Wednesday markets no covered by USDA & PDA due to holiday

Central U.S. Carlot **Beef Report**

Thursday, July 5 Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Choice Steer and Heifer Carcasses \$1.00 higher. Good steady. Trade fairly active. Demand good, offerings light.

The Gross Boxed Beef Carcass cutout value advanced \$.49 to an estimated \$105.65 per cwt, 60 loads Boxed Cuts reported.

Sales reported on 721/2 loads of Steer and Heifer Carcasses.

Steer Beef 30½ loads

FOB Omaha Basis Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 103.00, 1.00 higher; 600-700 lbs. 102.50.

Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 103.50. Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 92.00,

FOB Amarillo Basis Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 92.00, no comparison

Heifer Beef 42 loads

FOB Omaha Basis Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 101.00, 1.00 higher; 500-550 lbs. 97.00, 1.00 higher; 400-500 lbs. 95.00, 1.00

higher. Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 92.00, 1.00 higher.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 90.00, steady; Good 2-3 400-550 lbs. 82.00-83.00, no comparison.

FOB Amarillo Basis Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 90.00, no

comparison. **Cow Carcasses** 4 loads

Breaking and Boning Utility \$1.00 higher, Amarillo basis on small test. Trade slow. Offerings

FOB Amarillo Basis

Bkrg Utlty 2-3 450/up lbs. 73.00 (West), 1.00 higher.

BNG Utlty 1-3 400/up lbs. 75.00 (West), 1.00 higher.

Primal Beef Cuts 3 Load **FOB Omaha Basis**

Choice 3: Hinds (S) 145-190 lbs. 130.00; Fores 130-210 lbs. 79.00. Good and Choice 2-3: Short

Plates 61.00.

Boneless Processing Beef Beef Trimmiffes 33 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis Chem Lean Fresh 54.00-

FOB Amarillo Basis 90% Chem Lean Fresh 103.00-104.00.

90% Chem Lean Frozen 104.00. 85% Chem Lean Fresh 95.00. 50% Chem Lean Fresh 55.00.

For the week: Choice Steer and Heifer Carcasses \$3.00 higher. Good \$1.00 higher. Boxed Beef Carcass Cutout value advanced \$3.49 per cwt. Cow Carcasses \$1.00-2.00 higher.

Weekly Summary Friday, July 6

Report Supplied by PDA Markets: 14, of which only 11

were reported due 0 to the July 4th holiday.

CATTLE: 5804. Compared with 8372 head last week, and 5710 head a year ago. Compared with last week's market: Slaughter steers steady to 2.00 higher; Sl. heifers steady to 1.00 higher; Sl. cows mostly .50-1.00 higher; Sl. bulls steady to 2.00 lower. Sl. steers: High Choice & Prime No. 3-4, 66.00-68.85, some late week 69.60; Choice NO. 2-4, 62.00-67.50; Good 55.00-62.00; Standard 50.00-55.00. Sl. heifers: Choice 58.00-65.00; Good 52.00-59.00; Standard 46.00-53.50.

Sl. cows: Breaking Utility & Commercial 42.50-46.00; Cutters 38.50-44.50; Canner & L. Cutter 34.50-40.00; Shells down to 24.00. Sl. bullocks: Good 52.25-55.50. Sl. bulks: Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-2150 lbs. 48.00-52.75; Yield Grade No. 2, 900-1450 lbs. 44.00-50.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers, Medium Frame No. 1, 350-775 lbs. 45.00-56.00. Heifers, Medium Frame No. 1, 300-600 lbs. 42.00-48.25, No. 2, 350-650 lbs. 37.00-44.00. Bulls, Medium Frame No. 1, 400-759 lbs. 45.00-49.00.

CALVES: 3904. Compared with 4436 head last week and 3352 head a year ago. Vealers Good & Choice grades strong to 10.00 higher, Standard & Good 3.00 higher. (few) Prime 85.00-102.00; Choice 70.00-85.00; Good 58.00-70.00; 90-120 lbs. 50.00-61.00; 65-90 lbs. 45.00-55.00; Utility 50-100 lbs. 25.00-45.00.

FARM CALVES: Hol. Bulls 90-130 lbs. 49.00-106.00, mostly 70.00-92.00; Hol. Heifers 85-140 lbs. 50.00-

HOGS: 6406. Compared with 7504 head last week and 2185 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts mostly 1.00-1.50 higher. US No. 1-2 200-245

lbs. 54.00-57.50 No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 53.00-56.00; No. 2-3 200-285 lbs. 52.50-55.00; Sows steady to .50 higher. US No. 1-3 300-625 lbs. 38.00-45.50; No. 2-3 300-650 lbs. 35.00-40.00. Boars 28.50-35.50.

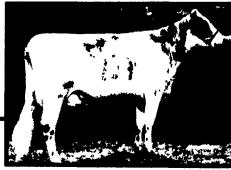
FEEDER PIGS: 994. Compared with 1447 head last week and 958 a year ago. Feeder pigs uneven, mostly weak to 5.00 lower. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 12.00-26.00 per head; No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 26.00-36.00; No. 1-3 50-85 lbs. 35.00-45.00 per head.

ONE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE: 837. Compared with 1703 head last week, and 2110 head a year ago. All sales by CWT. Feeder Pigs highly uneven, extremes 30.00 higher to 11.00 lower. US No. 1-2 30-40 lbs. 97.00-110.00, 40-50 lbs. 95.00-106.00, 50-60 lbs. 73.00-100.00, 60-70 lbs. 81.00-90.00, 80-90 lbs. 59.00-66.00; US No. 2-3 25-30 lbs. 92.00-98.00, 30-50 lbs. 75.00-85.00.

SHEEP: 1213. Compared with 1707 head last week and 252 head a year ago. Spring/sl. lambs uneven. High Choice & Prime 75-110 lbs. 58.00-67.00; Choice 65-105 lbs. 50.00-58.00; Good 60-100 lbs. 45.00-55.00. Sl. ewes 5.00-25.00.

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(Production and Type Averages For Cows Bred By Owner)

Years of C.B.A. Awards	% Bred	No. Cows in Avg.	Mature Equivalent 2X			Converted
			Milk	Average %	Fat	M.E. 4% Milk
24	100	108	19,465	4.1	806	19,875

LEADING DHIR AVERAGE (RECORD COMPUTED TO AN M.E. 2X, 4% BASIS)

	Actual			Mature Equivalent		M.E. 4%
Cows	Milk	%	Fat	Milk	Fat	Milk
108	17,825	4.2	748	19,465	806	19,875

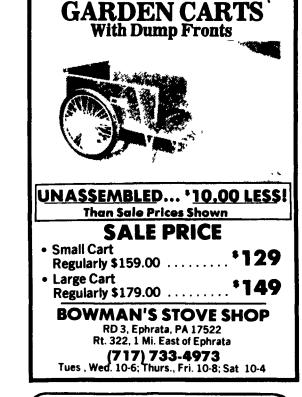
25,000 LB. RECORDS (ACTUAL MILK IN 305 DAYS 2X)

Ardrossan Classic Pearlina 836906 5-08	26,620	1105	
Ardrossan Classic Betty 7988836 9-03	25,110	955	
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