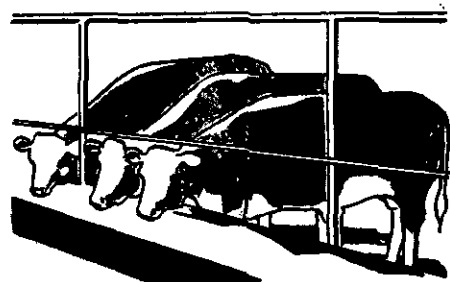


CATTLE ON FEED



July 1, 1965

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CATTLE ON FEED UP 9 PERCENT

There were 7,531,000 cattle and calves on feed in 32 major feeding States July 1, 1965 for slaughter market -- 9 percent more than a year earlier according to the Crop Reporting Board.

Increases from a year earlier were shown in the number on feed in all weight groups except those weighing over 1,100 pounds. The number placed on feed during the past quarter was 24 percent above the same quarter a year earlier. Marketings during this period were down 2 percent.

The July 1 number on feed was 11 percent below the number on feed April 1 this year compared with a 20 percent decrease for this same period last year.

NORTH CENTRAL REGION UP 5 PERCENT

On July 1 there were 4,621,000 cattle and calves on feed in the North Central States for slaughter market, 5 percent more than July 1 last year. Iowa and Nebraska, the leading States in this region, were up 7 percent and 16 percent, respectively. Other States showing increases from a year earlier were Ohio, up 7 percent; Illinois, 6 percent; Michigan, 10 percent; Wisconsin, 11 percent; and Kansas, 1 percent. Indiana, Minnesota, North and South Dakota showed decreases in number on feed and Missouri was unchanged.

WESTERN STATES INCREASE 14 PERCENT

There were 2,261,000 cattle and calves on feed in the 11 Western States on July 1 for slaughter market -- up 14 percent from July 1, 1964. Increases from a year earlier were shown in all but two of the Western States. California, the leading Western State, was up 12 percent from a year earlier; Colorado was up 24 percent and Arizona was up 10 percent. Other increases ranged from 1 percent in Washington to 36 percent in Nevada. Wyoming and Utah both had fewer on feed than July 1 last year.

OTHER CATTLE FEEDING STATES

The nine other cattle feeding States had 649,000 cattle and calves on feed July 1 -- up 19 percent from last year. Texas showed an increase of 19 percent over last year. Pennsylvania, Florida, Kentucky, Alabama, Mississippi, and Oklahoma showed increases while Georgia and Tennessee had fewer cattle on feed this July 1 than a year earlier.

PLACEMENTS UP 24 PERCENT--MARKETINGS DOWN 2 PERCENT

There were 3,431,000 cattle and calves placed on feed April through June in the 32 States, an increase of 24 percent from the same period in 1964. Compared with a year earlier, placements were up 9 percent in the North Central States and up 43 percent in the Western States. Shipments of stocker and feeder cattle into 8 Corn Belt States during April and May were up 7 percent from the same period in 1964.

Marketings of fed cattle for slaughter during April through June totaled 4,350,000 head -- down 2 percent from the same period in 1964. Fed cattle marketings in the North Central States were down 9 percent from last year, but in the Western States, marketings were up 8 percent.

Beef steers and heifers (prime, choice, and good) sold out of first hands for slaughter at 15 livestock markets during April-June were down 16 percent from the same period in 1964. These data do not include direct sales to packing plants, mixed lots and some deliveries bought on prior contract.

WEIGHT OF CATTLE ON FEED

The July 1 number of cattle and calves on feed in the 32 States by weight groups showed a larger number than a year earlier in all groups except those weighing 1,100 pounds or over. The number in each weight group and percentage change from July 1 last year are as follows: under 500 pounds, 284,000 head, up 19 percent; 500-699 pounds, 1,709,000 head, up 24 percent; 700-899 pounds, 3,466,000 head, up 11 percent; 900-1,099 pounds, 1,756,000 head, up 7,000 head; 1,100 or more pounds, 316,000 head, down 27 percent.

KINDS ON FEED

Cattle feeders had 5,281,000 head of steers and steer calves on feed July 1, 1965 -- up 7 percent from the 4,931,000 on feed a year earlier. Heifers and heifer calves, at 2,224,000 head, were up 13 percent. Cows on feed totaled 26,000 head on July 1 compared with 16,000 a year earlier.

TIME ON FEED

Cattle and calves on feed less than 3 months totaled 3,292,000 on July 1, 1965 -- up 23 percent over a year earlier. The total on feed from 3-6 months
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Cattle and calves: Number on feed, placements and marketings April 1-
 July 1; number on feed by kinds, time on feed and weight groups
 July 1, 1964 and 1965; actual and expected marketings July-
 September 1964 and 1965, 32 States

Item	32 States		
	Number		1965 as % of 1964
	1964	1965	
	head	head	Percent
Cattle and calves on feed April 1	8,612	8,450	98
Cattle and calves placed on feed			
April 1-June 30 ^{1/}	2,759	3,431	124
Fed cattle marketed April 1-June 30 ^{1/}	4,457	4,350	98
Cattle and calves on feed July 1	6,914	7,531	109
<u>Kinds on feed July 1</u>			
Steers and steer calves	4,931	5,281	107
Heifers and heifer calves	1,967	2,224	113
Cows and other	16	26	162
<u>Time on feed July 1</u>			
Under 3 months	2,669	3,292	123
3 to 6 months	2,367	2,389	101
6 months and over	1,878	1,850	99
<u>Cattle and calves on feed by weight groups July 1</u>			
Less than 500 pounds	239	284	119
500-699 pounds	1,383	1,709	124
700-899 pounds	3,111	3,466	111
900-1099 pounds	1,749	1,756	100
1100 pounds and over	432	316	73
July-September marketings	^{2/} 4,100	^{3/} 4,346	106

^{1/} Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed before end of quarter.

^{2/} Actual marketings from July 1 number on feed, excluding those placed on feed after July 1 and marketed before September 30.

^{3/} Expected marketings from July 1, 1965 number on feed.

Cattle and calves on feed by quarters,
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965 ^{1/}

State	July 1, 1964	April 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1965 as percent of July 1, 1964
	1,000 <u>head</u>	1,000 <u>head</u>	1,000 <u>head</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Pa.	43	67	50	116
Ohio	135	196	144	107
Ind.	170	189	150	88
Ill.	458	610	485	106
Mich.	100	147	110	110
Wis.	84	133	93	111
Minn.	371	451	360	97
Iowa	1,492	1,800	1,596	107
Mo.	171	225	171	100
N. D.	96	116	90	94
S. D.	255	332	245	96
Nebr.	766	1,041	890	116
Kans.	284	316	287	101
N. C. States	4,382	5,556	4,621	105
Ga.	40	55	34	85
Fla.	26	46	37	142
Ky.	32	62	41	128
Tenn.	20	25	19	95
Ala.	10	29	16	160
Miss.	10	11	13	130
Okla.	67	102	85	127
Texas	297	364	354	119
Mont.	44	71	51	116
Idaho	95	137	111	117
Wyo.	23	35	20	87
Colo.	360	509	447	124
N. Mex.	70	96	77	110
Ariz.	259	287	286	110
Utah	50	58	48	96
Nev.	14	20	19	136
Wash.	98	118	99	101
Oreg.	48	76	62	129
Calif.	926	726	1,041	112
Western States	1,987	2,133	2,261	114
32 State Total	6,914	8,450	7,531	109

^{1/} Cattle and calves on feed are animals being fattened for the slaughter market on grain or other concentrates which are expected to produce a carcass that will grade good or better.

Cattle and calves: Placements and marketings,
by quarters, 1964-65

State	Number placed on feed 1/				Number marketed 1/			
	Apr.- June 1964	Jan.- Mar. 1965	Apr.- June 1965	Apr.-June 1965 as % of Apr.- June 1964	Apr.- June 1964	Jan.- Mar. 1965	Apr.- June 1965	Apr.-June 1965 as % of Apr.- June 1964
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent
Pa.	12	14	18	150	38	27	35	92
Ohio	31	48	38	123	88	52	90	102
Ind.	46	51	51	111	91	82	90	99
Ill.	145	225	158	109	309	274	283	92
Mich.	23	22	22	96	66	35	59	89
Wis.	19	36	26	137	55	40	66	120
Minn.	56	109	66	118	186	164	157	84
Iowa	395	686	471	119	721	634	675	94
Mo.	49	79	54	110	120	124	108	90
N. Dak.	20	16	18	90	65	58	44	68
S. Dak.	76	130	66	87	163	147	153	94
Nebr.	469	685	473	101	668	671	624	93
Kans.	91	119	106	116	188	210	135	72
N. C. States:	1,420	2,206	1,549	109	2,720	2,491	2,484	91
Ga.	13	16	27	208	40	45	48	120
Fla.	18	23	22	122	27	58	31	115
Ky.	9	14	16	178	31	17	37	119
Tenn.	7	8	6	86	16	18	12	75
Ala.	3	10	11	367	16	25	24	150
Miss.	7	7	13	186	11	18	11	100
Okla.	45	68	57	127	71	81	74	104
Texas	206	194	258	125	258	318	268	104
Mont.	15	21	21	140	44	42	41	93
Idaho	34	58	45	132	68	74	71	104
Wyo.	6	11	8	133	17	16	23	135
Colo.	170	250	241	142	278	275	303	109
N. Mex.	32	34	39	122	55	37	58	105
Ariz.	109	105	180	165	169	166	181	107
Utah	28	27	24	86	38	35	34	89
Nev.	5	8	14	280	9	13	15	167
Wash.	52	71	57	110	72	90	76	106
Oreg.	22	28	30	136	39	45	44	113
Calif.	546	347	795	146	440	536	480	109
Western States	1,019	960	1,454	143	1,229	1,329	1,326	108
32 State Total	2,759	3,520	3,431	124	4,457	4,427	4,350	98

1/ Includes cattle placed on feed after beginning of quarter and marketed by end of quarter.

Cattle and calves on feed by classes, by quarters,
July 1, 1964 and April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	: Steers & steer calves			: Heifers & heifer calves:			Cows and others		
	: July 1, 1964	: Apr. 1, 1965	: July 1, 1965	: July 1, 1964	: Apr. 1, 1965	: July 1, 1965	: July 1, 1964	: Apr. 1, 1965	: July 1, 1965
	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head	: 1,000 head
Pa.	38	57	43	4	7	5	1	3	2
Ohio	111	167	122	24	29	22	--	--	--
Ind.	118	121	94	51	66	55	1	2	1
Ill.	348	458	349	110	152	136	--	--	--
Mich.	85	118	91	14	28	18	1	1	1
Wis.	60	96	75	24	36	17	--	1	1
Minn.	260	302	237	110	148	122	1	1	1
Iowa	1,073	1,313	1,149	418	486	446	1	1	1
Mo.	128	160	141	41	63	29	2	2	1
N. Dak.	64	72	52	32	44	36	--	--	2
S. Dak.	176	203	164	76	126	79	3	3	2
Nebr.	483	699	527	282	340	358	1	2	5
Kans.	162	215	182	121	101	105	1	--	--
N. C. States ..	3,068	3,924	3,183	1,303	1,619	1,423	11	13	15
Ga.	37	50	26	3	5	8	--	--	--
Fla.	24	41	36	2	5	1	--	--	--
Ky.	24	46	29	8	16	12	--	--	--
Tenn.	14	17	14	6	8	5	--	--	--
Ala.	9	23	13	1	6	3	--	--	--
Miss.	5	8	9	5	3	4	--	--	--
Okla.	28	45	35	39	57	50	--	--	--
Texas	148	174	163	148	187	191	1	3	--
Mont.	25	43	30	19	26	21	--	2	--
Idaho	65	87	68	29	48	42	1	2	1
Wyo.	12	20	9	11	14	11	--	1	--
Colo.	189	284	238	170	225	209	1	--	--
N. Mex.	38	54	43	31	40	32	1	2	2
Ariz.	216	236	241	43	50	42	--	1	3
Utah	26	34	28	24	24	19	--	--	1
Nev.	10	14	12	4	6	7	--	--	--
Wash.	77	91	75	21	27	23	--	--	1
Oreg.	35	45	39	13	28	23	--	3	--
Calif.	843	660	947	83	65	93	--	1	1
Western States	1,536	1,568	1,730	448	553	522	3	12	9
32 State Total	4,931	5,953	5,281	1,967	2,466	2,224	16	31	26
July 1, 1965, as percent of previous year and quarter									
	: Steers and steer calves			: Heifers and heifer calves:			Cows and others		
	: Percent of July 1, 1964	: Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	: Percent of July 1, 1964	: Percent of July 1, 1964	: Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	: Percent of July 1, 1964	: Percent of July 1, 1964	: Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	: Percent of July 1, 1965
N. C. States :	104		81		109		88		136
Western States	113		110		117		94		300
32 States	107		89		113		90		162

Cattle and calves: Length of time on feed beginning of each quarter,
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	Less than 3 months			3-6 months			More than 6 months		
	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	head	head	head	head	head	head	head	head	head
Pa.	11	13	17	11	42	9	21	12	24
Ohio	30	47	36	34	114	29	71	35	79
Ind.	44	50	48	41	113	39	85	26	63
Ill.	142	222	155	151	339	146	165	49	184
Mich.	21	20	21	15	99	19	64	28	70
Wis.	18	34	22	21	76	29	45	23	42
Minn.	56	108	64	130	302	85	185	41	211
Iowa	394	677	463	498	1,033	543	600	90	590
Mo.	45	77	50	60	139	69	66	9	52
N.Dak.	19	15	17	25	89	15	52	12	58
S.Dak.	72	126	64	94	193	110	89	13	71
Nebr.	456	667	452	255	341	356	55	33	82
Kans.	83	114	101	160	180	112	41	22	74
N.C. States	1,380	2,157	1,493	1,484	3,018	1,552	1,518	381	1,576
Ga.	12	14	25	11	35	5	17	6	4
Fla.	18	21	21	7	24	16	1	1	---
Ky.	8	14	15	8	43	10	16	5	16
Tenn.	7	7	5	4	15	7	9	3	7
Ala.	3	10	10	5	18	5	2	1	1
Miss.	7	7	12	2	3	1	1	1	---
Okla.	41	58	53	24	42	30	2	2	2
Texas	190	181	243	94	179	107	13	4	4
Mont.	15	21	19	16	47	18	13	3	14
Idaho	33	55	42	36	64	40	26	18	29
Wyo.	5	10	6	7	22	7	11	3	7
Colo.	162	234	213	120	238	169	78	37	65
N.Mex.	32	33	39	22	47	27	16	16	11
Ariz.	108	103	176	112	170	82	39	14	28
Utah	25	24	23	11	32	13	14	2	12
Nev.	5	8	11	2	11	6	7	1	2
Wash.	48	65	53	42	48	36	8	5	10
Oreg.	21	28	28	19	44	24	8	4	10
Calif.	538	340	788	330	324	225	58	62	28
Western States ...	992	921	1,398	717	1,047	647	278	165	216
32 State Total	2,669	3,403	3,292	2,367	4,466	2,389	1,878	581	1,850
July 1, 1965, as percent of previous year and quarter									
	Less than 3 months			3-6 months			More than 6 months		
	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1965
N.C. States	108		69	105		51	104		414
Western States ...	141		152	90		62	78		131
32 States ..	123		97	101		53	99		318

Cattle and calves on feed by weight groups, by quarters,
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	head	head	head	head	head	head	head	head	head
Pa.	2	5	4	7	17	8	15	21	17
Ohio	3	14	3	23	71	28	64	72	74
Ind.	8	26	8	39	73	36	85	65	73
Ill.	8	37	11	67	285	97	221	158	247
Mich.	3	9	3	13	59	17	45	51	47
Wis.	4	16	4	21	46	22	35	31	41
Minn.	13	36	12	86	213	96	176	102	184
Iowa	15	111	20	206	704	277	753	512	802
Mo.	7	21	4	48	102	37	72	70	70
N. Dak.	2	6	2	16	51	15	51	31	52
S. Dak.	4	28	4	64	159	87	100	68	112
Nebr.	16	46	12	145	330	151	353	326	448
Kans.	3	11	3	46	85	54	120	120	113
N.C. States	86	361	86	774	2,178	917	2,075	1,606	2,263
Ga.	1	3	2	12	21	15	18	18	12
Fla.	---	7	---	2	11	2	12	16	16
Ky.	1	5	2	8	21	13	15	22	19
Tenn.	1	5	1	6	11	5	9	6	9
Ala.	---	4	3	3	10	5	4	11	5
Miss.	4	4	3	3	4	4	2	1	2
Okla.	15	13	8	23	45	28	21	31	35
Texas	55	63	58	117	149	138	79	98	108
Mont.	---	5	---	7	26	11	23	18	27
Idaho	1	13	2	12	45	23	42	44	48
Wyo.	1	5	---	7	11	7	9	9	9
Colo.	6	15	10	71	149	71	123	151	216
N. Mex.	7	10	11	22	32	22	32	36	30
Ariz.	25	35	27	53	100	90	107	105	111
Utah	3	7	2	16	21	12	22	18	25
Nev.	---	1	2	7	9	7	5	7	6
Wash.	1	4	---	15	32	12	41	44	46
Oreg.	---	8	---	6	29	14	32	23	30
Calif.	30	91	63	212	216	305	425	244	432
Western States	74	194	117	428	670	574	861	699	980
32 State Total	239	664	284	1,383	3,137	1,709	3,111	2,529	3,466
July 1, 1965 as percent of previous year and quarter									
	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964
N.C. States	100	24	118	42	109	141			
Western States	158	60	134	86	114	140			
32 States	119	43	124	54	111	137			

Cattle and calves on feed by weight groups, by quarters
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head
Pa.	13	19	16	6	5	5
Ohio	42	36	38	3	3	1
Ind.	36	24	28	2	1	5
Ill.	124	107	113	38	23	17
Mich.	34	24	39	5	4	4
Wis.	21	29	22	3	11	4
Minn.	80	91	56	16	9	12
Iowa	400	381	382	118	92	115
Mo.	38	29	55	6	3	5
N. Dak.	26	24	19	1	4	2
S. Dak.	68	66	36	19	11	6
Nebr.	195	252	231	57	87	48
Kans.	93	82	109	22	18	8
N. C. States	1,157	1,145	1,128	290	266	227
Ga.	9	13	5	---	---	---
Fla.	12	12	18	---	---	1
Ky.	5	11	7	3	3	---
Tenn.	4	3	4	---	---	---
Ala.	2	4	3	1	---	---
Miss.	1	2	4	---	---	---
Okla.	8	13	13	---	---	1
Texas	43	48	48	3	6	2
Mont.	11	18	12	3	4	1
Idaho	35	29	31	5	6	7
Wyo.	4	8	4	2	2	---
Colo.	104	150	121	56	44	29
N. Mex.	6	16	14	3	2	---
Ariz.	68	47	56	6	---	2
Utah	6	10	7	3	2	2
Nev.	2	3	3	---	---	1
Wash.	33	30	34	8	8	7
Oreg.	9	14	17	1	2	1
Calif.	217	155	211	42	20	30
Western States	495	480	510	129	90	80
32 State Total	1,749	1,750	1,756	432	370	316
July 1, 1965 as percent of previous year and quarter						
	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of April 1, 1965
N.C. States	97	99	78		85	
Western States	103	106	62		89	
32 States	100	100	73		85	

Steers and steer calves on feed by weight groups, by quarters,
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head
Pa.	1	3	3	6	13	6	12	18	14
Ohio	2	9	2	14	55	20	51	65	61
Ind.	5	11	5	21	40	18	56	48	41
Ill.	4	23	4	45	197	59	146	114	164
Mich.	2	6	2	9	46	12	37	40	36
Wis.	2	11	3	13	28	13	24	22	35
Minn.	10	15	7	47	120	43	112	79	121
Iowa	10	53	11	97	446	126	494	381	552
Mo.	4	10	2	28	62	22	55	58	58
N. Dak. ...	1	3	1	10	28	6	30	18	28
S. Dak. ...	3	14	2	30	95	59	72	37	70
Nebr.	7	21	4	64	164	66	203	214	227
Kans.	1	3	1	10	38	12	55	90	71
N. C. States:	51	179	44	388	1,319	456	1,335	1,166	1,464
Ga.	1	2	1	10	17	9	17	18	11
Fla.	---	4	---	1	10	1	11	15	16
Ky.	1	3	1	4	12	7	11	17	14
Tenn.	1	3	1	3	7	2	6	4	7
Ala.	---	2	2	2	7	3	4	10	5
Miss.	1	2	1	2	3	2	1	1	2
Okla.	6	2	1	5	15	5	9	16	16
Texas	15	12	12	43	49	44	48	64	62
Mont.	---	3	---	2	13	5	12	10	15
Idaho	1	5	1	6	23	13	22	29	25
Wyo.	---	2	---	3	5	2	4	5	4
Colo.	2	1	3	19	49	21	43	79	96
N. Mex. ...	2	3	3	9	15	9	20	21	20
Ariz.	17	23	18	41	80	72	84	86	97
Utah	1	4	1	6	8	4	10	11	14
Nev.	---	---	1	4	6	4	4	5	3
Wash.	1	3	---	7	18	5	29	36	31
Oreg.	---	4	---	4	15	7	21	14	17
Calif.	25	79	57	177	191	265	388	218	388
Western States ..	49	127	84	278	423	407	637	514	710
32 State Total ...	126	339	150	742	1,875	942	2,091	1,843	2,321
July 1, 1965 as percent of previous year and quarter									
	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965
N. C. States ...	86	25	118	35	110	126			
Western States ...	171	66	146	96	111	138			
32 States ...	119	44	127	50	111	126			

Steers and steer calves on feed by weight groups, by quarters,
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1964	April 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	April 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head
Pa.	13	18	15	6	5	5
Ohio	41	35	38	3	3	1
Ind.	34	21	25	2	1	5
Ill.	115	101	105	38	23	17
Mich.	33	22	37	4	4	4
Wis.	18	25	20	3	10	4
Minn.	75	79	54	16	9	12
Iowa	354	341	345	118	92	115
Mo.	35	27	54	6	3	5
N.Dak.	22	19	15	1	4	2
S.Dak.	53	47	28	18	10	5
Nebr.	152	214	183	57	86	47
Kans.	74	66	90	22	18	8
N.C. States ..	1,006	997	994	288	263	225
Ga.	9	13	5	---	---	---
Fla.	12	12	18	---	---	1
Ky.	5	11	7	3	3	---
Tenn.	4	3	4	---	---	---
Ala.	2	4	3	1	---	---
Miss.	1	2	4	---	---	---
Okla.	8	12	12	---	---	1
Texas	39	45	43	3	4	2
Mont.	8	14	9	3	3	1
Idaho	31	25	22	5	5	7
Wyo.	3	6	3	2	2	---
Colo.	69	111	89	56	44	29
N.Mex.	6	14	11	1	1	---
Ariz.	68	47	52	6	---	2
Utah	6	9	7	3	2	2
Nev.	2	3	3	---	---	1
Wash.	32	26	32	8	8	7
Oreg.	9	11	14	1	1	1
Calif.	211	152	208	42	20	29
Western States	445	418	450	127	86	79
32 State Total	1,544	1,535	1,555	428	361	313
July 1, 1965, as percent of previous year and quarter						
	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of April 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1965
N.C. States ..	99	100	78	86		
Western States	101	108	62	92		
32 States	101	101	73	87		

Heifers and heifer calves on feed by weight groups, by quarters
 July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	Apr. 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head
Pa.	1	2	1	1	3	2	2	2	2
Ohio	1	5	1	9	16	8	13	7	13
Ind.	3	15	3	18	33	18	29	17	32
Ill.	4	14	7	22	88	38	75	44	83
Mich.	1	3	1	4	13	5	8	11	11
Wis.	2	5	1	8	18	9	11	9	6
Minn.	3	21	5	39	93	53	64	22	63
Iowa	5	58	9	109	258	151	259	131	250
Mo.	3	11	2	20	40	15	16	11	12
N. Dak.	1	3	1	6	23	9	21	13	22
S. Dak.	1	14	2	34	64	28	27	30	42
Nebr.	9	25	8	81	166	85	150	112	221
Kans.	2	8	2	36	47	42	65	30	42
N.C. States	35	182	42	386	859	461	738	437	797
Ga.	---	1	1	2	4	6	1	---	1
Fla.	---	3	---	1	1	1	1	1	---
Ky.	---	2	1	4	9	6	4	5	5
Tenn.	---	2	---	3	4	3	3	2	2
Ala.	---	2	1	1	3	2	---	1	---
Miss.	3	2	2	1	1	2	1	---	---
Okla.	9	11	7	18	30	23	12	15	19
Texas	40	51	46	73	100	94	31	34	46
Mont.	---	2	---	5	13	6	11	8	12
Idaho	---	8	1	6	22	10	20	15	23
Wyo.	1	3	---	4	6	5	5	4	5
Colo.	4	14	7	52	100	50	80	72	120
N. Mex.	5	7	8	13	17	13	12	15	10
Ariz.	8	12	9	12	20	18	23	18	14
Utah	2	3	1	10	13	8	12	7	10
Nev.	---	1	1	3	3	3	1	2	3
Wash.	---	1	---	8	14	7	12	8	14
Oreg.	---	4	---	2	14	7	11	9	13
Calif.	5	12	6	35	25	40	37	25	44
Western States ...	25	67	33	150	247	167	224	183	268
32 State	113	325	134	640	1,261	767	1,017	680	1,140
Total ...	113	325	134	640	1,261	767	1,017	680	1,140
July 1, 1965, as percent of previous year and quarter									
	Under 500 pounds			500-699 pounds			700-899 pounds		
	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965	Percent of July 1, 1964	Percent of Apr. 1, 1965
N.C. States	120	23	119	54	108	182			
Western States ...	132	49	111	68	120	146			
32 States ..	119	41	120	61	112	168			

Heifers and heifer calves on feed by weight groups, by quarters,
July 1, 1964, April 1 and July 1, 1965

State	900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over		
	July 1, 1964	April 1, 1965	July 1, 1965	July 1, 1964	April 1, 1965	July 1, 1965
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head
Pa.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ohio	1	1	---	---	---	---
Ind.	1	1	2	---	---	---
Ill.	9	6	8	---	---	---
Mich.	1	1	1	---	---	---
Wis.	3	4	1	---	---	---
Minn.	4	12	1	---	---	---
Iowa	45	39	36	---	---	---
Mo.	2	1	---	---	---	---
N.Dak.	4	5	4	---	---	---
S.Dak.	14	18	7	---	---	---
Nebr.	42	37	44	---	---	---
Kans.	18	16	19	---	---	---
N.C. States ..	144	141	123	---	---	---
Ga.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Fla.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ky.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Tenn.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Ala.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Miss.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Okla.	---	1	1	---	---	---
Texas	4	2	5	---	---	---
Mont.	3	3	3	---	---	---
Idaho	3	3	8	---	---	---
Wyo.	1	1	1	---	---	---
Colo.	34	39	32	---	---	---
N.Mex.	1	1	1	---	---	---
Ariz.	---	---	1	---	---	---
Utah	---	1	---	---	---	---
Nev.	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wash.	1	4	2	---	---	---
Oreg.	---	1	3	---	---	---
Calif.	6	3	3	---	---	---
Western States	49	56	54	---	---	---
32 State Total	197	200	183	---	---	---
July 1, 1965, as percent of previous year and quarter						
900 to 1,099 pounds			1,100 pounds and over			
Percent of July 1, 1964:		Percent of April 1, 1965:		Percent of July 1, 1964:		Percent of April 1, 1965:
N.C. States ..	85	87	---	---	---	---
Western States	110	96	---	---	---	---
32 States ...	93	92	---	---	---	---

Cattle and calves: Expected marketings of the cattle and calves on feed July 1, 1965 compared with actual marketings of cattle and calves on feed July 1, 1964

State	On feed July 1, 1964		Expected marketings of cattle and calves on feed July 1, 1965		
	Marketed July-Sept. 1964 1/	Marketed after Sept. 30, 1964	Number : July-September 1965	Percent : 1965 as % of 1964	After Sept. 30, 1965
	1,000 head	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head
Pa.	27	16	29	107	21
Ohio	90	45	89	99	55
Ind.	102	68	90	88	60
Ill.	322	136	325	101	160
Mich.	58	42	65	112	45
Wis.	36	48	40	111	53
Minn.	179	192	170	95	190
Iowa	732	760	766	105	830
Mo.	123	48	122	99	49
N. Dak.	49	47	45	92	45
S. Dak.	133	122	105	79	140
Nebr.	546	220	650	119	240
Kans.	145	139	140	97	147
N.C. States	2,515	1,867	2,607	104	2,014
Ga.	28	12	24	86	10
Fla.	23	3	30	130	7
Ky.	22	10	25	114	16
Tenn.	13	7	12	92	7
Ala.	6	4	10	167	6
Miss.	6	4	8	133	5
Okla.	49	18	57	116	28
Texas	208	89	260	125	94
Mont.	25	19	29	116	22
Idaho	59	36	68	115	43
Wyo.	15	8	13	87	7
Colo.	237	123	272	115	175
N.Mex.	43	27	46	107	31
Ariz.	162	97	170	105	116
Utah	29	21	29	100	19
Nev.	10	4	11	110	8
Wash.	71	27	68	96	31
Oreg.	28	20	38	136	24
Calif.	524	402	540	103	501
Western States	1,203	784	1,284	107	977
32 State Total	4,100	2,814	4,346	106	3,185

1/ Excludes "Short Feds", that is cattle which were put on feed after July 1, 1964 and marketed before October 1, 1964.

Cattle and calves on feed: Inventories, placements and marketings, by months,
 Arizona, California, Colorado, Nebraska, and Texas, January 1, 1964 -
 July 1, 1964 and January 1, 1965 - July 1, 1965

Item	Arizona			California			Colorado		
	1964	1965	1965 as % of 1964	1964	1965	1965 as % of 1964	1964	1965	1965 as % of 1964
	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent
On feed January 1	324	348	107	946	915	97	508	534	105
Placed on feed during Jan.	56	28	50	94	53	56	56	82	146
Marketed during January	43	50	116	190	186	98	65	90	138
On feed February 1	337	326	97	850	782	92	499	526	105
Placed on feed during Feb.	37	39	105	97	76	78	35	65	186
Marketed during February	38	51	134	159	172	108	65	83	128
On feed March 1	336	314	93	788	686	87	469	508	108
Placed on feed during Mar.	35	38	109	190	218	115	73	103	141
Marketed during March	52	65	125	158	178	113	74	102	138
On feed April 1	319	287	90	820	726	89	468	509	109
Placed on feed during Apr.	34	35	103	150	152	101	53	88	166
Marketed during April	52	61	117	155	153	99	90	95	106
On feed May 1	301	261	87	815	725	89	431	502	116
Placed on feed during May	34	88	259	201	339	169	49	88	180
Marketed during May	61	64	105	135	156	116	97	114	118
On feed June 1	274	285	104	881	908	103	383	476	124
Placed on feed during June	41	57	139	195	304	156	68	65	96
Marketed during June	56	56	100	150	171	114	91	94	103
Cattle and calves on feed July 1	259	286	110	926	1,041	112	360	447	124

Item	Nebraska			Texas		
	1964	1965	1965 as % of 1964	1964	1965	1965 as % of 1964
	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent	1,000 head	1,000 head	Percent
On feed January 1	1,022	1,027	100	478	488	102
Placed on feed during Jan.	180	235	131	53	56	106
Marketed during January	204	217	106	94	100	106
On feed February 1	998	1,045	105	437	444	102
Placed on feed during Feb.	144	193	134	48	55	115
Marketed during February	205	215	105	89	100	112
On feed March 1	937	1,023	109	396	399	101
Placed on feed during Mar.	244	257	105	62	83	134
Marketed during March	216	239	111	109	118	108
On feed April 1	965	1,041	108	349	364	104
Placed on feed during Apr.	179	182	102	62	75	121
Marketed during April	223	200	90	91	99	109
On feed May 1	921	1,023	111	320	340	106
Placed on feed during May	147	150	102	81	92	114
Marketed during May	219	205	94	87	89	102
On feed June 1	849	968	114	314	343	109
Placed on feed during June	143	141	99	63	91	144
Marketed during June	226	219	97	80	80	100
Cattle and calves on feed July 1	766	890	116	297	354	119

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MARKET AND GRADE	NUMBER		AVERAGE WEIGHT		AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS LIVE WEIGHT	
	1964	1965	1964	1965	1964	1965
	HEAD	HEAD	POUNDS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS
CHICAGO						
PRIME.....	10,831	10,062	1,284	1,262	23.06	29.36
CHOICE.....	75,326	78,486	1,188	1,158	21.57	27.68
GOOD.....	16,303	13,580	1,061	1,047	20.25	25.72
OTHER 2/.....	5,138	4,127	1,061	1,000	17.44	22.27
TOTAL.....	107,598	106,255	1,173	1,148	21.37	27.44
CINCINNATI						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	3,380	3,732	1,040	1,000	20.77	26.75
GOOD.....	1,842	1,824	993	1,005	19.62	24.01
OTHER 2/.....	1,989	1,063	990	1,001	17.76	20.97
TOTAL.....	7,211	6,619	1,014	1,001	19.67	25.06
DENVER						
PRIME.....	54	87	1,118	1,240	24.25	27.81
CHOICE.....	15,459	5,983	1,150	1,130	22.21	27.52
GOOD.....	6,623	2,321	1,090	1,030	20.88	25.57
OTHER 2/.....	412	338	1,044	1,015	16.71	20.65
TOTAL.....	22,548	8,729	1,131	1,100	21.74	26.79
FORT WORTH						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	363	526	1,165	969	20.08	26.99
GOOD.....	1,125	500	968	865	19.71	25.25
OTHER 2/.....	158	41	891	740	17.99	21.19
TOTAL.....	1,646	1,067	1,004	912	19.66	26.03
INDIANAPOLIS						
PRIME.....	5	55	1,065	1,126	21.26	28.13
CHOICE.....	8,441	5,307	1,118	1,073	20.89	27.18
GOOD.....	7,676	7,390	1,044	1,001	19.98	25.44
OTHER 2/.....	2,732	1,384	1,039	982	17.66	22.07
TOTAL.....	18,854	14,136	1,076	1,026	20.08	25.81
KANSAS CITY						
PRIME.....	150	159	1,173	1,170	22.26	28.48
CHOICE.....	18,401	12,714	1,116	1,088	21.52	27.36
GOOD.....	11,866	8,367	1,015	1,004	20.01	25.57
OTHER 2/.....	2,286	729	1,051	1,060	17.41	21.18
TOTAL.....	32,703	21,969	1,075	1,056	20.73	26.51
OKLAHOMA CITY						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	855	154	1,057	992	20.89	26.53
GOOD.....	804	346	948	949	19.75	24.80
OTHER 2/.....	204	76	995	951	17.39	21.13
TOTAL.....	1,863	576	1,003	961	20.04	24.80
OMAHA						
PRIME.....	1,865	1,321	1,218	1,244	22.39	27.91
CHOICE.....	64,543	58,940	1,166	1,115	21.40	26.86
GOOD.....	38,011	31,726	1,082	1,040	19.99	25.24
OTHER 2/.....	6,521	3,395	1,091	1,084	16.77	21.49
TOTAL.....	110,940	95,382	1,134	1,091	20.70	26.18

STEERS SOLD OUT OF FIRST HANDS AT SELECTED MARKETS FOR SLAUGHTER,
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MARKET AND GRADE	NUMBER		AVERAGE WEIGHT		AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS LIVE WEIGHT	
	1964	1965	1964	1965	1964	1965
	HEAD	HEAD	POUNDS	POUNDS	DOLLARS	DOLLARS
ST. LOUIS NSY						
PRIME.....	27	174	1,147	1,197	23.18	27.89
CHOICE.....	14,684	8,480	1,084	1,080	21.25	26.77
GOOD.....	13,976	12,508	990	981	19.60	25.22
OTHER ^{2/}	3,141	770	971	988	17.24	21.73
TOTAL.....	31,828	21,932	1,032	1,021	20.19	25.76
SIOUX CITY						
PRIME.....	1,978	2,084	1,309	1,233	21.86	27.93
CHOICE.....	45,494	41,404	1,187	1,136	21.17	26.99
GOOD.....	18,569	16,449	1,092	1,062	19.66	25.24
OTHER ^{2/}	3,155	1,661	1,088	1,046	16.43	20.91
TOTAL.....	69,196	61,598	1,161	1,117	20.61	26.43
SIOUX FALLS						
PRIME.....	147	197	1,281	1,265	21.90	27.74
CHOICE.....	12,647	11,991	1,214	1,170	20.99	27.05
GOOD.....	9,047	6,569	1,122	1,102	19.15	24.99
OTHER ^{2/}	2,985	1,281	1,124	1,105	16.31	21.10
TOTAL.....	24,826	20,038	1,170	1,144	19.81	26.04
SD. ST. JOSEPH						
PRIME.....	1,238	1,339	1,222	1,196	22.18	27.89
CHOICE.....	20,553	20,227	1,159	1,101	21.36	27.07
GOOD.....	17,521	13,683	1,065	1,039	19.90	25.42
OTHER ^{2/}	2,337	1,213	1,080	1,045	16.93	21.49
TOTAL.....	41,649	36,462	1,117	1,079	20.56	26.33
SOUTH ST. PAUL ^{3/}						
PRIME.....	82	---	1,180	---	23.52	---
CHOICE.....	9,901	9,144	1,192	1,120	20.97	27.06
GOOD.....	12,147	8,331	1,082	1,029	19.24	24.32
OTHER ^{2/}	7,935	5,671	1,050	997	16.44	20.73
TOTAL.....	30,065	23,146	1,110	1,057	19.16	24.64
WEST FARGO						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	3,317	2,510	1,153	1,100	20.47	26.33
GOOD.....	4,825	3,431	1,045	1,018	18.62	24.64
OTHER ^{2/}	2,166	1,501	1,030	1,008	15.87	20.73
TOTAL.....	10,308	7,442	1,076	1,044	18.70	24.48
LOUISVILLE						
PRIME.....	7	---	1,134	---	22.29	---
CHOICE.....	2,128	2,014	1,035	1,028	20.50	26.23
GOOD.....	2,837	1,492	1,070	1,039	19.29	25.01
OTHER ^{2/}	1,698	911	1,076	1,056	18.03	21.59
TOTAL.....	6,670	4,417	1,060	1,038	19.34	24.84
TOTAL 15 MARKETS						
PRIME.....	16,384	15,478	1,272	1,249	22.76	28.87
CHOICE.....	295,492	261,612	1,105	1,127	21.37	27.20
GOOD.....	163,172	128,517	1,063	1,033	19.81	25.24
OTHER ^{2/}	42,857	24,161	1,057	1,025	16.92	21.33
TOTAL.....	517,905	429,768	1,127	1,098	20.61	26.41

^{1/} DATA COLLECTED BY LIVESTOCK DIVISION, ~~CMS~~ AND STATISTICAL REPORTING SERVICE.
^{2/} STANDARD, COMMERCIAL AND UTILITY.
^{3/} PARTIAL RECEIPTS.

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MARKET AND GRADE	NUMBER		AVERAGE WEIGHT		AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS LIVE WEIGHT	
	1964	1965	1964	1965	1964	1965
	<u>HEAD</u>	<u>HEAD</u>	<u>POUNDS</u>	<u>POUNDS</u>	<u>DOLLARS</u>	<u>DOLLARS</u>
CHICAGO						
PRIME.....	933	1,866	1,055	1,003	21.70	27.48
CHOICE.....	12,924	15,078	937	905	20.74	26.13
GOOD.....	4,506	3,819	872	847	19.10	23.76
OTHER <u>2/</u>	2,084	1,096	885	894	17.05	19.96
TOTAL.....	20,447	21,859	923	903	20.09	25.56
CINCINNATI						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	2,202	3,004	797	795	19.87	24.76
GOOD.....	1,141	1,329	765	755	18.92	22.70
OTHER <u>2/</u>	950	476	763	740	16.85	18.65
TOTAL.....	4,293	4,809	781	778	18.97	23.63
DENVER						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	7,051	3,139	941	900	21.78	26.32
GOOD.....	3,292	2,923	898	856	20.59	24.79
OTHER <u>2/</u>	168	344	961	974	15.27	19.22
TOTAL.....	10,511	6,406	928	884	21.31	25.22
FORT WORTH						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	10	67	758	701	19.00	24.34
GOOD.....	540	685	763	691	18.40	23.22
OTHER <u>2/</u>	129	413	627	738	16.32	19.69
TOTAL.....	679	1,165	737	708	18.08	21.98
INDIANAPOLIS						
PRIME.....	---	4	---	901	---	27.00
CHOICE.....	3,154	2,146	883	876	20.11	25.70
GOOD.....	2,014	2,957	849	809	18.47	23.89
OTHER <u>2/</u>	265	347	836	827	17.15	20.78
TOTAL.....	5,433	5,454	868	836	19.38	24.44
KANSAS CITY						
PRIME.....	140	83	972	985	22.22	27.48
CHOICE.....	6,264	5,678	906	872	20.94	25.86
GOOD.....	3,384	3,202	797	822	18.76	23.45
OTHER <u>2/</u>	556	217	791	912	16.81	19.76
TOTAL.....	10,344	9,180	865	856	20.10	24.92
OKLAHOMA CITY						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	534	237	836	841	20.35	25.72
GOOD.....	1,892	842	766	741	19.24	24.09
OTHER <u>2/</u>	162	32	756	931	17.36	19.28
TOTAL.....	2,588	1,111	780	767	19.37	24.30
OMAHA						
PRIME.....	1,208	1,038	1,036	996	22.12	27.25
CHOICE.....	22,489	28,441	973	921	21.16	26.24
GOOD.....	18,563	20,639	912	876	19.49	24.33
OTHER <u>2/</u>	1,673	1,445	923	904	16.13	20.13
TOTAL.....	43,933	51,563	947	904	20.32	25.35

HEIFERS SOLD OUT OF FIRST HANDS AT SELECTED MARKETS FOR SLAUGHTER,
JUNE 1964 AND 1965 ^{1/}

MARKET AND GRADE	NUMBER		AVERAGE WEIGHT		AVERAGE PRICE PER 100 POUNDS LIVE WEIGHT	
	1964	1965	1964	1965	1964	1965
	<u>HEAD</u>	<u>HEAD</u>	<u>POUNDS</u>	<u>POUNDS</u>	<u>DOLLARS</u>	<u>DOLLARS</u>
ST. LOUIS NSY						
PRIME.....	---	8	---	941	---	27.00
CHOICE.....	5,038	2,781	873	882	20.15	25.96
GOOD.....	6,021	3,866	809	812	18.92	23.80
OTHER ^{2/}	1,056	435	793	804	17.08	20.38
TOTAL.....	12,115	7,090	834	839	19.30	24.49
SIOUX CITY						
PRIME.....	648	808	1,064	1,012	21.35	27.14
CHOICE.....	11,756	12,366	974	937	20.63	25.96
GOOD.....	7,600	5,706	899	887	18.95	23.75
OTHER ^{2/}	750	223	862	910	16.29	19.77
TOTAL.....	20,754	19,103	945	925	19.92	25.31
SIOUX FALLS						
PRIME.....	73	18	1,119	1,009	21.37	27.42
CHOICE.....	4,552	3,647	1,011	949	20.02	25.87
GOOD.....	4,486	4,861	948	925	18.47	23.94
OTHER ^{2/}	960	843	946	978	16.13	19.83
TOTAL.....	10,071	9,369	977	939	19.00	24.32
SO. ST. JOSEPH						
PRIME.....	81	---	986	---	21.59	---
CHOICE.....	3,166	4,860	916	877	20.87	25.85
GOOD.....	3,758	4,195	846	835	19.06	23.89
OTHER ^{2/}	387	382	879	855	16.10	20.16
TOTAL.....	7,392	9,437	879	857	19.74	24.77
SOUTH ST. PAUL ^{3/}						
PRIME.....	101	---	1,009	---	21.86	---
CHOICE.....	2,701	4,040	987	917	20.54	25.90
GOOD.....	6,440	3,683	931	892	18.70	23.43
OTHER ^{2/}	1,766	2,434	936	900	15.66	18.72
TOTAL.....	11,008	10,157	946	904	18.72	23.30
WEST FARGO						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	1,210	1,735	957	900	20.15	26.16
GOOD.....	1,976	1,952	934	877	18.26	23.71
OTHER ^{2/}	908	1,123	946	933	15.13	18.19
TOTAL.....	4,094	4,810	943	898	18.13	23.26
LOUISVILLE						
PRIME.....	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHOICE.....	410	1,188	843	836	20.53	24.93
GOOD.....	626	339	810	768	18.95	22.64
OTHER ^{2/}	297	166	791	844	17.10	19.13
TOTAL.....	1,333	1,693	816	823	19.06	23.92
TOTAL 15 MARKETS						
PRIME.....	3,184	3,825	1,044	1,002	21.80	27.34
CHOICE.....	83,461	88,407	944	907	20.81	26.02
GOOD.....	66,239	60,998	882	859	19.10	23.97
OTHER ^{2/}	12,111	9,976	877	890	16.35	19.39
TOTAL.....	164,995	163,206	916	890	19.86	24.91

^{1/} DATA COLLECTED BY LIVESTOCK DIVISION, ~~CMS~~ AND STATISTICAL REPORTING SERVICE.
^{2/} STANDARD, COMMERCIAL AND UTILITY.
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was only 1 percent greater than July 1, 1964. This group accounted for 2,389,000 head. Cattle on feed 6 months or over totaled 1,850,000 head, down 1 percent from a year earlier.

MARKETING INTENTIONS

Cattle feeders intend to market 4,346,000 head of the cattle that were on feed July 1 during July, August, and September. If these intentions are fulfilled, this will result in a 6 percent increase over the 4,100,000 head marketed during the same period last year from the July 1 numbers. Intentions are to market 30 percent of the 3 month total during July and 35 percent in both August and September. Expected marketings are based upon the usual relationship between survey data and actual marketings.

JUNE MARKETINGS FOR 15 LIVESTOCK MARKETS

Steers and heifers marketed out of first hands for slaughter at 15 livestock markets during June 1965 totaled 592,974 head, 13 percent less than during June 1964. Steers accounted for 429,768 head, 17 percent less than a year earlier. Heifers were down 1 percent from a year earlier at 163,206 head.

Steers and heifers marketed at prime, choice and good grades totaled 558,837 head, down 11 percent from June 1964.