ago.

Average of LS-214 detailed

quotations for Choice 900-

1100 lb Steers 66.30; 1100-

1300 lbs. 66.25. Average cost

Steers this week 66.04,

average weight 1163 lbs. as

compared 66.47 and 1148 lbs.

a week ago. Average cost

Heifers 63.73, average

weight 1011 lbs. as compared

64.22 and 1006 lbs. a week

Commercial 2-4 42.50-44.00.

Cutter 41.00-43.00 Canner

BULLS: 102 1200-2000 lbs.

48.00-53.00, individual 1 54.00.

Joliet

Cattle

Thursday, November 6

Report supplied by USDA

CATTLE: Friday through

and Low-Cutter 37.00-41.00.

COWS: Utility and

Livestock market and auction news

Central U.S. Carlot

Wednesday, November 5

Report supplied by USDA Compared to Tuesday's 4:30 report: Steer & heifer beef continues under active; demand good. Sales pressure with Choice 3 steer reported on 911/2 loads, 11 beef 1.00 lower late, Choice 3 heifer beef 1.00-2.00 lower Choice 4 2.00 lower and Good steady to 1.00 lower. Demand & trading moderate 92.25; 14-17 lbs. 90.00-91.25, early at lower prices levels but trading rather slow after noon with most buyers higher; 17-22 lbs. 88.00-89.00; trying for additionally lower prices and packers are showing resistance to this. Supplies moderate for demand except Y.G. 4 in higher. heavy supply but movement good. The boxed heef carcass cutout value declined \$.74 per cwt. to \$110.21. Sales reported on 141 loads of steer and heifer beef.

STEER BEEF 75 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis Choice 3: 600-900 lbs. 103.00-104.00, late 103.00, 1.00 lower.

Choice 4: 600-900 lbs. 86.00-87.00, late 86.00, 2.00 lower. Good 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 99.00-100.00, steady-1.00 lwr.

FOB Amarillo Basis Choice 2-3: 600-700 lbs. YG 3 102.50-103.50; YG 2 104.00-105.00.

HEIFER BEEF 66 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis Choice 3: 500-700 lbs. 99.00-101.00, late 99.00-100.00, 1.00-2.00 lower.

Choice 2-3: 500-600 lbs. YG 100.50, YG 2 102.00. Choice 4: 500-700 lbs. 86.00-87.00, late 86.00, 2.00 lower. Good 2-3: 500-700 lbs. 96.00-96.50, steady-.50 lower.

PRIMAL BEEF CUTS 3 Loads

Fores: 130-210 lbs. 91.00-93.00, late 91.00. **BONELESS PROCESSING**

BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS 22 Loads FOB Omaha Basis

50% chem lean fresh 67.00-69.00, mostly 67.00-68.00, 1.00

Compared to Tuesday's 2:15 report: Fresh pork loins 14-17 lbs. steady, 17 & up lbs.

steady-1.00 higher. Boston butts steady-.50 higher. Spareribs steady-1.00 lower. Fresh hams steady-2.00 higher except 26 & up lbs. 1.50-2.75 lower. Sdls Bellies steady-1.00 higher. Trading loads of trimmings and variety meats.

FRESH PORK CUTS LOINS: 14/dn lbs. 92.00bulk 91.00-91.25, steady: 17-

20 lbs. 88.00-89.00, steady-1.00 20 & up lbs. 81.00, steady-.75 higher.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs. 78.00-78.50, steady-.50

SPARERIBS: 2-3 lbs. 103.00 frozen; 3/dn lbs. 99.50-100.00 frozen, steady-.50 lower; 3-5 lbs. 93.00-94.00 frozen, steady-1.00 lower.

SKINNED HAMS: 14-17 lbs. 89.00, steady; 17-20 lbs. 85.00-86.00, 1.50-2.00 higher; 20-26 lbs. 79.50-mostly 80.00, mostly 2.00 higher; 26 & up lbs. 73.75-75.00, 1.50-2.75 lower.

BELLIES, SDLS: 10-12 lbs. 56.50; 12-14 lbs. 61.00-62.25, steady-1.00 higher; 14-16 lbs. 61.00-62.00, steady-1.00 higher; 18-20 lbs. 54.50, steady

BNLS CT BUTT: 11/2-3 lbs. 117.00-117.50.

VARIETY MEATS

TAIL: 14.00. FEET, FRONT, TOES ON: 24.00. SKINNED JOWLS: 41.00

SNOUTS, LEAN IN: 35.00.

PORK TRIMMINGS BONELESS PROCESSING PORK (Chemical Lean)

42% lean trimmings fresh 48.00.

42% trummings frzn 49.00. 72% bnls picnics fresh 90.00.

72% bnls picnics frozen 93.00.

Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, Pa. Monday, November 3 Report supplied by auction

CATTLE 193. Choice slaughter steers 65.00-68.00, Good 63.00-67.50, Standard *************************

60.00-62.00, Utility 54.00-59.00. Good slaughter heifers 62.00-66.00, Standard 55.00-60.00, Utility 45.00-51.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 47.00-50.00, Cutters 44.00-47.00, Canner & Low Cutter 39.00-43.00, Shells down to 35.00. Good slaughter bullocks 62.00-65.00, Standard 57.00-62.00, Utility 52.00-55.00. Yield Grade #1 slaughter bulls 59.00-62.00; yield grade #2 52.00-57.00.

365. Choice CALVES vealers 95.00-105.00, Good 90.00-95.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 70.00-76.00, 70-90 lbs. 68.00-72.00, Utility 55-100 lbs. 60.00-68.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 100.00-115.00; holstein heifers 85-130 lbs. 140.00-175.00.

HOGS 387. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 49.50-51.00, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 48.50-49.50, No. 2-3 260-270 lbs. 46.00-47.00, No. 1-3 130-185 lbs. 40.00-43.00. US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs. sows 44.00-48.00. No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 38.00-44.00. Boars 35.00-40.06.

FEEDER PIGS 91. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-22.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 22.00-28.00 per head.

SHEEP 5. Choice wooled slaughter lambs 58.00-60.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-20.00.

Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa. Monday, November 3 Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 196. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1.50 lower. Few Low.Choice slaughter steers 68.25-69.25, Good 62.00-68.00, few Standard 55.25-62.00. Couple slaughter heifers 59.60-63.85, few Good 55.75-61.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 42.50-48.25, couple to 49.50, Cutters 41.50-46.00, Canner & Low Cutters 36.00-40.50. One Good slaughter bullock at 60.00. Yield Grade #1 900-1550 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.35-54.75. Few Medium & Large Frame #1 375-450 lbs. feeder steers 70.00-73.00; Medium Frame #2 325-425 lbs. feeder heifers 51,00-59.00

CALVES 202. Bulk of supply returned to farm. Couple Prime vealers 110.00 and 111.00, few Choice 94.00-106.00, few Good 88.00-100.00, Standard & Good 70-95 lbs. 72.00-83.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 85-120 lbs. 82.00-109.00, mostly 95.00-104.00; few holstein heifers 90-130 lbs. 125.00-167.50.

HOGS 538. Barrows & gilts about steady. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 48.80-49.90, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 48.00-49.30, No. 1-3 170-195 lbs. 42.50-45.50. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 41.50-45.75. Boars 34.00-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 281. US No. 1-3 15-20 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-12.50 per head, No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 12.00-18.00, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 18.00-25.00 per head, No. 1-3 95-140 lbs. 39.00-42.50 cwt.

SHEEP 9. Few Choice 85-95 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 60.00-64.50.

Middleburg Auction

Tuesday, November 4

Report supplied by auction CATTLE 284. Choice slaughter steers 65.00-68.75, Good 60.00-67.75, Standard 58.00-60.00, Utility 55.00-58.00. Choice slaughter heifers 60.00-63.75, Good 55.00-60.00, Standard 50 00-55.00, Utility 45.00-50.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 45.00-47.85, few 48.35, Cutters 42.00-45.00. Canner & Low Cutters 38.00-42.00, Shells down to 35.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 60.00-63.60, Good 56.00-60.00. Yield Grade #1, slaughter bulls 54.00-60.50, #2, 48.00-54.00.

CALVES 135. Prime vealers 90.00-95.00, Choice 85.00-90.00, Good 80.00-85.90, Standard and Good 90-110 lbs. 65.00-80.00, 70-90 lbs. 60.00-65.00. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 95-115 lbs. 80.00-105.00; Hol. Heifers 80-150 lbs. 100.00-177.50.

HOGS 905. US No. 1-2 215-235 lbs. barrows and gults 49.00-50.50, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 48.50-49.10. No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 47.00-48.50. US No. 1-3 255-575 lbs. sows 41.25-46.75, No. 2-3 235-650 lbs. 33.50-40.00. Boars 200-500 lbs. 36.00-39.00.

FEEDER PIGS 377. US No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. feeder pigs

15.00-32.00 per head, No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. 6.00-15.00, No. 1-3 40-70 lbs. 32.00-42.00 per head.

SHEEP 32. Choice 80-100 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 60.00-62.00, Good 52.00-60.00.

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, November 6 Report supplied by USDA

Slaughter Steers predominantly 3 were mostly steady for the week. while consignments with a noticeable percentage 4 closed weak to .50 lower. Heifers were steady to firm, instances .25 higher. Cows were 1.00-1.50 lower, and bulls 1 00-2.00 lower.

Four Day Receipts this week 12,500; Last week 11,800; Year ago 11,700.

Selectivity was the keynote of a cautious and deliberate steer trade as yield grade was frequently the major price-determining factor; this was a reflection of the 16.00-18.00 price differential between yield grade 3 carcasses and yield grade 4, which is among the greatest of record. A somewhat reduced supply of Heifers met with good demand. The overall finish of the Steer and Heifer supply was quite attractive with a liberal percentage Choice, although many consignments were Mixed 3-4 yield grades. slaughter Steers made up approximately 43 pct and Heifers 21 pct. Cows comprised 8 pct and Feeders 24

STEERS: Early, three loads Choice with few Prime 3 1187-1304 lb. exotic crossbreds 67.50-67 75. At midweek, eight loads same grade 3 1100-1225 lbs. 67.25. Choice 2-4 1025-1300 lbs. 65.25-66 75, occasionally 67.00 on predominantly 3. some with increased percentage 4 1150-1275 lbs. 64.00-64.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 1000-1250 lbs. 65.00-65.50. Good 2-3 62.00-64.50.

HEIFERS: At midweek, load Choice with end Prime 3 900-1050 lbs. closed 63.00- 900-1050 lb 63.75 Good 2-3 59.00-62.50.

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Wednesday's Salable receipts Slaughter Cattle 4,311; Feeder Cattle 115; same period a week ago Slaughter Cattle 4,631; Feeder Cattle 127; same period a year ago Slaughter Cattle 5,400. Trading slow Monday & Wednesday on Steers; trading slow on Monday, active on Wednesday on Heifers. Slaughter Steers closed the week mostly steady to 1.00 lower on YG 2 and 3 steers compared with Wednesday of last week; YG 4 & 5 Steers ended the week 1.50 to 2.00 lower than Wednesday of last week. Slaughter Heifers ended the week .50 to 1.00 lower. Cows ended the week weak to 1.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed High Choice and Prime 3-5 1150-1300 lb. 66.50-67.50 Monday; 65.75-66.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-3, few 4, 1150-1300 lb. 66.50-67.00 Monday; 67.00-67.25, pageage 67.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lb. 66.00-67.00 Monday and Wednesday. Choice 3-5 1150-1300 lb. 65.00-65.75 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lb. 64.50-66.00 Monday and Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime, mostly YG 2-3 1000-1100 lb. 65.00-65.25, load 65.50 Monday; 65.75, load 66.00, load 66.25 1061 lbs. and load Choice 3 Wednesday. Mixed Choice 1005 lbs. 65.00, small con- and Prime 3-4 900-1050 lb. signment Choice and Prime 64.50-65.25 Monday; 65.00-3 1056 lbs. 65 25. Choice 2-4 65.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 64.00-65.00 64.75. Mixed Good and Monday; 64.00-65.50 Wed-Choice 2-4 875-1075 lbs. 62.50- nesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lb. 62.50-64 00 Monday and Wednesday.

> COWS: Cutter and Utility 1-3 40.00-44.00, few 44.50 Monday; 40.00-44.00 Wednesday and Thursday. 1-3 33 00-40.00 Canner Monday; 32.50-40.00 Wed-



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