

JUNE 30-JULY 6, 1975

The air now is freshened with rain and with dew.

Vacation time begins; watch out for sunburn... 165 perish in Hartford, Conn. circus fire, July 6, 1944... Last quarter of the moon July 1... The year is half gone... Average length of days for the week, 15 hours, 15 minutes... "Life With Father" opened on Broadway July 6, 1933... Maiden voyage of SS United States July 3, 1952... Bikini bomb test June 30, 1946... He who sings frightens away his ills... Be independent on Independence Day; loaf.

Old Farmer's Riddle: Why is the letter "J" like a nose? (Answer below.)



Ask the Old Farmer: In examining the inventories of some estates of the 1600s and 1700s, I frequently run across the item: pillowheer, pillowhere, pillowhere, pillowhere, pillowhere, pillowhere, etc. It is usually listed along with beds and the like, but I find no such thing in my dictionary. Do you know what it means? S. R., Danville, Ill.

Pillowbere is a pillowease.

Home Hints If graits or other insects mar your freshly painted surfaces, add a tablespoon of oil of citronella to each gallon of paint and mix it in well before using Riddle granter Because it a next to the eye

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Warm with light to moderate rain throughout week.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Rainy most of week; hot at first, then cooling.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Rain to start, then clear and warm, heavy rain latter part, then clear by weekend.

Southeast Coastal-Piedmont: Hard thunderstorms at first, then generally clear and very hot for remainder of week.

Florida: Early week cloudy with showers in south; end of week partly cloudy in north.

Upstate & Western N.Y.-Toronto & Montreal: Intermittent showers all week.

Greater Ohio Valley: Clear and warm to start, then hard thunderstorms; cooler at week's end.

Deep South: Early week mostly sunny and hot; some scattered light showers latter part.

Chicago & Southern Great Lakes: First part of week clear and

cool; end of week partly cloudy.

Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Heavy rain and some hail

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Central Great Plains: Mostly clear and hot all week; some rain on weekend.

Teyes Oklahome: Mostly clean and now hat all week;

Texas-Oklahoma: Mostly clear and very hot all week; possible tropical storm to start along western Gulf.

Rocky Mountain Region: Heavy rain to start, then clearing and cool to end of week.

Southwest Desert: Cloudy through midweek with hard rain in west; end of week clearing and hot.

Pacific Northwest: Most of week partly sunny and mild; some showers latter part.

California: Clear all week in north; overcast at first in south, then clear.

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Dewart Auction

Dewart, Pa. June 23, 1975

CATTLE 207. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers steady to \$1 lower. Slaughter cows mostly steady to 25 cents higher. Few Low Choice slaughter steers 51.00-53.00. Good 39.00-49.75, Standard 32.50-39.50, Utility 25.25-31.00. Choice slaughter heifers, individual's 39.75 and 40.00, Good 33.00-38.50, few Standard 28.00-35.00. Utility and High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 25.75-29.75, few Commercial 24.50-26.25, Cutters 23.25-25.75, Canners 21.00-23.25, Shells down to 16.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 29.75-33.75, Standard 27.25-29.50, Yield Grade No. 1, 1325-1670 27.75, individual Yield Grade

CALVES 160. Vealers steady to \$2, spots \$3 lower. Couple Choice vealers 50.00 and 54.00, Good 43.00-50.00, Standard 34.00-45.50, few Utility 110-130 lbs. 30.00-34.00, 80-110 lbs. 27.00-30.00, 65-85 lbs. 25.00-28.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs. 30.00-36.00, few Beef cross bulls and heifers 95-115 lbs. 30.00-40.00.

HOGS 331. Barrows and gilts mostly \$4.50 higher. US No 1-3 200-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 57.90-58.50, few to 59.00. No 2-3 190-250 lbs. 56.90-58.10, few No. 2-4 260-290 lbs. 49 90-54.00. No. 1-3 100-135 lbs 38.00-42.50, few 170-175 lbs. 53.40-56.50. US No. 1-3 320-545 lbs. sows 41.00-46.00, few Utilty 325-375 lbs. 36.25-38.75. Boars 33.25-37.75, individual at 30.50.

No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 11.00-15.50 per head, No. 1-3 20-30 lbs. 19.00-26.00, few No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. 28.00-36.00, lot 50 lbs. of 42.00, lot No. 1-3 135 lbs. at 40.00 per hundred weight.

SHEEP 16. Few Utility and Good 42-72 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 29.00-35.00. Slaughter ewes 8.00-15.00.

Carlisle Livestock

Carlisie, Penna. June 24, 1978

CATTLE 338. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers steady. Slaughter cows weak to 50 cents lower, spots \$1.50 lower. Good slaughter steers 39.25-46.85, Standard 30.00-39.50, few Utility 24.25-29.75. Few Choice slaughter heifers 41.25-44.75, one Good at 41.75, few Standard 29.25-33.50, few Utility 22.60-27.75. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 24.60-26.75, Cutters 22.85-24.50, Canners 19.60-22.10, Shells down to 17.00. One Choice Slaughter bullocks at 39.75. few Standard 25.10-29.00, few Utility 21.10-26.10. Yield Grade No. 1 1260-1930 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.00-31.25; one Yield Grade No. 2 1695 lbs. at 26.75.

CALVES 199. Vealers grading Utility & Standard \$2 to \$5 lower. Few Choice vealers 41.00-49.50, Good 34.00-40.00, few to 48.00, Standard 30.00-36.00, Utility 90-120 lbs. 20.00-29.00, 65-85 lbs. 15.00-20.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-130 lbs. 29.00-36.50.

HOGS 362. Barrows & Gilts mostly \$6 higher. US No. 1-2 200-225 lbs. barrows & gilts 59-60.60.00, No. 1-3 195-245 lbs. 58.75-59.75, No. 2-3 200-255 lbs. 58.00-58.75, No. 2-4 240-285 lbs. 56.10-57.50, few No. 1-3 175-185 lbs. 53.25-57.10. US No. 1-3 300-545 lbs. sows 40.00-46.50, few No. 2-3 355-595 lbs. 36.50-41.00. Few Boars 38.25-39.75.

FEEDER PIGS 198. US No. 1-3 25-40 lbs. feeder pigs 22.00-34.00 per head, lot No. 1-3 60 lbs. 42.00 per head.

SHEEP 16. Few Choice 75-102 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 39.00-45.00. One Slaughter ewe at 8.50.

Baltimore USDA Report

June 23, 1975
CATTLE 450. Moderately
Active, slaughter steers
steady; heifers steady to \$1
higher; cows 50 cents to \$1
higher; Bulls steady to 50
cents lower; feeder market
not tested. Supply 40 percent

slaughter steers & helfers, 40 percent cows, balance feeders and bulls.

STEERS: Choice yield

grade 2-4 1050-1235 lbs. 52.50-55.00, Good & Choice 825-1285 lbs. 49.75-52.00, Good 43.50-50.00, Standard & Low Good yield grade 2-3 970-1300 lbs. 35.00-42.00, Standard 900-1225 lbs. 25.50-30.00. HEIFERS: Choice yield grade 2-4 820-865 lbs. 47.00-48.00, Good 750-900 lbs. 38.00-43.00, package High Good 45.00. COWS: Utility dairy breeds 25.25-28.50, few 28.75-29.00, Utility & Commercial beef breed 23.75-27.50, Cutters 21.00-24.50, Canner & Low Cutters 21.00-24.50, Canner & Low Cutters 18.00-21.00, Canners 600-885 lbs. 15.00-18.00. BULLS: Yield Grade No. 1 1100-1870 lbs. 27.50-29.60; yield grade 1-2 975-1500 lbs. 22.75-26.00. FEEDER CATTLE: Low Good & Choice heifers 840 lbs. carrying Good slaughter finish 36.00, few Standard & Good 500-850 lbs. 25.00-29.00. several Good 665-835 lbs. 32.00-33.00.

HOGS 700. Barrows & Gilts \$2.75 to \$3 higher. US No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 57.75-58.00, 100 head 58.25, No. 2-3 230-260

Oklahoma Cattle

June 28 Thursday Feeder Cattle Auction

Estimated Receipts 11,100
Same Day Last Week 10,357
Trade active, feeder steers
mostly steady to weak, with
best demand noted for choice
steers over 700 lb. Feeder
heifers steady. Majority
receipts 400-800 lb. feeder
steers and heifers. Moderate
attendance buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Lot Choice 487 lb. 38.60, 500-600 lb. 35.50-37.50, 600-700 lb. 37.50-40.75, 700-850 lb. 37.75-42.50, mostly 38.50-41.00, Mixed Good and Choice 350-500 lb. 29.00-32.75, 500-600 lb. 30.50-35.00, largely 32.00-35.00, 600-700 lb. 32.00-37.50, bulk 34.00-37.75, 700-850 lb. 34.00-38.50. Good 350-500 lb. 26.75-29.00, 500-750 lb. 26.75-32.00, mostly 28.00-32.00, small lot 918 lb. holsteins.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 400-600 lb. 27.50-33.00, Bulk 30.00-31.50, 600-800 lb. 30.00-32.50, couple lots 666-776 lb. 37.00-40.00. Mixed Good and Choice 350-500 lb. 24.00-27.50, 500-600 lb. 27.00-29.75, 600-750 lb. 26.00-30.00, Good 300-500 lb. 23.00-24.50, 500-750 lb. 22.75-25.00.

lbs. 57.25-57.75, No. 2-4 250-280 lbs. 56.75-57.25. Sows steady to \$1 higher. US. No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 40.00-41.00, few under 300 lbs. 41.50-42.00.

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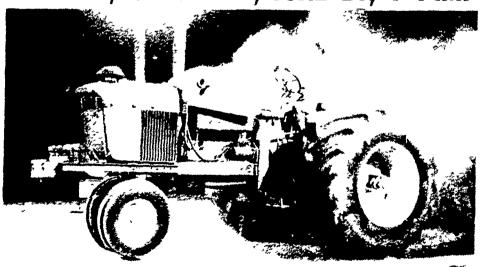
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