

New York Dressed Meats

Thursday, March 29
Compared with Wednesday, steer and heifer beef weak to 50c lower, small stock classes generally weak, pork loins, picnics, butts and spareribs steady, hams weak to \$2 lower. General meat trade devoid of luster as practically all outlets continue to purchase in line with daily minimum requirements in meats. Beef rough cuts under pressure along with chuck cuts of railstock classes. Supplies moderate while local slaughter curtailed for beef and veal.

Steer Beef
Prime 600-900 pounds 71.50-73.00; Choice 600-700 71.50-73.00; 700-800 71.50-72.50; 800-900 71.00-72.00; Good 500-800 68.00-70.00.

Heifer Beef
Choice 500-700 pounds 70.50-72.00.

Calf (Skin Off)
150-350 Pounds
Choice 83.00-89.00; Good 80.00-86.00; Standard 76.00-79.00.

Veal (Skin Off)
Choice 90-150 pounds 110.00-

114.00; Good 60-90 107.00-110.00; Standard 60-120 89.00-92.00.

Lamb
Choice 30-55 pounds 77.50-79.00; 55-65 75.00-77.00.

Choice Beef Cuts
Hinds (Steer) 145-190 pounds 81.00-83.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 63.00-67.00; Ribs (7-Rib) 34-50 86.00-90.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 102.00-105.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 76.00-80.00; Full Plates 48.00-49.00; Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 80.50-82.00.

Fresh Pork Cuts
Loins (Regular) 8-14 pounds 65.00-68.00; 14-17 63.00-66.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 45.00-46.50; Boston Butts 4-8 64.00-67.00; Spareribs 3 pounds down 77.00-80.00; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 65.50-69.00; 17-20 64.50-66.00.

Kosher Market
Kosher Steer Beef and Lamb: Mid Week trade active; quotations unchanged both classes.

Oklahoma City

Thursday, March 29
Estimated Receipts 7,600
Same Day Last Week 14,829
Same Day Last Year 7,020

Moderately active, compared to late last week, feeder cattle and calves 3.00-4.00 some sales 5.00 lower; majority receipts Good and Choice 400-750 pound steers and 375-650 pound heifers; moderate attendance buyers; offerings again include liberal supply cattle arriving from wheat pastures.

SALES AS OF 1:15 P.M.
FEEDER STEERS: Choice and few Prime 300-400 pound 61.00-68.80, small lot 308 pound at 69.00 and small lot 334 pound at 71.90; 400-500 57.00-63.75, small lot 460 pound at 65.50; 500-600 54.00-58.00, small lot 513 pound at 61.10; 600-700 49.50-54.50, part load 631 pound at 55.50 and part load 613

pound at 56.40; 700-800 49.00-52.80; few 800-853 49.60-50.50; Mixed Good and Choice 300-500 54.50-60.00; 500-600 47.50-53.50; 700-800 46.25-49.50.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Good 525-688 pound 44.50-49.00, small lot 732 pound at 45.90 and part load 818 pound at 43.10.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 300-400 pound 54.40 55.20, small lot 357 pound at 58.25 and small lot 287 pound at 59.00; 400-500 48.00-52.25, two part loads 403-415 53.50-53.90; 500-600 44.00-48.30, few part loads 525-548 49.00-49.70; 600-700 42.50-47.20; few 744-817 43.00-44.50; mixed Good and Choice 300-500 44.50-50.50, small lot 500 pound at 41.10.

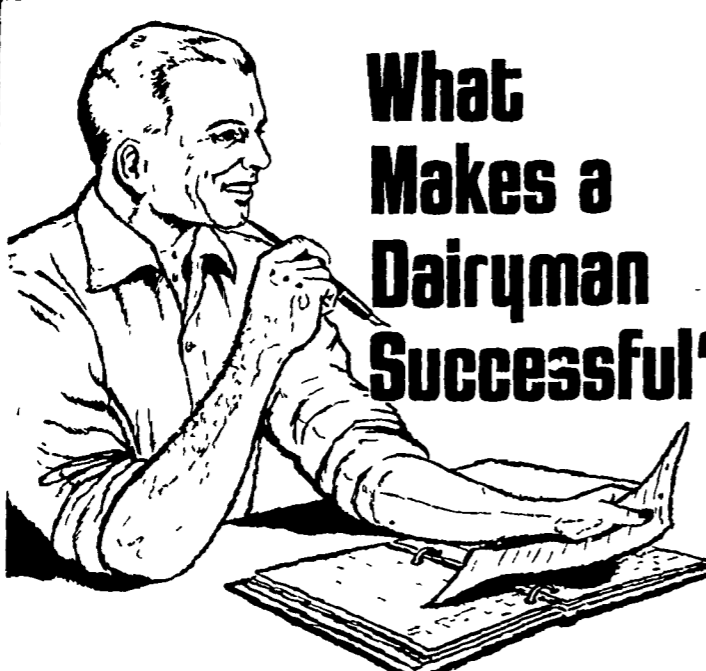
Some people will believe everything you tell them, if it's bad enough.—Lee R. Call, Star Valley (Wyo.) Independent.

Local Grain

Thursday, March 29
These prices are made up of the average prices quoted by five participating local feed and grain concerns. It should be noted, however, that not every dealer handles each commodity. All prices are per bushel except for ear corn which is per ton. The average local grain prices quoted Thursday, March 29, 1973, are as follows:

	Bid+	Offered+
Ear Corn	43.66	50.00
Shelled Corn	1.68	1.95
Oats, Local	.87	1.08
Oats, Western	1.21	1.33
Barley	1.45	1.66
Wheat	2.06	2.30

+Bid is the price the dealer will buy from the farmer delivered to the mill. Offered is the price the dealer will sell for at his mill.



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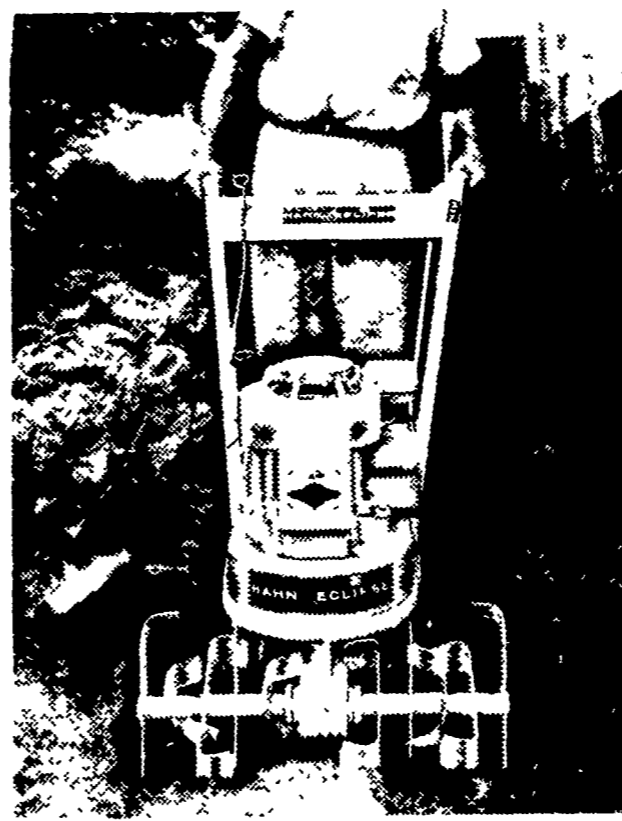
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