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ONTARIO DIRECT TO PACKER RAILGRADE CATTLE TRADE

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

A grade steers 165.00-167.00
A grade heifers 164.00-166.00

ONTARIO LIVE CATTLE TRADE

Today at: **Brussels Livestock – 1,010 fed cattle and 250 cows sold.**

	Price Range	Top
Choice steers & heifers	94.00-97.00	105.00
Second cut cattle	90.00-94.00	

Fed steers and heifers sold \$1.00 to \$2.00 higher.

Today at: **Ontario Livestock Exchange–227 cows, 291 veal**

	Price Range	Top
Cows	27.00-38.00	44.00
Veal: Good Hol	105.00-113.00	
Good Beef	120.00-137.50	
Med Hol	97.00-104.00	
Plain Hol	75.00-85.00	
Heavy Hol	80.00-95.00	

Cows sold on a strong demand at strong to higher prices. Veal traded at easier prices.

Today at: **Keady Livestock**

Steers	Price Range	Heifers	Price Range
900-1000	96.50-106.50	800-900	83.00-98.50
800-900	108.50-120.00	700-800	89.50-101.00
700-800	104.00-124.00	600-700	98.50-106.00
600-700	108.00-130.00	500-600	83.00-114.00
500-600	114.00-142.00	400-500	95.50-116.00
400-500	112.50-144.00	Under 400	101.00-142.00

A good selection of replacement stocker cattle sold on good demand at steady prices.

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

	Price Range	Average	Top Price
Cows	20.32-29.03	24.87	37.00
Veal calves +600	86.13-113.09	103.46	134.00
Veal calves -125	130.16-311.58	228.15	345.00

