

Lancaster County Livestock Market Auctions

Lancaster Livestock Auction

Lancaster, Pa.

Monday, August 8, 1994

Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats

Monday's Auction

740 53 378 1137 325

Last Monday 643 68 406 678 279

Last Year 1006 64 245 1088 417

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50-75 higher; slaughter heifers 2.00-4.00 higher; cows 1.00-2.00 lower, although quality not tested; bullocks 3.00-4.00 higher; bulls firm to 2.00 higher. Supply included 66% slaughter steers, 19% slaughter heifers, 9% cows, with three balance bulls.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1375 lb 69.25-71.75; few Choice and Prime 2-3 1200-1375 lb 72.00-73.25; Choice 2-3, few 4 1035-1425 lb 66.50-69.50; few Choice 3-4 1200-1400 lb 64.50-66.50; Select and low Choice 2-3 1025-1400 lb 63.00-66.50.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1350-1475 lb 57.50-58.85, couple 59.00-60.25; Choice 2-3 1240-1525 lb 55.00-57.50, one lot 1625 lb 56.00; Select 1-3 1200-1360 lb 53.50-55.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 950-1275 lb 65.00-67.50; few high Choice and Prime 2-3 1050-1275 lb 67.50-69.75; few Choice 3-4 1075-1300 lb 63.25-65.50; Select 2-3 950-1200 lb 60.75-64.50.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 few 45.00-46.75. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 41.00-42.00 42.00-44.50. Canner & low Cutter 1-2 36.00-39.00 39.00-41.50.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050-1375 lb 65.00-66.50, few 67.00-71.00; Select 1-3 1050-1425 lb 58.00-64.50.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1400-2000 lb 60.50-66.50, few 67.00-69.00, with six head 1500-2025 lb 70.00-72.00; Yield grade 2 1050-1450 lb 56.50-60.50, three head 2135-2540 lb 56.25-58.50.

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

VEALERS: Choice 200-325 lb 90.00-100.00; high Good and low Choice 80-110 lb 45.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 250-500 lb 60.00-85.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 85-125 lb Holstein bulls 100.00-125.00.

HOGS: Barrows and gilts steady to 50 lower; sows steady to 1.00 lower.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-3 215-255 lb 41.00-42.00. US 1-2 210-245 lb 42.50-44.00.

SOWS: US 1-3 300-500 lb 25.00-28.00. 500-650 lb 30.00-31.50.

BOARS: All weights 26.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs steady; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 higher. Supply included 65% slaughter lambs, with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 1-3 60-110 lb 75.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Choice 2-3

Vintage Livestock Auction

Paradise, Pa.

Tuesday, August 9, 1994

Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

Today 696 990 1 10

Last Tuesday 820 997 2 12

Last Year 734 906 26 0

CATTLE..USDA.. Supply included 40% sl. steers and 52% cows ...Sl. steers steady, instances .50 higher on Choice and Prime 2-3, sl. heifers not tested, cows firm to 1.00 higher, with late sales 2.00 to 3.00 higher, bullocks not tested, few bulls steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 2-3 1100/1375 lbs. 69.75-73.25, couple 73.50-74.50, with three head 77.00, Choice 2-3 few 4 1100/1470 lbs. 66.75-69.50, few 69.60-70.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1050/1375 lbs. 64.00-66.75, few Select 1-3 1050/1350 lbs. 61.75-64.25.

HOLSTEINS: few Choice 2-3 1310/1370 lbs. 55.75-56.75. COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 45.25-48.75, high dressing 48.75-52.25, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 42.75-45.00, bulk 45.00-48.00, high dressing 48.00-50.75, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 38.00-41.00, bulk 41.00-42.75.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade No. 1 1795/1950 lbs. 59.00-62.00, few No. 2 1025/1600 lbs. 52.00-58.00. FEEDERS: one lot Large Frame No. 1 415 lbs. bulls and steers 91.50, couple Large Frame No. 1 510/515 lbs. bulls 71.00-76.00, one lot Large Frame No. 1 390 lbs. heifers 87.50.

CALVES...Vealers steady. Supply included 816 in graded sale, of which 96% sold to return to farm. VEALERS: Good and Choice 150/360 lbs. 71.00-86.00, High Good and Low Choice 80/105 lbs. 44.00-52.00, Standard and Low Good 60/75 lbs. 30.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 30 head 120/125 lbs. Holstein bulls 115.00-120.00, 240 head 95/115 lbs. 127.00-135.00 and 160 head 80/95 lbs. 110.00-120.00, 70 head small frame 100/115 lbs. 108.00-120.00, 65 head 90/95 lbs. 86.00-99.00 and 45 head 80/85 lbs. 74.00-76.00; 95 head 80/120 lbs. Holstein heifers 160.00-177.00, 8 head 70/75 lbs. 130.00 and 12 head small frame 65/70 lbs. 82.00.

SHEEP...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST! GOATS...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST!

35.00-60.00; Utility and Good 25.00-45.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Billies: Bulk 75.00-100.00, few 100.00-150.00; Thin 60.00-75.00. Nannies: Bulk 50.00-65.00; Thin 35.00-50.00. Yearlings: Choice 45.00-60.00; Good 35.00-45.00. Kids: Good and Choice 30.00-35.00; few Utility 20.00-30.00.

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Lancaster Livestock Auction

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

Mercer Livestock

Mercer, Pa.

Tuesday, August 9, 1994

Report Supplied by Auction

CATTLE: 203. STEERS STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. COWS: .75-2.00 HIGHER; STEERS: HIGH CHOICE & PRIME FEW 1165-1335 LB. 66.10-67.50, CHOICE 1000-1400 LBS. 63.85-69.75 ONE @ 71.60. SELECT 58.00-63.85, STANDARD 50.00-60.00. HOLSTEIN: CHOICE COUPLE 1145 & 1285 LBS. 55.00-57.50.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 1000-1200 LBS. 62.00-67.25.

COWS: BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 42.75-44.50; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 41.00-46.75; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 38.00-42.00; SHELLS DOWN TO 30.00.

BULLOCKS: SELECE ONE 1325 @ 55.25.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 COUPLE 1370 AND 1560 LBS. 55.50 AND 57.75, YIELD GRADE 2 FEW 1150-1800 LBS. 45.00-52.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS FEW M1 295-525 LBS. 58.00-75.00, FEW L2 810-1075 LBS. 45.00-5.00; HEIFERS FEW M1 440-730 LBS. 54.00-66.50; BULLS FEW M1 625-945 LBS. 50.00-55.00, COUPLE M1 485 AND 550 60.00 AND 61.00.

CALVES: VEALERS 89. STANDARD & GOOD FEW 70-120 LBS. 40.00-60.00, UTILITY FEW 55-75 LBS. 20.00-35.00.

FARM CALVES: NO. 1 HOLSTEIN BULLS 120-125 LBS. 100.00-135.00, 90-115 LBS. 115.00-145.00, 80-85 LBS. 80.00-97.50; NO. 2 HOLSTEIN BULLS 85-110 LBS. 60.00-112.50; NO. 1 HOLSTEIN HEIFERS REW 90-110 LBS. 187.50-197.50; NO. 2 HOLSTEIN HEIFERS FEW 80 LBS. 100.00-130.00; BEEF CROSS BULLS & HEIFERS 75-95 LBS. 80.00-140.00.

HOGS: BARROWS AND GILTS STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER. 165 US 1-2 230-260 LBS. 42.85-44.10, US 1-3 215-270 LBS. 41.00-42.75; 2-3 220-250 LBS. 40.00-41.00, 1-3 COUPLE 200 LBS. 52.00.

SOWS: 1-3 340-560 LBS. 29.00-34.50 ONE AT 36.00. BOARS: COUPLE 360 & 860 LBS. 21.00 AND 23.00, 1 LOT 200 LBS. 31.00.

FEEDER PIGS: US 1-3 FEW 40-65 LBS. 19.00-20.00 7.

New Holland Livestock Auction

AUGUST 11, 1994

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

TODAY 1114 483 301 154

LAST THURSDAY 1184 523 298 217

LAST YEAR 1403 578 223 130

CATTLE: Slaughter steers mostly steady, although Choice and Prime 2-3 not fully tested; slaughter heifers steady; cows 50-1.00 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls steady. Supply included 50% slaughter steers and 33% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3, few 4 1050-1450 lb 66.50-69.50, few lots 69.50-70.00; mixed Choice and Prime 2-3 1150-1400 lb 68.75-71.50; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1400 lb 63.00-66.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-3 1100-1260 lb 66.25-68.00; few Choice 2-3 945-1385 lb 62.50-67.75.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 47.00-49.50 49.50-53.50. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 44.50-46.00 46.00-49.25 49.25-51.50. Canner & low Cutter 1-2 39.00-41.50 41.50-45.00.

BULLOCKS: Couple Select 1-2 1085-1350 lb 60.50-62.00.

BULLS: Couple Yield grade 1. 1475-1800 lb 60.00-63.25, individual 2220 lb 67.50; yield grade 2 1200-1700 lb 54.50-59.50, few low dressing 50.50-54.50.

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

VEALERS: Couple Choice 180-390 lb 91.00-94.00; high Good and low Choice 170-375 lb 48.00-58.00; Standard and low Good 60-85 lb 30.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-125 lb Holstein bulls 110.00-140.00, several 142.00-150.00, couple 150.00-160.00, 75-90 lb 90.00-120.00; small frame 90-110 lb 90.00-110.00, 65-90 lb 60.00-85.00; bulk 90-120 lb Holstein heifers 160.00-205.00, few 205.00-220.00; small frame 85-110 lb 90.00-140.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter ewes generally steady. Supply included 80% slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 1-3 77-130 lb 81.00-91.00, 50-70 lb 87.00-98.00, few 20-50 lb 100.00-122.00, couple 25-40 lb 125.00-135.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-3 22.00-38.00, few Choice 2-3 38.00-50.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Billies: Bulk 75.00-92.00, five head 100.00-107.00. Nannies: Bulk 58.00-70.00. Yearlings: Choice 45.00-57.00; Good 35.00-45.00. Kids: Good and Choice 25.00-37.00, few Utility 15.00-22.00.

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AUGUST 12, 1994

CATTLE CALVES

THIS WEEK 2650 1535

LAST WEEK 2737 1615

LAST YEAR 3180 1548

CATTLE: Slaughter steers closed 50-1.00 higher; slaughter heifers 2.00-4.00 higher; cows closed 2.00-4.00 higher; small supply bullocks 2.00-3.00 higher; bulls firm to 2.00 higher. Supply included 50% slaughter steers, 8% slaughter heifers, 30% cows, 4% bulls, with the balance feeders.

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COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 46.50-49.50 49.50-53.50. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 43.00-46.00 46.00-49.00 49.00-51.50. Canner & low Cutter 1-2 3