Livestock market

East Coast Car lot Meats

February 16, 1977 Compared to Tuesday's close: demand and com-

.75 higher. Cow beef steady, boneless Beef steady to 1.50 higher. Choice beef cuts: mitments generally light for Armchucks limited test Beef. 32 loads Steer Beef .50- steady to firm. Lamb



compared to last week's close 1.00 to 3.00 higher. Fresh Pork: Skinned Hams 1.75 higher.

Steer Beef

32 Loads Confirmed Choice 3 600-700 lbs. 6200 no comparison; Choice 3 600-800 lbs. 6250 .50-.75 higher; Choice 4 600-800 lbs. 58.00-5825 .50-.75 higher; Good 3 600-800 lbs. 5875-5925 no comparison.

Cow Beef 4 Loads Confirmed Utility boning 1-3 600 lbs.

up 5400 no comparison; Canner-Cutter 1-2 350 lbs. up 5250-5450 steady; 350 lbs. down 5150 no comparison. Choice 3 Primal Beef Cuts 1 load confirmed

Steer Hinds 145-190 lbs. 7300-7400 no comparison; Armchucks 90-130 lbs. 4900-5100 steady to firm; Steer Rounds 70-90 lbs. 7700-7950 no comparison; Full Plates 3150 no comparison; Briskets 4050-4500 no comparison; Flanks Untrimmed 2550-2700 no comparison

Lamb Carcass Choice and Prime

3-4 12 Loads Confirmed

Compared to last Week 55 lbs. down 10500-10700 1.00-2.00 higher; 55-65 lbs. 9600-9800 1.00-2.00 higher; 65-75 lbs. 8700-8900 2.00-3.00 higher.

Fresh Pork Cuts Skinned Hams 14-17 lbs. 7800 no comparison; 17-20 lbs 7850 1.75 higher; 17-20 lbs. 7600 frozen 1.00 higher Smoked Pork 11 Loads Confirmed Skinned Hams 16-20 lbs.

5500 no comparison; 1 lb. sliced bacon vacuum pack 9850 no comparison Franks 70 beef 30 pork 1 lb. pack 6000; Bologna 70 beef 30

Pork 1 lb. pack 6000. **Fresh Pork Cuts** Loins 14 lbs. down 8200; 14-

17 lbs. 8100. **Boneless Beef**

3 loads Confirmed 90 Chemical lean, fresh 7200-7400 steady to .50 higher; 85 chemical lean, fresh 6650-6950 1.00-1.50 higher; Beef Trimmings; 50 Chemical lean, fresh 2650-2750 no comparison. Smoked Pork

Omaha

February 17, 1977

Weekly Cattle 51— Compared with the previous week's close-closing prices on Slaughter Steers were weak to 25 lower. Heifers closed fully steady. Cows were 1.00-1.50 higher, and Bulls firm to 1.00 higher.

Four day receipts 13,400 as compared 14,300 previous week and 14,800 a year ago. The fed cattle trade followed

Good to Average-Choice grade. Steers made up approximately 40 of the week's total and heifers 37. Cows comprised 13 and Feeders 6. STEERS: At midweek, load and part load Choice and Prime 3 1036-1113 lbs.

39.00, several loads same grade 3-4 1145-1224 lbs. during week 38.25-38.75. Choice 2-4 975-1300 lbs. closed 37.75-38.50. Mixed Good and

a pattern much like the past

several weeks. Prices were forced downward the fore

part of week in reflection of a

bearish carcass trade, and

then most of the early

downturn was regained on a

midweek advance as carcass

prices strengthened and

supplies dwindled. Over the

past several weeks, the trade

has generally been lacking in

any continued

aggressiveness and at times

on a hand-to-mouth basis.

Despite the moderate day-to-

day price variations, the

past five week period has

registered a net change of

only 25-50 upward. A large

share of the Steer and Heifer

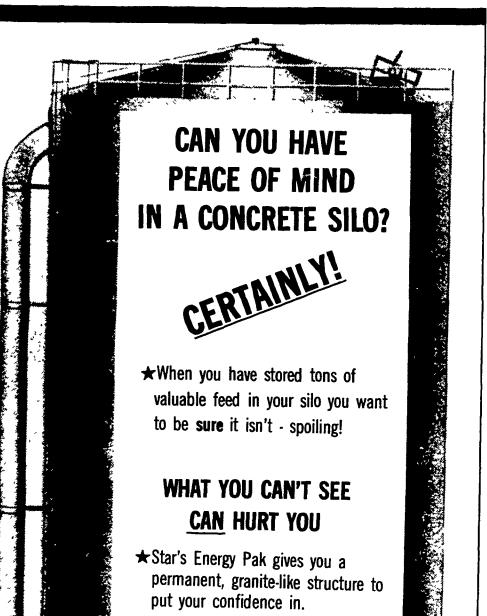
supply for the period was of

Choice 2-4 950-1250 lbs. 37.00-37.75. Good 2-3 34.00-37.00. Small lots Standard and Good 2-3 31.50-33.00.

Average of LS 214 detailed quotations, for Choice 900-1100 lb. steers this week 38.00; Choice 1100-1300 lbs. 38.02. average weight steers first three days 1131 lbs. compared 1158 lbs. previous week. Average weight Heifers first three days 980 lbs. as compared 992 lbs. previous week.

HEIFERS: Several loads Choice and Prime 3-4 975-1081 lbs. 37.40-37.50, some same grade 4 1008-1109 lbs. 37.00. Choice 2-4 875-1075 lbs. closed 36.00-37.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 850-1000 lbs. 35.00-36.25. Good 2-3 31.50-34.50. Small lots Standard and Good 2-3 30.50-31.50.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 2-4 23.50-25.00, few 25.50-26.00. Canner and Cutter 21.00-23.50, mixed Cutter and Utility 23.75-24.00. BULLS: 1-2 1400-1800 lbs. 30.00-33.00, individual 1 34.00-35.00.



PREDICTED DIFFERENCE MILK AND DOLLAR VALUE SEPT. 1976 USDA SIRE SUMMARY.



J2785 GENERATORS JEWELER USDA 9/76

23D. 23R. 3H. 10,736M. 4.69% 504BF

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