

# LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

**Lancaster Livestock Auction**  
LANCASTER, PA  
DECEMBER 20, 1994

| Cattle                  | Calves | Hogs | Sheep | Goats |
|-------------------------|--------|------|-------|-------|
| 652                     | 59     | 310  | 1566  | 772   |
| <b>MONDAY'S AUCTION</b> |        |      |       |       |
| 672                     | 70     | 398  | 1101  | 6     |
| <b>LAST MONDAY</b>      |        |      |       |       |
| 7                       | 8      |      |       |       |
| <b>LAST YEAR</b>        |        |      |       |       |
| 767                     | 76     | 560  | 1777  | 6     |
| 7                       | 4      |      |       |       |

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers mostly steady, although Average to High Choice scarce; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows fully steady; bullocks not tested; bulls fully steady. Supply included 54% slaughter steers, 18% slaughter heifers, 16% cows, and 12% bulls **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Few High Choice and Prime 2-4 1380-1550 lb 69.60-71.75, couple lots 1560-1595 lb 67.75-68.25; Choice 2-3 few 4 1100-1450 lb 67.25-69.50, couple lots 70.00-71.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 63.50-66.75; few Select 1-2 1000-1300 lb 58.00-63.00.

**HOLSTEINS:** High Choice and Prime 2-3 1250-1550 lb 59.50-62.25; Choice 2-3 1200-1600 lb 57.00-59.00; Select 1-3 1200-1450 lb 54.00-56.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 950-1200 lb 64.00-67.85; couple Choice 2 1100-1350 lb 67.85-69.50; Select 1-3 920-1150 lb 59.50-62.50.

**COWS:** LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 41.00-44.50 44.50-46.00. Commercial 3-4 36.00-41.00. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 37.50-42.00 42.00-43.00. Canner & low Cutter 1-2 34.00-36.00 36.00-39.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1200-1800 lb 50.00-54.50, 16 head 55.00-59.00, with 12 head 1400-1800 lb 61.25-67.75, couple 70.50-71.75; Yield grade 2 1000-1500 lb 46.00-50.00.

**CALVES:** Vealers not tested; slaughter calves steady to 5.00 higher. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

**SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Choice 275-450 lb 65.00-80.00; Good 250-450 lb 55.00-65.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-120 lb Holstein Bulls 105.00-130.00.

**HOGS:** Barrows and gilts 2.00-4.00 higher; sows steady-1.00 higher.

**BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 210-255 lb 36.50-38.00. US 1-3 210-265 lb 35.50-36.50. US 2-3 270-285 lb 30.00-32.00.

**SOWS:** US 1-3 300-650 lb 17.00-19.00.

**BOARS:** All weights 15.50-16.00.

**SHEEP:** Slaughter lambs steady to 3.00 lower, although New Crop lambs firm to 20.00 higher; slaughter ewes steady. Supply included 80% slaughter lambs, including around 350 New Crop, with the balance slaughter ewes.

**SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice 1-3

**Vintage Livestock Auction**  
PARADISE, PA  
December 20, 1994

| CATTLE       | Calves | Sheep | Goats |   |
|--------------|--------|-------|-------|---|
| TODAY        | 645    | 1031  | 18    | 4 |
| LAST TUESDAY | 610    | 1034  | 3     | 1 |
| LAST YEAR    | 561    | 927   | 31    | 0 |

**CATTLE... USDA .. Supply included 15% sl. steers and 75% cows ..sl. steers firm to 1.00 higher, sl. heifers fully steady, cows mostly, some early sale Breaking Utility and Commercial 1.00 lower, bullocks and bulls not fully tested. **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-3 few 4 1100/1425 lbs. 67.75-70.50, Select and Choice 1-3 1075/1430 lbs. 71.00-75.00, five head 75.25-77.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1050/1450 lbs. 64.00-67.50. **HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 1000/1335 lbs. 63.25-67.75, one lot Select and Choice 2-3 980 lbs. 62.35. **COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 40.50-43.50 high dressing 43.50-45.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 39.25-40.50, bulk 40.50-42.50, high dressing 42.50-43.75, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 32.75-37.50, bulk 37.50-40.00.**

**CALVES...Vealers steady, although weights over 125 lbs. not tested. Supply included 868 in graded sale of which 91% sold to return to farm. **VEALERS:** High Good and Low Choice 85/110 lbs. 39.00-45.00, Standard and Low Good 55/85 lbs. 25.00-33.00. **RETURNED TO****

80-100 lb 68.00-80.00, 60-80 lb 80.00-90.00, few 110-120 lb 60.00-65.00; Good to low Choice 600-85 lb 60.00-68.00.

**NEW CROP LAMBS:** Choice 25-40 lb 150.00-180.00 few 180.00-205.00, 40-50 lb 135.00-175.00, 50-65 lb 100.00-135.00, 65-80 lb 85.00-100.00; Utility and Good 25-40 lb 100.00-150.00, 40-50 lb 90.00-135.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Choice 2-3 45.00-55.00; Utility and Good 2-3 28.00-50.00.

**GOATS:** All goats sold by the head. **Billies:** Bulk 75.00-100.00, few 100.00-150.00; few Thin 60.00-75.00. **Mutton:** Bulk 60.00-75.00, few 75.00-85.00. **Nannies:** Bulk 60.00-75.00, ew 50.00-60.00. **Yearlings:** Choice 45.00-60.00; Good 35.00-40.00. **Kids:** Choice 35.00-50.00; Good 25.00-35.00.

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

**Lebanon Valley Livestock**

Fredericksburg, PA  
Tuesday, December 20, 1994  
Report supplied by Auction

**STEERS:** 14. CHOICE HOLSTEINS 1380 LBS. 58.50; SELECT 1145-1395 LBS. 53.75-56.75; STANDARD 1120-1285 LBS. 45.75-53.25.  
**COWS:** 92 HEAD. BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 42.00-44.25; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 39.00-41.75; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 37.00-39.00; SHELLS 35.50 DOWN.  
**BULLS:** 4 HEAD. YG#1 1140 51.75; YG#2 1055-1565 LBS. 44.75-46.75.  
**HEIFERS:** 5 HEAD. CHOICE 1080-1140 LBS. 63.50-65.75. **CALVES:** 159 HEAD. STANDARD AND GOOD 85-100 LBS. 32.00-42.00; UTILITIES 65-85 LBS. 22.00-30.00; US#1 HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES 90-110 LBS. 125.00-140.00; #2 BULL CALVES 85-110 LBS. 100.00-130.00; #1 HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES 90-95 LBS. 142.00-170.00; #2 HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES 80-90 LBS. 65.00-95.00.  
**SOWS:** 19 HEAD. US#1&3 510-635 LBS. 19.00-21.50; US#2-3 385-480 LBS. 17.00-19.00.  
**BOARS:** 2 HEAD. 372 LBS. AT 15.50.  
**HOGS:** 96 HEAD. #1&2 244-257 LBS. 33.25-34.50; #2&3 370-400 LBS. 24.00-28.50.

**FARM:** 550 head 90/125 lbs. Holstein bulls 125.00-140.00, 75 head 80/85 lbs. 117.00-127.00 and 45 head small frame 80/85 lbs. 92.00-94.00; 50 head 90/120 lbs. Holstein heifers 200.00-209.00 and 30 head 70/85 lbs. 140.00-150.00, 10 head small frame 100/105 lbs. 175.00 and 50 head 70/95 lbs. 92.00-110.00.  
**SHEEP...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST!** Slaughter sheep: few Utility and Good 2-3 25.00-47.00.  
**GOATS...NO MARKET TEST!**

**New Holland Livestock Auction**

THURSDAY DECEMBER 22, 1994.  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

| CATTLE        | Calves | Sheep | Goats |     |
|---------------|--------|-------|-------|-----|
| TODAY         | 744    | 460   | 213   | 186 |
| LAST THURSDAY | 1252   | 571   | 351   | 328 |
| LAST YEAR     | 468    | 374   | 224   | 289 |

**CATTLE:** Small supply slaughter steers and heifers fully steady; cows 1.00-1.50 higher; bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Supply included 34% steers and 49% cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-3 few 4 1075-1480 lb 67.75-71.00, couple lots 71.25-71.60; few Select and Choice 1-3 1100-1350 lb 71.25-73.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1100-1485 lb 64.00-67.85; Select 1-3 1100-1350 lb 60.00-63.75.

**HOLSTEINS:** Couple Choice 2-3 1215-1385 lb 57.50-58.50; Select 1-2 1175-1420 lb 52.75-54.00.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Choice 2-3 960-1340 lb 64.75-68.00; couple Choice 2 1220-1360 lb 70.50-71.00; Select 1-2 940-1100 lb 59.75-62.75.

**COWS:** LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 40.00-44.00 44.00-46.50, few 46.50-48.50. Cutter & Boning Utility 1-3 39.75-43.50 43.50-45.00. Canner & low Cutter 1-2 35.50-38.50 38.50-41.50.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1 1400-1900 lb 51.00-52.75; Yield grade 2 1000-1550 lb 44.50-50.50.

**CALVES:** Small supply vealers steady, although bulk of supply sold to return to farm.

**VEALERS:** Couple Choice 275-325 lb 89.00-95.00; couple Good 270-330 lb 74.00-85.00; couple Choice 410-470 lb slaughter calves 70.00; Standard and low Good 55-85 lb 15.00-35.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-120 lb Holstein bulls 115.00-140.00, few 140.00-152.00; small frame 90-115 lb 92.00-120.00, 70-85 lb 65.00-85.00, with several 60-85 lb normally sold for slaughter 48.00-65.00; few 90-115 lb Holstein Heifers 125.00-165.00, couple 190.00-205.00; small frame 85-1155 lb 85.00-120.00.

**SHEEP:** Slaughter lambs and slaughter ewes fully steady. Supply included 80% slaughter lambs, of which 35 head were New Crop 25-70 lb, with the balance slaughter ewes.

**SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice 1-3 70-110 lb 68.00-78.00, few 110-130 lb 61.00-68.00.

**NEW CROP LAMBS:** Few Choice 30-55 lb 157.00-200.00, few 40-55 lb 105.00-150.00, couple 70-75 lb 88.00-96.00.

**SLAUGHTER EWES:** Utility and Good 1-3 25.00-40.00; few Choice 2-3 40.00-45.00.

**GOATS:** All goats sold by the head. **Billies:** Bulk 76.00-97.00, 10 head 100.00-112.00, and 10 head 125.00-152.00. **Nannies:** Bulk 55.00-77.00. **Yearlings:** Choice 55.00-65.00; Good 44.00-50.00. **Kids:** Good and Choice 30.00-39.00; few Utility 20.00-27.00.

**Lancaster, Pa DECEMBER 23, 1994 FEDERAL STATE LANCASTER COUNTY WEEKLY REVIEW**

| CATTLE CALVES | THIS WEEK | LAST WEEK | LAST YEAR |      |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------|
|               | 2800      | 1550      | 2277      | 1675 |

**CATTLE:** Slaughter steers firm to 50 higher; slaughter heifers fully steady; cows closed 1.00-1.50 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls mostly steady. Supply included 32% slaughter steers, 9% slaughter heifers, 43% cows, 5% bulls, with the balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Choice 2-3 few 4 1075-1480 lb 67.50-71.00, couple lots 71.25-71.60; High Choice and Prime 2-4 1380-1550 lb 69.60-71.75; Select and Choice 1-3 1075-1430 lb 71.00-73.00, few 73.00-75.00, with five head 75.25-77.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 63.50-67.50, few 67.50-68.00; Select 1-2 1000-1350 lb 58.00-63.50.

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**RETURNED TO FARM:** Bulk 90-125 lb Holstein bulls 115.00-140.00, few 140.00-142.00; small frame 90-120 lb 92.00-120.00, 70-85 lb 65.00-85.00, with several 60-85 lb normally sold for slaughter 48.00-65.00. Bulk 90-120 lb Holstein heifers 190.00-209.00, 30 head 70-85 lb 140.00-150.00; small frame 85-115 lb 85.00-120.00.

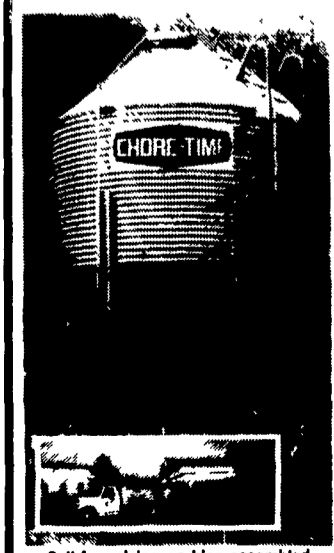
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