

LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Monday, Oct. 30, 2000

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
MONDAY	377	212	427	1237
LAST WEEK	358	227	405	1286
LAST YEAR	N/A	308	470	790

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows traded steady to weak. Slaughter bull prices traded steady. Supply included 40 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 38.25-41.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 37.00-40.25 35.00-37.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 35.50-37.75 33.00-35.50 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 32.00-36.00 30.50-33.25 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 30.00-33.75

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1035-1510 lbs 51.50-57.50. Yield Grade 2 1030- 2165 lbs 44.50-51.50. Bullocks Select 1-3 1045-1205 lbs 50.00-64.00.

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's auction, vealer sales not well tested. Large slaughter calves sold steady to 4.00 lower. Holstein bulls returning to feed sold steady to 10.00 higher. Holstein heifers traded 40.00 lower on a light test.

VEALERS: Standard and Good few 70-120 lbs 35.00-55.00. Utility few 65-80 lbs 11.00-20.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 210-350 lbs 75.00-90.00; 350-550 lbs 47.00- 66.00. RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein Bulls 85-120 lbs 120.00-152.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-110 lbs 105.00-130.00; weaker calves 65-95 lbs 40.00-72.00. Holstein Heifers 85-110 lbs 280.00-360.00. Plainer-type heifers 75-125 lbs 160.00-310.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Thursday, light weight slaughter lambs sold 10.00-15.00 higher. Heavy weight lambs traded mostly steady. Slaughter ewes traded 10.00- 20.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 50-85 lbs 95.00-120.00; 85-110 lbs 80.00 -95.00; few 110-140 lbs 70.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds 45.00-70.00. Utility and Good 1-3 30.00-45 00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies:

Large 100.00-125.00. Medium 70.00-100.00. Mutton: Choice and Prime 70.00-90.00. Nannies: Large 50.00-70.00. Medium 30.00-50.00. Yearlings: Choice and Prime 50.00-80.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 40.00-70.00. Good 15.00-40.00.

Vintage Livestock Auction

Vintage, Pa.
Oct. 30-31, 2000

Report Supplied By PDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THIS WEEK	802	691	5	1
LAST WEEK	952	751	4	6
LAST YEAR	642	799	0	0

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers sold steady. Trading was active and high prices carried through Tuesday with an attractive supply on offer. Holstein steers sold steady. Slaughter cows traded weak.

Slaughter bulls prices sold 2.00 higher. Supply included 45 percent slaughter steers and 41 percent slaughter cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1230-1470 lbs 69.50-71.85, fancy singles up to 73.00. Choice 2-3 1110-1485 lbs 67.00-70.00, high dressing 1-2 up to 72.00; 1500-1620 lbs 63.75-68.75, individual 1515 lbs 69.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 1000-1455 lbs 63.25-67.50. Select 1-3 1045-1405 lbs 60.75-66.75.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1500 lbs 61.75-63.25. Choice 1-3 1210-1570 lbs 58.00-61.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 1070-1430 lbs 56.50-58.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice with few Prime 2-3 1070-1250 lbs 66.50-69.00, individual 1360 lbs 71.00. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 990-1315 lbs 62.00-66.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 38.00-40.75 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 37.00-40.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 34.00-37.75 32.00-35.50 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 32.00-36.25 31.00-33.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750 -1000 lbs 30.75-34.75 28.00-31.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1260-1290 lbs 53.25-59.50, high dressing 60.50-69.50. Yield Grade 2 965-1930 lbs 45.00-51.00. Bullocks: Few Select 1-3 795-1150 lbs 51.50-60.00.

CALVES: Compared to last week, vealers sold steady to 3.00 higher. Holstein bulls returning to feed traded steady to 10.00 higher. Holstein heifers sold steady to 10.00 lower. Supply included 580 head in the State graded sale and only 98 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 85-95 lbs 42.00-65.00. Utility few 50-65 lbs 10.00-25.00.

RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 80-125 lbs 120.00-147.00; 75 lbs 87.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-115 lbs 117.00-132.00, weaker calves 60-105 lbs 48.00-67.00. Holstein heifers 85-115 lbs 330.00-380.00. Plainer-type heifers 70-95 lbs 260.00-325.00.

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.

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Thursday, Nov. 2, 2000

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THURSDAY	1243	633	322	136
LAST WEEK	1341	664	246	283
LAST YEAR	1459	707	179	254

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers sold .50- 1.00 higher. Trading was very active, with an attractive supply on offer. Slaughter heifers traded fully steady. Holstein steers prices sold 1.00 lower. Slaughter cows traded mostly steady, with instances 1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold steady. Supply included 32 percent slaughter steers and 40 percent slaughter cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1120-1450 lbs 70.75-73.50. Choice 2-3 1120-1450 lbs 67.50-70.25, high dressing 1-2 up to 72.25; 1495-1620

lbs 65.00-68.10. Select and low Choice 2-3 1170-1480 lbs 63.75-67.75. Few Select 1-3 1075-1430 lbs 61.75-66.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1430-1560 lbs 61.00-62.00. Choice 2-3 1330-1550 lbs 58.00-61.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1070-1420 lbs 55.10- 57.85.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1100-1350 lbs 67.25-69.00. Choice 2-3 1070-1270 lbs 64.25-67.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 38.00-41.75 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 37.00-40.25 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 34.50-37.50 32.75-34.50 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 32.50-36.00 30.00-33.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750 -1000 lbs 31.25-34.00 26.00-31.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1390-2930 lbs 51.00-58.00. Yield Grade 2 1226- 2455 lbs 44.00-51.00. Bullocks: few Select 1-3 1055-1180 lbs 52.50-56.00.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, vealers have no comparison due to a light test but a higher undertone noted. Slaughter calves not well tested.

Holstein bulls returning to feed sold mostly steady, with instances 1.00 higher on the top end. Holstein heifers traded 10.00 lower. Supply included 388 in the State graded sale and around 98 percent returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-125 lbs 40.00-62.00. Utility 65-75 lbs 20.00- 40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Not well tested.

RETURNED TO FARM: Graded Holstein bulls 85-125 lbs 112.00-165.00; weaker calves 70-110 lbs 57.00-82.00.

Holstein heifers 85-115 lbs 250.00-350.00. Plainer-type heifers 80-115 lbs 150.00-250.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, slaughter lambs sold mostly steady. Slaughter ewes 5.00-15.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 55-80 lbs 94.00-120.00; 90-110 lbs 88.00-94.00, few 110-140 lbs 70.00-80.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds 34.00-50.00.

Utility and Good 1-2 30.00-40.00. AGED BUCKS: 120-220 lbs 25.00-43.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies: Medium and Large 85.00-120.00.

Mutton: Choice and Prime 65.00-75.00.

Yearlings: Choice and Prime 50.00-80.00.

Nannies: Medium and Large 45.00-70.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 40.00-80.00. Good 25.00-40.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, Pa.

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Friday, Nov. 3, 2000

	CATTLE	CALVES
THIS WEEK	2421	1542
LAST WEEK	2651	1645
LAST YEAR	2276	1871

CATTLE: Slaughter steers closed the week .50-1.00 higher. Trading started the week on a steady pace, then turned very active on Thursday with several lots of attractive cattle on offer. Midwest feedlots traded cattle mostly steady from 68.00-70.00 live and 108.00-109.00 dressed. Holstein steers prices held steady early in the week then dropped 1.00 lower by the end of the week.

Slaughter heifers closed fully steady. Slaughter cows traded mostly steady, with instances 1.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold steady to 2.00 higher. Supply included 32 percent slaughter steers, 5 percent slaughter heifers, 40 percent

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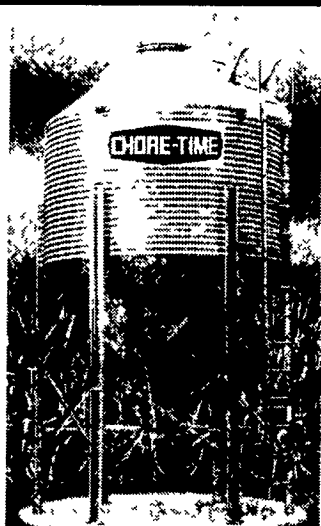
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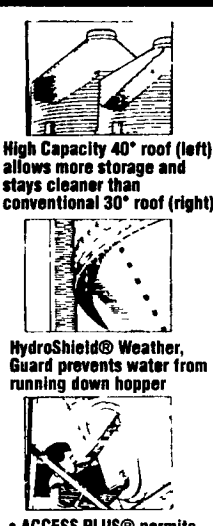
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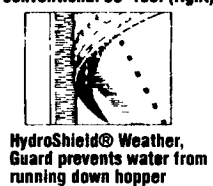
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