

**OK City Feeder Cattle**

OKLAHOMA CITY, OK  
MARCH 12, 1997

Compared to last week: Feeder steers and heifers steady. Feeder demand good early, moderate in afternoon. Stocker steers 2.00-4.00 higher; stocker heifers steady. Demand good for stocker heifers. Demand excellent for grazing steers of all sizes which includes through heavy 6 weights. Buyers best bargain for short term gain on graze out wheat is the heavy weight stockers and this is what fuels demand for these cattle this time of year. Quality of supply average. Feeder cattle continue in medium to fleshy condition. Weigh-ups gaunt to full, mainly gaunt to average. Additional corn belt buyers arrived this week but not particularly active. Slaughter cows and bulls 2.00 lower. Packer demand moderate at the decline. Total of 380 cows and bulls sold with 70 percent to packers. Receipts this week 15,200; last week 18,046; last year 14,468. Supply consisted of 81 percent yearlings; 19 percent calves and light yearlings under 600 lbs; 2 percent cows and bulls. Prices follow with weighted average weight and price in parenthesis. Feeder Steers: Medium and Large 1 Calves and stockers 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 91.00-98.00 (94.73); 400-450 lbs (430 lbs) 89.00-98.00 (94.47); 450-500 lbs (483 lbs) 86.50-93.50 (89.99); 500-600 lbs (550 lbs) 82.00-89.50, few thin to 92.00 (86.90); 600-650 lbs (626 lbs) 75.00-81.50 (78.45); 650-700 lbs (675 lbs) 71.50-77.50 (73.75); Feeders 600-650 lbs (635 lbs) 69.00-76.25 (71.94); 650-700 lbs (675 lbs) 69.00-71.50 (70.36); 700-750 lbs (731 lbs) 66.25-72.25 (68.99); 750-800 lbs (773 lbs) 66.00-70.25 (68.43); 800-850 lbs (823 lbs) 64.00-69.00 (67.19); 850-900 lbs (869 lbs) 63.50-68.25 (66.09); 900-950 lbs (932 lbs) 62.25-67.00 (65.24); 950-1000 lbs (980 lbs) 62.25-65.50 (62.82);

1000-1050 lbs (1018 lbs) 61.75-62.00 (61.97); 1084 lbs 61.50. Holsteins: Large 2 460 lbs 56.50; 550-900 lbs 53.50-55.25. Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1 Calves and stockers 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 75.00-79.00 (77.22); 400-500 lbs (450 lbs) 71.00-77.00 (74.60); 500-550 lbs (520 lbs) 70.25-75.50 (74.14); 550-600 lbs (571 lbs) 69.00-71.50 (70.19); Feeders 500-550 lbs (534 lbs) 66.00-69.50 (68.90); 550-600 lbs (568 lbs) 66.25-68.25 (67.25); 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 64.00-66.25 (65.48); 700-800 lbs (750 lbs) 62.25-66.50 (64.78); 800-900 lbs (850 lbs) 61.75-64.75 (62.50). Slaughter Cows: Average dressing: Cutters 34.50-38.00, Boners 38.50-42.00, Breakers 40.00-43.00; high dressing: Cutters 38.00-42.50, Utilities 41.50-45.00, few to 46.00; low dressing: Cutters 32.50-35.50, Utilities 34.50-39.50. Cannors over 800 lbs 29.50-34.00, light weights or low dressing 23.00-29.00. Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Cutters 77.80; Boners 80.20; Breakers 78.15; Cannors 74.25. Bulls 83.90. Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1-1600-2200 lbs average dressing 45.00-49.50; high dressing 50.00-53.50, high dressing/high boning 53.00-57.00; low dressing 1200-1700 lbs 40.00-43.50, few 36.00-37.50. Pairs: Medium and Large 1 High quality 5-6 yr old 900-1100 lb English cows, 175 lb calves 700.00-750.00.

**Carlisle Livestock Market**

Carlisle, Pa.  
Tuesday, March 11, 1997

Report Supplied by Auction  
SLAUGHTER CATTLE: COWS, BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 38.00-43.50; CUTTER AND BONEING UTILITY 36.00-41.50; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 28.00-35.00; BIG MIDDLE 32.00-35.75; SHELLY 27.00 AND DOWN.  
BULLS: YG#1 42.00-46.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: ACTIVE! FEEDER STEERS MEDIUM AND LARGE #1 525-950 LBS. 61.50-71.00; FEEDER HEIFERS MEDIUM AND LARGE #1 450-900 LBS. 52.00-65.00; HOLSTEIN/DAIRY TYPES 44.00-51.00; FEEDER BULLS, ALL WEIGHTS, 36.00-55.00.  
CALVES: VEALERS STANDARD AND GOOD 28.00-47.50; HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-125 LBS. 68.00-74.00; #2 90-145 LBS. 45.00-66.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 90-125 LBS. 110.00-125.00; BEEF X BULLS 80-120 LBS. 60.00-75.00; BEEF X HEIFERS 80-130 LBS. 65.00-90.00.

SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 48.25-48.50, 280-350 LBS. 46.00-51.00; SOWS US#1-3 300-650 LBS. 43.00-56.00; THIN/WEAK/ROUGH TO 41.00; BOARS 36.00-38.00; FEEDER PIGS, STRONG DEMAND! BY THE HEAD, 12-26 LBS. 26.00-32.00, 35-40 LBS. 45.00-50.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, MEDIUM TO LARGE 85.00-105.00; FLESHY KIDS 50.00-65.00; THIN/SMALL KIDS 31.00-44.50.

LAMBS: STRONG DEMAND! CHOICE 50-80 LBS. 142.50-157.50; AND 80-100 LBS. 127.50-132.50.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 34.00-45.00. SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS, 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES, THEN LAMBS, SHEEP, PIGS, FEEDER CATTLE, BOARS, BULLS, FED CATTLE, COWS, HOGS, SOWS.

THE NEXT SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALES TUES., MARCH 18. ALREADY CONSIGNED: 60 HEAD BEEF STEERS WEIGHING 750-900 LBS., 20 HEAD BEEF HEIFERS WEIGHING 750-900 LBS., 12 HEAD BEEF STEER WEIGHING 1000-1050 LBS. THESE CATTLE ARE MOSTLY BLACKS, LESS THAN A YEAR OLD, AND THIS IS THEIR FIRST

TIME AWAY FROM HOME. BARYBIRD PENS FOR CATTLE, COWS AND HOGS CLOSE EVERY TUES. AT 2 P.M. FOR PREMIUM PRICES, USE THESE PENS. PEN LOTS OF CATTLE WILL BE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED. NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE THURS., MARCH 27. RECEIVING 7-11 A.M. SALE TIME 1:30 P.M. EASTER RABBITS, POULTRY, AND EGG SALE FRIDAY, MARCH 21. RECEIVING 7 A.M. SALE 12:30 P.M.

**Friend's Stockyard Inc.**

Accident, Md. 21520  
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March 10, 1997

STOCK BULLS AND STEERS (200-500 LBS.) 45.00-70.00.

STOCK HEIFERS: 40.00-56.50.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: GOOD TO CHOICE 62.50-68.00; MEDIUM TO GOOD 57.00-62.50, HEAVY CHOICE OVER 1450 LB. 55.00-65.00.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: HEAVY CHOICE 40.00-57.50, LIGHT 34.00-44.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: GOOD TO CHOICE 61.50-68.00; MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-61.00.

BULLS: HEAVY 41.00-68.00, LIGHT 28.00-44.00.

COWS: UTILITY (HOLSTEIN) 32.50-46.50, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 26.00-32.00, CULL COWS 25.00 AND DOWN.

VEALS: GOOD TO CHOICE 40.00-65.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 20.00-44.00.

BOB CALVES: 20.00 AND DOWN. HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES — RETURN TO FARM (90 TO 120 LB.)-

50.00-70.00. HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES — RETURN TO FARM (100 TO 120 LB.)- UP TO 129.00. BEEF CROSS CALVES — RETURN TO FARM UP TO 30.00. HOGS: TOP QUALITY UP TO 50.00, HEAVY UP TO 50.00, LIGHT 30.00-47.00. SOWS: 35.00-48.50. MALE HOGS: 24.00-39.00. LAMBS, LIGHT, NONE AVAILABLE; FEEDER LAMBS, NONE AVAILABLE. SHEEP: NONE AVAILABLE. LIVESTOCK PRICES ARE ALL GIVEN PER HUNDRED WEIGHT!

**Shenandoah Valley Livestock**

Harrisonburg, Va.  
March 8, 1997

Report supplied by auction  
300-499 LB. STEERS 50.00-82.00, HEIFERS 45.00-71.00, BULLS 35.00-62.00; 500-699 LB. STEERS 55.00-75.75, HEIFERS 40.00-60.00, BULLS 30.00-60.00; 700-1000 LB. STEERS 50.00-63.25, HEIFERS 38.00-55.00, BULLS 32.00-55.00. HOLSTEIN STEERS 3-499 44.00-60.00; 5-699 38.00-46.00; 7-1100 32.00-48.50. STOCK COWS BEEF 300.00-570.00; BABY CALVES 5.00-71.00. SLAUGHTER LAMBS GOOD AND FEW CHOICE YG1-2 RED O 107.00. FEEDER LAMBS MED. & LRGE. 1-2 70-84 LBS. RED SH 116.00. SLAUGHTER EWES 33.00-44.50; HEAD EWES 112.00. HOGS 200-240 LBS. 40.50-46.25. VEALS 50.00-60.00. SLAUGHTER CALVES 45.00-55.00.

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13.6-28.....	4 ply.....	\$149.00
13.6-28.....	6 ply.....	\$166.00
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14.9-28.....	6 ply.....	\$212.00
16.9-28.....	6 ply.....	\$257.00
16.9-30.....	6 ply.....	\$244.00
18.4-30.....	6 ply.....	\$347.00
18.4-30.....	8 ply.....	\$358.00
16.9-34.....	6 ply.....	\$281.00
18.4-34.....	6 ply.....	\$308.00
18.4-34.....	8 ply.....	\$377.00
13.6-38.....	4 ply.....	\$211.00
13.6-38.....	6 ply.....	\$234.00
15.5-38.....	6 ply.....	\$218.00
16.9-38.....	6 ply.....	\$330.00
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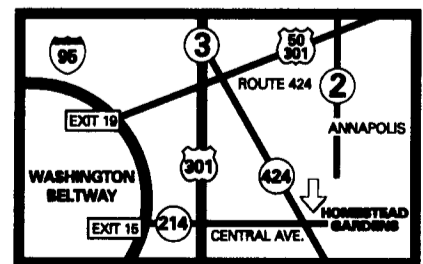
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