

**Chicago Yards**

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 At last week, choice steers, about 25 per cent of the steer supply good. Average weight of choice steers promising to be somewhat heavier than previous average of 1104 lbs. Included only half as many loads of cattle as the 90 loads here last week. Lots of all cattle undistributed with a 50 per cent of the total offered on Monday and Wednesday run of smallest for a mid-market so far this

year. Market irregular, prime steers 25-75 higher, choice grades steady to 50 higher, steers grading good and below steady to 50 lower, mostly steady.

Prime heifers and choice under 975 lb. weights steady to strong, other weights and grades steady to 50 lower.

Cows grading utility and better steady to 50 lower, Canners and Cutters fully steady. Bulls steady to weak. Vealers steady to strong. Stockers and Feeders steady to weak.

Load, prime 1200 pound slaughter steers 33.00, Highest since early June last year, small supply prime 1, 150-1350 lb. steers 31.75-32.00.

50, most prime steers scaling up to 1400 lbs. 30.00 - 31.50 but several loads 1408-1388 lb weights included at 30.50 - 31.25, late bulk choice steers 27.00 - 29.50, some high choice under 1200 lb weights up to 30.25, two loads 1025 lb yearlings choice with a good end 28.50, loadlots mixed choice and prime 1400 - 1625 lb steers 27.00 - 29.75, good steers 24.00 - 27.50, bulk 25.00 - 27.00, standard steers 23.25 - 25.50, 63 head string 1134 lb Holsteins included at 23.25, load utility 1050 lb steers and load mixed utility and commercial 1300 lb. weights 23.00.

Few loads high choice and prime heifers 29.00 - 29.75, load prime 1235 lb weights included at 29.00, bulk good and choice heifers 24.50-28.75, mixed good and choice grades 26.25 - 27.25, utility and standard heifers 20.00 - 24.00.

Few standard cows 21.00-22.50, late bulk utility and commercial cows 18.50-20.50, most canners and cutters 16.00 - 19.50. Utility and commercial bulls 22.00 - 25.50, mostly 25.00 down.

Good vealers 34.00 - 37.00, utility and standard 22.00 - 34.00, few culls down to 15.00. Several loads good and low choice 600-750 lb stock steers 29.50 - 30.75, load low good 775 lb weights 26.50, good 800 lb feeding steers 27.00, good and choice 875 - 1035 lb weights 25.50 - 27.15, few medium 350 lb stock steer calves 28.00, part load medium and good 675 lb stock heifers 25.00.

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**Milk Market**

PHILA, FEB. 6—

**FLUID MILK**—Fluid milk production trended slowly upwards for the week ending Feb 6. Offerings for bottling purposes were ample to in excess. Demand was seasonally normal in most sections although some improvement was reported over the previous period.

For manufacturing purposes ample offerings were available, and with a relatively good inquiry reported for dry nonfat and anticipated increased lanten products, surpluses moved readily into these channels. At New York pursuant to provisions of the milk marketing order wholesale selling prices declined 5 cents to \$5.50 per 40 qt. unit.

**FLUID CREAM**—Offerings were ample both for bottling and Manufacturing purposes. Demand was generally fair in most sections. Surpluses for manufacturing were generally ample with usage quite diversified in most instances.

Upstate N. York sections reported increased churning and cheese manufacturing with south east Pennsylvania and Atlanta reporting increased freezing and cheese activity. Ice cream sales were

generally, seasonally normal although in south eastern Pennsylvania the sales promotion of 1/2 gallon packages greatly stimulated retail sales.

Prices were unchanged to 25 cents lower in south eastern Pennsylvania to as much as \$1.50 lower, pursuant to provisions of the milk marketing order in the N. Y. milkshed.

Wholesale selling prices 40 qt. can, 40 pct bottling quality N. Y. \$35.00, manufacturing cream based on various formulas S. E. Pa area, open market selling prices Approved for Pa & N. J. carlot (min. 200 cans total volume 2,110 cans ranged \$25.00 - 25.75; 1,545 cans, \$25.00; 226 cans \$25.25; 339 cans \$25.75.)

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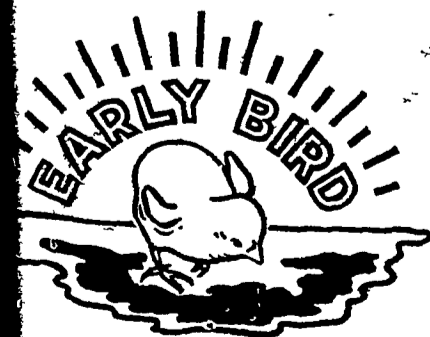
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