



HORSE MARKETS

Special Horse Sale
New Holland Sales Stable
Friday, April 15
Report supplied by Auction
222 head work horses.

Tenn. pairs 1875.00-2875.00, singles 975.00-1175.00; Load of working Pa. pairs 1250.00-1575.00, singles 510.00-785.00; Load of working from Tenn. singles 850.00-1250.00.

New Holland Horse
New Holland Sales Stables
Monday, April 18
Report supplied by auction
Reported receipts of 251 head of horses, mules, and ponies.
Market: Killers lower, Riding steady.

Load of driving NY 625.00-775.00. Load of Ohio 700.00-1450.00. Load of NY 650.00-1475.00. Load of NJ 550.00-1100.00. Load of local 550.00-1500.00.
Local work horses 650.00-1200.00 singles, 1300.00-2625.00 pairs; mules 535.00-1700.00 singles, 1575.00-2300.00 pairs; Better horses 525.00-910.00; Driving horses 400.00-850.00; Riding horses 375.00-

475.00; Lightweight killers 350.00-475.00; Heavyweight killers 525.00-630.00; Mares 35.00-100.00; Colts 15.00-30.00; Geldings 35.00-100.00; Larger ponies 150.00-250.00; Registered 975.00-1500.00.

Now is the Time

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very strict sanitation practices. Every producer should give attention to the prevention of disease through good management and the use of good sanitation practices.

To Appreciate The Grass Family
Most of our farm crops classify into two broad families of plants - grasses and legumes. Each family contributes greatly to producing food for us and feed as grain and forage to be consumed by livestock and poultry.

Even though there are very obvious differences between these two crop families, we often overlook the contribution grasses make to our total agricultural production, reminds Arnold G. Lueck, Extension agent in agronomy. Take field corn, for example. It's our county's biggest acreage crop. Corn has value both as grain and forage (mostly as corn silage). Corn is really an annual summer grass plant growing out there.

Most of the grasses that we grow, however, rate as cool-season crops. We see them thriving best early and late in the growing season.

As soil conserving crops, the perennial and winter annual grasses do us a great service.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, April 21

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to last week Slaughter Steers 1.00 lower, Heifers .50-1.00 lower with the most decline noted on mixed Good and Choice consignments under 950 lbs. Cows and Bulls 1.00 lower. Trade moderate Monday, but turned slow at midweek in response to a lower trending carcass beef trade. Best demand on Choice Steers in excess of 1075 lbs. and Heifers in excess of 950 lbs. Other weights and grades found narrow demand and outlets. Weekly receipts about 2250 as compared to 2281 a week ago and 2311 a year ago.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1000-1350 lbs. 67.00-69.00. Good and Choice 2-3 950-1200 lbs. 65.00-68.00, late 65.00-67.00. Good 63.00-66.00. Holsteins: Good and Choice 1-3 1140-1425 lbs. 58.00-59.00, package 1450 lbs. 63.00.

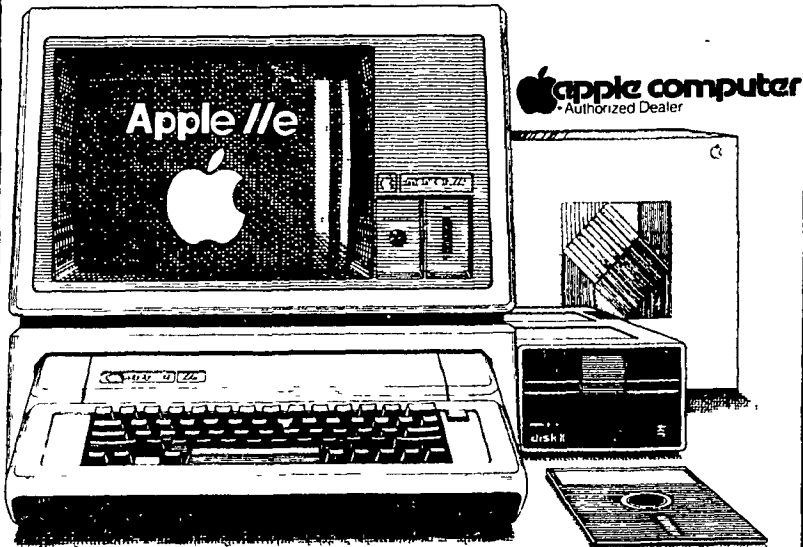
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 950-1100 lbs. 65.50-67.00, part load 1050 lbs. 67.25. 3 loads 1000-1100 lbs. 67.50. 850-975 lbs. 65.00-66.00 Monday. Good and Choice 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 63.00-65.50. Good 58.00-63.00.

COWS: Utility 1-3 40.00-44.00, few 45.00 Monday Cutter 38.00-41.00 Canner and low Cutter 36.00-38.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1100-1900 lbs. 47.00-52.00. Few individuals 1800-2300 lbs. 54.00-55.00.

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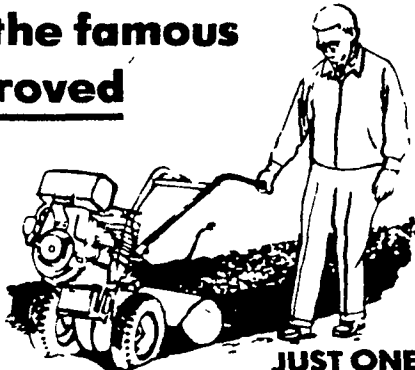
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