LANCASTER COUNTY LIVESTOCK MARKET AUCTIONS

New Holland Livestock Auction New Holland, Pa. Report Supplied By USDA

May 14, 2001

	Cattle	Carves	Street	Ovais
MON	NDAY			
	186	131	582	767
LAS	T WEEK			
	165	174	850	940
LAS	T YEAR			
	N/A	127	697	1153

CATTLE: Compared to Thursday, slaughter steers and heifers not well tested.Slaughter cows sold uneven, with 75-85 percent lean 1.00 higher and 85-90 percent lean 1.00 lower. Slaughter bulls traded 1.00 lower. Supply included 45 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESS-ING Breakers 75-80 over 1400 lbs 48.00-51.50 44.25-48.00 Boners 80-85 over 1200 lbs 45.00-48.75 42.50-45.00 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over 1200 lbs 41.25-45.50 37.00-41.25 Lean 88-90 over 1000 lbs 40.00-42.75 36.50-40.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750-1000 lbs 36.00-39.50 32.00-36.00

SIAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1245-2195 lbs 57.00-61.50. Yield Grade 2 1010-1585 lbs 52.50-57.50.

CALVES: Compared to Thursday's Auction, vealers and large slaughter calves were not well tested. Holstein bulls returning to feed 95-125 lbs sold 10.00- 25.00 higher. Holstein heifers traded mostly steady in a light test.

VEALERS: Utility few 50-85 lbs 27.00-47.00.

SLAUGHTER CALVES: Not well

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein Bulls 95-125 lbs 160.00-205.00. Plainertype bulls 80-125 lbs 132.00-165.00. Holstein heifers few 110-105 lbs 390.00-480.00; few 85 lbs 460.00-470.00 Plainer-type heifers few 85-105 lbs 190.00-310.00

SHEEP: Compared to Thursday, slaughter lambs sold 10.00 lower. Yearlings and 2 year-olds sold steady to 10.00 lower. Slaughter ewes traded steady to

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 40-110 lbs 100.00-125.00. Good 1-2 40-110 lbs 90.00-110.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year olds 45.00-65.00. Utility and Good 1-3 25.00-45.00.

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 75.00-100.00. Yearlings: Choice and Prime 50.00-90.00. Nannies: Large 50.00-80.00. Medium 35.00-50.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 50.00-90.00. Good 20.00-50.00.

Vintage **Livestock Auction**

Vintage, Pa. May 14-15, 2001 Report Supplied By USDA

Cattle	Calves	Sneep	Goat
THIS WEEK			
773	596	21	4
LAST WEEK			
886	594	0	4
LAST YEAR			
751	671	3	:
LAST WEEK 886 LAST YEAR	594	0	

CATTLE: Compared to last Thursday, early sales slaughter steers opened steady, but closed Tuesday .50-1.00 lower. Holstein steers traded steady. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows sold steady to 1.00 higher. Bull prices were 1.00 higher on light offerings. Supply included 49 percent slaughter steers and 33 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1205-1470 lbs 77.75-80.75. Choice 2-3 1090-1485 lbs 74.60-78.50; 1495-1520 lbs 74.75-77.50. Select and low Choice 2-3 1165-1425 lbs 73.00-75.75. Select 1-3 few 1055-1370 lbs 67.00-70.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice, few Prime 2-3 1320-1570 lbs 66.00-68.60. Select and low Choice 2-3 1325-1670 lbs 62.10-66.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 1080-1455 lbs 74.00-78.50, few up to 80.60. Select and low Choice 2-3 few 1000-1380 lbs 70.75-75.00.

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESS-ING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 48.00-51.25 44.00-48.00 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 44.75-48.25 42.00-44.75 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 42.00-46.50 38.00-42.00 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 41.00-45.00 37.00-41.00 Lean (Light-Wt) 85-90 750 -1000 lbs 38.50-42.00 35.50-38.50.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 five head 1065-2060 lbs 59.00-66.00. Yield Grade 2 two head 1460-1930 lbs 52.00-54.75.

FEEDER STEERS: Medium and Large 2 pkg 409 lbs 92.50; few 503 lbs 85.50.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1-2 lot 621 lbs 73.50.

CALVES: Compared to last Tuesday, vealers traded steady to 2.00 higher. Holstein bulls returning to feed traded

Market At A Glance

Lancaster County Livestock Auction Averages (Price Per Hundredweight) Week Ending Friday, May 18, 2001 **Supplied By Market Staff**

	This Wk	Wk Ago	Yr Ago
Steers, Choice 2-3	76.50	77.25	73.70
Heifers, Choice 2-3	76.00	76.75	70.75
Cows, Breakers, 75-80% lean	50.00	50.00	44.75
Cows, Boners, 80-85% lean	46.50	45.75	42.25
Bulls, YG 1	61.50	61.50	56.00
Hogs, 49-54% lean, Monday	49.75	49.80	46.30
Lambs, Choice/Prime 80-110 lb	110.00	115.00	116.00

very active and prices were 10.00-20.00 higher. Holstein heifers traded 10.00-30.00 higher. Supply included 475 head in the State graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-100 lbs 52.00-70.00. Utility few 50-65 lbs 20.00-45.00.

RETURN TO FARM: Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs 163.00-215.00, 80-90 lbs 172.00-177.00. Plainer-type bulls 80-115 lbs 160.00-187.00, weaker calves 75-110 lbs 70.00-130.00. Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 415.00-462.00; 84 lbs 350.00. Plainertype heifers 80-105 lbs 325.00-451.00; 60-75 lbs 120.00-235.00.

Beef-type bulls and heifers 80-95 lbs few 180.00-200.00.

New Holland Livestock Auction

New Holland, Pa. Report Supplied By USDA Thursday, May 17, 2001

Cattle	Caives	Succh	Guais
THURSDAY			
1064	593	373	96
LAST WEEK			
1017	583	305	235
LAST YEAR			
1165	651	430	140
CATTLE:	Compared	to T	uesday
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slaughter steers sold mostly steady. The

sale started slow on mix quality but turned active on a few lots of well finished cattle late in the sale. Holstein steers traded steady to weak. Slaughter heifers not well tested. Slaughter cows were very active and prices were 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter bulls traded steady. Supply included 46 percent slaughter steers and 33 percent cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-4 1165-1435 lbs 77.50-80.75. fancy singles up to 81.25. Choice 2-3 1055-1480 lbs 74.50-78.50; 1490-1585 lbs 73.00-77.00. Select and low Choice 2-3 1190-1335 lbs 73.00-76.75. Select 1-3 few 1130-1465 lbs 67.25-72.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice, few Prime 2-3 1320-1605 lbs 65.75-68.35. Select and low Choice 2-3 1215-1520 lbs 63.75-66.35. Select 1-2 few 1280-1530 lbs 59.50-60.10.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Select and low Choice 2-3 1060-1445 lbs 70.75-

SLAUGHTER COWS: PERCENT LEAN WEIGHT BULK LOW DRESS-ING Breakers 75-80 over-1400 lbs 49.00-53.00 46.00-49.00 Boners 80-85 over-1200 lbs 47.25-51.50 44.00-47.25 Lean (Hi-Yield) 85-88 over-1200 lbs 44.00-48.50 40.00-44.00 Lean 88-90 over-1000 lbs 43.00-47.00 39.50-43.00 Lean (Light Wt) 85-90 750 -1000 lbs 38.00-42.75 36.00-38.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1265-2160 lbs 58.25-66.00, high dressing 2060 lbs 68.00. Yield Grade 2 1120-2760 lbs 52.50-58.50. Bullocks: Select 1005-1305 lbs 1-3 few 57.00-63.00.

CALVES: Compared to Monday's auction, vealers and large slaughter calves sold mostly steady. Holstein bulls returning to farm traded uneven and prices were 15.00 lower to 30.00 higher on a pen of 95 lbs. Holstein heifers traded steady, with instances 10.00-60.00 higher on a few head. Supply included 347 in State graded sale and 99 percent of the supply returned to feed.

VEALERS: Standard and Good 70-110 lbs 50.00-76.00. Utility few 65-75 lbs 25.00-45.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES: Good and Choice few 200-360 lbs 84.00-101.00

RETURNED TO FARM: Holstein bulls 100-125 lbs 145.00-165.00; pen 95 lbs 237.00; 80-90 lbs 140.00-197.00. Plainer-type bulls 85-125 lbs 147.00-170.00; 75-85 lbs 115.00, weaker calves 70-100 lbs 58.00-73.00. Holstein heifers 90-115 lbs 390.00-490.00; few 95-100 lbs 500.00-550.00. Plainer- type heifers 80-115 lbs 200.00-400.00; 65-75 lbs 200.00-250.00.

SHEEP: Compared to Monday, slaughter lambs mostly steady. Yearlings and 2 year-olds sold steady to 5.00 higher on the lower end. Slaughter ewes traded 5.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice and Prime 2-3 25-100 lbs 100.00-125.00. Good and Choice 1-3 25-100 lbs 85.00-100.00.

SLAUGHTER EWES: Good and Choice Yearlings and 2 year-olds 50.00-65.00. Utility and Good 1-3 20.00-40.00.

GOATS: (All sold by the head) Billies: Large 100,00,125,00. Medium 75.00-100.00.

Mutton: No test."

Yearlings: No test. Nannies: Large 50.00-90.00. Kids: Choice and Prime 50.00-70.00. Good

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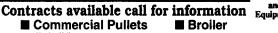
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