# Lancaster Co. Livestock Market Auctions

Lancaster Livestock Auction

Lancaster, Pa. Monday, October 25, 1993 **Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats** Monday's Auction

	885	89	409	843	545			
Last	Monday							
	810	101	389	1125	684			
Last	Year							

827 68 191 1347 297 CATTLE: Slaughter steers fully steady, with several Select to low Choice 1020-1225 lb sold to return to the feedlot; slaughter heifers steady; cows weak to 1.00 lower; small supply bullocks fully steady; bulls 1.00-1.50 higher. Supply included 55% slaughter steers, 17% slaughter heifers, 19% cows, and 9% bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 few 4 1025-1425 lb 69.00-72.25, few lots 72.25- 72.75; mixed Choice and Prime mostly 3 few 4 1200-1350 lb 72.25-72.75, couple Choice 2 73.00-73.75; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1400 lb 66.00-68.50; several Select and Choice 1020-1225 lb returned to feed at 69.75-72.75.

HOLSTEINS: Choice 2-3 1125-1525 lb 62.00-63.25; couple High Choice and Prime 2-3 1290-1350 lb 64.00-65.50, one lot 1600 lb 62.85; few Select 1-3 1000-1300 lb 60.00-62.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3** 950-1225 lb 64.50-69.25; couple Choice 2 1025- 1200 lb 69.00-70.75; Select 2-3 885-1150 lb 60.50-64.00.

COWS: LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commer-cial 2-3 45.00-47.50 47.50-49.50 Commercial 3-4 40.00-45.00 Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 42.00-43.00 43.00-46.00 46.00-47.00 Canner & low Cutter 1-2 35.00-38.00 38.00-42.00.

**BULLOCKS:** Few Choice 2-3 1100-1350 lb 68.25-71.25; few Select 1-3 1050-1250 lb 63.75-66.75.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-2200 lb 61.00-66.50, few 66.75-69.50, with six head 1590-2180 lb 72.00-76.00; Yield grade 2 1000-1550 lb 56.00-60.50, few low dressing 52.75-56.00.

CALVES: Small supply vealers steady; slaughter calves steady. Demand fair for a Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 180-280 lb 90.00-105.00; high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb 50.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 300-550 lb 60.00-80.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-120** lb Holstein bulls 110.00-140.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts 1.50-1.50 lower; sows 1.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 210-255 lb 42.75-43.10. US 1 215-240 lb

45.00-45.50. SOWS: US 1-3 300-500 lb 35.00-36.00. 500-625 lb 36.00-37.00.

BOARS: All Weights 30.00-33.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs 2.00-3.00 lower; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 higher. Supply included an estimated 75% slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

#### Vintage **Livestock Auction** Paradise, Pa. Tuesday, October 26, 1993 **Report Supplied by USDA** Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today 683 1024 10 0 Last Tuesday 787 976 31 0

Last Year 971 645 -14 3

CATTLE..USDA.. Supply included 36% slaughter steers and 56% cows .. Compared with Thursday's market: sl. steers .50 to 1.50 lower mostly 1.00 to 1.50 lower; sl. heifers not tested; cows firm to 1.00 higher; small supply bulls steady. SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 few 4 1150/1400 lbs. 68.00-72.00, Choice and Prime 2-3 1200/1425 lbs. 72.00-73.75, couple 73.75-74.75, Choice mostly 3 few 4 1400/1550 lbs. 67.00-68.50, couple 1550/1575 lbs. 64.00-66.00, Choice 3 to mostly 4 1150/1450 lbs. 65.50-68.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1100/1475 lbs. 65.00-68.50, few Select 1-3 1150/1350 lbs. 63.00-66.00. HOLSTEINS: few Choice 2-3 1315/1585 lbs. 62.00-62.75. COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 46.50-49.50, Commercial 3-4 bulk 42.50-46.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 42.25-43.75, bulk 44.00-46.50, high dressing 46.50-47.50, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 37.00-39.00, bulk 39.00-42.50. BUL-LOCKS: few Select 1-3 1100/1300 lbs. 60.00-62.50. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1350/2050 lbs. 60.00-60.75, couple No. 2 1100/1550 lbs. 55.00-58.00.

slaughter. Supply included 836 in graded sale. VEALERS: couple Choice 175 lbs. 95.00-102.00, High Good and Low Choice 70/115 lbs. 50.00-67.00, Standard and Low Good 55/70 lbs. 30.00-45.00. RETURNED TO FARM: 25 head 120/125 lbs.

100/115 lbs. 140.00-150.00, 143 head 95/105 lbs. 157.00-161.00, 25 head 95 lbs. 150.00, 110 head 85/95 lbs. 118.00-127.00 and 20 head 80 lbs. 102.00, 32 head small frame 110/115 lbs. 125.00-127.00, 115 head 90/105 lbs. 100.00-112.00 and 50 head 80/85 lbs. 74.00-80.00; 25 head

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 2-3 80-105 lb 62.00-70.00 few 70.00-72.00, 60-80 lb 65.00-80.00, few 40-60 lb 75.00-85.00, few Choice 35-50 lb New Crop lambs 120.00-165.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 25.00-35.00; Yearlings and two-year olds 30.00-40.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large 55.00-80.00, few Billies 80.00-120.00; several Thin 45.00-55.00. Medium 40.00-50.00; few Thin 30.00-40.00. Small, mainly kids, 30.00-40.00; few Thin 20.00-30.00.

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

### Mercer **Livestock Auction** Mercer, Pa. Tuesday, October 26, 1993 **Report Supplied by PDA**

CATTLE 226.. PDA .. Compared to last Tuesday's market: sl. steers and heifers steady to 1.00 lower; cows uneven, 1.00 higher to instances of 1.00 lower. STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1360/1405 lbs. 68.00-69.00, Choice 970/1430 lbs. 65.50-70.10, couple down to 64.00, Select 62.00-66.85. HOLSTEINS: couple Choice 1405 & 1440 lbs. 62.10 & 64.10, few Select 54.00-60.10, few Standard 49.85-53.00. HEIFERS: few Choice 1070/1320 lbs. 65.25-69.00, few Select 60.85-65.10, few Standard 50.00-55.50. COWS: Few Breaking Utility and Commercial 46.00-48.00, low dressing and low yielding 43.00-45.00, Cutter and Bon. Utility 43.00-48.00, few to 51.50, Canner and Low Cutter 37.50-43.50. Shells down to 30.00. BULLOCKS: few Select 1105/1455 lbs. 57.00-58.75. BULLS: few Yield Grade No. 1 1120/1480 lbs. 57.00-64.75, No. 2 930/2130 lbs. 49.50-56.25. FEEDER CATTLE: Steers: one Large Frame No. 1 340 lbs. at 79.00, few Medium Frame No. 1 475/740 lbs. 65.50-71.00, few Large Frame No. 2 370/420 lbs. Holsteins 52.00. Heifers: Medium Frame No. 1 340/590 lbs. 61.50-67.00, few Large Frame No. 2 455/1040 lbs. 62.00-68.00. Bulls: Medium Frame No. 1 235/755 lbs. 62.00-74.00.

CALVES 78..VEALERS: couple Low Choice 175 & 220 lbs. 76.00-105.00, few Standard and Good 75/95 lbs. 55.00-70.00, few Utility 55/95 lbs. 25.00-46.00. RETURNED TO FARM: No. 1 Holstein bulls 120/125 lbs. 130.00-140.00, 90/115 lbs. 140.00-177.50, No. 2 80/120 lbs. 75.00-132.00; Couple No. 2 Holstein heifers 90 lbs. 67.50 & 70.00. Few Beef cross 75/95 lbs. bulls and heifers 70.00-150.00.

HOGS 131..Barrows and gilts 2.00 lower. BARROWS AND GILTS: US No. 1-2 240/250 lbs. 45.25-45.75, US 1-3 210/270 lbs. 43.00-44.85, US 2-3 260/275 lbs. 42.50-42.60. SOWS: US 1-3 325/355 lbs. 34.25-41.40, one 2-3 745 lbs. 35.70. FEEDER PIGS 6...Few US 1-3 30/45

lbs. 25.00-28.00, 60/75 lbs. 28.00-35.00.--per head

SHEEP 4....Couple Choice 40 & 95 lbs. Wooled sl. lambs 65.00 & 73.00. GOATS 0...No market test.

100/120 lbs. Holstein heifers 202.00, 50 head 80/95 lbs. 160.00-167.00 and 12 head 75 lbs. 120.00, 20 head small frame 80/95 lbs. 120.00-130.00.

SHEEP...Insufficient volume for a market test.

## **New Holland** Livestock Auction Lancaster, Pa.

#### Thursday, October 28, 1993 **Cattle Calves Sheep Goats**

Today					Th
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Last Thurs	day				La
	1415	637	270	141	
Last Year					La

1155 631 202 134 CATTLE: Slaughter steers steady, continued pressure on weights over 1400 lb and Yield grade 4's; slaughter heifers and bullocks not tested; cows 50-1.00 lower; bulls steady to weak, instances 1.00 lower. Supply included 36% slaughter steers and 41% cows. SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3

few 4 1100-1425 lb 68.50-72.00; mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1425 lb 71.50-72.35; couple Choice 2 1150-1350 lb 72.25- 73.75; Choice 3-4 1200-1400 lb 66.00-68.50, 1400-1525 lb 64.50-67.50; Select and low Choice 2-3 1100-1450 lb 65.00-68.50; Select 2-3 1050-1350 lb 62.50-65.50.

HOLSTEINS: Choice 2-3 1200-1550 lb 62.00-63.50; few High Choice and Prime 2- 3 1200-1450 lb 63.50-65.25; Select 1-3 1150-1325 1ь 58.25-61.00.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 45.00-46.75 47.00-49.50. Commercial 3-4 42.50-45.50. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 41.50-42.50 42.50-46.00 46.00-47.50. Canner & low Cutter 1-2 35.00-39.50 39.50-41.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-1900 lb 59.00-63.50, couple 1900-2320 lb 63.00-66.00; Yield grade 2 1000-1550 lb 54.75-60.00.

CALVES: Vealers steady. Demand fair for Holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm

VEALERS: Few Choice 245-330 lb 84.00-95.00, individual 290 lb 112.00; high Good and low Choice 250-400 lb 65.00-76.00, 80-110 lb 50.00-64.00; Standard and low Good 65-85 lb 40.00-50.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125** lb Holstein Bulls 120.00-155.00, few 155.00- 160.00; small frame 100-120 lb 90.00-120.00, 75-90 lb 70.00-100.00; few 100- 115 lb Holstein Heifers 130.00-175.00, few 180.00-205.00; small frame 75-105 lb 80.00-120.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs fully steady; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included 75% slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 2-3 80-105 lb 55.00-66.00, 55-80 lb 67.00-78.00, few 40-55 lb 75.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 24.00-32,00; Yearlings and two-year olds 30.00-44.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Large 52.00-85.00, few 85.00-95.00, with five head 103.00-115.00; Medium 34.00-50.00; Small, mainly kids, 23.00-38.00, few Thin 16.00-22.00.

#### Lancaster **County Weekly** Lancaster, Pa.

Friday, October 29, 1993 **Cattle Calves** 

This Week	2400	1700	
ast Week	3400	1725	
	4053	1714	
Last Year	3375	1684	

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower, with Yield grade 4's and weights over 1400 lb fully 1.00-1.50 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows 1.00-1.50 lower; small supply bullocks steady; bulls closed mostly steady, after Yield grade 1 being 1.00-1.50 higher on Monday. Supply included 36% slaughter steers, 6% slaughter heifers, 32% cows, 5% bulls, with the balance bulls.

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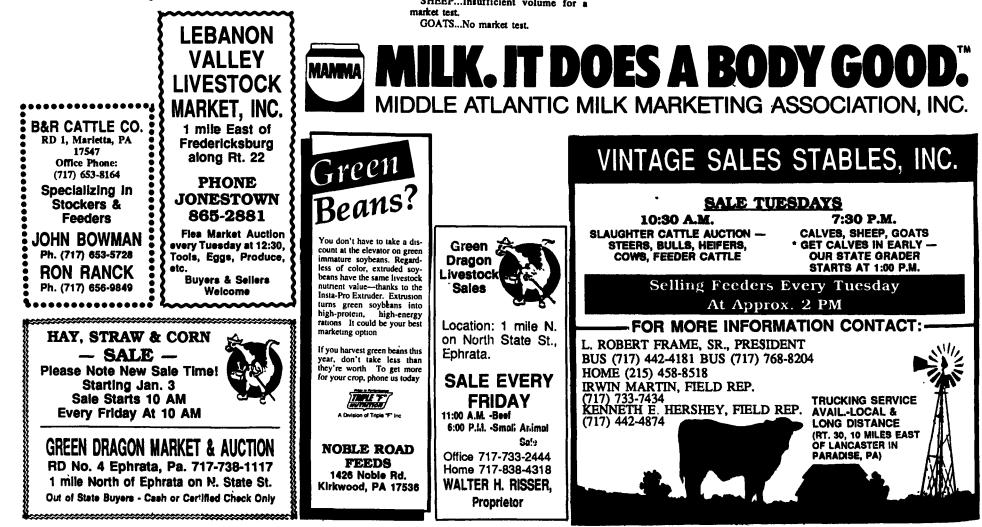
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**RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125** 1b Holstein bulls 120.00-161.00, 80-90 lb 100.00-130.00; small frame 90-120 lb 90.00-127.00, 70-90 lb 70.00-100.00. Bulk 100-120 lb Holstein heifers 130.00-180.00, few 180.00-205.00; small frame 75-105 lb 80.00-130.00.



CALVES...Small supply vealers steady, although only about 55 head sold for

Holstein bulls 125.00-135.00, 145 head