

Lancaster County Weekly

New Holland, Pa. Report Supplied By USDA Friday, April 6, 2001

Table with 3 columns: CATTLE, CALVES, THIS WEEK, LAST WEEK, LAST YEAR

CATTLE: Compared to last week's closing prices, slaughter steers sold 1.00-1.50 higher. Trading was active all week with the best demand coming late in the week.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1085-1475 lbs 79.00-82.60, late 80.00-82.60, pkg 1332 lbs 83.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1370-1635 lbs 67.85-72.00, late 68.75-72.00. Choice 2-3 1255-1605 lbs 65.50-69.35.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 few 1295-1375 lbs 79.75-82.00. Choice 2-3 1025-1380 lbs 75.25-78.60.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESSING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 40.00-46.75 38.00-42.50 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 39.00-44.75 36.75-40.25 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 37.00-42.50 34.00-38.00 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 36.50-41.00 32.50-37.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750 -1000 lbs 33.50-39.00 30.00-35.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1085-2230 lbs 55.00-67.50, with high dressing 1325 lbs 69.25. Yield Grade 2 915-2500 lbs 47.50-55.00.

CALVES: Compared to last week, a few vealers sold steady, with very light demand. Large slaughter calves were not well tested. Holstein bulls continued to be very active, and prices were 20.00-30.00 higher, with very minimal discounts on the plainer type.

VEALERS: Utility few 60-90 lbs 20.00-42.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Not well tested.

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein

bulls 95-125 lbs 190.00-232.00; 80-90 lbs 193.00- 240.00; 75-80 lbs 155.00-160.00. Plainer type bulls 80-125 lbs 170.00-230.00; 75-80 lbs 155.00, weaker calves 60-110 lbs 30.00-100.00. Holstein heifers 90- 115 lbs 345.00-435.00; 83 lbs 310.00. Plainer type heifers 80-115 lbs 180.00-365.00.

Pennsylvania Livestock Auction

Waynesburg, Pa. Thursday, April 5, 2001 Report Supplied By Auction

Cattle: STOCK COWS: 45.00-60.00. SLAUGHTER COWS: Utility & Commercial 40.00-47.00; Canner & Boning Utility 31.00-37.00; Canner & Low Cutter 31.00-37.25; Shells 30.00 & down.

BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1500#-2000# 47.00-60.00 YIELD GRADE 2 1000#-1400# Fat 47.00-63.00;

FEEDER STEERS: M & L 1 300-500# 75.00-109.00; 250-280# 80.00-118.50; M 600-900# 60.00-85.00;

HEIFERS M 1 & L 1 300-500# 82.00-97.00; L 1 400-650# 75.00-90.00;

BULLS M & L 1 300-620# 85.00-103.00;

CALVES: Veal Prime 85.00-91.00; Choice 55.00-96.00; Good 35.00-70.00; Farm Calves #1 Holstein Bulls 90-120# Few 35.00-110.00; #2 Holstein Bulls 80-100# Few 12.50-50.00; Beef - Bull&Hfrs./HD. 20.00-110.00;

HOGS: Barrows & Gilts #1-2 210-255# 40.00-48.00; #2-3 255-280# 40.00-45.00; Sows #1-3 300-500# 31.00-40.00; Feeder Pigs; 1-3 15-20# 5.00-17.00/HD. 1-3 25-35# 10.00-41.00/HD;

LAMBS: High Choice 80-100# 70.00-144.00; Choice 40-75# 80.00-142.10; Feeder Lambs Good 75.00-102.00; Sheep 20.00-50.00; Fat Sheep 39.00 and down;

GOATS: Large 45.00-117.00/HD.; Medium 30.00-70.00/HD.; Small 10.00-35.00/HD.;

HORSES: Horses 25.00-65.00; Ponies 20.00-50.00.

Indiana Livestock

Homer City, Pa. Thursday, April 5, 2001 Report Supplied By Auction

CATTLE: 98. STEERS: SELECT 1-3 COUPLE 69.50-70.75. HOLSTEIN STEERS: STANDARD 1-2 FEW 50.00-54.00.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 2-4 1140/1230 LBS. 79.25-79.50. STANDARD 1-2 51.50-62.50.

COWS: BREAKERS 75-80% LEAN 42.00-46.50. BONERS 80-85% LEAN 38.00-42.50. LEAN 85-90% LEAN 33.50-38.00. SHELLS DOWN TO 33.00 AND DOWN. BULLS: YIELD GRADE 1 1260 (2) LBS. 55.75 & 57.00. YIELD GRADE 2 915/1360 LBS. 45.00, 49.75.

HEIFERS: M&L-2 500/850, 55.00, 72.00.

CALVES: 85. CH 148 & 186 LBS. 87.50 & 100.00. STANDARD & GOOD 90/110 LBS. 55.00, 85.00. STANDARD & GOOD 70/85 LBS. 42.50, 70.00. UTILITY 60/80 LBS. 32.50, 40.00.

FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS NO. 1 90/130 LBS. 130.00-182.50. 80/85, 13.00, 160.00. NO. 2 75/120 LBS. 100.00, 137.50.

HOLSTEIN HEIFERS: NO. 1 85/110 LBS. 305.00, 385.00. NO. 2 70/125 LBS. 170.00, 285.00. BEEF TYPE BULLS & HEIFERS 70/110 LBS. 90.00, 217.00, 150/275, 80.00, 110.00.

HOGS: 45. BARROW & GILTS 49-54% 270/285 LB. 44.50, 48.50. 45-50% 240/290 LB. 40.50, 44.00. 40-45% 180/230 LB. 35.00, 40.00.

SOWS: 1-3 348 LBS. ONE AT 40.00. SHEEP: 98. SLAUGHTER SHEEP 50.00. CH 25/45 LBS. 140.00, 170.00, 65/80 LBS. FEW 110.00, 230.00. ONE AT 330.00. FEEDER LAMBS GD & CH 25/50 LBS. 80.00, 120.00. SLAUGHTER SHEEP 15.00, 42.50, YEARLINGS 60.00, 72.50.

GOATS: 20. MEDIUM: COUPLE 35.00, 47.50. KIDS: LARGE 25.00, 30.00. SMALL 7.00, 22.50 PER HEAD.

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables Report Supplied by Auction Wednesday, April 4, 2001

159 DAIRY COWS, 253 HEIFERS, 19 BULLS. MARKET STEADY.

LOCAL FRESH COWS 330.00-1475.00, FEW 1675.00-1700.00.

LOCAL SPRINGERS 925.00-1300.00.

BETTER FRESH COWS 1675.00-1725.00.

LARGE HEIFERS 1300.00-1510.00, 1 AT 1600.00, SMALL HEIFERS 600.00-1200.00.

SHORTBRED HEIFERS 650.00-1250.00, FEW 1350.00-1375.00.

OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS 810.00-1050.00.

BULLS 260.00-775.00, PUREBREDS 725.00-1050.00.

HERD ALL STAGES 535.00-1300.00. JERSEY HERD 535.00-1300.00.

UPSTATE LOADS FRESH 1450.00-1725.00.

CANADIAN LOADS FRESH 825.00-1675.00.

FRESH HEIFERS 885.00-1525.00, FEW 1600.00-1650.00.

REGISTERED HEIFERS 1150.00-1660.00

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Jersey Shore Livestock Market, Inc.

Jersey Shore, Pa. Report Supplied By Auction Thursday, April 5, 2001 RETURN TO FARM CALF: 175.00-415.00.

GOOD VEAL: 100.00-174.00. COMMON VEAL: 30.00-99.00.

CHOICE STEERS: 79.00-83.00. SELECT STEERS: 74.00-80.00.

COMMON STEERS: 54.00-73.00. COMMERCIAL COWS: 42.00-50.00.

CANNERS-CUTTERS: 36.00-44.00. SHELLS: 24.00-35.00.

CHOICE HEIFERS: NONE. SELECT HEIFERS: 70.00-75.00.

COMMON HEIFERS: 48.00-69.00. GOOD FEEDERS: 60.00-105.00.

COMMON FEEDERS: 40.00-59.00. BULLS: 50.00-57.25.

North Atlantic Shell Egg Market

Atlanta, GA April 4, 2001 Report Supplied By USDA Prices were unchanged in all locations. The trade sentiment was steady. Demand was in a full range of light to good, but was usually light to moderate.

Hamburg Hosts Junior Preview Classic II

HAMBURG, N.Y. — Come out to the Hamburg Fairgrounds for the Empire State Junior Preview Classic II June 29-30.

You will witness kids under age 21 as they compete with their 200-pound animal (on the average) to win more than \$3,100 in prizes.

The Eric County Agricultural Society is proud to bring back the show with anticipation of more than 200 animals. The show gives the kids invaluable experience with the animals

they have been working very hard with over the past year.

Come cheer on the participants as they work together with their animal to vie for champion showman, supreme champion heifer, or grand champion steer.

Showmanship is Friday at 7 p.m. and heifers will begin Saturday at 10 a.m. with steers to follow. All sections will be conducted in the livestock arena.

For more information, call (716) 649-3900, ext. 407.

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