

LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTION

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
March 26, 2001

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
MONDAY	232	190	802	1548
LAST WEEK	376	196	611	1508
LAST YEAR	N/A	168	912	1186

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows sold uneven, with 75-85 percent lean 1.00 lower and 85-90 percent lean firm. Slaughter bulls traded 1.00-2.00 lower. Supply included 53 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 45.00-48.25 42.00-45.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 42.25-46.50 40.75-42.25 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 40.00-44.25 37.50-40.00 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 40.25-44.50 37.00-40.25 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 35.50-39.50 33.00-35.50

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 995-1890 lbs 55.00-57.00. Yield Grade 2 1030-1610 lbs 47.00-55.00.

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's Auction, vealers sold mostly steady on a light test. Large slaughter calves were not well tested. Holstein bulls returning to feed sold firm to 5.00 higher. Holstein heifers traded mostly steady on a light test.

VEALERS: Standard and good few 85-115 lbs 40.00-62.00. Utility few 50-90 lbs 11.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Not well tested.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein Bulls 90-120 lbs 165.00-195.00; individual 95 lbs 197.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-115 lbs 135.00-175.00. Holstein heifers few 85-100 lbs 300.00-410.00. Plainer-type heifers few 80-105 lbs 190.00-300.00

SHEEP: Compared to Thursday, slaughter lambs traded 10.00-25.00 lower. Slaughter ewes sold steady.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 40-60 lbs 130.00-175.00; 60-80 lbs 115.00-130.00; 80-110 lbs 95.00-120.00

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice yearlings and 2 year olds 40.00-60.00. Utility and Good 1-3 25.00-50.00.

GOATS: All goats sold by the head.

Billies: Large 100.00-150.00, few up to 175.00. Medium 75.00-100.00. Mutton: Choice and Prime 75.00-110.00. Yearlings: Choice and Prime 70.00-100.00. Nannies: Large 70.00-100.00. Medium 40.00-70.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 60.00-95.00. Good 20.00-60.00.

Vintage Livestock Auction

Vintage, Pa.
March 26-27, 2001
Report Supplied By USDA

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THIS WEEK	841	655	3	1
LAST WEEK	1042	752	0	1
LAST YEAR	983	696	0	3

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, slaughter steers sold 1.00-1.50 lower. The market opened the week with losses and prices held Tuesday with good offerings. Holstein steers were steady to .50 lower. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows traded 1.00-2.00 lower, with slaughter bulls trading 1.00 lower. Supply included 47 percent slaughter steers and 42 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1495 lbs 78.00-80.00, with fancy singles up to 83.00; few 1550 lbs 76.25-80.00. Choice 2-3 1135-1480 lbs 75.00-78.75, with high dressing 1-2 up to 79.00; 1485-1590 lbs 74.25-75.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 1140-1480 lbs 70.75-75.50; few 1505-1585 lbs 70.50-71.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 1340-1620 lbs 67.00-69.60. Choice 2-3 few 1215-1655 lbs 65.00-68.00. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1215-1500 lbs 62.50-65.00. Select 41-2 few 1375-1555 lbs 57.00-61.60.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1095-1350 lbs 73.00-78.75. Heiferettes: Few Commercial and Standard 2-4 1427 lbs 60.75.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 45.25-49.00 41.25-45.25 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 42.00-46.75 38.00-42.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 41.00-45.75 37.00-41.00 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 39.00-43.00 35.00-39.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 37.00-40.00 34.25-37.00.

Market At A Glance

Lancaster County Livestock Auction Averages
(Price Per Hundredweight)
Week Ending Friday, March 30, 2001
Supplied By Market Staff

	This Wk	Wk Ago	Yr Ago
Steers, Choice 2-3	77.40	78.50	71.60
Heifers, Choice 2-3	76.00	77.35	69.50
Cows, breakers, 75-80% lean	44.35	48.75	42.10
Cows, boners, 80-85% lean	41.65	46.00	40.50
Bulls YG 1	61.00	59.35	57.00
Hogs, 49-54% lean, Monday	47.00	47.30	41.10
Lambs, Choice Prime 80-110 lb	108.00	113.00	88.00
New Crop			102.00

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Thursday, March 29, 2001

	Cattle	Calves	Sheep	Goats
THURSDAY	1106	653	376	131
LAST WEEK	1222	758	196	115
LAST YEAR	1034	642	468	219

CATTLE: Compared to Tuesday's lower market, slaughter steers sold mostly 1.00 higher, instances 2.00 higher on the top grade. Trading was active, with good demand late in the week. Holstein steer prices were steady to weak. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows sold 1.00-2.00 lower. Slaughter bulls traded 1.00 higher. Supply included 34 percent slaughter steers and 41 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1150-1480 lbs 79.00-81.85, one lot 1233 lbs 82.25. Choice 2-3 1075-1480 lbs 76.25-79.50; 1485-1590 lbs 74.10-77.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 1235-1465 lbs 72.00-76.50. Select 1-3 1290-1425 lbs 71.75-74.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice

and Prime 2-3 1170-1650 lbs 66.85-68.75. Choice 2-3 1205-1640 lbs 65.00-67.75. Select and low Choice 2-3 1115-1580 lbs 63.75-65.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1155-1455 lbs 73.00-75.50.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 40.00-44.50 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 39.00-42.00 36.50-39.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 37.00-41.25 34.00-37.00 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 36.00-39.75 33.00-36.00 Lean (Light Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs few 34.00-35.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1345-2240 lbs 57.00-65.50, high dressing 1475 lbs 68.00. Yield Grade 2 1200-2205 lbs 51.00-58.25.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, vealers sold steady to 10.00 higher.

Slaughter calves traded steady. Holstein bulls returning to farm were very active and prices were mostly steady, with no discounts on the plainer bulls. Holstein heifers traded fully steady. Supply included 320 in State graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 65-115 lbs 45.00-70.00. Utility 55-100 lbs 20.00-45.00. **SLAUGHTER CALVES:** Good and Choice 205-290 lbs 82.00-106.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs 162.00-190.00, 75-90 lbs 180.00-200.00. Plainer-type bulls 90-125 lbs 150.00-187.00; pen 80-85 lbs 195.00; 75-80 lbs 130.00, weaker calves 70-110 lbs 40.00-67.00. Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 300.00-390.00, few 95-105 lbs 405.00-425.00; 80-85 lbs 250.00-340.00.

Plainer-type heifers 80-115 lbs 200.00-320.00; 65-75 lbs 150.00-195.00.

Beef-type bulls and heifers 80-120 lbs 140.00-200.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, slaughter lambs traded 5.00-10.00 higher. Slaughter ewes sold steady.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 20-50 lbs 135.00-180.00, 50-80 lbs 120.00-140.00, 80-110 lbs scarce.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds scarce. Utility and Good 1-3 30.00-45.00, fleshy 15.00-25.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies. Large few 100.00-120.00. Medium 70.00-100.00.

Nannies: Medium 40.00-70.00.

Kids: Choice and Prime 60.00-90.00. Good 20.00-60.00.

Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, Pa.
Report Supplied By USDA
Friday, March 30, 2001

	CATTLE	CALVES
THIS WEEK	2183	1495
LAST WEEK	2640	1706
LAST YEAR	2168	1531

CATTLE: Compared to last week's closing prices, slaughter steers sold uneven. Prices were 1.00-1.50 lower early in the week and mostly 1.00-2.00 higher late in the week. The steer market opened the week with losses and gained strength on Thursday's active market. Holstein steers sold weak to .50 lower. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Feedlots in the plains reported live cattle on Thursday .50 higher at 78.00-79.00 and .50-1.00 higher dressed at 126.00-

(Turn to Page A42)

✓ Us Out!
10 am
Selling Fat Cattle & Cull Cows
Private Treaty
Lancaster Stockyards
717-394-7915

W Wilfier, Incorporated
Your Source for Quality Cattle
Licensed and Bonded Cattle Brokers

DAIRY HEIFERS	BEEF CATTLE	HERD DISPERSALS
---------------	-------------	-----------------

Inside Pennsylvania: 717-626-3113 FAX: 717-626-1260
Toll-Free Outside of PA: 1-800-485-2233

KIRKWOOD HAY AUCTION
Hay, Straw and Grain Auction
EVERY TUESDAY 10:00
Located Rt. 472 5 miles south of Quarryville or 6 miles north of Oxford corner of Rt. 472 and Noble Road
Lloyd H. Kreider, Auctioneer
AU 000513L
No out of state checks

B&R CATTLE CO
RD 1, Marietta, PA 17547
Office Phone (717)653-8164
Specializing in Stockers & Feeders
JOHN BOWMAN (717)653-5728
RON RANCK (717)656-9849

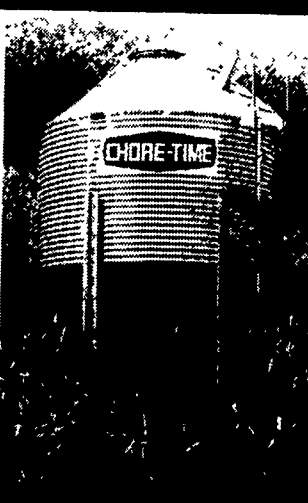
HAY, STRAW & CORN - SALE -
Sale Starts Every Friday At 10 AM
GREEN DRAGON MARKET & AUCTION
955 N. State St.
Ephrata, Pa. (717) 738-1117
1 mile North of Ephrata on N. State St.
Out of State Buyers - Cash or Certified Checks Only

QUALITY FEEDER CATTLE
Financing Available
* Fixed Interest Rates • Interest Due when Cattle Are Sold
• No Monthly Payments
SCARFF BROS. INC.
Cattle Dealers • Licensed & Bonded
2300 Fallston Road • Fallston MD 21047

Lance N. Scarff Farm (410) 877-0370 Fax (410) 877-7802 (410) 459-4865	C. Howard Scarff, II Home (717) 445-4355 Fax (717) 445-7237 Mobile (410) 459-4864	W. Conly Scarff Home (410) 838-5883 Mobile (410) 790-2650
--	--	---

• Contract Feeding Programs • Marketing of Finished Cattle • Dairy Heifers

Get more capacity and better service from Chore-Time's New Next Generation bin



High Capacity 40" roof (left) allows more storage and stays cleaner than conventional 30" roof (right)

HydroShield® Weather Guard prevents water from running down hopper

• ACCESS PLUS® permits easy clean out of the bin from the ground.

Contracts available call for information

- Commercial Pullets
- Broiler
- Organic/Natural Egg*
- Turkeys

Call for our free brochure "What is contract production?"
*New or Converted Houses

Replace your bulbs and save electricity with energy efficient Fluorescent Lights

5-7-9 Watts | 13 Watts
5.49 ea. | 5.79 ea.

Light Bulbs 25 to 100 Watts 36¢ Ea.
Brass Base - 5000 Hrs.

Authorized Master Distributor Since 1982

Northeast Agri Systems, Inc.
Flyway Business Park
139A West Airport Road
Litz, PA 17543
Ph (717) 569-2702
1-800-673-2580
Email@neagr.com

Delmarva Store
305 University Ave
Federalsburg MD
1-800-735-6361

Competitive Prices Paid For

- MARKET HOGS
- BOARS
- SOWS
- CULL PIGS

GOOD'S LIVESTOCK, INC.

Monday: 6:30 - 11:00 A.M.
Wednesday: 7:00 - 11:00 A.M.
Friday: 6:30 - 10:00 A.M.

Route 897 • 1 Mile North of Fivepointville, Denver, Pa
(717) 445-5776 • Fax (717) 445-6263

