### A6-Lancaster Farming, Saturday, August 5, 2000

**Daily National Grain Market** Summary St. Joseph, MO Wed Aug 02, 2000 **Report Supplied By USDA** USDA-MO Dept Ag Market News Daily National Grain Market Summary

Grain and soybean bids moved slightly higher due to weather forecasts calling for hotter, drier conditions next week in the Midwest and Corn Belt areas. Corn, however, showed some weakness due to continued good crop condition ratings and lack of export demand. Wheat bids advanced on very good overnight export order from Egypt. Wheat steady to 2 cents higher. Corn mixed, 2 cents higher to 1 cent lower. Sorghum 1 cent higher. Soybeans 3 to 5 cents higher

Export interest picked up for wheat overnight as Egypt bought a sub- stantial amount of soft white and soft red winter wheat. Reports that Libya and Tunisia may tender for US wheat soon was also positive for bids.

The spring wheat tour reported higher expected yield potential, limiting gains.

Corn and soybean bids were slightly higher after three consecutive days of lower trends. Midwest weather forecasts are calling for hot, dry con- ditions next week which could hurt the potential record crop yields. Soy- bean meal bids were firmer on expanding livestock numbers and indications of possible increases in hog herds. Corn bids showed slight weakness in areas due to poor export sales this week and continued good crop rating conditions.

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIV-ERY DATE Egypt Soft White Wheat 240,000 Sep/Oct Soft Red Winter Wheat 150,000 Sep/Oct

Totals: Wheat 390,000 tonnes.

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS: 08/02/00 087/01/00 08/04/99 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.59 Unch 2.72-2.75 Minneapolis (DNS 14pct) 3.08 Up 1 3.34 1/2 Portland (SWW) 2.56-2.60 Up 1-unch 3.19-3.20 St. Louis (SRW) 2.06-2.07 Up 2 2.26-2.29

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 1.57-1.59 Dn 1-up 1 1.98-2.01 Minneapolis 1.41 ½ Up ¾ 1.77 So. Iowa 1.49-1.52 Dn 1 1/2-2 1/2 1.86-1.98 1/2 Omaha 1.41-1.43 Dn 1-up 1 1.83-1.85 Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.46-4.48 Up 3-5 4.75-4.76 Minneapolis 4.31 1/4 Up 4 1/2 4.54 1/4 So. Iowa 4.44-4.47 Up 3 4.62-4.69 Cent Il Processors 4.50 1/4-4.62 1/4 Up 5 1/2 4.74 1/4-4.89 1/4 Minneapolis truck wheat to arrive 20 days

FUTURES: Kansas City (Sep) Wheat 2.81 1/4 Up 1/4 2.41 1/2 Minneapolis (Sep) Wheat 2.98 Up 1 3.34 ½ Chicago (Sep) Wheat 2.46 1/4 Up 1 1/4 2.76 1/2 Chicago (Sep) Corn 1.80 1/2 Up 3/4 2.25 Chicago (Dec) Corn 1.92 ¾ Up ¾ 2.36 ½ Chicago (Nov) Soybeans 4.56 ¼ Up 5 ½ 4.94 ¼

EXPORT BIDS: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. Bids per bushel except sorghum per cwt.

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: 2.90 1/4-2.96 1/4 Up 1/4 2.95 1/2-3.03 1/2 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.42 1/2-2.43 1/4 Up 2 1/4 2.52 1/2-2.54 1/2 US No 2 Yellow Corn: 1 85 1/2 Dn 1/4-1 1/4 2.33 1/2-2.34 1/2 US 2 Yellow Sorghum: Rail 3.38-3.49 Unchup 1 3.90-3.97 Barge 3.35-3.44 Dn 11-4 4.01-4.08 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 4.84 1/4 Up 4 1/2-3 1/2 5.16 1/4-5.17 3/4.

## **Green Dragon Hay**

Ephrata, Pa. **Report Supplied by Auction** Friday, July 28, 2000

Hay-Straw-Grain 67 LOTS TOTAL. MIXED HAY: 18 LOTS, 40.00-190.00

ALFALFA: 8 LOTS, 40.00-140.00. TIMOTHY: 5 LOTS, 40.00-170.00. STRAW: 20 LOTS, 55.00-92.00. EAR CORN: 3 LOTS, 80.00-101.00. ORCHARD GRASS: 5 LOTS, 65,00-110.00

OATS: 1.80U.

Westminster Hay Westminster, Maryland **Report Supplied by Auction** Tuesday, August 1, 2000 Hay-Straw-Grain 54 LOTS. ALFALFA: .70-3.75 BALE.

TIMOTHY: .50-2.90 BALE. MIXED HAY: .25-3.60 BALE. GRASS: 1.00-1.25 BALE. STRAW: 1.70-2.70 BALE.



## **Livestock Cooperative Auction Market Of North** Jersey Hackettstown, N.J. **Report Supplied by Auction**

Tuesday, Aug. 1, 2000 Hay-Straw-Grain ALFALFA: 1 LOT, 3.10 BALE. MIXED HAY: 5 LOTS, .35-1.50 BALE.

TIMOTHY: 1 LOT, .50 BALE. RYE STRAW: 1 LOT, 1.00 BALE. **8 LOTS TOTAL.** 

#### Middleburg Hay Middleburg, Pa. **Report Supplied by Auction** Tuesday, August 1, 2000 HAY. 12 LOADS. TOTAL 27. ALFALFA: 2 LOTS, 62.50-90.00. MIXED HAY: 7 LOTS, 30.00-135.00. TIMOTHY: 3 LOTS, 65.00-135.00. STRAW: 4 LOTS, 80.00-87.50. EAR CORN: 7 LOTS, 75.00-87.50. OATS: 3 LOTS, 2.10-2.50.

Pa. Grain July 31, 2000 **Report Supplied By PDA** COMPARED TO LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR EASTERN AND CEN-

TRAL PENNSYLVANIA: CORN STEADY TO .07 LOWER, WHEAT STEADY TO WEAK, BARLEY STEADY TO .05 HIGHER, OATS STEADY TO .05 LOWER, SOYBEANS MOSTLY .10 TO .20 LOWER, EAR CORN STEADY TO WEAK. PRICES PAID DELIVERED TO DEALERS DOCK, ALL PRICES PER BUSHEL, EXCEPT EAR CORN PER TON.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.05-2.20, AVERAGE 2.12, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 1.95-2.07; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 2.01-2.28, AVERAGE 2.13, BARLEY NO. 3 1.30-1.45, AVERAGE 1.37, OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.30-1.45, AVERAGE 1.35; SOYBEANS RANGE 4.08-4.21; AVERAGE 4.19, CON-TRACT FOR HARVEST 4.21-4.31: FEW REPORTED GR. SORGHUM RANGE 1.88, AVERAGE 1.88; EAR CORN RANGE 59.00-76.00, AVER-AGE 64.83.

### SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA

CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.10-2.20, AVERAGE 2.14; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 1.85-2.10, AVERAGE 1.95, BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.20-1.40, AV-ERAGE 1.33; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.15-1.20, AVERAGE 1.19; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 4.05-4.15, AVERAGE 4.07; EAR CORN RANGE 69.00-80.00, AVERAGE 73.50.

## EASTERN AND CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA SUMMARY

CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.05-2.20, AVERAGE 2.15; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 1.90-2.28, AVERAGE 2.06; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.25-1.45, AV-ERAGE 1.35; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.20-1.40, AVERAGE 1.30; SOYBEANS NO. 1 4.08-4.21, AVERAGE 4.16; EAR CORN RANGE 60.00-76.00, AVER-AGE 68.40.

#### WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

CORN NO. 2 RANGE 2.13-2.30, AV-ERAGE 2.24; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 1.72-2.11, AVERAGE 1.92; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.38, AVERAGE 1.38; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.20-1.60, AVER-AGE 1.41; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 4.06, AVERAGE 4.06; EAR CORN RANGE 75.00, AVERAGE 75.00.

**CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA** 

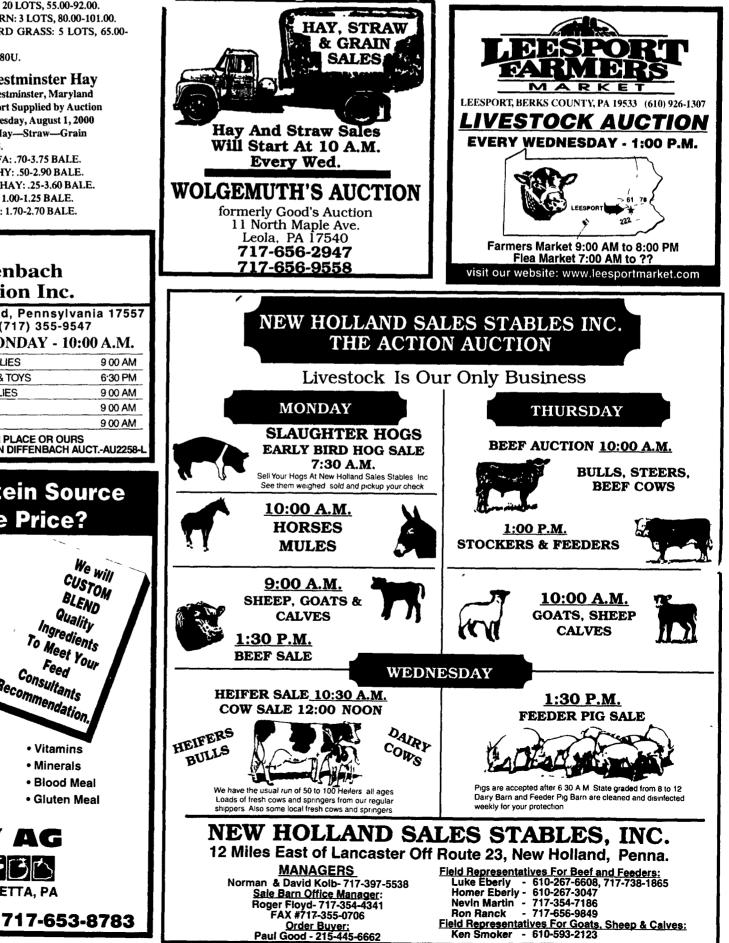
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RANGE 1.90-2.00, AVERAGE 1.93; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.35-1.40, AV-ERAGE 1.38; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.25-1.40, AVERAGE 1.34; SOYBEANS RANGE 4.15-4.34, AVERAGE 4.26; EAR CORN RANGE 60.00-75.00, AV-ERAGE 68.33.

LEHIGH VALLEY AREA CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 2.02-2.20, AVERAGE 2.12; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 2.10-2.23, AVERAGE 2.15; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 1.25-1.40; AV-ERAGE 1.31; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 1.25-1.40, AVERAGE 1.32; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 4.05-4.15, AVERAGE 4.10; EAR CORN RANGE 63.00-75.00, **AVERAGE 69.00.** 

## **MONTH AGO**

CORN NO. 2-Y 2 36; WHEAT NO. 2 2.27; BARLEY NO. 3 1.38; OATS NO. 2 1.47; SOYBEANS NO. 1 4.53; EAR CORN 76.40.



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