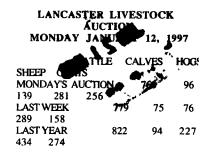
# LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION



CATTLE Slaughter steers 1 \$0-2 50 lower, heifers mostly 400 higher, cowsmostly steady in light test, bulls generally steady Supply included 50percent slaughter steers, 20 percent slaughter heifers, 17 percent cows, withthe balance bulls

SLAUGHTER STEERS. High Choice and Prime 2-3 1130-1450 lb 65,00-67.00; Choice2-3 1085-1560 lb 62 50-64.75; Select and low Choice 2-3 1045-1625 lb 55 00-62.50.

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1415-1575 lb 56 75-58.50; Choice 2-31425-1675 lb 54.00-55.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 2-4 1200-1575 lb 44.50-51.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1150-1350 lb 64.60-66.00, Choice 2-3 1075-1350 lb 62.50-64.35; Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1450 lb57.00-62.00.

LOW DRESSING COWS: HIGH DRESSING Brkg Util-BULK ity/Commercial 2-3 41 75 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 31 50-35.50 Canner and low Cutter 1-2 23.00-27 25 28.00-31 50

BULLS: Yield grade 1 1000-1450 lb 41 75-48.25, with a few 990-2000 1b 53 75-58 00, 1475-2125 lb 40 50-49 25. Yield grade 2 1025-1525 lb 38 00-39 75,1550-2175 lb 34 00-38 75

CALVES Not adequately tested to establish a trend

SLAUGHTER CALVES Choice 500-600 lb 55.00-58 00, 450-525 lb58.00-65 00, some Good and low Choice 350-450 lb 50 00-62 00, a few 275-325lb 74 00-78 00

BARROWS AND GILTS Generally steady compared to Wednesday US 1-2 230-260 lbs 36 00-37 00US 1-3 230-260 lbs 33 50-35 00

SOWS US 1-3 300-500 lbs 500-700 lbs 25 00-27 00 **BOARS** 300-600 lbs 15 00-17 00 SHEEP Slaughter lambs stead to 5 00 lower, slaughter ewes steady

SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice 1-2 70-80 lb 110 00-115 00, 100-110 lb 95 00-105 00,120-135 lb 78 00-85 00 NEW CROP LAMBS Choice 1-2 60-70 lb 115 00-122 00, with a few 50 lb

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C	CATTLE		CALVES	
SHEEP GOAT	S 605	775	0	
0 LAST TUESDAY	7	759	963	
LAST YEAR	657	807	0	

CATTLE Slaughter steers steady to firm in fairly light test, slaughter heifers not adequately tested to establish a trend, cows steady tofirm, bulls steady in very thin test Supply included 22 percent slaughtersteers and 66 percent cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-3 1200-1450 lb 65 25-67.50,several 1225-1495 lb 68 00-69.00; Choice 2-3 1100-1525 lb 61.50-65.25; fewSelect and low Choice 2-3 1250-1575 lb 56.00-60.25

HOLSTEINS: Choice 2-3 1400-1705 1b 53.50-56.75; Select and low Choice 2-31300-1650 lb 51.50-53.75

cows. LOW DRESSING HIGH DRESSING Breaking Utility & Commercial 2-3 42 50 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 31.00-35 75 Canner and low Cutter 1-2 22.00-26.50 27 00-32.00. BULLS: Few Yield grade 1 935-1225 1b

33 00-40 25, 1295-1825 1b 42 50-CALVES: Vealers steady Supply included 696 sold in graded sale of which

an72 percent returned to farm VEALERS. High Good and low Choice 90-95 lb 21.00-40 00, 100-115

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-2 55 00-65.00, 2-3 38 00-45 00. GOATS All goats sold by the head. Bil-Large 125 00-142 00, Medium 85 00-105 00 Nannies Large 65 00-75 00, Medium 45 00-49.00 Kids. Choice and Prime 48 00-60.00, Good 30 00-40 00

#### Lancaster Livestock Auction

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

27 00-40.00; Standard and low Good 63-85 lb 17 00-40 00. RETURNED TO FARM. Holstein bulls, 59 head 85-90 lb 92 00-102 00, head95-103 lb 120 00-124 00, 42 head 103-111 lb 111 00-117.00, 54 head 111-123 lb77 00-99 00, small frame 107 head 93-113 lb 50 00-59.00, 25 head 102 lb87.00. Holstein heifers, 51 head 92-110 lb 111 00-116.00; small frame 7 head103-125 lb 50 00-65 00. SHEEP: No market test.

#### New Holland Livestock

GOATS. No market test.

New Holland, Pa. Thursday, Jan. 15, 1996 Report Supplied by USDA Cattle Calves Sheep Gosts

Today 1034 654 180 Last Thursday 1475 709 123 126 Last Year 390 207

624 982 CATTLE: SLAUGHTER STEERS MOSTLY 1.00-1.50 HIGHER; SLAUGH-TER HEIFERS NOT ADEQUATELY TESTED TO ESTABLISH A TREND; **BULLS GENERALLY 1.00-2.00 HIGH-**ER. COWS MOSTLY 2.00-3.00 HIGHER.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-3 1190-1570 LB. 66.00-69.35, SEVERAL 69.50-69.75; CHOICE 2-3 1035-1635 LB. 63.00-65.75; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3

945-1750 LB. 58.50-62.50; FEW SELECT 55.00-57.50.

**HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1190-1750** LB. 54.50-57.00, FEW 58.10-61.00, SELECT 2-3 1195-1850 LB. 45.25-51.50.

COWS: BRKG. UTILITY/ COMMERCIAL 2-3 BULK 37.00-43.50; CUTTER/BONING UTILITY 1-3 BULK 33.75-37.75; CANNER/LOW CUTTER 1-2 LOW DRESSING 23.50-27.50, BULK 28.00-34.00.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1150-1390 LB. 43.00-46.50, SEVERAL 47.50-52.50, 1420-1750 LBS. 41.00-46.75, 1900-2510 LB. 41.75-47.50, COUPLE 1825-1875 LB. 52.00-56.50, YIELD GRADE 2 1150-1600 LB. 38.50-41.75.

CALVES: VEALERS & SLT. CALVES STEADY.

VEALERS: STANDARD & LOW GOOD 70-85 LBS. 27.00-39.00, 90-120 LBS. 30.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: GOOD & CHOICE 150-300 LBS. 70.00-90.00, FEW GOOD 450-600 LBS. 45.00-60.00, UTILI-TY AND LOW GOOD 150-300 LBS. 50.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-95 LBS. 90.00-115.00, 110-110 LB. 90.00-122.00, 115-125 LB. 87.00-100.00; SM. FRAME 45.00-87.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-95 LBS. 75.00-105.00, 100-110 LB. 55.00-115.00, SMALL FRAME 42.00-65.00.

SHEEP: SLTR. LAMBS STEADY, SLTR EWES NOT ADEQUATELY TESTED TO ESTABLISH A TREND.

OLD CROP SLAUGHTER LAMBS: CHOICE 2-3 50-80 LBS. 100.00-140.00, 80-100 LB. 100.00-120.00, 100-130 LB. 90.20-110.00.

NEW CROP LAMBS: TOO THIN A TEST TO ESTABLISH A TREND. SLAUGHTER EWES: TOO THIN A

TEST TO ESTABLISH A TREND. GOATS: ALL GOATS SOLD PER HEAD. BILLIES: LG. 110.00-150.00, MED. 75.00-110.00; NANNIES: LG. 65.00-70.00, MED. 50.00-60.00; KIDS: CHOICE & PRIME 40.00-60.00, GOOD 20.00-450.00; YEARLINGS: CHOICE

> **Lancaster County** Weekly NEW HOLLAND, PA FRIDAY JANUARY 16, 1998 **USDA Market News**

CATTLE CALVES THIS WEEK 2405 1752 LAST WEEK 3146 2107 LAST YEAR 2516 1752

CATTLE: Slaughter steers prices were steady to 75 higher for the week; price levels for slaughter heifers remained steady on a fairly light test; cows prices closed 2.00-3.00 higher, prices for buils closed the week 1.00-2.00 higher. Supply included 35 percent slaughter steers, 10 percent slaughter heifers, 45 percent cows, 7 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1190-1570 lb 65.00-69.36; Choice 2-3 1085-1635 lb 63.00-65.75; Select and low Choice 2-3 1195-1850 lb

HOLSTEINS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1415-1575 lb 56.75-58.50; Choice 2-3 1190-1750 lb 53.50-57.00; Select and low Choice 2-3 1195-1850 lb 45.00-51.50.

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COWS: LOW DRESSING BULK HIGH DRESSING Brkg Utility and Commercial 2-3 36.00-43.50 Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 32.50-37.75 Canner and low Cutter 1-2 23.00-27.50 28.00-34.00

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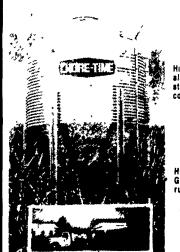
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