

The yellow meadows

This year the summer in Denmark has been different from other summers. For weeks, the temperature has reached high temperature - 30 degrees centigrade – sometimes more.

Was this summer heat a warning of what we can expect in the future? Do the climate change faster than expected, because of the human destructive behaviour towards the fine, amazing balances which have formed on our planet?

In Denmark the weather is often valued by the meteorologists on TV. I have never understood, why and how they can do that. I love changing weather. I love rainy weather. Apparently, the meteorologists have decided this kind of weather as bad weather.

'Another great summer day!' 'The lovely weather continues in the coming weeks!' This summer I got the impression that this enthusiasm was tempered after some weeks of extreme heat with subsequent drought.

This month the Danish serum institute announced that they estimated that 250 people died because of *'the lovely weather'*.

I do not know what these cattle in the hills south of Aalborg think of their meadow, which normally should be covered by fresh, green grass, now is yellow and dry?



A landscape south of Aalborg, Jutland, August 2018