

Livestock market and auction news



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Joliet Cattle

August 5 Weekly Cattle
CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's receipts 9,368, 5 days last week 9,714, last year 7,365. Slaughter steers and heifers 75 to 1.00 lower than last Friday.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 3-5 1200-1375 lbs. 33.00-36.00, couple loads late Monday 4-5 1300-1540 lbs. 31.50-32.00. Choice 2-4 1025-1200 lbs. 35.00-36.25, up to 36.50 early Monday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1200-1450 lbs. Holsteins 32.25-34.50. Good 2-3 1100-1400 lbs. Holsteins 31.50-32.25 Wednesday.

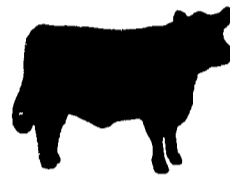
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime, 2-4 900-1050 lbs. 34.50-35.75 Monday, mostly 34.50-35.25, load 35.50. Some Choice 4 and 5 950-1100 lbs. 33.50-34.00 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 33.00-34.50. Good 2-3 700-900 lbs. 31.00-33.00.

Baltimore USDA

Baltimore August 2, 1976
CATTLE 400. Moderate slaughter steers & heifers; other classes being held for AM auction.

STEERS: Choice No. 2-4 950-1200 lbs. 36.00-37.50; Good & Choice No. 2-4 1000-1275 lbs. 35.00-36.00, Good 31.50-35.00, Standard & Good 900-1200 lbs. 27.00-31.50. HEIFERS: Few Good & Choice No. 2-4 745-1040 lbs. 32.25-34.00.

HOGS 750. Barrows & Gilts weak to 50 cents lower. US No. 1-3 190-230 lbs. 45.50-46.00, No. 2-3 230-250 lbs. 44.50-45.50. No. 2-4 250-270 lbs. 43.50-44.50. Sows: 50 cents lower. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 35.50-36.50.



Carlisle

Carlisle, Pa. August 3, 1976

CATTLE 234. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers highly uneven. Slaughter cows steady to \$1 higher. One High Choice slaughter steer at 38.75, Choice 34.85-36.25, Good 32.75-34.75, Standard 28.75-32.75, one Utility 25.25.

Few Good slaughter heifers 30.25-31.85, Standard 24.75-28.35, few Utility 21.75-23.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 27.10-29.10, Commercial 23.00-27.75, Cutters 25.00-26.75, Cannors 22.00-24.75, Shells down to 20.00. Couple Standard slaughter bullocks 21.85-30.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1150-1630 lbs. slaughter bulls 33.25-34.50; few yield grade No. 2 1125-1260 lbs. 28.10-31.25. Good & Choice 250-680 lbs. feeder steers 36.00-38.00, Medium 300-480 lbs. 23.00-30.00; Medium & Good 275-600 lbs. feeder heifers 20.50-30.50.

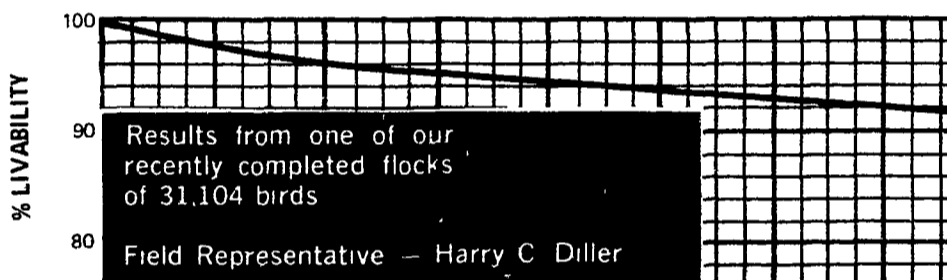
CALVES 192. Vealers grading Standard to Good \$1

to \$1.50 lower, Utility mostly steady. Couple Choice vealers 50.00 and 51.00, Good 46.00-48.00, Standard 41.50-45.50, Utility 90-120 lbs. 34.50-39.00, 70-85 lbs. 30.00-34.50. Farm calves, few beef cross bulls & heifers 80-120 lbs. 34.00-38.00; slaughter calves, Good & Choice 150-290 lbs. 32.00-40.00.

HOGS 228. Barrows & Gilts \$3.50 to \$4.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-225 lbs. barrows & gilts 44.00-44.35, No. 1-3 210-220 lbs. 43.50-43.85, No. 2-3 200-240 lbs. 42.85-43.60, No. 2-4 210-250 lbs. 42.10-42.85, No. 1-3 170-190 lbs. 40.25-43.00. Couple US No. 1-3 330 lbs. sows 38.00 and 42.00, No. 2-3 325-610 lbs. 30.00-34.50. Boars 30.00-32.25, one at 35.00.

FEEDER PIGS 347. US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-17.00 per head, No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. 20.00-31.00, No. 1-3 40-50 lbs. 32.50-45.50 per head.

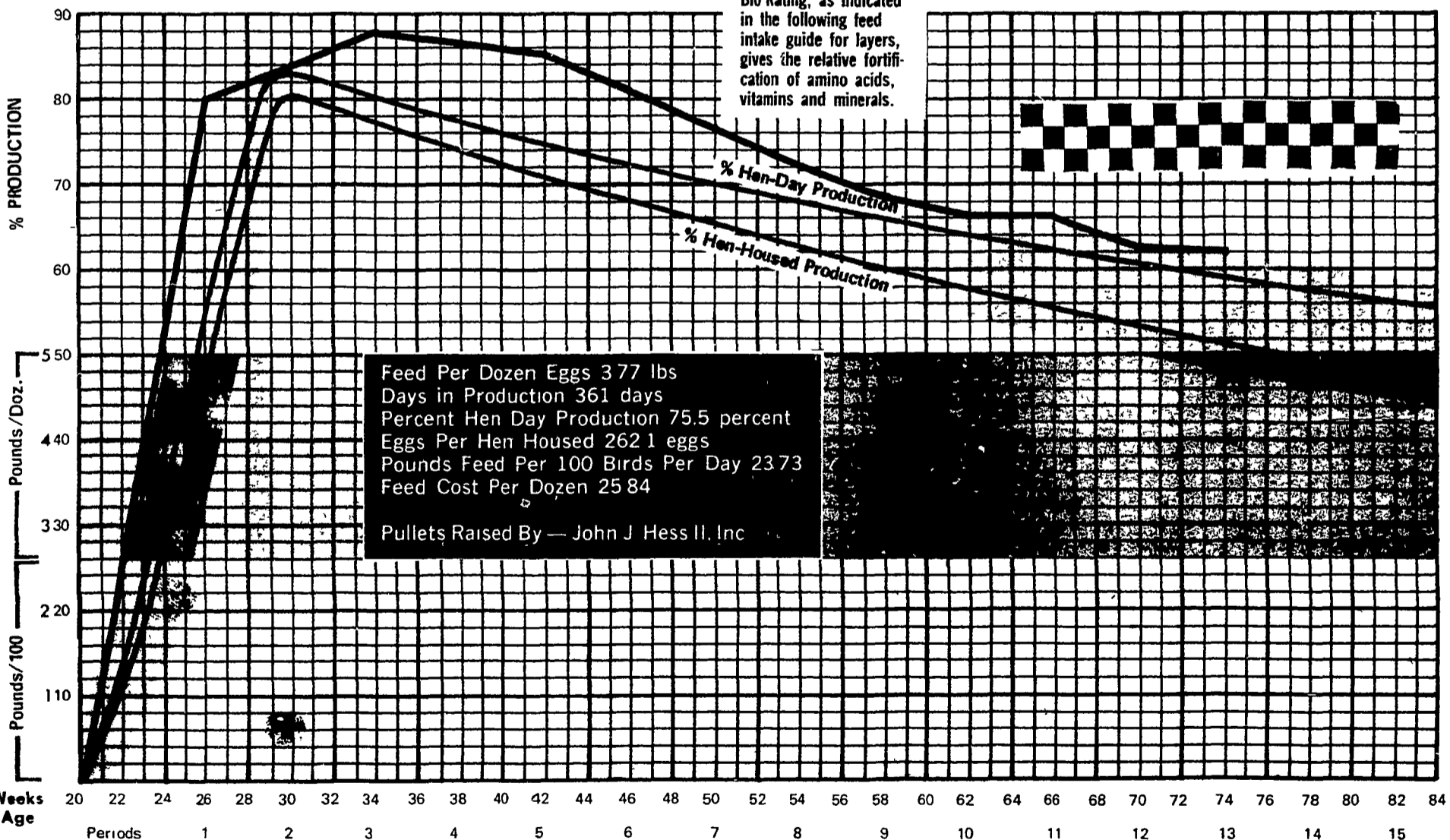
SHEEP 10. Few Good 65-75 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 30.00-30.50. Few Slaughter ewes 13.25-13.50.



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