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Tuesday December 12, 2006

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts.

As Reported for Monday Dec 11, 2006

A grade steers 149.00-152.00
A grade heifers 148.00-151.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 905 fed cattle, 275 cows.**

	Price Range	Top
Choice steers & heifers	87.00-90.00	106.50
Second cut cattle	84.00-87.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold at prices \$2.00 lower.

Today at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange– 155 cows, 340 veal**

	Price Range	
Cows	25.00-39.00	42.00
Veal: Good Hol	94.00-102.00	
Good Beef	110.00-134.00	
Med Hol	82.00-90.00	
Heavy Hol	85.00-95.00	
Plain Hol	65.00-80.00	

Cows sold on a steady market. Veal traded on dull demand with prices \$5.00-\$7.00 lower.

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker sale at: **Temiskaming Livestock Sales- Dec 11, 2006**

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
700-799	79.50-109.50	600-699	89.50-110.00
600-699	95.50-120.00	500-599	95.00-117.50
500-599	107.50-122.00	400-499	90.00-126.00
400-499	114.00-125.00	300-399	100.00-111.00
399-	107.50-129.00	299-	90.00-124.00

U.S. TRADE (U.S. funds)

US cash cattle trade was light in Kansas and Nebraska with prices \$1.00 lower.

Choice and select steers and heifers:

Live	86.00
Rail	135.00

CANADIAN BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES

Week Ending	AAA	AA
Dec 2, 2006	1.6136	1.5251
Nov 25, 2006	1.5941	1.5309
Nov 18, 2006	1.6152	1.5242

U.S. BOXED BEEF CUT-OUT VALUES (U.S. funds)

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	142.72	124.84
Change: (from Friday's close)	-0.06	+0.41
Current 5 day average:	142.62	125.59

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures for today were as follows:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US		¢/bu	\$/bu US		¢/bu			
Dec	85.70	-0.60	Jan	98.42	-1.20	Dec	3.590	+3.4	Jan	6.630	-3.6	Spot	86.80	-0.32
Feb	88.45	-0.65	Mar	97.27	-1.35	Mar	3.726	+2.0	Mar	6.784	-4.2	Dec	86.81	-0.31
Apr	90.30	-0.62	Apr	98.25	-1.25	May	3.796	+3.2	May	6.900	-2.6	Mar	87.04	-0.31
Jun	86.82	-0.50	May	99.20	-0.92	Jul	3.846	+3.6	Jul	7.002	-2.2	Jun	87.31	-0.31

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