

Livestock market and auction news

East coast carlot meats

Dec. 12, 1975
 East Coast Carlot Meat Trade CAF Boston to Washington area inclusive. Compared to Tuesday's close: Steer and Heifer Beef Trading active this session; demand strong, outlet broad. Choice steer beef Yield Grade 3'S 600-900 lbs. steady - 25 lower, good steer beef Yield Grade 3-6-800 lbs. steady; Choice heifer beef YG 3'S 5-700 lbs 1.00-2.00 lower. Bull Beef steady; cow beef steady to 50 lower. Lamb 50-55 lbs. Steady to 1.00 higher. Fresh hams 14-17 lbs. 1.50 higher, 17 lbs. up 2.00 lower, loins steady - 1.00 higher, Boston Buttz steady - 50 lower, Spareribs steady - 1.00 lower, bellies mostly steady, shoulders 1 50 lower.

Steer Beef
 Choice 6-900 lb. 77.50-78.25, late 77.25-78.25, stdy. -25 lwr.; Choice 6-900 74.50; Good 5-600; Good 6-800 73.00-73.50, steady; Good 74.00-74.24 - selected loads.

Heifer Beef
 Choice YG 3 5-700's 75.50-76.50, compared to Monday 1.-2.00 lwr.

Cow Beef
 Utily. (Brkg. 0 350-700's 46.50-47.00 steady; Utily. (Brkg.) 350-700's 46.50-47.00 steady; Canner & Cutter 350-700's 45.00-45.50 50 lower.

Bull Beef
 Yld. Gr. 1 & 2 500-1000's 51.00 steady.

Lamb
 CH & PR YG 2 & 3 50-55's 102.-104.00 steady -1.00 higher; 55-65's 100.-101.00

steady; 65 - UP 97.00-98.00.
Choice Primal N Beef
 Cuts - Yld. Gr. 3&4
 Steer Hinds 120-190's 87.00-88.00, late 88.50; Armchucks 80-130's 56.50-57.00; Ribs 24-43's 118.00-120.00; Rnds. Steer 60-95's 88.00-89.00; Full Plate 42.00-43.00; Short Plate 39.00-40.00; Briskets 51.50-52.00; Flanks 37.00-38.00.

Domestic Boneless Beef-Trimnings
 90 pct. visual lean 67.00-68.00 steady; 85 pct. visual lean 65.00-66.00 steady; 50 pct. visual lean 43.00-45.00 steady.

Fresh Pork Cuts
 Loins (reg.) 8-14's 92.25 steady; 14-17's 89.25-90.25 steady-1.00 higher; 17-20's 79.75-80.25 steady - 50 higher. Shoulders 16-DN 72.00 1.50 lower.
 Picnics (reg.) 4-8's 62.50-63.50 steady; 8's & up 55.25-55.50 steady.
 Boston Butts 4-8's 79.00-79.50 steady - 50 lower.
 Spareribs 1 1/2-3's 100.-100.50 steady; 3-5S 78.50 1.00 lower.
 Hams (skd.) 14-17's 108.-108.50 1.50 higher; 17-20's 97.50 2.00 lower; 20-26's 86.50-87.50 2.00 lower.
 Bellies (skls. skin on) 10-12's 73.00; 12-14's 71.00-71.25 steady -25 lower; 14-16's 70.00-70.25 steady; 16-18's 66.75-67.50 steady; 18-20's 60.50-61.50 steady.
 CT Butts (froz. bnls.) 1 1/2-7's 122.50.

Pork Trmgs. TP PCT LN
 FR 39.50-1.00 lower, 80 PCT LN FR 59.50 2.00 lower.
 BNLS PIC Cushion in FR 83.00 steady.
Lard: CP-DR 18.00 1.00 lower.
Skd. Jowls - Fresh 34.50 3.50 lower, Frozen 33.50-35.50 3.-5.00 lower.

Local Grain

Friday, Dec. 12
 These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by a number of participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer or broker handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except ear corn which is per ton.
 The average local grain prices quoted Friday, Dec. 12 are as follows:

	Bid	Offered
Ear Corn		
New	55.33	60.50
Shelled Corn	2.62	2.84
Barley	2.01	2.20
Oats		
Local	1.45	1.77
Western	1.98	2.04
Wheat		
Millers'	2.84	3.15
Soybeans	4.27	

+Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.

Peoria Cattle

December 11
 Weekly Summary
 Cattle Receipts
 This Week 7000
 Last Week 8100
 Year Ago 5800
 Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers mostly 1 00 lower. Slaughter heifers 50-100 lower. Cows weak to 1 00 lower. Bulls closed fully steady. Receipts about 60 percent slaughter steers 25 percent slaughter heifers balance mainly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS:
 Load choice and prime Monday 1300 lbs. yield grade 3-4 49.50; near three loads high-choice 1150-1200 lbs. 48.50-49.00; choice 1050-1250 lbs. yield grade 2-4 45.00-47.50; 950-1050 lbs. 44.00-45.00; mixed good and choice 900-1300 lbs. 41.50-44.50; good 36.00-42.00; load good holsteins early 42.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:
 Choice and prime 900-1100 lbs. yield grade 3-4 45.00-45.50; couple lots 46.00-46.50; choice 850-1000 lbs. yield grade 2-4 44.00-45.00; 750-850 lbs. 41.50-44.00; mixed good and choice 750-1000 lbs. 34.00-41.50; good 30.00-35.00.

COWS: Utility and commercial 17.00-20.50; few high-dressing utility 21.00; cutter 15.00-19.50; canner 10.00-15.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1100-2200 lbs. 23.00-27.00, couple yield grade 1 28.00-28.50.

St. Louis Auction

December 11
 Weekly Cattle Review:
 Receipts 10,800; week ago 12,300; year ago 9,200.
 Compared to last Tuesday, slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower, most decline on Mixed Good and Choice. Slaughter heifers 50-1 00 lower, instances 2.00 lower on Mixed Good and Choice. Cows 1.00-2.00 lower, instances 3.00 lower on canner and cutter compared to late last week. Bulls steady to weak. Bulk of steer and heifer supply Mixed Good and Choice YG 2-4, 900-1150 lbs. steers and 750-950 lb. Heifers with near 30 percent cows and balance largely feeder cattle.

SLAUGHTER STEERS:
 Load and part load Choice, including Prime 1200-1250 lbs. YG 3-4 46.50 on Monday. Choice 950-1200 lbs. YG 2-4 44.00-46.00. Mixed Good and Choice 850-1150 lbs. 41.00-44.00, mostly 42.00-43.00. Good 38.00-41.50. Mostly Good Holsteins 1100-1500 lbs. 35.00-40.00. Standard 30.00-32.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:
 Load Choice and Prime 980 lbs. YG 3-4 45.00 on Tuesday. Choice 850-1000 lbs. YG 2-4 42.00-44.50, closing mostly 42.00-43.50. Mostly Choice 750-850 lbs. 40.00-42.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-1000 lbs. 38.00-41.50. Good 35.00-38.00. Canners and Cutter 14.00-18.00. Canner 12.00-15.00. Thin Canner 600-800 lbs. 11.00-13.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1100-1800 lbs 24.00-27.00.
FEEDERS: Outgo this week estimated at 4100 including near 3500 at Wednesday and Thursday auctions. Feeder steers over 400 lbs. fully steady; 300-400 lbb steers calves 1.00-3.00 lower. Feeder heifers EPPA 500 lbs. 1.00-3.00 lower; weights over 500 lbs. fully steady. Supply Mixed Good and Choice 400-700 lb. steers and 300-500 lb. heifers. Sales as of 1:30 p.m. Additional report to follow Friday morning.

STEERS: Choice 400-500 lbs. 32.00-38.50; 500-600 lbs. 34.00-39.50; 600-700 lbs. 35.50-39.00; 700-900 lbs. 37.00-40.00. Mixed Good and Choice 300-400 lbs. 28.00-32.00; 400-500 lbs. 26.00-31.75; 500-600 lbs. 29.25-34.00. Two part loads Good and Choice 800-907 lbs. 35.25-38.00. Good 325-700 lbs. 23.00-27.75.

HEIFERS: Choice 350-500 lbs. 25.00-30.50; 500-600 lbs. 27.50-31.00; 600-700 lbs. 30.25-33.00.

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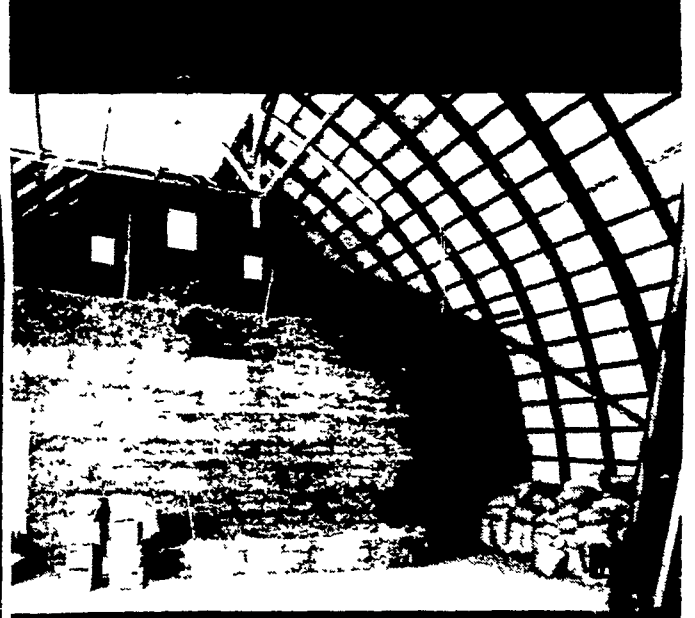
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