

# LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

Lancaster County Weekly

NEW HOLLAND, PA  
JANUARY 24, 1997

Cattle Calves

THIS WEEK	2700	1500
LAST WEEK	2516	1752
LAST YEAR	3457	1742

CATTLE: Slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows closed steady, recovering some early week loss; bullocks fully steady; bulls steady. Supply included 44 percent slaughter steers, 7 percent slaughter heifers, 39 percent cows, 4 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime mostly 3 1140-1450 lb 69.25-71.10, few Choice and Prime 2-3 1150-1450 lb 71.00-73.75; Choice 2-3 1100-1450 lb 66.00-70.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1425 lb 61.00-66.00; few Select 2-3 1050-1350 lb 57.75-61.00.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1600 lb 57.50-61.50; Choice 2-3 1250-1600 lb 53.50-58.50; Select 2-3 1100-1450 lb 50.00-54.50; few Standard 1-2 1200-1400 lb 42.00-48.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 970-1300 lb 62.75-67.00; few high Choice and Prime 2-3 1200-1380 lb 66.50-69.00; Select 2-3 950-1200 lb 58.00-63.00.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 36.00-40.00 40.00-44.75 Commercial 3-4 32.00-37.00 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 30.75-34.00 34.00-38.00 38.00-39.75 Canner and low Cutter 1-2 22.00-28.00 28.00-32.50

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050-1375 lb 54.00-61.00; Select 1-3 950-1100 lb 45.50-51.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-2100 lb 41.50-47.00, few 47.00-52.75; yield grade 2 1000-1850 lb 34.00-40.75.

CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves fully steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls and heifers to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 250-375 lb 71.00-80.00; high Good and low Choice 150-325 lb 45.00-70.00, 80-110 lb 22.00-36.00; Standard and low Good 60-85 lb 10.00-25.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice 230-500 lb 45.00-60.00, few 60.00-70.00; Good 250-550 lb 30.00-45.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125 lb Holstein bulls 86.00-116.00, 70-90 lb 65.00-70.00; small frame 90-120 lb 60.00-85.00, 80-90 lb 40.00-60.00. Few 95-120 lb Holstein heifers 120.00-130.00; few small frame 80-110 lb 25.00-50.00.

1-2 55.00-70.00, 2-3 40.00-55.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head. Billies: Large 105.00-145.00, couple 155.00-193.00. Nannies: Large 80.00-90.00; Medium 60.00-80.00. Yearlings: Choice 80.00-100.00; Good 60.00-80.00. Kids: Choice 60.00-70.00; Good 35.00-60.00; Utility 20.00-35.00.

**Lancaster Livestock**  
LANCASTER, PA  
JANUARY 20, 1997  
Cattle Calves Hogs Sheep Goats  
MONDAY'S AUCTION  
804 101 93 571 321  
LAST MONDAY  
822 94 227 434 274  
LAST YEAR  
1229 90 142 212 102

CATTLE... USDA .. Supply included 64% slaughter steers, 9% sl. heifers, 19% cows and 8% bulls ...slaughter steers steady to weak, sl. heifers and bulls steady, cows 1.00 to 2.00 lower, bullocks fully steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1200/1450 lbs. 69.75-71.10, couple 72.50-72.75, Choice 2-3 1175/1450 lbs. 67.00-70.00, few 1075/1175 lbs. 65.60-68.00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1100/1425 lbs. 62.50-67.00.

HOLSTEINS: few Choice and Prime 2-3 1400/1575 lbs. 57.50-59.00, Choice 2-3 1300/1650 lbs. 54.50-58.75, Select 2-3 1100/1400 lbs. 51.00-54.50, few Standard 1-2 1200/1400 lbs. 42.00-47.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 970/1285 lbs. 64.75-69.00, Select 2-3 950/1200 lbs. 62.00-64.50.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 34.50-38.50, high dressing 38.50-39.50, Commercial 3-4 bulk 32.00-36.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 bulk 31.00-36.00, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 22.00-26.00, bulk 26.00-29.00.

BULLOCKS: Choice 2-3 1050/1350 lbs. 54.00-59.50, Select 1-3 950/1100 lbs. 45.50-51.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1300/2100 lbs. 42.00-47.00, few 49.00-52.75, No. 2 1000/1400 lbs. 34.75-40.75.

CALVES...Vealers steady, although weights over 120 lbs. not tested, slaughter calves steady, instances 5.00 higher. Demand fair for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Good and Low Choice 80/110 lbs. 30.00-40.00, Standard and Low Good 60/85 lbs. 15.00-25.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice 250/550 lbs. 45.00-60.00, few 60.00-70.00, Good 250/500 lbs. 30.00-40.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: few 90/110 lbs. Holstein bulls 50.00-60.00.

HOGS...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST!

SHEEP...Slaughter lambs and slaughter ewes fully steady. Supply included an estimated 90% slaughter lambs with the balance slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 1-2 60/90 lbs. 120.00-135.00, 90/110 lbs. 110.00-120.00, few 110/135 lbs. 90.00-100.00.

NEW CROP LAMBS: Choice 30/50

**Vintage Livestock**  
PARADISE, PA  
JANUARY 21, 1997  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats  
TODAY  
552 740 0 0  
LAST TUESDAY  
657 807 0 0  
LAST YEAR  
828 931 1 0

CATTLE... USDA .. Supply included 25% slaughter steers and 68% cows ...sl. steers steady, instances .50 higher on Choice and Prime mostly 2, sl. heifers steady, cows fully steady, bulls scarce.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-3 1100/1460 lbs. 69.00-69.75, Choice and Prime 2-3 1150/1450 lbs. 69.75-71.75, five head 72.75-73.75, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1075/1375 lbs. 63.00-66.75.

HOLSTEINS: few Choice 2-3 1375/1400 lbs. 53.00-54.00, Standard 1-2 1175/1300 lbs. 43.00-46.50.

HEIFERS: few Select and Choice 2-3 1050/1175 lbs. 61.00-62.75.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 36.50-40.50, high dressing 40.50-44.75, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 30.75-32.00, bulk 32.00-37.00, high dressing 37.00-38.75, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 22.00-27.00, bulk 27.00-31.25.

BULLS: one Yield Grade No. 1 1760 lbs. 40.25, No. 2 1200/1475 lbs. 33.00-34.75.

CALVES...Vealers fully steady. Supply included 650 in graded sale of which 87% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Good and Choice 85/110 lbs. 20.00-26.00, Standard and Low Good 60/85 lbs. 10.00-18.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 30 head 120/125 lbs. Holstein bulls 86.00-90.00, 170 head 100/115 lbs. 101.00-116.00, 45 head 95 lbs. 112.00-120.00, 35 head 90 lbs. 91.00-96.00 and 25 head 85 lbs. 25.00, 155 head small frame 90/115 lbs. 73.00-85.00; 30 head 90/110 lbs. Holstein heifers 120.00-130.00, 11 head small frame 90/105 lbs. 12.00-25.00.

SHEEP...NO MARKET TEST!

GOATS...NO MARKET TEST!

lbs. 170.00-250.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-2 120/150 lbs. 50.00-70.00, 2-3 125/250 lbs. 42.00-55.00.

GOATS... All sold by the head.

BILLIES: Medium 120.00-150.00, 10 head 150.00-200.00, Medium 70.00-100.00.

NANNIES: Large 60.00-80.00, Medium 52.00-60.00.

YEARLINGS: Choice 65.00-80.00, Good 48.00-65.00.

KIDS: Choice 45.00-60.00, Good 30.00-50.00, Utility 20.00-30.00.

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

**VA Feeder Sales**

ORANGE, VA  
JANUARY 22, 1997  
Feeder Cattle 138 head Steers 29 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 300-400 58.00 45.00 400-500 52.00 - 500-600 67.00 59.50 - 60.25

WYTHEVILLE, VA  
JANUARY 21, 1997  
Feeder Cattle 123 head Steers 42 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 67.00 - 75.00 - 60.00 - 68.00 400-500 66.00 - 73.00 55.00 - 59.00 60.00 - 68.00 500-600 60.00 - 65.00 - 55.00 - 61.00 700-800 53.00 - 57.00 -

SOUTHSIDE, VA  
JANUARY 22, 1997  
Feeder Cattle 274 head Steers 82 head Medium and Large 1 Small 1 Medium and Large 2 300-400 65.00 - 70.00 - 62.00 - 67.00 400-500 64.00 - 69.00 45.00 - 52.00 62.00 - 67.50 500-600 63.00 - 65.00 46.00 - 52.00 62.00 - 66.00 600-700 60.00 -

STAUNTON, VA  
JANUARY 21, 1997  
Steers Choice 2-3 1200-1500 lbs 62.00 - 66.50 Heifers Choice 2-3 1100-1300 lbs 58.00 - 63.85

75, Boning Utility 32.00-35.00, Breaking Utility 34.00-37.00; low dressing: Cutters 24.50-28.50, Boners 29.00-30.50, Breakers 29.50-32.00. Canner and low Cutter over 800 lbs 22.00-26.00, light weights 20.00-25.50. Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Cutters 64.15; Boners 65.35; Breakers 63.10; Canners over 800 lbs 61.05, light weights 56.90. Bulls 70.90. Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1 1300-2250 lbs average dressing 37.50-40.50; high dressing 41.00-44.50, high dressing/high boning 44.50-48.00; low dressing 34.50-37.25, very low dressing Canner type 27.00-34.00. Replacement Cows: Pretested for Bangs, pregnancy, and age Medium and Large 1 Single head sales: 5-6 yr old 900-1150 lbs 6-7 months bred Avg quality 465.00-518.00; Blacks 570.00-580.00.

got milk?

**New Holland Livestock**  
NEW HOLLAND, PA  
JANUARY 23, 1997  
Cattle Calves Sheep Goats  
TODAY  
1282 652 353 294  
LAST THURSDAY  
982 624 390 207  
LAST YEAR  
1362 721 196 308

CATTLE: Slaughter steers weak to 50 lower, instances 1.00 lower; slaughter heifers steady; cows firm to 1.00 higher; bullocks scarce; bulls steady. Supply included 42 percent slaughter steers and 41 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime mostly 3 1140-1435 lb 69.25-71.10, couple 72.25-73.25; Choice 2-3 1130-1450 lb 66.00-69.85; Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1450 lb 61.50-66.50; few Select 1-3 1050-1275 lb 57.75-61.00.

HOLSTEINS: Few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1600 lb 58.50-61.50; Choice 2-3 1250-1575 lb 53.50-58.50; Select 1-3 1100-1375 lb 50.00-53.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1050-1300 lb 62.75-65.75; few High Choice and Prime 2-3 1225-1380 lb 66.50-68.00; Select 2-3 950-1175 lb 58.00-62.75.

COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 36.00-39.75 40.00-43.00 Commercial 3-4 32.00-37.00 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 31.00-35.00 35.00-38.00 38.00-39.75 Canner and low Cutter 1-2 24.00-29.00 29.00-32.50

BULLOCKS: Few Choice 2-3 1150-1375 lb 54.00-61.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1300-2000 lb 41.50-44.00, couple 46.00-48.50; Yield grade 2 1100-1850 lb 34.00-40.00.

CALVES: Vealers firm to 5.00 higher; slaughter calves steady. Demand good for Holstein bulls to return to farm.

VEALERS: Few Choice 250-375 lb 71.00-77.00; high Good and low Choice 150-325 lb 45.00-65.00, 80-110 lb 28.00-36.00; Standard and low Good 60-80 lb 12.00-26.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 230-550 lb 30.00-55.00, couple Choice 55.00-65.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 95-120 lb Holstein bulls 85.00-110.00, several early 110.00-120.00, 85-90 lb 70.00-90.00; small frame 90-120 lb 60.00-85.00, few 80-90 lb 40.00-60.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs steady; slaughter ewes fully steady. Supply included 85 percent slaughter lambs with the balance mainly slaughter ewes.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 1-2 25-50 lb 170.00-193.00, 50-80 lb 125.00-145.00, 80-115 lb 110.00-125.00, few 115-140 lb 100.00-110.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good

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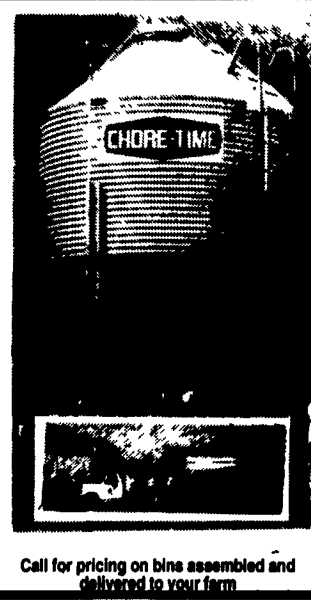
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