8-Lancaster Farming, Saturday, September 20, 1975



#### SEPT. 22-28, 1975 Rich Autumn Deals Forth Her Mellow Store.

Pickle your cucumbers now ... Fall begins Sept. 23, 11:55 AM EDT ... Beware of killing frosts now ... Average length of days for the week, 12 hours, 6 minutes ... Okla-homa land rush began Sept. 22, 1891 ... Navy stopped flog-ging this week in 1850 ... Day almost equals night this week (same time for both) ... Your best guide is your



conscience.

Old Farmer's Riddle: What has everyone seen, but will never see again? (Answer below.) Ask the Old Farmer: On my grandfather's farm in Maine there was a place in the pasture that was dry during dry weather, but in wet

weather, it would fill up with water, and the earth would become black and oozy. We called it a pughole. Do you know the origin of this? G. S., Battle Creek, Mich.

"Pug" is Old English for soft mud.

Home Hints: If paper is stuck on the top of a wood table, pour furniture oil on the paper and soak overnight. The next morning, rub gently with a soft cloth, and the paper will come right off ..., Riddle answer Yesterday

#### OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Mostly rainy and cool all week, with especially heavy rain midweek.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Most of week is cool and rainy, occasionally heavy showers.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: First part of week partly cloudy and hotter; rainy in central and north on weekend.

Piedmont and Southeast Coastal: Rain, quite heavy on the coast, through midweek; becoming clear in central and south.

Florida: Intermittent rain in central and north all week; partly cloudy in south.

Upstate and Western N.Y.-Toronto and Montreal: Entire week is cloudy with intermittent, fairly heavy rain.

Greater Ohio Valley: Cloudy throughout, with intermittent rain becoming heavy on weekend.

Deep South: Partly cloudy and warmer by middle of the week; showers in north.

Chicago and Southern Great Lakes: Cloudy to start, then intermittent showers: clear latter part.

Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Rain throughout week, then sunny by weekend; heavy thunderstorm in central latter part.

Central Great Plains: Week begins with heavy rain in central, then cold; heavy rain and hall in east by week's end.

Texas-Oklahoma: Generally clear and hot, with very hot temperatures in south; some clouds in central at end of week. **Rocky Mountain:** Primarily clear and pleasant throughout, except for heavy rain in north midweek.

Southwest Desert: Clear and hot throughout, highs over 100 in west; temperatures reach upper 90's in east by weekend.

Pacific Northwest: Cloudy with intermittent rain all week; rain moderately heavy in north.

California: Clear, hot weather most of week, with highs in mid-80's on the coast.

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30.00-36.00.

SHEEP 15. Few Good & Choice 75-90 lbs. spring

180 BU.

Lebanon Valley Auction

slaughter lambs 36.50-41.00, few Utility 70-85 lbs. 27.00-Fredericksburg, Pa. 32.50.Sept. 16, 1975

### **Peoria Cattle**

Sept. 18, 1975 Federal State Weekly Summary

CATTLE: Receipts this week: 4100, Last Week: 4600, Year Ago: 4900.

Compared with last weeks close Slaughter Steers steady to 50. Instances 1.00 higher. Advance on average Choice to Prime. Slaughter Heifers mostly 50 lower. Cows steady to 50 lower. Bulls steady. Receipts about 70 percent Slaughter Steers 20 percent Slaughter Heifers, balance mainly cows.

**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** Four loads Choice and Prime 1250-1350 lbs. Yield Grade 3-4 54.50-55.50; Choice 905-1150 lbs. Yield Grade 2-4 48.50- 27.50.

# Chambersburg

Chambersburg, Pa. Sept. 11, 1975

CATTLE 440. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers about steady. Slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1.75 higher. Few Choice slaughter steers 45.85-47.85, Good 41.00-45.25, Standard 32.35-39.75, Utility 26.75-31.75. Few Good slaughter heifers 35.25-39.60, few Standard 28.00-32.25. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter sows 27.75-26.50, few 27.75, Cutters 21.60-23.50, Canners 19.10-21.75, Shells down to 16.50. Few Good slaughter bullocks 30.25-31.00, Standard 28.35-30.00, few Utility 24.00-27.50. Yield Grade No. 1 1200-1875 lbs. slaughter bulls 27.85-31.10. Few Good 450-850 lbs. feeder steers & bulls 24.00-2**8.5**0.

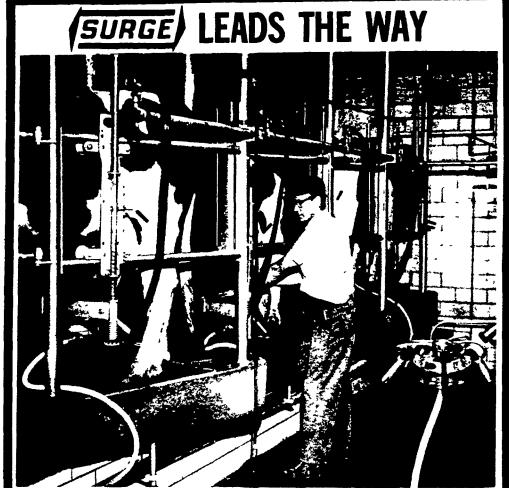
CALVES 551. Vealers grading Good & Choice \$1 to \$4 lower; Utility \$2 to \$4 higher. Few Prime vealers 65.00-69.00, Choice 54.00-65.00, Good 42.00-54.00, Standard 33.00-43.00, Utility 90-110 lbs. 24.00-29.00, 70-85 lbs. 21.00-24.50. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-115 lbs. 26.00-31.00; Choice 175-325 lbs. slaughter calves 34.00-39.50, Good 29.00-36.00, Standard 22.00-29.00.

HOGS 80. Barrows & Gilts \$2 higher, US No. 1-3 210-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 61.75-62.75. US No. 1-3 300-625 lbs. sows 47.00-53.50. Few Boars 39.25-39.50.



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FEEDER PIGS 41. US No. 1-3 30-45 lbs. feeder pigs 34.00-45.00 per head.

Canner 12.00-15.50.

SHEEP 48. Choice 80-95 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 37.50-42.50, mixed Utility & Good 60-90 lbs. 27.00-32.50.

51.50; 1150-1300 lbs. 50.50-

Choice 900-1300 lbs. 44.50-

49.00; Good 38.00-45.00; Standard and Good Holsteins

34.00-39.00.

CATTLE 435. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers grading about steady. Good Slaughter cows steady to 50 cents lower. Slaughter bullocks grading Standard & Good 50 cents to \$2.50 higher. Slaughter bulls about steady. Few High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 51.35-53.00, Choice 1000-1250 lbs. 47.10-51.10, Good 41.50-47.50, few Standard 32.75-40.75. Choice Slaughter heifers 38.00-42.00. one at 43.25, Good 34.75-38.25, few Standard 30.00-34.25. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 23.50-25.35, couple to 25.85, Cutters 21.00-23.50, Canners 18.25-20.85, Shells down to 16.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 35.85-40.10, Good 33.00-37.25, Standard 29.10-31.25, Utility 25.25-28.25. Yield Grade No. 1 1100-2800 lbs. slaughter bulls 28.85-33.00, one at 33.85. CALVES 285. Vealers grading Utility \$6 to \$8 higher. Few Choice vealers 52.00-61.50, Good 40.00-50.00,

Standard 36.50-40.50, Utility

90-110 lbs. 29.50-34.50, 70-85

lbs. 25.00-29.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-110 lbs.



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