

LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

Lancaster County
Weekly
New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Friday, May 12, 2000

Lancaster Livestock

May 8, 2000

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CATTLE CALVES HOGS SHEEP GOATS
MONDAY

86 29 0 405 247

LAST WEEK

220 16 0 335 82

LAST YEAR

653 36 0 255 215

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, a light run of slaughter steers sold steady to weak. Holstein steers steady. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows and bulls mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 1155-1335 lbs 71.00-74.00, mid 75.75 Select 1-2 individual 1590 lbs 65.00

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice, few Prime 2-3 1465-1505 lbs 62.75-65.35

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1100-1190 lbs few 70.00-71.75 Select and low Choice 2-3 986-1440 lbs 63.25-68.00

SLAUGHTER COWS: Lean 85-90 pct lean Lean 36.50-42.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 few 995-1640 lbs 54.00-65.75 Yield Grade 2 900-1665 lbs few 47.50-55.75

SHEEP: Compared to last week, slaughter lambs 5.00-10.00 higher. Slaughter ewes 5.00-8.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 90-100 lbs 100.00-105.00, 110-120 lbs 95.00-99.00, 140-160 lbs 75.00

SLAUGHTER EWES: Utility and Good 1-3 32.00-35.00, fleshy 25.00-29.00

GOATS: (All sold per head) Billies: Medium and Large 95.00-110.00

Nannies: Medium and Large 45.00-50.00 Kids: Choice and Prime 55.00-65.00, few at 50.00 Mutton: Choice and Prime 70.00-80.00

Vintage Livestock

Vintage, Pa.

May 8-9, 2000

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CATTLE CALVES SHEEP GOATS

THIS WEEK

844 676 3 4

LAST WEEK

908 559 0 1

LAST YEAR

474 629 2 0

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers sold steady. Holstein steers steady to weak. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Demand continues to be good for slaughter steers. Slaughter cows steady. Slaughter bulls not well tested. Trading was active for Monday afternoon special feeder sale with 143 head on hand. Supply included 52 percent slaughter steers, 25 percent slaughter cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1180-1430 lbs 74.75-76.75, few fancy singles up to 79.75 Choice 2-3

1092-1490 lbs 72.25-75.60, 1476-1535 lbs 68.00-72.50 Select and low Choice 2-3 1240-1485 lbs 66.75-72.00

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 1355-1490 lbs 62.75-65.50 Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1400-1580 lbs 58.00-62.50 Select 1-2 few 925-1455 lbs 53.00-57.75

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1090-1210 lbs 68.75-70.75

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 40.75-46.00 38.25-41.75 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 39.00-44.50 34.00-40.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 36.00-42.00 33.00-37.75 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 37.00-41.00 31.00-37.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750-1000 lbs 35.00-40.00 32.50-35.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 few 1160-2060 lbs 51.00-57.75 Yield Grade 2 few 1685-1805 lbs 50.00-50.75

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1 few 410-455 lbs 109.00-110.00, pkg 502 lbs 103.00, consignment 622 lbs 100.00, pkg 640 lbs 86.50 fleshy, 750-800 lbs 75.50-76.50 fleshy, 800-900 lbs 70.50-77.50 Medium and Large 2 700-800 lbs 63.00-75.00 Large 2 (Holsteins) 500-700 lbs 58.00-67.50

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1 pkg 318 lbs 99.50, consignment 604 lbs 80.50 Medium and Large 1-2 few 235 lbs 87.00 thin, few 474 lbs 89.25 thin Medium and Large 2 pkg 495 lbs 69.00 Large 2 (Holsteins) few 300-500 lbs 85.00-116.00; pkg 512 lbs 115.00

COW/CALF PAIRS: Few Medium and Large 1-2 690.00-705.00

CALVES: Compared to last week, veal calves not well tested. Buyers showed good demand for Holstein bulls to feed. Holstein bulls sold 38.00 lower in active trading. Holstein heifer prices were sold 5.00 higher. Supply included 542 head in the State graded sale and 97 percent returned to feed.

VEALERS: Few Good and Choice 60-75 lbs 40.00-57.00. RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 80-120 lbs 199.00-237.00 Plainer-type bulls 80-115 lbs 157.00-198.00, weaker calves 80-110 lbs 50.00-87.00 Holstein heifers 80-115 lbs 310.00-338.00, pkg 73 lbs 180.00 Plainer Heifers 80-110 lbs 290.00-320.00, few 65-75 lbs 80.00-140.00. Beef-type bulls and heifers 85-120 lbs 85.00-185.00

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.

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Thursday, May 11, 2000

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

THURSDAY

1260 643 331 508

LAST WEEK 1156 584 193 199
LAST YEAR 1096 432 329 394

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers steady. Holstein steers firm. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Demand continues to be good for slaughter steers. Slaughter bulls have no comparison due to light run. Slaughter cows steady. Supply included 54 percent slaughter steers and 30 percent slaughter cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1115-1435 lbs 74.75-76.75, few up fancy singles up to 79.25. Choice 2-3 1127-1457 lbs 72.25-75.50; 1480-1600 lbs 69.25-72.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1085-1465 lbs 67.00-72.35. Select 1-3 1135-1505 lbs 64.00-71.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice and Prime 2-3 1358-1638 lbs 63.00-66.10; individual 1515 lbs 68.25. Choice 2-3 1365-1648 lbs 61.10-64.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1240-1515 lbs 58.75-62.75. Select 1-2 1060-1665 lbs 52.00-58.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Few Choice 2-3 1085-1320 lbs 70.00-70.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1229-1380 lbs 67.75-69.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 40.00-46.50 38.00-41.00 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 39.75-44.00 36.75-40.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 36.50-41.50 34.00-38.50 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 35.00-41.75 33.25-37.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750-1000 lbs 35.50-40.00 31.00-36.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1290-1875 lbs 50.00-56.50, individual 1425 lbs 64.75. Yield Grade 2 1190-1660 lbs 47.50-54.50.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, there were not enough light-

weight calves sold for immediate slaughter to test vealer prices. Slaughter calves no comparison. Trading was active on a fairly supply of Holstein bull farm calves. Bull calves suitable for specialized veal barns sold 20.00-54.00 lower. Holstein heifers sold 20.00 higher. Supply included 369 head in the state graded sale and 97 percent returned to feed.

VEALERS: Few Good and Choice 60-80 lbs 32.00-45.00

Slaughter Calves: Good and Choice 200-375 lbs 80.00-100.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 170.00-197.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-125 lbs 142.00-189.00, weaker calves 75-110 lbs 50.00-75.00. Holstein heifers 85-115 lbs 270.00-385.00. Plainer heifers 80-105 lbs 170.00-310.00. Beef-type bulls and heifers 80-105 lbs 90.00-190.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday; slaughter lambs sold 5.00 higher. Receipts were much lighter than Monday's auction. Slaughter ewes traded mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 25-65 lbs 120.00-155.00, 65-110 lbs 115.00-125.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year olds 40.00-65.00. Utility and Good 1-3 20.00-40.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies: Medium and Large 75.00-125.00.

Mutton: Choice and Prime 70.00-90.00 Nannies: Medium and Large 40.00-70.00.

Kids: Choice and Prime 35.00-70.00. Good 20.00-35.00.

Yearlings: No test.



THIS WEEK 2190 1471
LAST WEEK 2284 1266
LAST YEAR 3805 1306

CATTLE: Compared to last week's prices, slaughter steers closed steady. Holstein steers weak. Slaughter heifers lightly tested for the week. The Western feedlots traded cattle mostly at 71.00-73.00 on live basis and 113.00-116.00 on dressed basis. Slaughter cows closed steady to .75 higher. Slaughter bulls were mostly steady. Supply included 54 percent slaughter steers, 5 percent slaughter heifers, 27 percent slaughter cows, 4 percent slaughter bulls, with the balance feeders.

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