

Livestock market and auction news

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, January 15
Report supplied by USDA
 At midweek, Slaughter Steers recovered some of early decline to close steady, some sales 25-50 lower, Heifers steady to 50 lower, instances .50-1.00 lower. Cows closed 2.00-3.00 lower, Bulls steady to 1.00 higher.
 Four day receipts this week 17,400; last week 13,700; year ago 13,800.
 Early marketings of Steers were liberal and contained many mixed yield grade 3-4. Prices declined early. A sharply higher carcass trade helped to recover only a portion of the early loss as marketings in the trade area were liberal. Continued mild feeding weather contributes to weight gains and seller interest substantial. A moderate number of yield grade 4 Steers and Heifers were unsold from day to day. Cows receipts were small until midweek, contributing to price recovery. Slaughter Steers made up around 48 pct of the estimated five day total, Heifers 33 pct, cows 14 pct and Feeders 4 pct.
STEERS Six Loads Choice 3 1100-1200 lbs 64.75-65.00, two loads at 65.00 Choice, some Prime 2-4 mainly 3 1050-1300 lbs 63.00-64.00, several loads 64.25-64.50; few loads 2-3 1275-1375 lbs 63.00-64.00 Choice and

some Prime 3-4 1150-1300 lbs 61.00-63.00, mainly 61.00-62.50, larger percentage 4, some 5 1250-1350 lbs 58.00-60.50, some 1300-1425 lbs 57.00, one lot 1600 lbs. 50.50 Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs 62.00-63.50 Good 2-3 59.00-62.00. Late sales Good and Choice 2-3 Holsteins 1300-1500 lbs 58.00-59.50.

HEIFERS at midweek, around four loads Choice with few Prime 3, few 4 and load Choice 2-3 1000-1100 lbs. 63.00 Choice 2-4 900-1150 lbs. 61.00-62.40, 3-4 59.00-61.50, some with large percentage 4 57.00-59.00 Mixed Good and choice 2-4 875-1050 lbs 60.00-61.50 Good 2-3 57.00-60.00

Average of LS 214 detailed quotations for Choice 900-1100 lb steers 63.70, 1100-1300 lbs. 63.45 Average cost Steers this week 62.73, average weight 1205 lbs as compared 63.20 and 1199 lbs a week ago Average cost Heifers 61.45 average weight 1044 lbs as compared 61.70 and 1034 lbs a week ago

COWS Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.00-43.50, mostly 42.00-43.50 Cutter 1-2 39.00-42.50

BULLS 1-4 1400-1800 lbs 48.00-52.00, individual 1 53.00-54.00

FEEDERS Few lots Medium Frame 1 fleshy Steers 1075-1125 lbs 62.50-64.00, mostly 63.50-64.00 at midweek Few large farms 2 Holsteins 58.00

Oklahoma Cattle

Thursday, January 15
Report supplied by USDA
Thursday Feeder Cattle
 Auction and weekly summary Estimated Receipts 4400, same day last week 5111

Moderately active; Feeder Steers and Heifers generally steady with Wednesday's advance Demand Good Majority receipts medium frame No 1-2 400-800 lb. Feeder Steers and 350-650 lb Feeder Heifers including fairly large percentage of cattle arriving from wheat pastures Moderate attendance of buyers

FEEDER STEERS Medium frame No 1 300-400 lb. 79.75-85.50; 400-500 lb. 74.50-81.00, package 401 lb 82.50; 500-600 lb 73.75-76.80; 600-700 lb. 71.50-73.90, 700-800 lb 70.50-71.60; few 747-776 lb fleshy 68.50-69.90; 800-860 lb 68.25-70.80

Medium Frame No. 1-2 package 399 lb 77.30; 500-700 lb 70.00-72.10; 700-982 lb 65.50-69.90.

Large Frame No. 2 545-665 lb. 64.00-68.60; 700-1020 lb 63.40-67.75.

Holsteins 645-735 lb 59.75-61.00; 800-926 lb. 58.90-61.00

FEEDER HEIFERS Medium Frame No. 1 300-400 lb. 65.50-70.50; 400-500 lb. 64.00-66.25; 500-600 lb 63.75-66.70, 600-700 lb. 63.90-66.70, part load 675 lb 67.40; few 700-755 lb 63.25-64.00, package fleshy 790 lb. 60.00.

Medium Frame No 1-2 300-400 lb 62.75-65.70; 400-500 lb 62.00-63.00; 500-700 lb. 59.75-62.90.

Medium Frame No. 2 400-500 lb 60.00-62.25; few 630-670 lb 56.30-57.80

FOR THE WEEK Compared to late last week Feeder Cattle over 500 lb. steady to 1.00 higher; offerings under 500 lb. steady

to firm Beef Cows 2.00-3.00 higher, canner and cutter 1.00-2.00 higher; late sales Utility and Commercial 2-3 42.00-45.75, few high dressings 46.30-47.00; Cutter 1-3 41.25-43.00. Slaughter Bulls generally steady, Yield Grade 1-2 1000-1500 lb. 51.00-55.00, individual near 1700 lb 58.00. Salable receipts for the week near 16,600 head compared to 19,660 the same period a week ago Majority or 91 percent of the receipts consisted of Feeder Cattle and Calves; Cows and Bulls numbered near 1500 head and made up 9 percent of total.

Joliet Cattle

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CATTLE: Friday's through Wednesday's salable receipts 6,400; 5 days last week 4,669, same period a year ago 6,483 Trading slow for the week Slaughter Steers ended the week steady to 1.00, instances 1.50 lower, with the most decrease on YG 4 & 5 Steers compared with Wednesday of last week Slaughter Heifers ended the week mostly 50 to 1.00, instances 1.50 lower Cows ended the week mostly steady

SLAUGHTER STEERS. Mixed High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1300 lb 64.00-65.00 Monday; 64.00-64.50 Wednesday, YG 3-4, few 5, 1150-1350 lbs. 62.50-64.00; YG 3-5 1150-1400 lb 61.00-62.50; 4-5 1250-1525 lb 60.00-61.00 Choice & Mixed Good & Choice 2-3, few 4, 1200-1425 lbs 64.50-65.50 Choice 2-4 1050-1300 lbs 63.50-64.75; YG 3-4 1150-1300 lbs 62.50-63.50; YG mostly 4, few 5, 1200-1350 lbs. 60.00-62.00 Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1200 lbs 62.00-65.00. Standard and Good 2-3 1300-1550 lb Holsteins 55.00-57.00 Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 950-1100 lbs 3 loads 63.50, packaged 63.75 Wednesday, mostly YG 4 950-1000 lbs 61.50-62.00, mostly YG 4-5 1025-1150 lbs 57.00-60.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 900-1125 lbs 61.50-63.75 Monday, 61.50-63.00 Wednesday Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs 59.50-61.50

COWS: Cutter & Utility 1-3 36.00-40.00 Monday; 38.00-42.00, few 43.00

900-1100 lbs. 63.50-65.50; Good 59.00-63.00. Holsteins Standard & Good 49.00-54.25.

BUTCHER HOGS: Light run. US #1 & 3 215-240 lbs. to 43.00; 240-260 lbs. to 43.75; 195-210 lbs. to 42.75; Sows US 1&3 250-600 lbs. 34.00-39.00. **BOARS** 400-600 lbs. 33.75-34.85.

VEAL CALVES: Light run. Good & Choice 92.00-103.00; Standard 82.00-92.00; Killers 80-100 lbs. 59.00-65.00; Weak & Rough 58.00 Down.

CALVES RETURNS TO FARM Holstein Bulls Bulk 95-115 lbs 95.00-110.00.

LAMBS. Good 70-80 lbs. to 50.00

STOCK CATTLE Steers Choice 550-650 lbs 66.50-69.00, Good 300-600 lbs 56.00-65.00; Heifers Good 350-550 lbs. 49.00-54.25, Medium 350-650 lbs. 43.00-50.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS By the Head 15-30 lbs 7.00-10.00, 30-50 lbs. 11.00-19.00, 60-80 lbs to 25.50. By the Lb 100-130 lbs 30.50-35.50, St Boars 180-225 lbs 26.00-33.50

Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, January 13

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CATTLE. STEERS Good 62.50-66.00, Standard 57.00-61.10; Utility 51.50-56.00. **HEIFERS.** Good 56.50-57.25; Standard 47.50-54.00. **COWS.** Utility & Commercial 44.00-48.00, Cutters 42.75-45.00, Canner & Low Cutter 39.00-43.00; Shells down to 34.50. **BULLOCKS.** Good 56.50-59.00; Utility 53.00-56.00.

FEEDER STEERS: 53.00-72.00.

CATTLE HEIFERS 46.00-53.00. **BULLS** 51.00-66.50

CALVES. VEALERS. Choice 85.00-94.00; Good 75.00-87.50, Standard & Good 70.00-85.00; Standard & Good 60.00-70.00

FARM CALVES Hol Bulls 102.00-109.00, Hol Heifers 115.00-172.50

HOGS: US No 1-2 43.00-46.35; US No 1-3 42.50-44.00, US No. 2-3 37.75-42.00 **SOWS** US No 1-3 37.00-40.00, No. 2-3 34.00-37.50; Boars 30.00-35.25. **FEEDER PIGS.** US No 1-3 11.00-19.00; No. 1-3 23.50-34.00; Utility 8.00-10.00.

SHEEP. LAMBS. Good 46.00-56.50.

St. Louis Cattle

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Report supplied by USDA
 Receipts This Week 6,300
 Week Ago 6,500
 Year Ago 5,200

Compared to the previous week's close, slaughter steers mostly 1.00-1.50 higher, except holstein steers 1.00-2.00 lower Slaughter heifers 50-1.00 higher. Cows 3.00-4.00 higher. Bulls weak to 1.00 lower Slaughter supply

mainly Choice and Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. steers, around 35% heifers and 10% cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 1050-1275 lbs. 63.50-66.00, closing 65.00-66.00; 3-4 1125-1300 lbs. 62.50-64.50, closing 64.00-64.50; package 4-5 1325 lbs 59.50. Choice 2-4 950-1300 lbs 62.50-65.00, closing 63.50-65.00; few lots 2-3 1050-1070 lbs. 65.25-65.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1200 lbs. 62.00-64.00. Good 2-3 900-1175 lbs. 60.00-62.50. Standard to Good 1050-1350 lbs. holsteins 52.00-58.00, closing 52.00-56.00. Package Standard 2-3 1185 lbs. 48.75

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 2-4 875-1050 lbs 61.50-62.50, closing 62.50, couple packaged 63.00; 3-4 900-1075 lbs 58.00-60.00, 4-5 950-1100 lbs. 56.00-59.00 Choice 2-4 850-1050 lbs 60.50-62.50. Closing 61.00-62.50 Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 700-1000 lbs 59.00-61.50 Good 2-3 700-975 lbs. 57.00-59.50.

COWS Closing week sales Utility and Commercial 2-4 41.00-45.00 Boning Utility 1-2 45.00-47.00 Cutter 1-2 40.00-44.00 Canner and Low-Cutter 1-2 36.00-40.00.

BULLS. Yield Grade 1-2 1050-2080 lbs. 50.00-55.00

FEEDERS. (Including around 1,800 at the regular Thursday auction.) Feeder steers and heifers generally steady. Supply medium and small frame 1-2 400-800 lbs. steers and 300-700 lbs. heifers

FEEDER STEERS. Medium Frame 1: 375-525 lbs. 70.25-76.75, mostly 71.50-75.00, 600-700 lbs. 68.00-69.75; scattered lots 750-775 lbs. 67.75-69.00; 800-925 lbs. 64.00-67.25. Medium Frame 1-2 and Small Frame 1: 350-550 lbs 65.00-70.00, mostly 66.00-69.00; 600-775 lbs. 64.00-68.00. Large Frame 2 Holsteins: few lots 750-900 lbs 52.00-55.00

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Thomasville Mkt.

Wednesday, January 14

Cattle 112 head. Steers good, 64.50-66.75, medium 61.00-62.25; Holsteins 65.25-69.25, heifers good 60.00-61.00; medium 54.50-56.00; Calves 46.00-47.25 and 44.00-46.00; Cutters 41.75-44.00; Low Cutter 38.25-39.50; Bulls Choice 65.85; Medium 55.50-57.00; Calves feeder cattle steers 64.00-71.00; heifers 55.00-61.00; Calves few Choice \$1.04, good .82; Standard Tender and Good 65.00-70.00; Utility 55.00-60.00; Bulls - Farm Calves 70.00-80.00; heifer calves 1.00-1.30

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Western Maryland Livestock

Westminster, Md.

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