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Diplomacy is telling your boss he has an open mind instead of saying he has holes in his head.

Our daughter's glib for Women's lib From men she wants no quarter Her temper's short, but she's a sport She let's her Dad support her.

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CATTLE CALL

CATTLE ON FEED FOR MONTHLY REPORTING STATES (as of May 1, 1973)

CATTLE ON FEED 6 PERCENT ABOVE A YEAR AGO
Cattle and calves on feed May 1 for slaughter market in the 7 monthly States totaled 9,391,000 head, up 6 percent from a year ago, according to the Oregon Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. Compared with May 1, 1972, increases were registered in 4 States ranging from 5 percent in Arizona to 17 percent in Texas. Iowa was unchanged while Colorado and California inventories decreased. Compared with a month ago, the number on feed in the 7 States was down 3 percent.

PLACEMENTS DOWN 20 PERCENT
Placements of cattle and calves on feed during April in the 7 States totaled 1,197,000 head, a 20 percent decline from April 1972.

FED CATTLE MARKETING DOWN 7 PERCENT
April marketing of fed cattle from the 7 States totaled 1,443,000 head, a 7 percent decrease from a year ago.

Locals In College Rodeo Finals

The top collegiate cowboys and cowgirls from the Pacific Northwest will team up with one of the world's top rodeo announcers here Friday, Saturday and Sunday (May 25-26-27) when Blue Mountain Community College stages the Northwest Rodeo Finals.

Representing 20 colleges and universities in Oregon, Washington and Idaho the competitors will meet in six men's events and three women's events in the final National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association meet prior to the national finals.

The rodeo will be staged in the Mustang Grounds near Pendleton starting at 4 p.m. Friday and at 1:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Bob Chambers, Pendleton, ranked by the local rodeo team as the world's foremost rodeo announcer, will handle the mike at all three performances. This will be his first appearance at an NIRA Regional Championship.

Four colleges are still in contention for two positions in the men's NIRA national finals to be held in Bozeman, Montana in June. Eastern Oregon College is leading the region, followed closely by Blue Mountain Community College, Spokane Community College and Walla Walla Community College.

"Competition is so keen this year that any of the top four teams could win the regional championship at our rodeo in Pendleton," according to Dean Longgood, BMCC rodeo adviser. "The season ends here," he added, "and we're looking for excitement to build a fever pitch as the championships are decided."

The BMCC women's team is currently leading the region in the strongest competition ever seen in this area. Longgood said. Close behind are women's teams from Walla Walla Community College and Eastern Oregon College. Oregon State University is still in contention.

Men's events, expected to draw about 80 cowboys, include bareback riding, steer wrestling, bull riding, calf roping, ribbon roping, and saddle bronc riding. Women's events, with about 40 cowgirls competing are barrel racing, break-away roping, and goat tying.

Leading the BMCC men's team in the rodeo will be Pat Shannon, Condon, Oregon, current front-runner in saddle bronc competition in the Northwest Region.

Heading the Blue Mountain Women's team will be the

reigning national champion barrel racer, Becky Fulleton, Heppner, Oregon. Another BMCC Heppner student, Jill Rugg, is currently leading the region in the women's all-around race. Shannon Maddox, Redmond, Oregon, is BMCC's top break-away roper and is leading the region in that category. She is also running a close second in the all-around competition.

The Heppner Rodeo Board will assist in producing the rodeo for the fifth successive year. Also assisting will be the Pendleton Round-Up Association.



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tion and the Pendleton Mustang Club. Charles Daly, Heppner rancher, has been named arena director, and Royce Fulleton, Heppner business man, is women's event director. Round-Up facilities have been made available for stabling contestants' horses.

A Western dance, featuring the music of The Muddy Creek, will be held Saturday night in the Pendleton Armory.

IFYE Host Families Needed

Recent word from OSU indicates a need for more host families for incoming International Farm Youth Exchange who will be arriving in Oregon in June. A special request is issued for young couples to host the IFYE's. The exchange students are usually placed with families having children or teenagers, but this year the students would especially appreciate an opportunity to visit in the home of younger couples. Most IFYE's are in their twenties.

International Exchanges coming to Oregon this year are from Australia, Japan, Thailand, and India.

Any family interested should contact the County Extension Office in Heppner for application forms. Two Morrow County families have applied to host

IFYE's this year - but more are needed!

State Delegates Named

Delegates to Boys State and Girls State were announced this week. Named to go to Girls State from the junior class at Heppner High School are Toni Toll and Michele Evans with Debbie Yocom as alternate. The American Legion Auxiliary and the Soroptimist Club share the cost of this week of Government on the Willamette Campus for the two girls.

Girls State delegates from Ione High School are Kaye Bergstrom and Mary Pat McElligott with Joan McElligott alternate. While the American Legion Auxiliary is responsible for the selection of the delegates, they appreciate assistance in financing from the Lions Club and Morrow County Grain Growers.

Boys State
Delegates to Boys State from Ione High School are Mark Rietmann, Phil Carlson and Kevin Gutierrez. The Ione American Legion Post finances two of the delegates and the merchants of Ione pay for the other one.

Dyrk Dunlap, Gary Hunt, Karl Harrison and Barry Munkers are the delegates to Boys State from Heppner High School. Greg Davidson was also named but has decided to go to a Journalism Workshop instead. Boys State is held on the OSU campus.

Recreation Report

Umatilla National Forest of the Heppner District, May 21, 1973.

Main roads have been bladed. Roads are drying out and are dusty in lower elevations. Beginning Wednesday, tentative plans are to dust off S-518, west from Hwy. 207 to Wetmore, and Coalmine Hill (S-422) from Cutsforth Park to Thompson Corral, and then east about 5.0 miles towards Potamus Creek (S-543). Watch out for logging trucks. They are hauling on roads all over the District.

All water faucets are turned on at Bull Prairie and Fairview now.

Streams are very low. Fishing is fair to poor in them. Fishing at Bull Prairie is fair to good.

Fire danger hazards are high and increasing. Campers be sure to put out all camp fires. Please do not abandon. Camp fires are permitted on all lands within District Protection boundary as long as State Regulations are met. You must carry bucket, shovel and axe. District is now in closed fire season. All lands within District protection boundary are closed to debris burning and require burning permits.

The weather is hot and drying.

Charge system for camping will begin Friday, May 25, 1973, at Bull Prairie. Fee is \$1.00 per vehicle. Those with Golden Age Passports will be admitted at 50 cents per vehicle.

PROPERTY TAX FAX

If you have a question concerning real or personal property please state all the facts as briefly as possible and mail it to your County Assessor under the name "Property Tax Fax". Please ask only one question per sheet. Then watch this column for the answer.

I have a question as to the meaning of the word "block" in the homestead exemption. Block A and B were originally divided by a street which was later vacated. I own adjoining property in blocks A and B. All of this is used as my homestead and does not exceed \$7,500 in value. Would my homestead include both parcels of property under ORS 23.250?

ANSWER:
Yes. The above statute states that a homestead when located in any town or city laid off into blocks and lots, shall be "any quantity of land not exceeding one block, provided such homestead shall not exceed the value of the sum of \$7,500." The word "block" has many meanings, but in the most usual sense it means property bounded by four streets. The entire property may be claimed as your homestead because the practical effect of the vacation is that all of your property is in one block which is bounded by four streets.

Anti-litter campaigns do help. More and more people now look to see if anybody's watching before they throw down a wrapper.

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A STEER'S NOT ALL STEAK... an important factor in the price you pay for beef

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| <p>• CHUCK 164.8 lbs (26.8% of total carcass)</p> <p>Blade pot roasts 59.3 Stew or ground beef 32.1 Arm pot roast 22.3 Cross rib pot roast 10.7 Boston cut 9.9 Fat and bone 30.5</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 134.3 lbs 30.5 lbs</p> | <p>• RIB 59.0 lbs (9.6% of total carcass)</p> <p>Standing rib roasts 24.2 Rib steaks 12.4 Short ribs 4.7 Braising beef 2.7 Ground beef 3.5 Fat and bone 11.5</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 47.5 lbs 11.5 lbs</p> |
| <p>• BRISKET 23.4 lbs (3.8% of total carcass)</p> <p>Boneless 9.4 Fat and bone 14.0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 9.4 lbs 14.0 lbs</p> | <p>• LOIN 105.8 lbs (17.2% of total carcass)</p> <p>Porterhouse steak 18.7 T-bone steak 9.5 Club steak 5.2 Sirloin steak 41.4 Ground beef 2.9 Fat and bone 28.1</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 77.7 lbs 28.1 lbs</p> |
| <p>• SHANK 19.1 lbs (3.1% of total carcass)</p> <p>Plate, stew, short ribs 40.8 Fat and bone 10.2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 40.8 lbs 10.2 lbs</p> | <p>• ROUND 137.8 lbs (22.4% of total carcass)</p> <p>Top round (inside) 21.0 Bottom round (outside) 20.3 Tip 13.1 Stew 8.3 Rump 4.8 Kabobs or cubes 2.1 Ground beef 14.2 Fat and bone 54.0</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 83.8 lbs 54.0 lbs</p> |
| <p>• FLANK 32.0 lbs (5.2% of total carcass)</p> <p>Flank 3.2 Ground beef 12.6 Fat 16.2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 15.8 lbs 16.2 lbs</p> | <p>• SHORT PLATE 51.0 lbs (8.3% of total carcass)</p> <p>Plate, stew, short ribs 40.8 Fat and bone 10.2</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 40.8 lbs 10.2 lbs</p> |
| <p>• MISC. 22.1 lbs (3.6% of total carcass)</p> <p>Kidney, hanging tender 3.6 Fat, suet, cutting losses 18.5</p> <p style="text-align: right;">TOTAL 3.6 lbs 18.5 lbs</p> | <p style="text-align: center;">SUMMARY (1000 lb choice steer)</p> <p>Dresses out 61.5% 615 lbs Less fat, bone and loss 183 lbs Saleable beef 432 lbs</p> |

Supply and Demand are not the only factors in the price you pay for beef. For instance, today's modern-type 1,000 lb choice steer produces an approximate 615 lb carcass which the packer sells to a retailer who trims away 183 lbs of fat, bone and waste... ending up with only 432 lbs of beef that he cuts, wraps and sells to customers.

Of that a surprisingly small amount is steak and a much larger quantity is roasts as shown in the chart above. Retail stores put a higher price on steak and a lower price on pot-roasts and ground beef so that they sell it all... not end up with only less-in-demand cuts like pot-roasts and short ribs left in the cooler.

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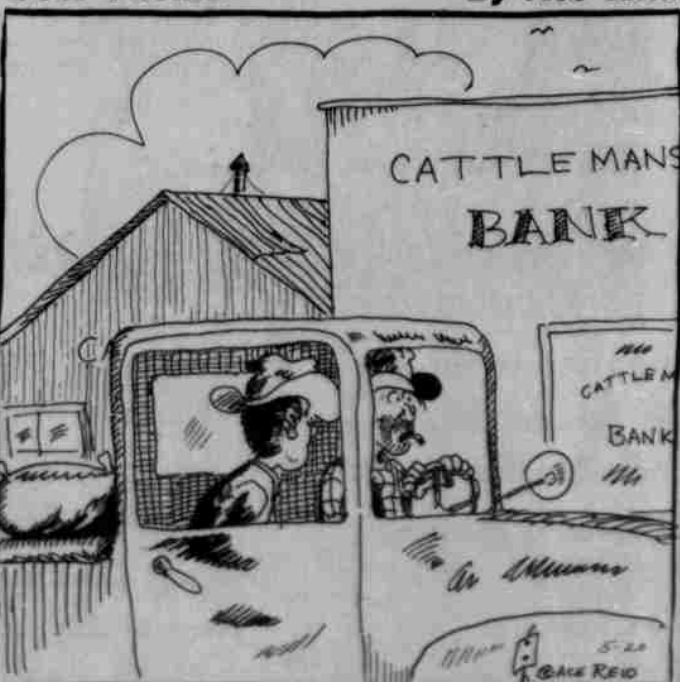
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