

LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

New Holland Livestock Auction

Report Supplied By USDA
Monday, Dec. 11, 2000

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
MONDAY	308	196	1058	2209
LAST WEEK	411	196	682	1484
LAST YEAR	N/A	163	1640	1168

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows traded mostly steady. Slaughter bull prices traded steady to 1.00 lower. Supply included 36 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 38.00-41.00 34.75-38.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 35.00-38.75 33.75-35.50 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 33.00-36.75 32.00-33.50 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 32.00-36.25 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 30.00-33.00

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1250-1660 lbs 50.00-58.50. Yield Grade 2 1015-2000 lbs 44.75-50.00.

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's auction, vealers traded steady. Large slaughter calves sold 3.00-5.00 lower. Holstein bulls returning to feed sold 12.00 lower. Holstein heifers traded steady to 10.00 lower on a light test.

VEALERS: Good and Choice individual 95 lbs 60.00. Utility few 75-95 lbs 25.00-30.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 195-350 lbs 80.00-98.00; 350-550 lbs 65.00-80.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein Bulls 90-120 lbs 120.00-177.00. Plainer-type bulls 75-115 lbs 90.00-140.00; weaker calves 75-100 lbs 40.00-85.00. Holstein Heifers 90-115 lbs 260.00-340.00. Plainer-type heifers 70-90 lbs 130.00-280.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Thursday, slaughter lambs traded mostly steady. Slaughter ewes Utility and Good traded steady to 10.00 higher, with Yearlings and 2 year-olds 5.00-10.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 60-80 lbs 100.00-130.00; 80-110 lbs 75.00-100.00. New Crop Choice and Prime 30-60 lbs 150.00-200.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds 40.00-65.00. Utility and Good 1-3 30.00-60.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies:

Large 100.00-150.00, few up to 170.00. Medium 75.00-100.00. Mutton: Choice and Prime 70.00-95.00 Nannies: Large 50.00-90.00. Medium 35.00-50.00. Yearlings: Choice and Prime 50.00-90.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 50.00-75.00. Good 20.00-50.00.

Vintage Livestock Auction

Vintage, Pa.
Dec. 11-12, 2000

Report Supplied By PDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THIS WEEK	864	865	9	0
LAST WEEK	1155	935	3	0
LAST YEAR	1160	794	0	0

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers opened the week steady on Monday but improved during Tuesday's attractive offering to close steady to 1.00 higher. Holstein steers traded firm. Slaughter heifers were steady. Slaughter cows sold 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter bull prices traded 1.00 lower on number 2 yield grade. Supply included 28 percent slaughter steers and 48 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1180-1455 lbs 74.00-77.00. Choice 2-3 1150-1495 lbs 71.50-75.25, fancy singles up to 76.25; 1520-1570 lbs 67.75-72.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1055-1495 lbs 64.25-70.85; few 1500-1760 lbs 64.00-65.00. Select 1-3 1100-1420 lbs 62.00-69.25. Standard 1-2 few 1340-1490 lbs 56.00-63.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1260-1590 lbs 62.50-64.10. Choice 2-3 1250-1555 lbs 59.35-62.50; 1600-1645 lbs 58.75-62.10. Select 1-3 1210-1425 lbs few 55.00-56.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice few Prime 2-3 1100-1490 lbs 70.00-73.60, high dressing 1-2 up to 74.75.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 38.25-41.75 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 36.75-40.75 34.00-37.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 34.00-38.25 32.00-34.00 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 33.00-36.75 31.00-33.50 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 31.00-35.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 few 1305-1535 lbs 53.00-55.50, with high dressing individual 1935 lbs 64.00. Yield Grade 2 1160-2285 lbs 42.50-48.50. Bullocks: Choice 3 individual 1210 lbs 65.75. Select 1-3 1020-1325 lbs 50.00-59.00.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 1 few 1040 lbs 68.00. Medium and Large 2 few 337 lbs 82.50; pkg 763 lbs 71.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 2 pkg 301 lbs 65.00.

FEEDER BULLS: Medium and Large 2 Holsteins pkg 301 lbs 65.00.

CALVES: Compared to last week, vealers sold 2.00-5.00 higher. Holstein bulls returning to feed traded 10.00-15.00 higher. Holstein heifers sold mostly steady. Supply included 719 head in the State graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-100 lbs 42.00-62.00. Utility 50-100 lbs 18.00-42.00.

RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 80-125 lbs 135.00-168.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-115 lbs 120.00-142.00, weaker calves 75-110 lbs 55.00-81.00. Holstein heifers 80-120 lbs 275.00-315.00. Plainer-type heifers 80-100 lbs 220.00-305.00; 73 lbs 90.00. Beef-type bulls and heifers 75-100 lbs 140.00-235.00; 70-75 lbs few 90.00-110.00.

New Holland Livestock Auction

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Thursday, Dec. 14, 2000

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THURSDAY	1119	657	251	566
LAST WEEK	1529	681	331	252
LAST YEAR	1478	712	1190	375

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers and Holstein steers sold 2.00-3.00 higher, with slaughter heifers trading at 2.00 higher. Early this morning sleet and freezing rain swept through out the state but did not have much of an

impact in the cattle supply. Trading was very active with an attractive supply on offer but numbers were tight which added to demand. Slaughter cows traded 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls sold steady. Supply included 34 percent slaughter steers and 38 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1220-1480 lbs 76.50-80.25. Choice 2-3 1165-1470 lbs 73.00-77.10, with high dressing 1-2 up to 78.00; 1505-1585 lbs 70.00-73.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1030-1475 lbs 66.50-73.25; few 1560-1625 lbs 66.50-67.75. Select 1-3 990-1315 lbs 64.00-71.75. Standard 2 individual 1105 lbs 62.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1235-1470 lbs 65.00-68.25. Choice 2-3 1220-1520 lbs 62.75-65.25; 1615-1725 lbs 58.75-63.00. Select and low Choice 2-3 1115-1515 lbs 56.75-62.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1120-1270 lbs 72.75-75.25. Choice 2-3 1120-1415 lbs 69.00-73.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1055-1365 lbs 63.00-69.75.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 pct lean over-1400 lbs 40.00-43.75 37.50-40.00 Boners 80-85 pct lean over-1200 lbs 38.00-42.00 36.50-38.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 pct lean over-1200 lbs 36.00-39.50 34.00-36.00 Lean 88-90 pct lean over-1000 lbs 35.00-38.00 33.00-35.00 Lean (Light Wt) 85-90 pct lean 750-1000 lbs 33.00-36.75 30.00-33.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1180-2110 lbs 48.50-58.00. Yield Grade 2 1015-2405 lbs 43.00-50.50. Bullocks: Select 2 individual 1495 lbs 57.00.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, vealers sold steady. Large slaughter calves traded 5.00-10.00 higher. Holstein bulls sold 12.00-18.00

higher, while heifer calves traded fully steady. Supply included 362 in the State graded sale and only 98 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 85-100 lbs 40.00-62.00. Utility 45-85 lbs 11.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice 200-350 lbs 83.00-110.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Graded holstein bulls 80-125 lbs 132.00-195.00; 75-80 lbs 100.00, weaker calves 70-110 lbs 20.00-40.00. Holstein heifers 85-110 lbs 220.00-340.00. Plainer-type heifers 75-110 lbs 100.00-250.00. Beef-type bulls and heifers few 80-100 lbs 140.00-210.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, slaughter lambs sold steady to 20.00 higher.

Slaughter ewes sold steady. Demand very good due to ethnic holiday.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: New Crop: Choice and Prime 2-3 30-50 lbs 150.00-220.00. Woolled: Choice and Prime 50-70 lbs 100.00-150.00; 70-100 lbs 85.00-100.00; 100-120 lbs 70.00-85.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds 40.00-65.00. Utility and good 1-3 30.00-55.00.

AGED BUCKS: 180-310 lbs 20.00-45.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies: Large 100.00-150.00. Medium 80.00-100.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, Pa.

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Friday, Dec 15, 2000

	CATTLE	CALVES
THIS WEEK	2290	1717
LAST WEEK	2334	2055
LAST YEAR	2532	1749

CATTLE: Compared to last week's closing prices, slaughter steers and Holstein steers closed 2.00-3.00 higher. Slaughter heifers sold 2.00 higher. Early in the week trading was fairly active and turned very active by late in the week, with a very attractive supply on offer. Sleet and freezing rain swept through out the state early Thursday morning

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