Shasta Livestock Auction Yard

Office: (530) 347-3793 Market: (530) 347-4927 Cottonwood, California Sale Every Friday

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RECEIPTS: This Week: 2203 Last Week: 812

<u>COMPARED TO LAST WEEK</u>: Slaughter cows and bulls steady to slightly higher on best cows. Cattle under 625 lbs steady. Yearlings \$2-\$3 lower on fewer bigger cattle and softer demand.

Off lots and singles \$7-\$10 lower than top offerings.				
SLAUGHTER COWS:		<u>High Dress</u>		Low Dress
Breakers:	<u>44.00-48.00</u>	<u>50.00-55.00</u>		
Boneing:	<u>38.00-43.00</u>			
Cutters:	<u>30.00-37.00</u>			
<u>BULLS 1 & 2:</u>	<u>50.00-56.00</u>			
FEEDER STEERS:	300-400	XXXX	to	XXXX
Top Offerings/Pen Lots	400-450	XXXX	to	XXXX
	450-500	110.00	to	123.25
	500-550	110.00	to	125.50
	550-600	105.00	to	116.00
	600-650	100.00	to	114.25
	650-700	95.00	to	102.00
	700-750	92.00	to	97.50
	750-800	89.00	to	94.50
	800-900	XXXX	to	XXXX
FEEDER HEIFERS:	300-400	XXXX	to	XXXX
Top Offerings/Pen Lots	400-450	98.00	to	106.50
	450-500	98.00	to	111.00
	500-550	90.00	to	102.00
	550-600	90.00	to	104.00
	600-650	90.00	to	100.00
	650-700	88.00	to	95.00
	700-750	XXXX	to	XXXX
	750-800	XXXX	to	XXXX
	800-900	XXXX	to	XXXX
PAIRS:	Special Hereford 3-in-1 pairs w/350-550 lb calves \$1175-\$13			

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CALVY COWS: Too few to test the market

NEXT WEEK (May 1st): Expecting 1500 head @ Shasta Livestock May 7th: Western Video Market satellite sale @ Cottonwood - 25,000 head May 8th: Tehama County Cattlemen's Feeder Special