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Tuesday, February 12, 2013

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

Prices are on a carcass weight basis, before grade and weight discounts. (Price for today, regardless of delivery day)

Prices reported for Monday February 11, 2013

A grade steers 205.00-208.00
A grade heifers 204.00-207.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock –200 fed cattle, 300 cows**

	Price Range	Top
Choice steers & heifers	122.00-126.00	137.75
Second cut cattle	118.00-121.00	
Good Beef Cows	65.00-74.00	88.00
Export Cows	62.00-67.00	72.00

Fed steers and heifers sold on a steady market. Cow sold at prices \$2.00-\$3.00 lower.

Today at the **Ontario Livestock Exchange – 269 veal, 260 cows**

	Price Range	Top Price
Cows	69.00-78.50	95.00
Good Beef	128.00-138.00	
Good Hol	95.00-108.00	
Med Hol	90.00-95.00	
Plain Hol	80.00-90.00	
Heavy Hol	90.00-102.00	

Veal sold steady to slightly stronger. Cow sold on a stronger market at prices \$1.00-\$2.00 higher.

Today at: **Keady Livestock Market – 113 stockers, 51 cows**

STEERS	Price Range	HEIFERS	Price Range
900-999	127.50-130.00	900+	76.00-115.00
700-799	138.00-141.00	800-899	102.00-106.00
600-699	145.50-146.00	700-799	127.50-128.00
500-599	155.50-159.00	600-699	131.00-132.00
400-499	170.00	500-599	129.00-138.00
399-	155.00	400-499	129.00
Cows	64.00-79.50		

A light run of stocker and feeder cattle sold on an active demand at steady prices. Cull cows sold on a steady market.. Saturday March 2nd @ 12:00 noon- Cow Herd Dispersal for Doug Hayes, Lions Head. 167 hd- 9 bulls, 158 bred cows.

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

	Volume	Price Range	Avg	Top
Cows	43	51.74-71.80	62.85	77.00
Bulls, all weights	7	77.00-99.72	84.29	92.00
Veal calves 600+ lbs	42	88.83-101.64	95.28	153.00
Veal under 125 lbs	385	86.04-153.19	123.39	200.00

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

	Choice	Select
Cutout Values: (noon estimate)	183.44	179.67
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+0.72	+0.52
Current 5 day average:	183.31	180.05

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

U.S. cash cattle trade was quiet with just a few bids in the north at \$122.00-\$123.00, live which is \$2.00-\$3.00 lower than last week's cash market. Asking prices are undefined this afternoon as cattle futures were under some pressure. Active trading is not expected to surface until Thursday.

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

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	126.05	-0.82	Mar	143.25	-1.55	Mar	6.962	-6.0	Mar	14.206	-10.6	Spot	99.71	+0.26
Apr	129.95	-0.40	Apr	147.15	-1.47	May	6.954	-6.0	May	14.094	-7.6	Mar	99.62	+0.24
Jun	125.67	-0.30	May	150.05	-1.20	Jul	6.870	-5.0	Jul	14.010	-6.0	Jun	99.43	+0.24
Aug	126.12	-0.30	Aug	157.07	-0.60	Sep	5.812	+3.6	Aug	13.666	-2.4	Sep	99.23	+0.24
Oct	130.02	-0.42	Sep	158.55	-0.35	Dec	5.630	+4.2	Sept	13.086	-1.0	Dec	99.02	+0.23
Dec	131.80	-0.57	Nov	159.30	-0.80	Mar	5.736	+4.2	Nov	12.760	+7.4	Mar	98.80	+0.24

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