

Livestock market and auction news

Oklahoma Cattle

September 14, 1978

Thursday feeder cattle auction. Estimated receipts 10,400; same day last week 9,924.

Active, feeder cattle and calves steady to 1.00 higher, advance noted mainly on feeder steers over 700 lb. Majority receipts Choice 300-800 lbs. feeder steers and 300-700 lbs. feeder heifers, moderate attendance of buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice and Prime 300-377

lbs. 79.25-79.50, package 248 lbs. at 86.00; 420-445 lbs. 77.00-79.00; 500-587 lbs. 71.60-73.25; small lot 639 lbs. at 67.40; Choice 300-400 lbs. 73.75-77.50; 400-500 lbs. 69.50-75.75; 500-600 lbs. 65.25-70.25; 600-700 lbs. 62.75-66.25; 700-800 lbs. 61.75-64.50; 800-900 lbs. 59.00-62.00, part load 853 lbs. 63.00; mixed Good and Choice 300-500 lbs. 64.00-68.00; 500-600 lbs. 60.25-63.50; 600-700 lbs. 57.50-61.50; few 700-825 lbs. 56.00-60.00; Good 300-500 lbs. 59.25-62.00; 500-675 lbs. 55.00-58.00; part load 783 lbs. 54.75.

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Choice and Prime 235-350 lbs. 66.00-69.00; 452-480 lbs. 65.90-66.30; part load 514 lbs. at 64.30; Choice 300-500 lbs. 60.00-64.50; 500-600 lbs. 57.50-61.75; mostly 59.50-60.75; 600-700 lbs. 56.25-58.50; part load and small lot 600-640 lbs. 60.75, few 700-810 lbs. 55.00-56.50; mixed Good and Choice 300-500 lbs. 57.50-60.25; 500-600 lbs. 54.25-57.50; few 600-700 lbs. 54.00-55.50; few Good 500-700 lbs. 53.00-54.00.

FOR THE WEEK: Compared to late last week, feeder cattle and calves firm to 1.00 higher, instances 1.50-2.00 higher; slaughter cows

closed steady to 1.00 lower, late sales Utility and Commercial 2-3 35.50-39.75; Cutter 1-3 32.50-36.00; Bulls closed 50 cents to 1.00 lower, late sales YG 1-2 1000-1500 lbs. 41.75-46.25; salable receipts near 27,800 head compared to 24,402. The holiday shortened period last week and 26,269 head the same week a year ago. Cows and bulls near 14 per cent of cattle receipts, feeders near 86 per cent of the total.

Omaha Cattle

September 14, 1978

Compared with the previous week's close: Closing prices on slaughter steers and heifers were 1.25-1.75 higher, some instances 2.00 higher. Cows were .50-1.00 higher and bulls steady.

Four day receipts 15,100 as compared 11,700 previous week and 16,200 week ago. The upward spiral in fed cattle prices was extended into the fourth successive week

after "bottoming out" in mid-August; since that time prices have advanced 4.00-4.50. The live trade was characterized by an air of aggressiveness as most buying interests were in need of cattle for short term requirements, and the upturn in live prices was supported by a rather bullish carcass trade. Best demand centered on choice and prime 1100-1300 lb. steers and same grade 950-1075 lb. heifers with consignments carrying a moderate percentage yield grade 4 animal not under as great price pressure as most recent weeks. The run included a fair percentage choice steers and heifers and a moderate volume choice and prime. Steers made up approximately 38 per cent and heifers 35 per cent cows comprised 11 per cent and feeders 15 per cent.

STEERS: At midweek: high time, four loads choice with end prime, predominantly 3 1135 lbs. 56.00, few loads and part loads choice and prime 3-4

1150-1250 lbs. 55.50-55.75. Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 54.00-55.50, many sales 54.50-55.25. Mixed good and choice -3 975-1250 lbs. 53.50-54.25, Holsteins 50.00-51.75. Good 2-3 49.00-53.00. Standard and Good 2-3 47.50-48.50.

Average of LS-214, detailed quotations, for choice 900-1100 lb. steers this week 54.32; choice 1100-1300 lbs. 54.52. Average weight steers first three days 1129 lbs. as compared 1127 lbs. previous week. Average weight heifers first three days 982 lbs. as compared 979 lbs. previous week.

HEIFERS: Load and part load 3-4 994-1005 lbs. 53.75, several loads same grade 34 975-1050 lbs. 53.50. Choice 2-4 875-1075 lbs. 51.00-53.25. Mixed good and choice 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 49.50-51.50. Good 2-3 46.00-49.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 2-4 39.00-41.50, few 42.00. Cutter 37.50-39.50. Canner and low-cutter 34.50-37.50. **HEIFERETTES** 43.00-47.00.

BULLS: 1-2 1400-2000 lbs. 43.00-47.00, individual 1 47.50-48.00.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Fond Memory

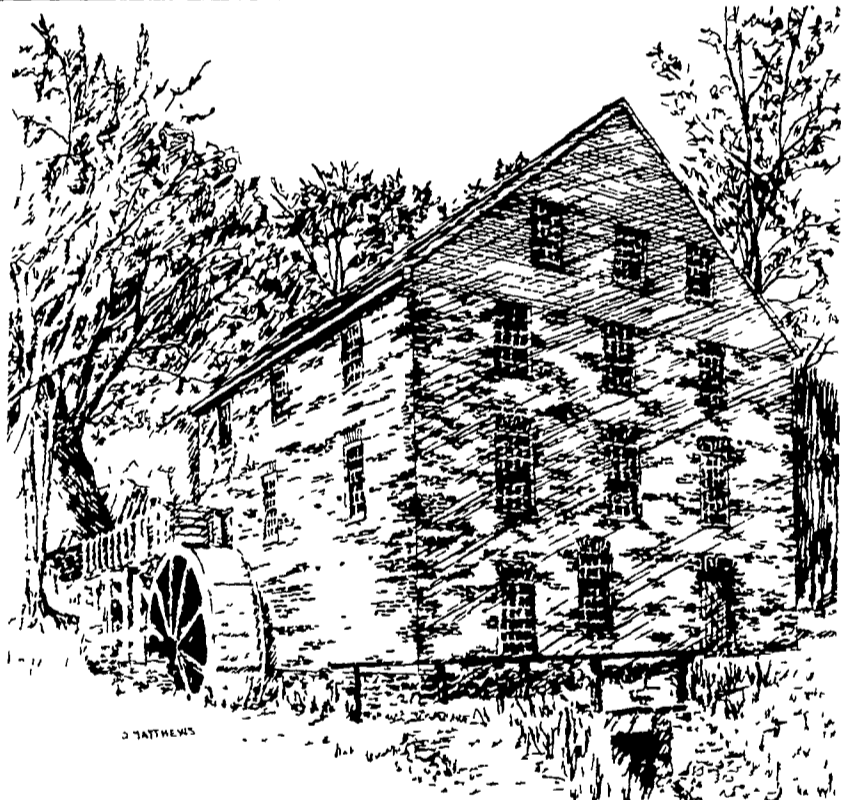
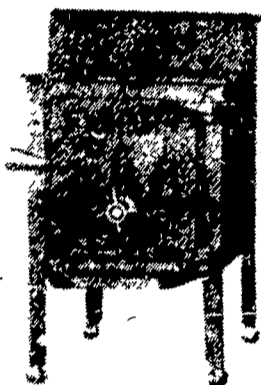
An Ohio newspaper reported that one generous gentleman had made a strange donation to his church upon the death of his wife. Seems the gentleman donated a new loudspeaker in her fond memory.

WOOD BURNING STOVES

★ FISHER ★ SUBURBAN ★ HYDRO-HEATERS
★ COAL FIRED BOILERS ★ MANY MORE!

SEE US AT THE
EPHRATA AND
NEW HOLLAND FAIRS

BOWMAN'S STOVE SHOP
RD3 NAPIERVILLE RD.,
EPHRATA, PA
(717) 733-4973
FOLLOW SIGNS FROM
HINKLETOWN TRAFFIC LIGHT



**Come and See
Pennsylvania's
Oldest Industry
in a FREE
Public Exhibit.**

*Tools, photographs and
documents from old
Pennsylvania mills.
Interesting and historical.*

Penn Harris Motor Inn
Harrisburg
Wednesday, September 20
2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Milling was one of Colonial America's most important industries. Many of the old mills still stand as silent witnesses to centuries of historic events.

PennAg Industries Association has its roots in an organization of Pennsylvania millers. To commemorate its 100th year of existence, PennAg commissioned a unique and intriguing exhibit of old milling equipment.

The exhibit will be open to the public free of charge.

Sponsored by:

PennAg Industries Association
Celebrating a Century of Service.

PLANT TROJAN HYBRIDS THE HIGH YIELDING HYBRID FOR PROFIT MAKING FARMERS

SHOW PLOT ON FARM

Dealer

KERVIN ZIMMERMAN

Myerstown RD#2, Pa.
Ph: 717-866-4081

SMUCKER'S ENGINE SHOP

DISTRIBUTOR FOR:

**SLANZI, PERKINS &
LISTER DIESELS**

• Good used diesel engines

• New Sputnik wheels and Parts.

CHOOSE THE MODEL FOR YOUR NEED

St 1-2 & 3-4½ - 35 hp.	HR 2-3-4 & 6-17-113 hp.
6 SR 2-12 hp.	1 Petter PH2 15 hp.
1 HR 2-29 hp.	1 DVA 1500 Slanzi 20 hp.
1 Petter PH1 7½ hp.	2 FL 712 Duetz 11 hp.

CALL HORNING'S WAREHOUSE 717-354-4158 or
IF NO ANSWER CALL 717-354-4374

SMUCKER'S ENGINE SHOP

RD 1, GORDONVILLE, PA.

17529

SALES & SERVICE
DIESEL & GAS

For lower cost per
hour power, rely on

