

**Oklahoma City
Feeder Cattle**
Oklahoma City, OK
Wed Dec 17, 1997

79.25-84.00 (82.43); 700-750 lbs (717 lbs)
77.00-81.75 (79.07); 750-800 lbs (767 lbs)
78.00-81.75 (80.72); 800-850 lbs (813 lbs)
75.75-81.25 (79.63); 850-900 lbs (863 lbs)
73.00-76.75 (74.16).

Feeder Heifers: Medium and Large 1 Calves: 300-400 lbs (350 lbs) 81.00-86.00 (84.77); 400-450 lbs (431 lbs) 78.50-86.50 (83.50); 450-500 lbs (476 lbs) 76.50-82.50 (79.20); 500-550 lbs (516 lbs) 77.00-82.00 (79.22); 550-600 lbs (571 lbs) 71.00-76.50 (72.95); 600-650 lbs (627 lbs) 70.00-74.25 (71.33); Yearlings: 500-550 lbs (531 lbs) 78.50-83.00 (80.20); 600-700 lbs (650 lbs) 73.00-77.75 (74.32); 700-750 lbs (710 lbs) 74.00-75.00 (74.18); 750-800 lbs (763 lbs) 71.00-74.00 (72.19).

Slaughter Cows: Average dressing: Cutters 33.00-35.00, Utilities 35.00-38.50; high dressing: Cutters 36.50-39.00, Utilities 38.00-40.50; low dressing: Cutters 29.50-33.50, Utilities 29.00-35.00. Canner 26.50-30.00, light weight or low dressing 23.50-28.00.

Estimated dressed cost at Oklahoma National Stockyards: Cutters 73.15; Boners 73.40; Breakers 70.35, few Y.G. 5 61.50; Canners 70.50. Bulls 83.75.

Slaughter Bulls: Yield Grade 1 1350-2100 lbs Average dressing 45.00-50.00; high dressing 49.50-51.00; low dressing 39.00-46.00, few Canner type 35.00.

Replacement Cows: Pretested for Bangs, pregnancy, and age Medium and Large 1 single head sales Heifers 900-1050 lbs 5-8 mo bred hi quality 545.00-600.00; 5-7 yr old 1050-1150 lbs 5-8 mo bred hi quality 580.00-630.00; 4-6 yr old 875-1150 lbs 4-8 mo bred avg quality 505.00-565.00.

Weekly Livestock Summary

January 2, 1998

CATTLE 2419... Compared with 2317 head last week and 4508 head a year ago. Compared with last Friday's summary...slaughter steers mostly steady,

instances stronger, slaughter heifers steady, slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher, bulls steady to strong... **SLAUGHTER STEERS:** High Choice & Prime 67.85-69.50, Choice 63.25-68.00, Select and Low Choice 60.00-65.00, Select 55.00-64.00, Standard 45.00-55.00. **HOLSTEINS:** High Choice & Prime 58.00-62.50, Choice 54.25-58.50, Select 48.00-53.00, Standard 39.75-41.25. **HEIFERS:** Choice 61.00-66.50, Select 56.50-62.00, few Standard 43.00-44.50. **COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 35.00-40.75, few to 43.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 30.50-36.50, Canner and Low Cutter 26.50-33.00. Shells down to 18.00. **BULLOCKS:** Few Select 48.00-52.50. **BULLS:** Yield Grade No. 1 1100/2400 lbs 42.50-48.50, No 2 900/2000 lbs 34.50-39.00. **FEEDER CATTLE:** **STEERS:** Medium & Large Frame No. 1 300/700 lbs. 65.00-82.00, Medium & Large Frame No 2 400/700 lbs 43.50-58.00; **HEIFERS:** Medium & Large Frame No. 1 325/575 lbs. 60.00-68.00, Medium & Large Frame No 2 300/700 lbs 35.00-48.00, few to 60.00; **BULLS:** Medium & Large Frame No 1 300/600 lbs 63.00-78.00, Medium and Large Frame No. 2 300/700 lbs. 45.00-53.00.

CALVES 2054... Compared with 2280 head last week and 2724 head a year ago. **Vealers steady to strong...VEALERS:** Choice 140/325 lbs 100.00-108.00, Good 130/300 lbs 65.00-85.00, Standard and Good 70/120 lbs. 16.00-36.00, Utility 50/100 lbs 5.00-27.00. **FARM CALVES:** Holstein bulls steady to 5.00 lower, No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/125 lbs. 80.00-123.00, No. 2 85/125 lbs. 34.00-75.00, few to 90.00; Holstein heifers active 5.00-20.00 higher, No. 1 Holstein heifers 85/125 lbs 95.00-125.00, No. 2 75/125 lbs 47.00-85.00. Beef cross 75/130 lbs. bulls and heifers 35.00-90.00.

HOGS 1293... Compared with 1534 head last week and 1926 head a year ago. Barrows and gilts 1.00 to 2.50 lower. Sows 3.00-4.00 lower. **BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-2 220/265 lbs 37.25-39.25,

1-3 210/270 lbs 33.50-37.00, 2-3 220/300 lbs 32.00-35.50. **SOWS:** US 1-3 300/500 lbs 25.00-30.50, US 1-3 500/700 lbs. 30.00-32.50. **BOARS:** 19.00-26.00.

FEEDER PIGS 189... Compared with 225 head last week and 218 head a year ago. **FEEDER PIGS:** US 1-3 20/60 lbs. 20.00-42.50...per head.

SHEEP 1852... Compared with 1247 head last week and 665 head a year ago. Slaughter lambs steady to 10.00 higher. **SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** Choice 50/85 lbs 100.00-130, 80/105 lbs 90.00-110.00, few down to 80.00, 100/135 lbs. 75.00-100.00, few down to 65.00; Choice new crop lambs 30/70 lbs 110.00-175.00 few to 200.00. **SLAUGHTER SHEEP:** 25.00-50.00 few to 63.00.

TWO GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES 1126... Compared with 850 head last week and 1312 head a year ago. Feeder pigs: few sales steady to weak, Many sold for slaughter and were steady to weak. No. 1-2 20/40 lbs 120.00-141.00, 40/60 lbs 70.00-82.00, few to 90.00, 70/85 lbs 61.50-74.00. No. 2 20/30 lbs 100.00-101.00, 40/60 lbs 68.00-73.00. Slaughter 15/30 lbs 120.00-152.50...per hundredweight.

DRESSING 41.00-44.00; CUTTER & BON. UT. 34.00-37.00; HI DRESSING 37.00-40.00; CANNER & CUTTERS 29.00-34.00; LOW DRESSING 22.00-28.00; CRIPPLED, SLOW & SICK .15-.25.

BULLS: MARKET 4.00 HIGHER. ALL WEIGHTS 1100-1900 LBS. 41.00-53.00. VEAL CALVES: MARKET STEADY. CHOICE AND PRIME 200-400 LBS. 71.00-79.00; HI GOOD AND LOW CHOICE ALL WEIGHTS 44.00-58.00.

FARM CALVES: MARKET 5.00 HIGHER. HOL BULLS 100-125 LBS. 90.00-112.00; HOL. BULLS 85-95 LBS. 60.00-82.00. HOL. HEIFER CALVES 100-120 LBS. 70.00-110.00; SMALL FRAME 70-105 LBS. 35.00-60.00; SLAUGHTER CALVES ALL WEIGHTS 10.00-36.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: MARKET STEADY. BULLS & STEERS 400-900 LBS. 56.00-79.00; HEIFERS 300-700 LBS. 49.00-65.00.

LAMBS: MARKET STEADY. CHOICE & PRIME 90-110 LBS. 90.00-115.00; LIGHTER LAMBS 100.00-137.00; HEAVY EWES 29.00-38.00, LIGHT 34.00-50.00.

GOATS: STEADY. SMALL 25.00-35.00; MEDIUM 40.00-70.00; LARGE 80.00-140.00.

HOGS: MARKET 2.00 LOWER. 210-250 LBS. 34.00-36.00; 255-300 LBS. 31.00-35.00. HEAVY SOWS 24.00-28.00, LIGHT 21.00-25.00. BOARS ALL WEIGHTS 20.00-23.00.

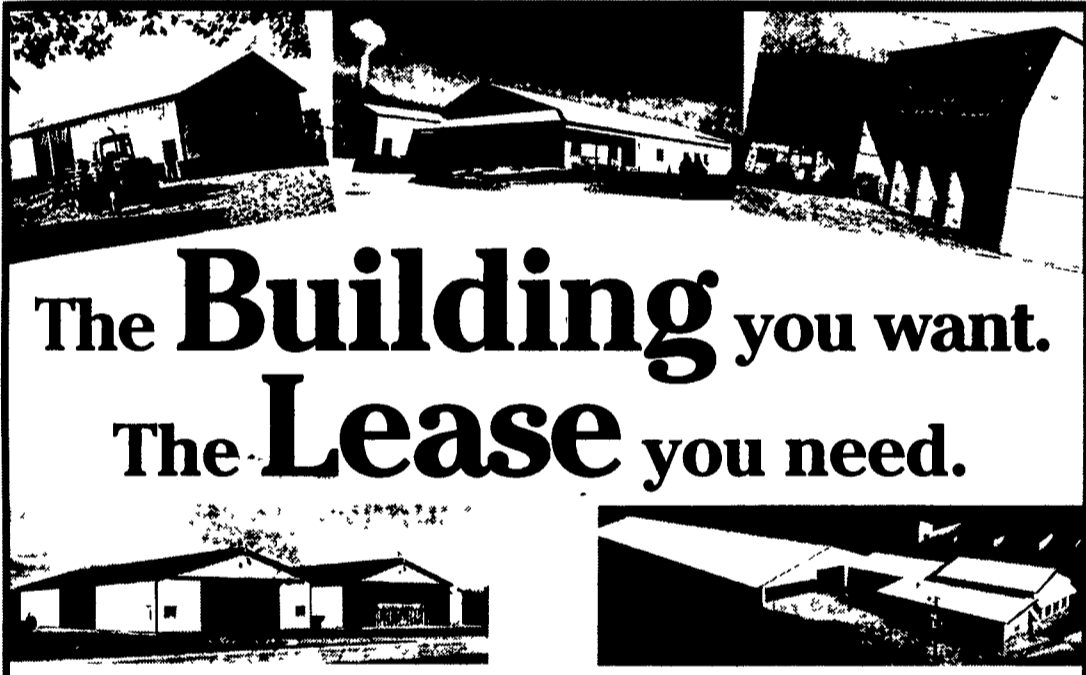
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SLAUGHTER STEERS: STEADY. CHOICE 2-4 1100-1400 LBS. 67.00-70.00; SELECT & LOW CHOICE 1000-1500 LBS. 59.00-66.00; HOL-STEERS HI CHOICE & PRIME 1250-1400 LBS. 59.00-62.00; CHOICE 1200-1500 LBS. 57.00-60.00; SELECT, ALL WEIGHTS 52.00-55.00.
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: STEADY. CHOICE & PRIME 950-1300 LBS. 66.00-68.50; SELECT ALL WEIGHTS 900-1400 LBS. 53.00-59.00.
COWS: MARKET 2.00 HIGHER. BRK. UT. & COMM. 2-4 BULK 36.00-40.00; HI

Va. Feeder Sales
Richmond, VA
Mon Jan 05, 1998

USDA-VA Dept of Ag Market News
Special State Graded Slaughter Cattle Sale
Front Royal, Virginia on January 1, 1997. 68 head sold.
Steers Choice 2-3 1100-1300 lbs 64.00 - 65.10 Choice 2-3 1301-1450 lbs 64.00 - 66.60 Choice 2-3 1451-1600 lbs 58.00 - 66.25
Heifers Choice 2-3 1100-1300 lbs 61.00 - 64.25 Choice 2-3 1301-1450 lbs 62.00 - 64.75 ru



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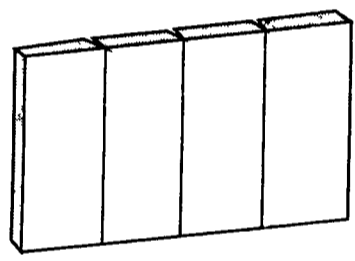
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