-34.00. 500-600 lb 34.00-37.50.

BOARS: 300-600 lb 27.50-29.50.

Tourist

SHEEP: Spring lambs 5.00-10.00 lower; wooled lambs around 10.00 lower; slaughter ewes about steady. Supply included

Vintage **Livestock Auction** Paradise, Pa.

Tuesday, April 7, 1992 **Report Supplied by USDA** CATTLE 930...USDA... Supply

included 49% slaughter steers and 43% cows ... Compared with Monday's market: Slaughter steers steady to .50 higher. Heifers scarce; Cows 2.50-3.00 lower; Bulls 2.00 lower; Choice 2-4 1150/1400 lbs. sl. steers 73.00-76.00. Choice and Prime 2-3. 1100/1450 lbs. 76.00-78.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3, 1050/1375 lbs. 69.00-72.00. Choice 1-2 1350/1475 Holstein 65.85-69.60, 2 head Select Grade No. 2 1400 lbs. 61.25. Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 47.00-50.00, high dressing 50.50-52.50, Commercial 3-4 bulk 44.00-47.00. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-241.00-43.50, Canner & Low Cutter low dressing 35.00-38.00, bulk 39.00-40.50. Yield Grade 1, 1400/2100 lbs. sl. bulls, 61.50-62.00, few low dressing 48.00-54.25, No. 2 1275/2000 lbs. 58.00-61.00.

CALVES 727... Supply included 612 in graded sale of which 83% sold to return to farm ...Vealers unevenly steady. Choice 160/270 lbs. vealers 105.00-130.00, High Good and Low Choice 70/90 lbs. sl. calves 85.00-99.00, Standard and Low Good 60/75 lbs. 72.00-82.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 100 head 110/125 lbs. 149.00-157.00, 120 head 100/105 lbs. 160.00-162.00, 95 head 80/95 lbs. 149.00-162.00, 60 head 100/115 lbs. 120.00-124.00, 105 head 80/90 lbs. 136.00-138.00. 35 head Hol. Heifers 95/110 lbs. 190.00-205.00, 45 head 80/105 lbs. 150.00-172.00.

SHEEP 39...Small supply New Crop Lambs 20/55 lbs. 80.00-105.00. - all per

GOATS 3...No market test. - all per head.

50% spring lambs, 30% wooled lambs, with the balance slaughter ewes.

SPRING LAMBS: Choice and Prime 20-30 lb 100.00-130.00, few 85.00-100.00; 30- 80 lb 80.00-105.00, few 75.00-80.00; 80-100 lb 80.00-90.00. Good to mostly Choice 30-40 lb 90.00-105.00; 40-80 lb 80.00-90.00.

60.00-70.00; Good to mostly Choice 80-100 lb 60.00-70.00, 60-80 lb 70.00-80.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 25.00-38.00; Yearlings and two-year olds 35.00-55.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large 50.00-75.00, few 75.00-100.00. Medium 30.00-45.00; few Fleshy 50.00-60.00. Small, mainly kids, 20.00-30.00; few Medium fleshed

30.00-40.00; few Fleshy 40.00-50.00.

Lancaster Livestock Auction

Wednesday's market report has been discontinued until further notice because of insubstantial receipts.

Dewart Livestock Auction Dewart, Pa. Monday, April 6, 1992 **Report Supplied by PDA**

CATTLE 82 ... PDA ... Compared with last weeks market: Sl. cows .25 to 1.00 lower. Few Select and Low Choice sl. steers 70.50 & 73.75. Breaking Utility and Commercial few sl. cows 46.00-48.00. Cutter and Boning Utility 46.00-48.50. Canner and Low Cutter 43.75-46.75, Shells down to 34.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1040/1840 bulls 57.00-62.25. Feeder Cattle one small lot Large Frame No. 1, 525/660 lbs. at 72.00.

CALVES 136 ... few Utility and Low Standard 60/85 lbs. 70.00-85.00. FARM CALVES: No. 1, 90/130 lbs. Holstein bulls 140.00-170.00, No. 2, 80/120 lbs. 100.00-135.00; few No. 1, 80/115 lbs. Holstein heifers 125.00-190.00. Few Beef cross 70/170 lbs. bulls and heifers 125.00-195.00.

HOGS 87...BARROWS & GILTS: US 1-2 240/260 lbs. 40.20-41.00. One lot 1-3 205 lbs. 37.70. Sows 1-3 350/550 lbs. 30.50-35.50, few Boars 25.00-28.00.

FEEDER PIGS 56...One lot US 1-3 20 lbs. 15.00, few lots 1-3 40/50 lbs. 30.00-33.00. --- all per head.

SHEEP 14...few Choice 40/95 lbs. Spring sl. Lambs 70.00-87.00, few Slaughter ewes 20.00-25.00.

GOATS 10 ... Few Large 53.00-55.00, few Small Mainly kids 29.00-37.00. - per hundredweight.

Eastern PA & **NJ Poultry Report** Atlanta, Ga.

Tuesday, April 7, 1992

Sales too few to report prices. Offerings of light type fowl are at least adequate to fully adequate for desired processing schedules. Availability of heavy hens has increased over prior weeks, but still short to about adequate for needs. Demand moderate as canner pack sales are slow to deve-

lop. Undertone barely steady. CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE FOLLOWING WEEK.

HEAVY TYPE (7 POUNDS AND UP) AT FARM BUYER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT LIGHT TYPE AT FARM BUYER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT.

WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUB-JECT TO DISCOUNT.

New Holland Livestock April 9, 1992

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower; slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls unevenly steady. Supply includes an estimated 156 cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1150-1350 lb 72.00-73.50; Choice and Prime 2-3 1150-1300 lb 74.00-76.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb 68.75-72.00.

HOLSTEINS: Choice 1-2 1310-1400 lb 64.75-67.00; Select 2 1300-1625 lb 60.00-64.25

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 925-1275 lb 69.75-74.00; Select 2-3 950-1300 lb 64.00-68.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1135-1400 lb 62.25-64.75; Yield grade 2 905-1830 lb 55.00-60.75, few low dressing 51.00-55.00.

Pennsylvania

Livestock Auction Waynesburg, Pa. Thurs., April 9, 1992

Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 241. SL. COWS: UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 46.00-49.50; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 43.00-47.50; CAN-NER & LOW CUTTER 40.00-44.00: SHELLS 40.00 & DOWN. BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-1870# 53.50-62.50; YIELD GRADE 2 1000#-1400# 52.00-57.00.

FEEDER STEERS: M&L-1 300-500# 72.00-90.00; 250-280# 85.00-98.00; M 900-1000 50.00-64.00. HEIFERS M 1&L-1 300-500# 70.00-85.00; L-1 400-650# 55.00-77.00. BULLS M&L-1 300-620# 58.00-85.00.

CALVES: VEAL.. PRIME 91.00-100.00; CHOICE 75.00-87.00; GOOD 60.00-72.00.

FARM CALVES: #1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-120# FEW 85.00-145.00; #2 HOLSTEIN BULLS 80-100# FEW 75.00-95.00; BEEF X BULL&HFRS./HD. 100.00-180.00.

HOGS: 23. BARROWS & GILTS #1-2 210-255# 38.50-41.00; #2-3 255-280# 35.00-40.00; SOWS #1-3 300-500# 28.00-31.50.

FEEDER PIGS: 1-3 25-35# 15.00-25.00/HD.

LAMBS: 344. SPRING LAMBS 70.00-97.00; HIGH CHOICE 68.00-80.00; CHOICE 85-95# 70.00-80.00. FEEDER LAMBS GOOD UP TO 65.00; EWES 15.00-24.00.

GOATS: 43. LARGE 50.00-62.00/HD.; MEDIUM 35.00-47.00/HD.; SMALL 15.00-40.00/HD.

HORSES: 13. 45.00-61.50; PONIES 19.00-38.00.

Farm Forum

Editors:

Thank you for reprinting my letter to Secretary Ed Madigan in the March 28 Lancaster Farming.

Lancaster County Weekly April 10, 1992

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THIS WEEK	3800	1250
LAST WEEK	3666	1373
LAST YEAR	3235	1551
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CATTLE: Slaughter steers unevenly steady, instances 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers to 1.00 higher; cows unevenly steady, instances 2.00-3.00 lower; bullocks steady; bulls 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 58% slaughter steers, 7% slaughter heifers, 24% cows, 5% bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 2-3 1100-1400 lb 73.60-78.00; Choice 2-4 1050-1400 lb 72.00-76.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1450 lb 68.00-73.25; few Select 2-3 1000-1250 lb 65.00-68.50.

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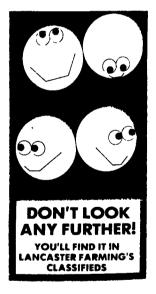
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CALVES: Vealers unevenly steady, instances 10.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm.

VEALERS: Choice 160-445 lb 80.00-130.00; high Good and low Choice 70-445 lb 72.00-100.00; Standard and low Good 65-95 lb 56.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 235-550 lb 65.00-83.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 75-125 lb Holstein bulls 120.00-157.00, few 160.00- 162.00; small frame 85-110 lb 120.00-149.00. Bulk 85-110 lb Holstein 120.00-165.00, few heifers 190.00-205.00; small frame 75-105 lb 90.00-125.00, few 150.00-172.00.





WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 100-125 lb