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Tuesday January 13, 2009

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

Prices reported for Monday January 12, 2009

A grade steers 167.00-174.00
A grade heifers 166.00-172.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock** – 505 fed cattle, 275 cows.

	Price Range	Top
Choice steers & heifers	99.00-104.00	106.00
Second cut cattle	96.00-99.00	
Good Cows	52.00-58.00	60.50

Fed steers and heifers sold at prices \$3.00 lower. Cows sold at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher.

Today at the **Ontario Livestock Exchange**: 260 Veal, 240 Cows

	Price Range	Top Price
Cows	46.00-63.00	83.00
Good Beef	128.00-135.00	147.50
Good Hol	98.00-108.00	
Med Hol	90.00-95.00	
Heavy Hol	90.00-98.00	
Plain Hol	85.00-92.00	

Veal sold easier at prices \$3.00-\$5.00 lower than last week. Cows traded on a good strong trade with prices \$2.00-\$3.00 higher.

Ontario auction sales on **Monday** saw weighted prices for:

	Price Range	Average	Top Price
Cows	32.67-51.31	41.75	75.00
Bulls (all weights)	45.50-63.71	52.55	79.00
Veal calves 600+	88.67-111.13	100.05	126.00
Veal calves -125	45.30-101.84	74.78	122.00

ONTARIO REPLACEMENT TRADE

Stocker sale: **Selby Livestock & Auctions Center – Jan 12, 2009**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
600-699	80.00-105.00	101.57	105.00	700-799	79.00-91.50	86.68	91.50
500-599	80.00-111.00	100.30	111.00	600-699	63.50-95.00	91.66	95.00
400-499	85.00-125.00	109.14	125.00	500-599	76.00-101.50	89.34	101.50
399-	70.00-118.00	102.16	118.00	400-499	75.00-104.50	100.79	104.50

Stocker sale: **Temiskaming Livestock Sales- Jan 12, 2009**

STEERS	Price Range	Avg	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Avg	Top
500-599	101.50-106.00	105.25	106.00	300-399	90.50-110.00	104.40	110.00
400-499	84.50-107.50	93.45	107.50				

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

US cash cattle trade was quiet again today with little business expected to develop before Thursday. Asking prices are currently at \$87.00-\$88.00 live and \$138.00 dressed.

Choice and select steers and heifers: Live N/T
 Rail N/T

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

	Choice 600-900	Select 600-900
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	148.99	141.45
Change: (from Friday's close)	+1.39	+1.99
Current 5 day average:	145.03	137.29

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			
Feb	84.07	+1.17	Jan	96.35	+1.15	Mar	3.624	-18.2	Jan	9.694	+15.4	Spot	81.54	-0.81
Apr	87.57	+1.07	Mar	94.90	+1.57	May	3.732	-18.0	Mar	9.714	+5.4	Mar	81.48	-0.80
Jun	86.00	+0.55	Apr	96.45	+1.37	Jul	3.834	-18.0	May	9.806	+5.2	Jun	81.53	-0.81
Aug	86.47	+0.30	May	97.82	+1.32	Sep	3.934	-17.6	Jul	9.910	+4.6	Sep	81.61	-0.83
Oct	89.75	+0.37	Aug	99.52	+1.12	Dec	4.070	-17.2	Aug	9.900	+3.2	Dec	81.66	-0.78
Dec	91.70	+0.20	Sep	99.60	+1.00	Mar	4.204	-15.4	Sep	9.754	+2.4	Mar	81.75	-0.77

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Changes to the OBCFP Licenced Dealers List

Effective Immediately:
New Licence: Abattoir
Rudy's Meat Market, RR 6, Woodstock, On, N4S 7W1