## LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

Lancaster Livestock-April 10, 2000 Report Supplied By PDA CATTLE CALVES HOGS SHEEP GOATS MONDAY

| 181       | 35 | 10 | 511 | 262 |  |  |
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| LAST WEEK |    |    |     |     |  |  |
| 171       | 29 | 20 | 438 | 198 |  |  |
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763 56 0 124 242 CATTLE Compared to Thursday, a light run of slaughter steers sold 50-1 00 higher Demand was very good for the high quality steers on hand Holstein steer prices were fully steady and slaughter heifers were mostly steady in a light test Slaughter cows were not well tested and slaughter bulls sold steady Supply included 54 percent slaughter steers and 13 percent slaughter cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1115-1445 lbs 71 75-74 85 Choice 2-3 1115-1465 lbs 69 50-73 10, 1515-1555 lbs 66 00-69 25 Few Select and low Choice 2-3 1200-1435 lbs 67 50-70 00 Couple Select 2 1115-1400 lbs 62 25-64 75

HOLSTEIN STEERS Choice and Prime 2-3 1435-1640 lbs 61 00-63.85 Select and low Choice 2-3 1280-1440 lbs 56 75-59 00 Individual Select 2 1140 lbs 56 00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Few Choice 2-4 1060-1160 lbs 67 85-68 60, pkg low dressing 3-5 930 lbs 60 25 Few Select and low Choice 2-3 1050-1335 lbs 65 25-65 50

SLAUGHTER COWS Boners 80-85 pct lean 39 00-42 25, low dressing down to 37 25 Lean 85-90 pct lean 36 75-42 75, low dressing down to 33 00

SLAUGHTER BULLS Yield Grade 1 1250-1800 lbs 51 50-55 25, outstanding Limousin 2025 lbs 68 50 Yield Grade 2 1150-1805 lbs 46 75-51 25 Bullocks Few Select 1-3 870-1325 lbs 46 00-55 75, high dressing 1175-1335 lbs 65 00-68 25 FEEDER HEIFERS Medium 2-3 pkg

562 lbs 75 25

SHEEP Compared to last week, slaughter lambs sold fully steady, instances 10 00 higher on weights under 60 lbs with increased ethnic demand Slaughter ewes were steady to 3 00 higher

SLAUGHTER LAMBS Choice and Prime 2-3 45-70 lbs 120 00-135 00, 70-90 lbs 100 00-120 00, 90-110 lbs 92 00-100 00, 110-130 lbs 88 00-95 00, few 130-150 lbs 75 00-78 00

SLAUGHTER EWES Utility and Good 1-3 32 00-45 00, few fleshy down to 25 00

GOATS (All sold per head) Billies Medium and Large 100 00-128 00 Medium and Large 45 00-Nannies 50 00 Yearlings Choice and Prime 75 00-85 00 Kids Choice and Prime 45 00-65 00 Good 25 00-38 00

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Vintage Livestock Vintage, Pa. April 10-11, 2000 **Report Supplied By PDA** CATTLE CALVES SHEEP GOATS

THIS WEEK 874 498 2 LAST WEEK 679 0 867 6 LAST YEAR

484 594 0 8 CATTLE Compared to Thursday, a good offering of slaughter steers sold firm

to 100 higher There were plenty of top quality cattle on offer, but the full price advance was noticed on the average Choice steers An outstanding run of Holstein steers were also firm to 100 higher, while slaughter heifers were only lightly tested Slaughter cows were active and steady to 100 higher with slaughter bulls trading firm Supply included 57 percent slaughter steer and 35 percent slaughter cows

SLAUGHTER STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-4 1190-1490 lbs 71 35-74 10, fancy singles up to 76 50 Choice 2-3 1140-1480 lbs 69 75-73.00, high dressing 1-2 up to 76 00, 1535-1605 lbs 67 10-70 25 Select and low Choice 2-3 1140-1480 lbs 66 00-71 00, few 1560-1655 lbs 64 85-65 75 Select 1-3 980-1475 lbs 63 25-68 00

HOLSTEIN STEERS High Choice and Prime 2-3 1450-1545 lbs 62 85-66 35 Choice 2-3 1340-1625 lbs 60.50-63 75 Select and low Choice 2-3 1185-1595 lbs 56 75-60 85 Few Select 1-2 1270-1470 lbs 54 85-57 35, calf-feds 1000-1135 lbs57 75-61 25, several packages returning to feed 960-1215 lbs 53 35-57 00 SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few

Choice 2-4 1025-1465 lbs 67 50-71 00 SLAUGHTER COWS. PERCENT

WEIGHT LEAN BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 41 00-44 00 38 25-41 50 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 38 50-43 50 36 50-39 50 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 38 75-43 00 36 00-39 50 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 36 50-40 75 34 75-37 25 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750 -1000 lbs 34 75-38 00 31 50-35 50

SLAUGHTER BULLS Few Yield Grade 1 1300-1655 lbs 54 25-60 00 Yield Grade 2 1185-1915 lbs 49 75-52 50 Bullocks Select 1-3 855-1220 lbs 50 25-60 00, individual high dressing 1405 lbs 68 00

CALVES Compared to last week, vealer prices were sharply higher but there was not a good comparison for last Tuesday Holstein bulls returning to feed sold 16 00-17 00 lower as demand has leveled off from last week's wild trading However, discounts were very light for the Number 2 quality calves as

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buyers struggled to fill orders on an unusually light offering Holstein heifers sold steady to 1500 higher Supply included 410 head in the State graded sale and 95 percent returned to feed

VEALERS Few Good and Choice 70-110 lbs 37 00-50.00 Standard and low Good 60-90 lbs 15 00-32 00 .

RETURN TO FARM Holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 132 00-180 00 Plainer-type bulls 80-115 lbs 95 00-170 00, weaker calves 75-110 lbs 52 00-59 00 Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 315 00-342 00 Plainer heifers 80-105 lbs 260 00-320 00, 60-75 lbs 60 00-110 00 Beef-type bulls and heifers 85-115 lbs 120 00-200 00 SLAUGHTER LAMBS Few Choice

and Prime 2-3 30-50 lbs 140 00-150 00

## **New Holland** Livestock Auction New Holland, Pa. **Report Supplied By USDA** Thursday, April 13, 2000

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats THURSDAY 1057 545 1420 1152 LAST WEEK

| 1257      | <b>598</b> | 790 | 243 |
|-----------|------------|-----|-----|
| LAST YEAR |            |     |     |
| 1600      | 681        | 234 | 105 |
|           |            |     |     |

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers mostly 1.00 higher. Holstein steers fully steady. Slaughter heifers firm. Cows firm to 1.00 higher. Bulls steady. Supply included 46 percent slaughter steers and 31 percent cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice** and Prime 2-4 1150-1450 lbs 73 75-75 50 couple high dressing 75.75-76.25; one lot 3-4 1475 lbs 70.85. Choice 2-3 1150-1490 ibs 70.50-74.00; few 1475-1600 lbs 68.75-70.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1150-1450 lbs 65.75-69.75.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1315-1600 lbs 62.75-64.50. Choice 2-3 1265-1525 lbs 60.50-63.85. Select and Choice 2-3 1150-1400 lbs

58.75-60.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-3 1100-1370 lbs 67.75-71.25. individual high dressing Choice 1 1015 lbs 76.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 980-1500 lbs 65.00-68.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESS-ING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 40.50-44.25 38.00-40.50 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 41.00-45.50 37.00-41.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 40.00-43.50 37.50-40.00 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 37.50-40.50 34.00-37.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750 -1000 lbs 36.00-38.50 30.00-34.00.

**SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1** 1430-2200 lbs 49.50-53.00. Yield Grade 2 1135- 2035 lbs 45.00-49.75. Bullocks: Choice 2-3 1065-1500 lbs 54.50-57.50. Select 1-3 1025-1150 lbs 46.00-52.00.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, veal calf prices not fully tested. Few slaughter calves steady. Holstein bull farm calf prices 20.00-50.00 lower than Monday or as much as 125.00 lower than last Thursday record market. Holstein heifers mostly steady. Supply included 276 in the State graded sale and all but 5 head sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: Couple Choice 300-330 lbs 98.00-100.00. Couple Standard and low Good 60-70 lbs 25.00-34.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Few Good and Choice 230-520 lbs 80.00-86.00.

**RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein** buils 80-115 lbs 132.00-150.00, few 115-125 lbs 123.00-127.00. Plainer-type bulls 75-125 lbs 90.00-139.00, weaker calves 60-110 lbs 46.00-100.00. Holstein heifers 70-120 lbs 290.00-350.00, five head 365.00-38.00. Plainer heifers 65-115 lbs 185.00-285.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, 20-70 lbs slaughter lambs 15.00-30.00 lower,

with weights over 70 lbs scarce but mostly steady. Slaughter ewes and aged sheep traded weak to 5.00 lower. Goat prices were lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 20-40 lbs 145.00-200.00, few 200.00- 215.00; 40-60 lbs 110.00-155.00, few 155.00-165.00; 60-80 lbs 110.00-135.00; 80-100 lbs 99.00-112.00; few 120-150 lbs 75.00-80.00. Good and Choice 1-2 20-40 lbs 120.00-140.00; 40-80 lbs 90.00-110.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice yearlings and 2 year-olds 42.00-55.00. Utility and Good 1-3 18.00-34.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies: Medium 75.00-100.00, couple Large 100.00-112.00.

Mutton: Few Choice 60.00-70.00. Nannies: Medium and Large 40.00-50.00. Few Small 25.00-40.00.

Yearlings: Choice and Prime 50.00-75.00.

Kids: Choice and Prime 30.00-45.00, few up to 60.00. Good 17.00-30.00.

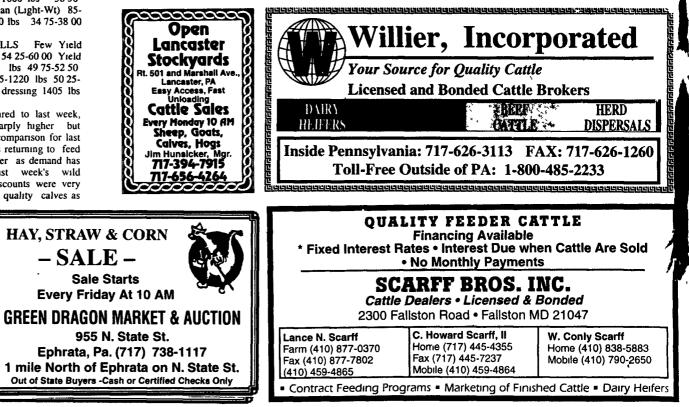
## Lancaster County Weekly New Holland, Pa. **Report Supplied By USDA** Friday, April 14, 2000

|           | CATTLE     | CALVES      |
|-----------|------------|-------------|
| THIS WEEK | 2112       | 1213        |
| LAST WEEK | 2295       | 1457        |
| LAST YEAR | 2847       | 1525        |
|           | omnared to | last week's |

close, slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 higher. Holstein steers firm to 1.00 higher. Slaughter heifers firm. Cows .50-1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher on lean cows. Bulls mostly steady. Supply included 51 percent slaughter steers, 7 percent slaughter heifers, 31 percent slaughter cows, 6 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice** and Prime 2-4 1150-1450 lbs 73.00-75.50, few high dressing 75.75-76.50; one lot 3-4 1475 lbs 70.85. Choice 2-3 1150-1490 lbs 70.00-74.00, few 1475-1600 lbs 67.10-70.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1150-1450 lbs 65.75-71.00, few 1560-1650 lbs

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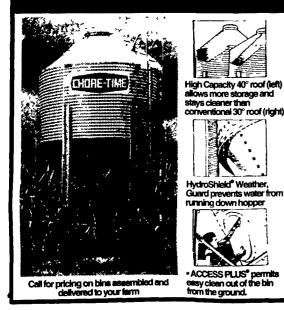


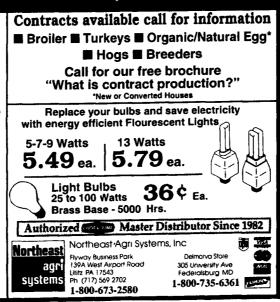




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