

Lancaster County Livestock Market Auction

Some markets not available because of the holiday.

Some Markets Unavailable Because Of Early Press Deadlines

Vintage Livestock Auction
Vintage, Pa.
Jan. 2, 2001
Report Supplied By PDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THIS WEEK	890	849	0	0
LAST WEEK	566	575	0	0
LAST YEAR	1016	844	0	3

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers and holsteins sold mostly steady. Tuesday's quality was average with a few lots of attractive cattle on offer. A good set of slaughter heifers sold .50 higher. The bulk of the heifers were sold in single-head lots with most of those trading at a premium.

Slaughter cows traded steady to firm. Slaughter bulls sold steady, with instances 1.00 higher on the high dressing Yield Grade 1. Supply included 34 percent slaughter steers and 51 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1210-1490 lbs 78.00-81.00, individual 1340 lbs 81.25. Choice 2-3 1230-1490 lbs 76.00-80.00, high dressing 1-2 up to 80.25. 1500-1610 lbs 73.25-77.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 1035-1475 lbs 71.50-75.50. Select 1-3 few 1230-1350 lbs 65.00-70.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 1495-1565 lbs 66.25-67.50. Choice 2-3 few 1540-1590 lbs 64.85-66.00. Select 1-2 few 1500 lbs 61.25.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 singles 1190-1460 lbs 78.25- 82.00, individual 1365 lbs 83.00. Choice 2-3 1190-1365 lbs 75.00-78.25, high dressing 1-2 up to 78.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1010-1325 lbs 70.00- 75.25.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 45.50-49.75 41.00-45.50 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 43.50-47.50 40.00-44.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 41.00-

45.00 38.00-42.00 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 40.00-44.00 36.00-40.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750 -1000 lbs 38.25-42.00 34.00-38.25

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1110-2600 few 53.75-62.00, with high dressing 66.00-67.50. Yield Grade 2 few 1660-2255 lbs 50.50-57.00.

CALVES: Compared to last week, vealers sold fully steady. Holstein bulls suitable for special-fed veal barns traded 3.00 lower. Holstein heifer prices were fully steady. Supply included 697 head in the State graded sale and 97 percent of the supply returned to feed

VEALERS: Utility 55-110 lbs 20.00-45.00. RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 80-125 lbs 127.00-156.00; 75-85 lbs 40.00- 107.00. Plainer-type bulls 90-115 lbs 102.00-151.00, 80-85 lbs 80.00, weaker calves 65-105 lbs 25.00-35.00. Holstein heifers 90-120 lbs 230.00-320.00; 83 lbs 150.00 Plainer-type heifers 80-110 lbs 120.00-295.00; 65-75 lbs 30.00- 80.00. Beef-type bulls and heifers 75-100 lbs 100.00-200.00.

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Thursday, Dec. 28, 2000

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THURSDAY	1106	851	894	1271
LAST WEEK	901	726	342	571
LAST YEAR	1015	540	216	196

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday, slaughter steers sold steady to firm. Trading was active, with good demand for the top quality cattle. Holstein steers and slaughter heifers mostly steady. Slaughter cows traded 1.00-2.00 higher with very active trading. Slaughter bulls have no comparison but a higher undertone noted. Supply included 31 percent slaughter steers and 49 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1495 lbs 78.50-81.85. Choice 2-3 1110-1475 lbs 76.00-80.25, high dressing 1-2 up to 80.50; 1505- 1580

lbs 71.50-76.00, with an individual 1510 lbs 78.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 1070-1430 lbs 71.75-76.25. Select 1-3 1190-1350 lbs 67.50-73.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 1180-1600 lbs 65.75-68.75. Choice 2-3 1345-1585 lbs 63.50-66.75; 1630-1755 lbs 62.75-65.50, individual 1640 lbs 66.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1305-1375 lbs 60.25-61.75. Select 1-2 few 1215-1465 lbs 56.00-58.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1105-1250 lbs 71.00-76.00. Select 2 individual 1315 lbs 69.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 45.00-49.00 41.00-45.00 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 43.00-47.00 40.00-44.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 41.00-45.00 38.00-42.00 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 40.00-44.25 36.00-40.00 Lean (Light Wt) 85-90 750 -1000 lbs 38.00-42.00 34.00-38.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1305-2130 lbs 56.50-63.75. Yield Grade 2 1070-2185 lbs 48.00-58.00. Bullocks: Choice 3 individual 1295 lbs 70.00.

Select 1-2 985-1370 lbs 52.00-59.50.

CALVES: Compared to last Thursday's auction, vealers sold 5.00 lower. Large slaughter calves traded mostly steady. Holstein bulls returning to farm sold 10.00 lower. Heifer calves traded 40.00 lower. Supply included 592 in the State graded sale and 98 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-110 lbs 40.00-60.00. Utility 60-110 lbs 11.00- 40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Choice few 215-275 lbs 106.00-118.00. Good and Choice 190- 350 lbs 75.00-95.00; 350-500 lbs 64.00-80.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein

bulls 80-125 lbs 115.00-148.00; 75-80 lbs 80.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-125 lbs 102.00-127.00; 75-85 lbs 64.00, weaker calves 70-110 lbs 25.00-40.00. Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 190.00-250.00. Plainer-type heifers 70-110 lbs 100.00-210.00. Beef-type bulls and heifers few 75-100 lbs 100.00-115.00.

SHEEP: Compared to last Thursday, new crop lambs sold 15.00 to as much as 50.00 lower. Old crop lambs traded steady to 10.00 lower. Slaughter ewes sold mostly steady.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: New Crop: Choice and Prime 2-3 35-55 lbs 150.00-200.00; 55-85 lbs 110.00-155.00. Woolled: Choice and Prime 60-80 lbs 100.00-125.00; 80-100 lbs 95.00-110.00; 100-110 lbs 85.00-100.00; 110-130 lbs 65.00-80.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds 60.00-75.00. Utility and Good 1-3 35.00-60.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies: Large 100.00-150.00, few 175.00. Medium 75.00-100.00.

Mutton: Choice and Prime 70.00-120.00 Yearlings: Choice and Prime 70.00-110.00 Nannies: Large 70.00-100.00. Medium 50.00-70.00.

Kids: Choice and Prime 50.00-80.00. Good 20.00-50.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Friday, Dec 29, 2000

	CATTLE	CALVES
THIS WEEK	1672	1429
LAST WEEK	1944	1775
LAST YEAR	2044	1639

CATTLE: Compared to last week's closing prices, slaughter steers sold steady to firm. Early in the week the steer market showed signs of weakness

but improved by late in the week with several lots of well-finished cattle on offer. This week's receipts were light due to the holiday. Bad weather in the Plains and the Midwest cause delays in the feedlot trade. Cattle traded steady at 76.00-77.00 live last Friday, and 1.00 higher at 121.00-123.00 dressed Thursday. Holstein steers and slaughter heifers traded mostly steady on a light supply. Demand for slaughter cows continue to be very good, trading 1.00-2.00 higher for the week. Slaughter bulls sold 2.00-3.00 higher from last week's closing prices. Supply included 34 percent slaughter steers, 6 percent slaughter heifers, 49 percent cows, 3 percent bulls, with the balance feeders.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1200-1495 lbs 77.50-81.85, late 78.50-81.85. Choice 2-3 1110-1475 lbs 74.50-80.25, high dressing 1-2 up to 80.50; 1480-1640 lbs 71.50-76.00, with an individual 1510 lbs 78.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 1070-1430 lb 70.00-76.25. Select 1-3 1190-1350 lbs 67.50- 73.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1180-1635 lbs 65.50-68.75. Choice 2-3 1040-1585 lbs 63.00-66.75, 1600-1755 lbs 61.75-65.50, individual 1640 lbs 66.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 1040-1440 lbs 59.25-63.75; 1045-1385 lbs 58.00-65.75 returning to the country. Select 1-2 few 1215-1465 lbs 56.00-58.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-3 1090-1430 lbs 73.85-77.50, high dressing 1-2 up to 79.25. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1035-1300 lbs 68.00-72.00. Select 2 individual 1315 lbs 69.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 44.00-49.00 40.00-45.00 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 42.00-47.00 38.00-43.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 40.50-

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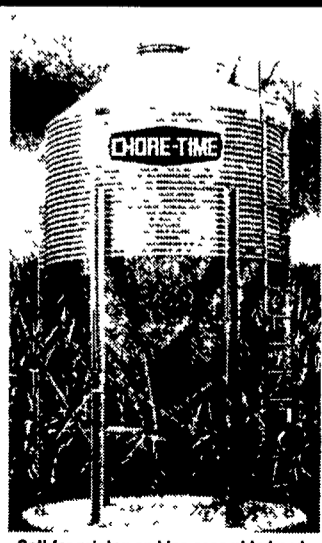
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