

# Livestock market and auction news

## St. Louis Cattle

National Stockyards  
May 11, 1978

Receipts This Week 6,900  
Week Ago 6,900  
Year Ago 7,700

Compared to last weeks close, slaughter steers and heifers 1.00-1.50 higher, instances 1.75 higher on high choice and prime steers. Cows 1.00-2.50 higher, most upturn on utility. Bulls 1.00 higher. Supply about 30 per cent slaughter steers, 25 per cent heifers, 15 per cent cows and 25 per cent feeders.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Mixed high choice and prime 1050-1225 lbs. 54.50-55.50, load and part load 55.75. Choice 2-4 975-1275 lbs. 53.00-54.50, load 1600 lbs. 52.50. Mixed good and choice 2-4

900-1225 lbs. 51.00-53.00. Good 2-3 900-1200 lbs. 48.00-51.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1050-1325 lb. Holsteins 49.00-50.00. Standard and good 2-3 1050-1325. Holsteins 44.00-48.50.

**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** Mixed choice and prime 2-4 875-1025 lbs. 53.50-54.00, part load 54.50. Choice 2-4 800-1050 lbs. 52.00-53.50, load choice 4-5 1050 lbs. 49.50. Mixed good and choice 2-3 700-1000 lbs. 50.50-52.50. Good 2-3 700-975 lbs. 46.00-50.50.

**COWS:** Utility and Commercial 2-4 36.00-41.00, late sales 37.00-41.00. Boning utility 1-2 40.00-42.50, mostly 41.50-42.50 after Tuesday. Cutter 1-2 34.00-39.00. Canner and low cutter 1-2 30.00-35.00. Few low dressing canner 500-700 lbs. 29.00-31.00.

**BULLS:** Yield grade 1-2 1050-1900 lbs. 42.00-48.00,

mostly 44.00-48.00, couple yield grade 1 49.00.

**FEEDERS:** Including around 1,600 at Thursday's auction. Feeder steers 2.00-3.00 higher, instances 4.00 higher on than fleshed offerings. Feeder heifers 1.00-3.00 higher. Demand good. Overall quality not as high as recent weeks due to an increased percentage of mixed good and choice.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Choice 400-450 lbs. 64.25-66.00, small lot 300 lbs. 70.25; 500-600 lbs. 60.00-64.00; 600-700 lbs. 56.00-61.50; 700-775 lbs. 54.00-58.00. Mixed good and choice 350-400 lbs. 62.00-65.00; 450-625 lbs. 55.00-59.25.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Choice 400-500 lbs. 53.50-57.00, small lot 365 lbs. 58.00-500-600 lbs. 51.00-54.00; 600-700 lbs. 48.25-51.75; 700-750 lbs. 48.75-49.75. Mixed good

and choice 300-500 lbs. 51.25-55.50; 500-700 lbs. 48.00-52.25. Few lots good 300-450 lbs. 49.25-51.25.

## Oklahoma Cattle

May 11, 1978  
Thursday Feeder Cattle Auction

Estimated Receipts 12,000  
Same Day Last Week 6,785

**ACTIVE:** Feeder cattle and calves steady to firm; majority of receipts choice 450-850 lb. feeder steers and 450-700 lb. feeder heifers, with large amount of offerings arriving from wheat pasture; fairly large attendance of buyers.

**FEEDER STEERS:** Choice 300-500 lb. 64.00-69.25; 500-600 lb. 57.75-63.00, near one load and small lot 504-531 lb. at 64.30; 600-700 lb. 55.50-58.50, few part loads 606-620 lb. 59.80-61.50; 700-800 lb. 55.75-57.50, two part loads 743-772 lb. 57.90-58.10; 800-950 lb. 54.25-56.75, part load 813 lb. at 57.60; mixed good and choice 300-500 lb. 60.00-63.50; 500-700 lb. 54.00-56.50; small lot 703 lb. at 52.10; few good 800-900 lb. holstein steers 49.75-50.00.

**FEEDER HEIFERS:** Choice 300-500 lb. 55.50-59.50, two small lots 335-388 lb. 61.00-61.50; 500-600 lb. 53.00-55.00; 600-700 lb. 52.00-54.50; few 700-800 lb. 52.75-53.50; mixed good and choice 300-500 lb. 53.00-54.00; 500-660 lb. 50.25-53.50; small lot 772 lb. at 49.75; package good 557 lb. at 48.00.

**FOR THE WEEK:** Compared to late last week feeder cattle and calves 1.00-2.00 higher; slaughter cows closed .50-1.50 higher, late sales utility and commercial 2-3 36.00-40.25, cutter 1-3 33.25-37.00; bulls closed near steady, week sales consisted yield grade 1-2 1000-1700 lb. 42.50-47.00; salable receipts near 22,600 head, compared to 15,579 head last week and 17,460 head the same week a year ago. Cows and bulls near 8 per cent of cattle receipts, feeders near 92 per cent of the total.

## Philadelphia Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Report

Wednesday, May 10, 1978  
FRUIT

**APPLES:** Steady. Controlled atmosphere storage. Ctn Tray Pack. NY Red Delicious US ExFcy 88s 14.00; 100s 13.75; 113-125s 13.50. PA Romes US ExFcy 56-100s 11.00. Ctn Film Bag 12-3 lb. US Fcy 2 1/4" & up. NY Red Delicious 12.00 Romes 10.50. McIntosh 9.00.

**VEGETABLES**  
**ASPARAGUS:** Slightly higher. Pyramid crates. NJ Fieldrun bchd 12s 19.00-20.00 loose lge. 19.00.

**CABBAGE:** Higher. 1-3/4 bu. crt. & ctn. mostly med. green unless otherwise stated. NY Red type 7-7.50.

**GREENS:** About steady.

GA 1-2/5 bu. crt. bchd. Turnip Tops. NJ bu. bkt loose Rape Turnip Tops & mustard 5.00; Broccoli Rabe 1-1/9 bu. crt. bchd 3.00-4.00 one lot 5.00-6.00. VA. bu. bkt. & crt. loose Turnip Tops Rape & Mustard 5.00.

**LEEEKS:** NJ 4/5 bu. crt. & ctn. bchd 12s 4.50-5.00..

**MUSHROOMS:** Steady. Pa. 4-qt. bkt. med.-lge. 4.50-4.75; sml.-med. 3.50-3.75.

**ONIONS-DRY:** Steady. 50-lb sks. US#1 or generally good quality. Yellow unless otherwise stated. NY sml.-med. fair cond. 2.50.

**ONIONS-green;** steady. NJ 4/5 bu. crt. bchd. 36s 5.00-6.00; some best 6.50-7.00.

**POTATOES:** About steady. 50-lb. sks. US #1 Size A wshd. unless otherwise stated.

**ROUND WHITES:** Maine 3-25 mostly 3.25 few 3.50 lge. 3.75 Baled 10-5 lb. film sks. 4.65-4.75. NY lge. 3.50-few 3.75.

**RADISHES:** Steady. NJ 4/5 bu. crt. bchd. 36s Red 3.50-4.00.

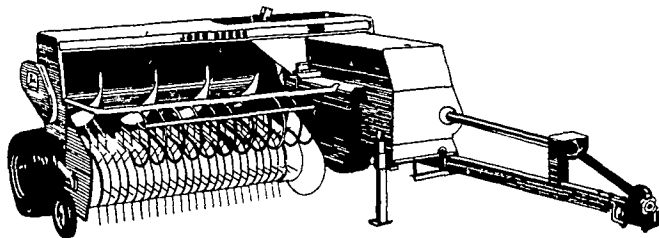
**RHUBARB:** NJ celery crt. bchd. 24s 4.80.

**SPINACH:** Higher Bu. bkt. & Crates Savoy Type NJ 10.00-11.00 some 9.50. VA. 9.00.

**SWEET POTATOES:** Steady. NC 50-lb. ctn. Porto Rico Type US #1 11.50-12.50 one lot 13.00 fair appear 9.00-10.00.

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