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Tuesday November 15, 2005

ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers Unestablished
A grade heifers Unestablished

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 1,075 fed cattle and 315 cows sold**

	Price Range	Top
Choice steers & heifers	96.00-100.00	113.25
Second cut cattle	92.00-96.00	

Fed cattle sold \$1-2 higher on a strong active trade.

Today at: **Ontario Stockyards – 630 replacement cattle**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
+1000	95.00-115.00	115.00	+900	98.00-116.50	116.50
900-999	100.50-118.50	118.50	800-899	105.00-114.50	114.50
800-899	104.00-120.00	121.00	700-799	108.00-119.00	119.00
700-799	110.00-120.50	120.50	600-699	102.50-116.50	116.50
600-699	99.00-119.50	119.50	500-599	84.00-97.00	97.00
500-599	105.00-127.00	127.00			

Replacement cattle sold actively at steady to strong prices.

Stocker sale: **Brussels Livestock – November 14, 2005**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
700-799	110.00-122.50	122.50	600-699	87.00-108.50	108.50
600-699	111.00-123.25	123.25	500-599	88.00-107.00	111.00
500-599	107.00-121.00	128.00	400-499	101.00-119.00	119.00
400-499	120.00-132.00	132.00	300-399	104.00-127.00	127.00

Stocker sale: **Tri-County Livestock – November 14, 2005**

STEERS	Price Range	Top	HEIFERS	Price Range	Top
700-799	111.50-120.75	125.50	600-699	113.00-135.25	135.25
600-699	115.50-140.50	145.50	500-599	112.00-130.25	130.25
500-599	118.00-148.25	148.25	400-499	108.00-129.50	140.00
400-499	121.00-161.00	170.00	300-399	125.00-140.00	143.00

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

	Price Range	Average	Top Price
Cows	17.66-27.85	22.63	68.50
Veal calves +600	65.86-106.75	90.04	120.00
Veal calves -125	83.38-206.37	151.28	262.00

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

U.S. cash cattle trade was untested with trade not expected until Thursday or Friday. Asking prices are \$93-94 live and \$145-147 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)	150.64	139.60
Change: (from yesterday's close)	+2.12	+2.28
Current 5 day average:	146.33	134.15

CHICAGO MERCANTILE EXCHANGE

Closing quotes on futures today were:

Live Cattle			Feeder Cattle			Corn			Soybeans			Canadian \$		
\$/cwt US			\$/cwt US			\$/bu US		¢/bu	\$/bu US		¢/bu			
Dec	91.70	+0.62	Nov	116.37	+0.57	Dec	1.956	-1.0	Nov	5.922	-2.6	Spot	83.84	+0.03
Feb	94.47	+0.52	Jan	114.37	+0.65	Mar	2.100	-0.6	Jan	5.992	-1.6	Dec	83.90	-0.01
Apr	91.57	+0.45	Mar	112.70	+0.75	May	2.180	-0.4	Mar	6.052	-0.2	Mar	84.11	-0.01
Jun	85.82	+0.22	May	110.75	+0.65	July	2.252	-0.2	May	6.104	-1.2	Jun	84.34	-0.01

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