## LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

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NEW HOLLAND, PA JUNE 22, 1998 CALVES HOGS SHEEP CATTLE

**GOATS** MONDAY'S AUCTION 96 603 202 LAST MONDAY 44 37 387 304 LAST 841 YEAR 773 28 59

CATTLE [USDA] [Supply 67% slaughter steers and 16% slaughter heifers, 9% cows with the balance bulls] sl steers 1 00 to 1 50 lower, sl heifers 1 00 to 2 00 lower, cows steady, bulls weak to 1.00 lower

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1210-1400 lbs 62 50-63 85, lot 1315 lbs 64 60, one lot mostly Yield Grade 4 1400 lbs 58 25, Choice 2-3 few 4 1125-1480 lbs 60 00-62 60, few lots 59 50-60 00, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1200-1475 lbs 56 00-59 50

HOLSTEIN STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1390-1600 lbs 55 25-56 50, 2-3 1250-1650 lbs 51 25-Choice

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS High Choice few Prime 3-4 1075-1290 lbs 58 25-Choice 2-3 1000-1300 lbs 56 00-59 75, Select and Low Choice 2-3 975-1250 lbs 44 00-48 00

SLAUGHTER COWS few Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-4 low dressing 39 50-42 50, Commercial 3-4 bulk 33 00-38 00, Cutter and Boning Utility low dressing 34 00-38 00, bulk 38 00-40 75, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 dressing 30 00-34 00, bulk 34 25-38 00

BULLS Yield Grade 1 1200-2235 lbs 49 00-52 50, one 1820 lbs 62 25. Yield Grade 2 1050-1575 lbs 43 25-48 75 CALVES INSUFFICIENT VOLUME

FOR A MARKET TEST! SHEEP Slaughter lambs 200 to 400 lower, slaughter ewes weak to 200

SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice and Prime 2-3 40-50 lbs 90 00-105 00, 50-110 88 00-98 00

SLAUGHTER EWES Good and Choice 1-2 32 00-38 00, 3-4 22 00-26 00 GOATS [All sold by the head] Large 100 00-120 00, Medium 78 00-90 00 NANNIES Large 55 00-62 00. Medium 45 00-55 00, Small 35 00-42 00 KIDS Choice and Prime 50 00-68 00, Good 45 00-52 00 few Utility 15 00-22 00

#### VINTAGE LIVESTOCK **AUCTION**

TUESDAY JUNE 23, 1998 CATTLE CALVES GOATS TODAY 781 LAST TUESDAY 625 739

CATTLE Compared to Monday, slaughter steer steady instances slaughter heifers steady to higher, weak, cows uneven, breaking Utility 100 lower, other grades steady to steady, bulls not fully tested Supply

percent slaughter steers

LAST YEAR

included 36

and 55 percent slaughter cows SLAUGHTER STEERS Choice and Prime 2-3 1125-1425 lbs 63 75-65 00, 65 50-66 25, Choice 2-3, few 4 1030-1450 lbs 60 75-63 60, few 54 25-59 00, Select 1490-1640 lbs and low Choice 2-3 1100-1450 lbs 57 00-60 50

HOLSTEIN STEERS Few Select and Choice 2-3 1200-1425 lbs lot Choice 2-3 1545 lbs 50 75, one

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Choice and Prime 2-3 1100-1160 lbs 58 60-59 50, Choice 2 1425-1480 lbs 57 50-57 75

SLAUGHTER COWS HIGH DRESS-DRESSING BULK Brkg Utility/Commercial 2-4 38 00-42 00 42 00-45 25 ter/Boning Utility 1-3 33 00-35 50 35 50-40 00 40 00-41 50 Canner/low Cutter 1-2 26 50-30 00 30.00-35.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS Few Yield Grade 1-2 1390-1875 lbs 45 25 49 00, cou-Choice 3 1255-1380 lbs Bullocks 48 00-51 00

CALVES Compared to last Tuesday vealers weak to 500 lower Supply included 646 head in the State graded sale of which 78 percent sold to return

VEALERS High Good and Choice 80-

#### New Holland Livestock

New Holland, Pa. Thursday, June 25, 1998 Report Supplied by USDA

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats Today 1250 686 Last Thursday 262 1492 629 376 Last Year

766

355

314

1239 CATTLE: COMPARED TO TUES-DAY, SLAUGHTER STEER PRICES WERE FIRM, INSTANCES 1.00 HIGH-ER. FAT CATTLE SOL BETTER THAN PREVIOUSLY IN THE WEEK, BUT THE MARKET DID NOT SHOW SIGNS OF A SIGNIFICANT TURN AROUND SLAUGHTER HEIFERS WERE ONLY LIGHTLY TESTED. SLAUGHTER COWS SOLD STEADY TO 1.00 HIGHER IN ACTIVE TRADING AN D SLAUGH-TER BULLS WERE STEADY. THIS WEEK'S SUPPLY INCLUDED 59 PER-**CENT SLAUGHTER STEERS AND 29** PERCENT SLAUGHTER COWS.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 1210-1435 LBS. 62.75-64.85, PKG. 1530 LBS. 61.00; FEW LOW DRESSING 4 1290-1400 LBS. 60.85-61.00. CHOICE 2-3 1115-1450 LBS. 61.00-64.10, FEW HIGH DRESS-ING UP TO 64.75. SELECT AND LOW CH OICE 2-3 1200-1500 LBS.

110 lbs 29 00-40 00, Standard and low Good 65-85 lbs 20 00-29 00, few 55-65 lbs 10 00-18 00

RETURNED TO FARM 40 head 95 lbs Holstein bulls 109 00-110 00 and 180

90-125 lbs 92 00-102 00. 30 head small frame 110-115 lbs 72 00-79 00 head 90-105 lbs 82 00and 135 88 00, 35 head 90-120 lbs holstein 149 00 and 15 head heifers 124 00-80-85 lbs 102 00, 15 head small frame 90-105 lbs 62 00- 65 00 and 30 head 70-85 lbs 32 00-40 00

56.00-60.75; FEW 1500-1625 LBS. 52.00-57.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-3 1425-1756 LBS. 35.00-58.25. CHOICE 2-3 1220-1575 LBS. 52.75-55.75, COUPLE PKGS. 1715-1725 LBS. 49.85-51.60. SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 2-3 1300-1650 LBS. 49.50-52.50. FEW SELECT 1-2 1075-1300 LBS. 48.00-52.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: FEW CHOICE 2-4 1025-1285 LBS. 57,00-60,84.

SLAUGHTER COWS: BRKG. UTILITY/COMMERCIAL 2-4 LOW DRESSING 36.50-39.00, BULK 39.00-43.25, HIGH DRESING UP TO 44.75. CUTTER/BONING UTILITY 1-3 LOW DRESSING 34.00-36.50, BULK 36.50-40.50, HIGH DRESSING 39.75-41.00. CANNER/LOW CUTTER 1-2 LOW DRESSING 30.00-34.00, BULK 33.50-37.00, HIGH DRESSING UP TO

SLAUGHTER BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1475-1900 LBS. 49.00-54.00. FEW OUTSTANDING X-BRED BULLS 1840-1960 LBS. 59.50-61.75. YIELD GRADE 2 1200-1875 LBS. 44.00-48.50. BULLOCKS: FEW SELECT 1-3 1175-1270 LBS. 48.50-54.00.

CALVES: COMPARED TO MON-DAY'S AUCTION, VEALER PRICES WERE FULLY SETEADY AND SLAUGHTER CALVES SOLD STEADY TO 10.00 HIGHER. PRICES FOR HOLS-TEIN CALVES RETURNING TO FEED WERE FULLYS TEADY, COMPARED TO MONDAY'S LIGHT TEST. AROUND 80 PERCENT OF SUPPLY RETURNED TO THE FARM.

**VEALERS: GOOD AND CHOICE** 75-100 LBS. 25.00-40.00. STANDARD AND LOW GOOD 60-90 LBS.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: FEW GOOD AND CHOICE 250-350 LBS. 70.00-85.00. FEW UTILITY AND LOW GOOD 250-350 LBS. 50.00-65.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: HOLSTEIN BULLS 95-130 LBS. 60.00-95.00, FEW

TO 100.00. PLAINER CALVES 85-120 LBS. 45.00-65.00. HOLTESIN HEIFERS 85-120 LBS. 125.00-172.00. PLAINER CALVES 75-110 LBS. 60.00-87.00.

SHEEP: COMPARED TO MONDAY'S **AUCTION, SLAUGHTER LAMBS AND** SLAUGHTER EWES SOLD FULLY STEADY.

**SLAUGHTER LAMBS: CHOICE AND** PRIME 2-3 35-60 LBS. 100.00-125.00; 60-80 LBS. 90.00-100.00; 80-100 LBS.

SLAUGHTER EWES: GOOD AND CHOICE 2-3 YEARLINGS AND 2 YEAR-OLDS 40.00-60.00. UTILITY AND GOOD 1-2 25.00-40.00, FEW FLESHY DOWN TO 15.00.

GOATS: ALL GOATS SOLD BY THE HEAD. BILLIES: MEDIUM AND LARGE 75.00-100.00, FEW TO 110.00. MUTTON: CHOICE AND PRIME 70.00-80.00. NANNIES: MEDIUM AND LARGE 35.00-50.00. YEARLINGS: CHOICE AND PRIME 50.00-70.00. KIDS: CHOICE AND PRIME 40.00-60.00. GOOD 20.00-40.00.

#### **Lancaster County** Weekly

Lancaster, PA Friday, June 19, 1998 Cattle

Calves This Week 2958 1615 Last Week 2477 1609 Last Year 2719 CATTLE: COMPARED TO LAST WEEK'S CLOSING PRICES, THE

SLAUGHTER STEER AND HEIFER MARKET STRUGGLED TO HOLD STEADY THROUGH MID-WEEK. INCREASED PRESSURE ON THURS-DAY FORCED PRICES DOWN TO CLOSE FULLY 1.00 LOWER. DRESSED BEEF PRICES WERE SLIGHTLY HIGH-ER AGAIN THIS WEEK, BUT LIVE CATTLE FUTURES SUFFERED LOS-SES. WESTERN CATTLE FEEDERS STARTED THEIR WEEK WITH GREAT EXPECTATIONS, ONLY TO END UP SETTLING FOR STEADY MONEY AT

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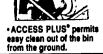


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