Lancaster Livestock

LANCASTER, PA APRIL 30, 1996 Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats MONDAY'S AUCTION

1005 70 206 292 98

LAST WEEK

978 77 211 1310 329 LAST YEAR

1193 92 219 1609 431 CATTLE: Slaughter steers weak to 50

lower, instances 75 lower; slaughter heifers mostly steady; cows steady; bullocks scarce; bulls steady. Supply included 78 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 9 percent cows, and 7 percent

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1225-1450 lb 53.10-55.35, one lot mostly 3 1620 lb 48.85; Choice 2-3 few 4 1055-1450 lb 50.00-53.00, few 53.00-53.60, couple lots 1515-1550 lb 47.75-50.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 950-1450 1ь 48.00-51.00.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1325-1600 lb 45.00-46.75; Choice 2-3 1200-1550 lb 41.00-44.75; Select 1-2 1050-1340 lb 38.50-40.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: One lot High Choice and Prime 2-3 1150 lb 53.50: Choice 2-3 970-1300 lb 48.00-51.75.

COWS: LO DRESSING BULK HI DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 32.00-34.50 35.00-37.00 Commercial 2-4 28.00-34.

00 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 29.00-32.50 Canner and low Cutter 26.00-29.00

BULLOCKS: Select and Choice 2-3 975-1250 lb 34.00-41.25.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1200-1700 lb 37.75-40.00, few 42.00-46.75, couple 50.50-52.00; Yield grade 2 1200-1600 lb 32.00-36.00.

CALVES: Vealers steady; slaughter calves 5.00 to mostly 10.00 lower.

VEALERS: Couple high Good and low Choice 220-280 lb 55.00-60.00, few 80-110 lb 30.00-35.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Choice 350-500 lb 40.00-50.00; Good 280-475 lb 25.00-45.00.

BARROWS AND GILTS: Small supply 50-1.00 higher. US 1-2 215-265 lbs 52.50-53.00 US 1 Few 220-240 lbs 53.00-54.00

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs mostly steady; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 lower. Supply included 70 percent slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 2-3 100-110 lb 100.00-110.00, 115-130 lb 90.00-100.00, 80-95 lb 105.00-115.00, few 60-80 lb 100.00-105.00.

NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 20-35 lb 135.00-160.00, 40-60 lb 130.00-140.00, 60-80 lb 115.00-125.00.

Vintage Livestock

PARADISE, PA **APRIL 30, 1996**

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Cattle Calves Sheep Goats TODAY

605 474 4 5 LAST TUESDAY

LAST YEAR

857 620 20 1 CATTLE... USDA ... Supply included 43% slaughter steers and 51% cows ..sl. steers steady, instances .50 higher on Choice and Prime, sl. heifers scarce, cows

firm to 1.00 higher, few bulls steady. SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 few 4 1025/1400 lbs. 50.50-54.00, Choice and Prime 2-3 few 4 1175/1400 lbs. 53.50-56.50, 12 head 56.75-58.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1100/1350 lbs. 46.75-51.00. HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1250/1635 lbs. 47.35-48.85, Choice 2-3 1200/1500 lbs. 43.75-44.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 34.50-36.50, high dressing 36.50-39.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 28.50-34.00, bulk 34.00-36.00, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 23.00-27.00, bulk 27.00-30.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1-2 1200/1900 lbs. 36.00-38.00.

CALVES...Small supply vealers steady. Supply included 356 in graded sale of which 87% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: one Good 285 lbs. 57.00, couple 160/185 lbs. 40.00-52.00, High Good and Low Choice 75/110 lbs. 25.00-35.00, Standard and Low Good 60/85 lbs. 20.00-25.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 40 head 110/115 lbs. Holstein bulls 110.00-115.00, 65 head 100/105 lbs. 117.00-120.00, 35 head 95 lbs. 103.00 and 35 head 85/90 lbs. 61.00-73.00, 50 head small frame 90/115 lbs. 70.00-82.00 and 25 head 90/95 lbs. 57.00; 21 head 90/120 lbs. Holstein heifers 110.00-132.00, 7 head small frame 90/100 lbs. 97.00-98.00 and 13 head 80/85 lbs.

SHEEP...NO MARKET TESTI GQATS...NO MARKET TESTI

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-2 90-125 lb 30.00-35.00, 125-225 lb 25.00-30.00, 2-3 150-350 lb 19.00-28.00. GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Billies: Medium 60.00-80.00; few Large 95.00-107.00. Mutton: Medium and Large 60.00-70.00. Nannies: Medium 50.00-65.00; few Large 65.00-70.00. Kids: Choice 45.00-55.00; Good 20.00-30.00.

Lancaster Livestock

LANCASTER, PA Wednesday, May 1, 1996

Cattle Hogs TODAY

LAST WED.

135 1478

LAST YEAR

CATTLE:...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME ANY ONE CLASS TO TEST TRENDS. BARROWS AND GILTS .50 TO MOSTLY 1.00 LOWER. US#1&2 215-265 LBS. 51.50-52.50; US#1&3 215-250 LBS. 52.50-53.00; US#1&3

210-270 LBS. 49.00-50.50. SOWS: 1.00-2.00 LOWER. US#1&3 300-500 LBS, 32.50-34.00: 500-625 LBS, 34.50-35.50; MEDIUM 1&2 300-450 LBS. 29.00-31.00.

BOARS: 300-650 LBS. 27.00-28.00.

٧A Feeder Sales

ORANGE, VA MAY 1, 1996

Prices based on in weights Feeder Cattle 267 head Steers 85 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 54.00 - 58.00 34.00 - 40.00 44.00 400-500 51.00 - 59.00 43.00 - 52.00 62.00 500-600 46.00 - 62.00 600-700 - - 39.50 700-800 37.00 - 38.00 - -

WYTHEVILLE, VA APRIL 30, 1996

Prices based on in weights Feeder Cattle 537 head Steers 130 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 200-300 60.00 - 61.00 - - 300-400 44.00 -59.00 39.00 - 43.00 39.00 - 50.00 400-500 46.00 - 59.00 35.00 - 39.00 47.00 - 54.00 500-600 51.00 - 64.00 - 40.00 - 42.50

SOUTHSIDE, VA MAY 1, 1996

Prices based on in weights Feeder Cattle 195 head Steers 39 head Medium and Large 2 600-700 36.00 - 40.00

CULPEPER, VA APRIL 25, 1996

Steers Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 60.00 43.00 48.00 400-500 58.00 66.50 46.00 43.00 -51.50 500-600 46.00 -64.00 45.00 44.50 -66.00 600-700 54.25 - 58.25 - 44.00 -52.00 700-800 44.00 - 52.50 --- 49.00 800-900 39.50 - 48.50 --- 900-1000 35.00 - 48.00 --- ---

New Holland Livestock

LANCASTER, PA MAY 2, 1996 Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

TODAY

1048 367 240 110 LAST THURSDAY 1339 368 1386 334

LAST YEAR 1252 417 259 155

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 2.00-3.00 higher, with Holsteins as much as 4.00 higher; slaughter heifers scarce; cows steady to 1.00 higher, bullocks 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Supply included 61 percent slaughter steers and 28

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1.175/1425 lbs, 55.50-57.00, one lot 57.85; Choice 2-3 few 1050/1450 lbs, 54.00-56.00, few 56.00-56.50; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000/1500 lbs,

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 1160/1570 lbs, 48.75-53.60; Choice 2-3 1125/1550 lbs, 44.85-48.50, couple lots 48.50-49.50; Select 1-3 1100/1500 lbs, 40.50-43.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Couple Choice 2-3 1100/1700 lbs, 51.00-54.00; couple Select 2-3 1000/1300 lbs. 47.00-49.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3, 34.00-38.50, 38.50-40.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 29.00-31.00, 31.00-36.00, 36.00-37.50; Canner and low Cutter 1-2 25.00-28.00, 28.00-31.25.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 2-3 1150/1400 lbs, 42.00-48.50. BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1400/2000 lbs,

39.00-41.50; Yield Grade 2 1200/1700 lbs, 35.00-37.50, individual 2335 lbs, 37.50.

CALVES: Vealers and Slaughter calves steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm, but only fair for Holstein VEALERS: Choice 185/310 lbs.

82.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 175/350 lbs. 60.00-75.00, 80/115 lbs, 28.00-38.00; Standard and low Good 65/85 lbs, 20.00-28.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and 'Chaice 275/550 lbs, 30.00-50.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95/120 ibs, Holstein bulls 100.00-130.00, several 130.00-138.00, 80/90 lbs, 80.00-100.00; small frame 85/115 lbs, 80.00-95.00, 70/85 lbs, 40.00-70.00; few 90/120 lbs, Holstein heifers 100.00-130.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs 5.00-10.00 higher; slaughter ewes firm to 5.00 higher. Supply included around 85 percent slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes. WOOLED LAMBS: Choice 1-3 70/100

lbs, 100.00-115.00. NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 1-2 25/65

Lancaster County Weekly LANCASTER, PA

MAY 3, 1996 Cattle Calves

THIS WEEK

LAST YEAR

2750 925 LAST WEEK

3452 1147

3100 904

CATTLE: Slaughter steers closed 2.00-4.00 higher, full advance on Holsteins; slaughter heifers scarce, mostly steady; cows 1.00-2.00 higher; bullocks closed 1.00-2.00 higher; bulls firm to 1.00 higher. Supply included 61 percent slaughter steers, 4 percent slaughter heifers, 25 percent cows, 5 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1175/1425 lbs, closed at 55.50-57.00, one lot 57.85; Choice 2-3 few 4 1050/1450 lbs, 54.00-56.50, with early sales mainly 50.50-54.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000/1500 lbs. 48.50-53.75.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1160/1570 lbs, 48.75-53.60; Choice 2-3 1125/1550 lbs, 44.75-48.50, couple lots to 49.50; Select 1-3 1100/1500 lbs. 40.50-43.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: One lot High Choice and Prime 2-3 1150 lbs, 53.50; Choice 2-3 970/1300 lbs, 48.00-51.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 34.00-38.50; 38.50-40.75; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 28.50-32.0Q, 32.00-36.00, 36.00-37.50; Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 24.00-28.00, 28.00-31.25.

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 2-3 1150/1400 lbs, closed at 42.00-48.50, after Select and Choice 2-3 being 34.00-41.25

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1200/2000 lbs 37.75-41.50, few 42.00-42.75; Yield Grade 2 1200/1600 lbs, 32.00-37.50. CALVES: Vealers steady; slaughter

calves 5.00 to mostly 10.00 lower. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm, fair for Holstein heifers. VEALERS: Choice 185/310 lbs.

82.00-90.00; high Good and low Choice 185/350 lbs, 55.00-75.00, 80/115 lbs, 25.00-38.00; Standard and low Good 65/85 lbs, 20.00-28.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Choice 350/500 lbs, 40.00-50.00; Good 280/475 lbs, 25.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90/115 lbs, Holstein bulls 100.00-130.00, several at the close 130.00-138.00, 80/90 lbs, 61,00,90.00; small frame 85/115 lbs. 70.00-95.00, 70/85 lbs, 40.00-70.00, few 90/120 lbs., Holstein heifers 100.00-132.00; one lot small frame 90/100 lbs, 98.00, few 80/85 lbs, 42.00-55.00.

lbs, 110.00-150.00, few 150.00-162.00. **SLAUGHTER EWES: Few Choice 2-3** 50.00-70.00; Utility and Good 1-3

30.00-40.00, few 2-3 25.00-30.00. GOATS: All goats sold by the head: Billies: Large 100.00-110.00, few 122.00-138.00, couple 152.00-160.00; Medium 80.00-100.00; Nannies: Large 60.00-80.00; Medium 45.00-60.00;

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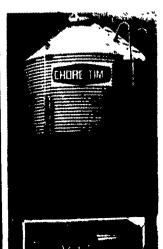
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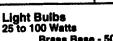
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