

February 9, 2007

LIVESTOCK SALES	Maritime Cattle Market, Truro			Sussex, N.B.		
	February 8, 2007	No. sold	This Week	Last Week	January 31, 2007	No. sold
Slaughter Cows: per cwt	38				28.5-29.25	3
D1 and 2			32-38	30-41		
D3			20-29.75			
D4			20-29.75	18.5-28		
Shells			2	2-12		
Slaughter Bulls	1		41			
Feeder Cattle: per cwt all weights	33		30-110			
Steers, good 700 up				71-89.5		
550-700 lbs.				70-103	69-91	2
400-550 lbs.				73-114	70	1
Common & Medium				38-66		
Heifers, good 550 up				70-92	75	1
350-550 lbs.				70-101		
Common & Medium				40-66		
Bred Stock Cows	49		290-660	150-670		
Stock Cows with calves at foot	5		510-730			
Dairy Cows & Heifers: per head	4		150-600	210-1250		
Open Dairy Heifers: per head	7		70-530	225-350		
Veal Calves: per cwt						
Choice & Good						
Common & Medium						
Bob Calves: per head	30				8	1
Good Calves	12		60-230	58-150		
Good Calves average			118	104		
Light Calves	18		2-46	2-47		
Light Calves average			14	11		
Sheep: per head	1					
Choice & Good			115	60-93		
Common & Medium						
Lambs: per cwt	36				114-115	8
95 lbs. & up			121-149	126-155		
80-95 lbs.			145	90-148		
60-80 lbs.						
Light Lambs: per cwt				80-125		
Goats: per head	2		85-125	81	65-195	4
Pigs: per head	3				17-22	11
Weaners + 30 lbs			26	21-35		
- 30 lbs						
Feeders per cwt	2		36-41			
Sows per head				80-85		
Boars per cwt	1		12	4		
Hay: loads/per bale	26		1.40-2.40	1.50-2.10		
Straw: loads/per bale	2		2.50	1.80-2.10		

All livestock were in good demand.

FEED GRAIN PRICES, February 5 (supplied by AAFC)

Broker selling price (average) to buyers (feed mills), per metric ton, f.o.b.:

	Truro	St- Jean/St-Hyacinthe	Quebec	Thunder Bay*
Wheat	253.13	206.33	217.80	181.00
Oats	N/A	177.00		
Barley	250.51	178.00	216.79	177.00
Corn	231.84	181.93	206.36	
Soyabean Meal	332.10	313.50	303.00	

*Thunder Bay - WCE Cash Price

February 12, 2007	Producer* Price	Wholesale Selling	Retail	
A Extra Large	1.61	2.06	2.35-2.43	
A Large	1.61	2.04	2.31-3.29	
A Medium	1.44	1.87	2.08-2.11	
A Small	1.01	1.44	1.78-1.81	
* ungraded, unwashed, f.o.b. the farm	Cape Breton price 2¢ above listed N.S. prices. Brown eggs 5-6¢ higher.			
Poultry (per kg):	Producer Price	Last Week	Ontario	Quebec
Chicken			January 27	January 27
live price , less than 2.3 kg	1.249	1.249	1.182-1.352	1.182-1.242
Turkey				
Hen under 5.999 kg	1.583	1.583	1.565-1.625	1.500-1.535
Hen 6.0-9.0 kg	1.583	1.583	1.50	1.470
Tom over 9.0 kg	1.595	1.585	1.565	1.585
Hogs:	February 5-9	Jan. 29- Feb. 2	Ont Avg. (per kg)	
Nova Scotia (per cwt/per kg)	Dressed	Dressed	February 5-9	Jan. 29 - Feb. 2
Index 100	.6166/1.3593	.5942/1.3100	1.3712	1.3143
Sows	.4173/.9200	.4017/.8855	0.7444	0.7444
Stags			16.00	16.00
Rail Grade Beef Prices:	Alta. February 2	Alta. January 26	Ont. February 7	Ont. January 31
Steers	144.50-146.20	144.75-147.25	154.00-159.00	154.00-159.00
Heifers	144.85-146.00	144.85-146.00	153.00-158.00	153.00-158.00
Lamb prices (live paid by NorthumberLamb)	January 5			
Base price, \$ per pound				
40-50 lbs dressed weight	3.20 until further	notice		

NOVA SCOTIA PRODUCE, Delivered Prices

(supplied by the Canadian Food Inspection Agency)

February 6, 2007	WHOLESALE PAYING HALIFAX	SELLING TO RETAILER HALIFAX
Apples, MacIntosh, 125 CT.	19.00-21.00	21.00-26.50
Apples, MacIntosh, 8 x 5, 12 x 3 lbs.	18.00-18.50	19.00-23.50
Apples, Cortland, 12 x 3 lbs.	18.00-18.50	19.00-23.50
Apples, Honeycrisp, 88 CT.	50.00	53.00-55.00
Apples, Russet, 12 x 3 lbs.	23.50	27.50
Cabbage, Green, 50 lbs.	10.50-11.00	13.50-14.20
Carrots, 24 x 2 lbs., 10 x 5 lbs.,	11.50	14.50-14.80
Onions, Yellow, 24 x 2 lbs., 10 x 5 lbs.	11.50-12.00	15.50-15.70
Parsnips, 24 x 1 lbs.	19.00-20.00	23.75-25.00
Potatoes, 5 lbs.	0.75-0.80	1.10-1.15
Potatoes, 10 lbs.	1.40-1.45	2.00-2.10
Potatoes, 20 lbs.	2.75-2.95	3.95-4.15
Potatoes, 50 lbs.	5.50-6.00	8.50-8.85
Rutabagas, 50 lbs.	12.00-13.00	13.00-16.75

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