



June 6-12, 1977

Exhilarate, weather is great.

Hang hammocks outside now NAACP leader Medgar Evers murdered June 12, 1963 Last quarter of the moon June 8 Cranberries in bloom now Average length of days for the week, 15 hours, 15 minutes Boston Red Sox beat old St. Louis Browns 29 to 4 June 8, 1950 Debt imprisonment abolished June 6, 1798 Few men are admired by their servants



Ask the Old Farmer: I thought I would build a wooden snow shovel for this coming winter I saw a picture of one in a 1902 Sears Roebuck catalog, but I don't know what kind of wood was used Do you know? E.T., York, Pa

We have seen them made out of maple, cedar, and pine All of them work well if the blades are reinforced with metal

Home Hints: Save yourself time by backstitching seams on your machine. There will be no need to tie off loose ends, and the stitches will be permanent

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Week begins sunny and hot with some showers, turning variable with rain through weekend

Greater New York-New Jersey: Clear and hot through Wednesday, variable and showery through week's end

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Sunny and warm with few showers to start, continuing warm with light showers through remainder of week

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Frequent heavy rains, cloudy and cool all week

(All Rights Reserved Yankee Inc. Dublin NH 03444)

Joliet Cattle

JOLIET, Ill. June 1, 1977

CATTLE: 3300 trading slow. Slaughter steers and heifers opened weak to 50 lower. Supply about 25 per cent heifers. Steers and heifers mostly choice.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: high Choice & Prime 3-4 1100-1275 lbs. 40.75-41.25. Choice 2-4 1050-1350 lbs. 40.00-41.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few prime, 2-4 875-1075 lbs. 38.50-39.75, load 40.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 700-1000 lbs. 37.00-38.50.

JOLIET, Ill. June 2, 1977

Weekly Cattle Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 8,232, 5 days last week 8,519, same period last year 8,204. Slaughter steers and heifers 25 to 50 lower than last Wednesday. Supply mostly choice steers and heifers. SLAUGHTER STEERS: High choice and prime 3-4 1075-1300 lbs. 41.00-41.50. Tuesday: 40.75-41.25 Wednesday. Yield Grade 4 and 5 1200-1425 lbs. 38.75-40.50. Choice 2-4 1150-1350 lbs. 40.00-41.00, mostly 40.50-41.00 Tuesday. Mixed good and choice 2-3 900-1250 lbs. 38.50-40.00. Few lots good

and choice holsteins 2-3 1475-1550 lbs. 37.50-38.00 Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: High choice and prime 3-4 950-1075 lbs. 39.50-40.00, to 40.25 Tuesday. Choice 2-4 850-1075 lbs. 38.50-39.75. Mixed good and 2-3 700-1000 lbs. 37.50-38.75 Tuesday, 37.00-38.50 Wednesday.

Belleville, Pa. June 1, 1977 CATTLE 180. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows grading Utility & High Dressing Cutter steady to 25 cents higher, Canner & Cutter \$1 to \$1.75 higher. Few Standard slaughter steers 33.25-35.25, few Utility 30.00-32.00. Couple Utility slaughter heifers 30.00. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 26.35-28.75, couple to 29.35, Cutters 25.00-27.75, Canners 23.00-25.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1050-1800 lbs. slaughter bulls 32.00-35.85.

CALVES 121. Few Choice vealers 42.00-45.50, few Good 35.50-45.00, few Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 34.50-38.00, 90-110 lbs. 32.00-36.00,

East Coast Carlot Meats

Princeton, N.J. June 1, 1977

East Coast Carlot meat trade CAF Boston to Washington area inclusive. Compared to Tuesday's close: Demand and commitments moderate for most meat items as reported by the USDA. No comparison on steer beef. Canner and cutter cow beef steady to .50 higher. Prime special fed veal fully steady. Good and choice boning veal: northeastern suppliers compared to Friday 5.00-6.00 higher: Midwest and west coast suppliers compared to Tuesday steady. Spring Lamb compared to last week's bulk 1.00 lower. Fresh pork loins uneven 14 lbs. down steady to weak 14-17 lbs 1.00 higher.

STEER BEEF (15 LOADS CONFIRMED) Choice 3 Selected 600-700 lbs 6775; Choice 3 600-800 lbs 6725-6750.

COW BEEF (4 LOADS CONFIRMED) Utility BNG 1-2 600 Up limited selected 5500; Canner-cutter 1-2 350 lbs up 5500 steady to .50 higher.

CHOICE 3 PRIMAL BEEF CUTS (8 LOADS CONFIRMED) Steer Hinds 145-190 lbs 8700; Arm Chucks 90-130 lbs. 4750-4950 .50-2.50 higher; Flanks untrimmed 2900.

GOOD 3 PRIMAL BEEF CUTS (2 LOADS CONFIRMED) Fores 130-210 lbs 5000 VEAL CARCASS -HIDE ON

Prime (Special fed) 180-250 lbs. 118.00-122.00 fully steady. Good and Choice boning veal, Northern suppliers compared to Friday 65-75 lbs 5800-6200, Bulk 6200 5.00-9.00

hghr 55-64 lbs 5600-6000, Bulk 600 5.00-900 hghr 45-54 lbs 5400-5800, Bulk 5800 5.00-9.00 hghr 35-44 lbs. 5200-5600 5.00-6.00 Higher, 34 lbs down 5000-5400 5.00-6.00 Higher.

Midwest and West Cost Supplies compared to Tuesday all steady 70-80 lbs 5800-6400, Bulk 6200; 60-70 lbs 5600-6200, Bulk 6000; 50-60 lbs 5400-6000, Bulk 5800; 40-50 lbs 5200-5800, Bulk 5600; 30-40 lbs. 5000-5600, Bulk 5400.

Canadian Suppliers 41-60 lbs 6100.

SPRING LAMB CHOICE & PRIME 3-4 (9 LOADS CONFIRMED) Compared to Last Week's, bulk all 55 lbs. down 104.00, few 105.00-106.00 55-65 lbs. 104.00 65-75 lbs. 104.00

FRESH PORK CUTS Loins 14 lbs. down 88.25 steady to weak 14-17 lbs. 87.25-88.50 1.00 higher. Picnics short shank 4-8 lbs. 58.50

Skinned hams 26 lbs. up 72.25 CURED & PROCESSED MEATS

(9 LOADS CONFIRMED) Skinned Hams 16-19 lbs. 74.00 Semi Boneless hams 14-17 lbs. 94.00

1 lb. sliced bacon vacuum pack 101.00 steady Franks 70 beef, 30 pork 1 lb. pack 60.00 steady Bologna 70 beef, 30 pork 1 lb. sliced pack 63.00 steady to 1.00 lower.

BONELESS BEEF (4 LOADS CONFIRMED) 85 pct chem lean, fresh 66.50-68.00

BEEF TRIMMINGS (4 LOADS CONFIRMED) 50 pct chem lean, fresh 31.00 generally steady frozen 25.50-27.00.

Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and New York lead the country in the production of both cheese (63 per cent of U.S. total) and butter (54 per cent of U.S. total). Missouri fills out the top 5 in cheese, and California in butter. The five leading cheese states are also increasing their butter production.

15-20 lbs. 13.00-16.00 per head.

SHEEP 38. Good & Low Choice 50-85 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 41.00-48.00, one 25 lbs. at 71.00, Good 50-80 lbs. 38.00-45.00. Slaughter ewes 10.00-23.00.

Lebanon Valley

May 31, 1977

CATTLE 276. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers mostly 25 cents to 50 cents lower. Slaughter cows mostly steady to 50 cents lower, spots \$1 to higher on Utility. High Choice & Prime No. 3-4 1000-1250 lbs. slaughter steers 40.00-41.25, Choice No. 2-4 950-1300 lbs. 39.00-40.35, High Good to Low Choice 38.50-40.00, Good 36.50-38.75, Standard 32.85-35.25, few Utility 29.75-32.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 35.75-37.00, few Good 33.75-34.60, few Standard 29.10-30.85, few Utility 25.50-27.50. Utility & High Dressing Cutter slaughter cows 27.85-29.35, Cutters 25.75-28.00, Canners 23.35-25.60, Shells down to 18.85. One Choice slaughter bullock at 36.60, few Good 33.35-35.10, few Standard 31.10-33.25, few Utility 28.25-31.10. Few Yield Grade No. 1 1515-1775 lbs. slaughter bulls 35.00-37.75, Good 595-800 lbs. feeder steers 33.25-38.00.

CALVES 150. Vealers \$1 to \$2 lower. Choice vealers 51.00-57.00, Good 43.50-48.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 36.00-43.00, 90-110 lbs. 30.50-36.50, Standard 70-90 lbs. 28.50-33.00, few Utility 60-90 lbs. 7.50-25.00. Farm calves,

holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 38.00-43.00.

HOGS 493. Barrows & Gilts \$2 to \$3 higher. US No 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 45.60-46.50, No. 1-3 195-245 lbs. 44.75-45.85, No. 2-3 210-265 lbs. 43.00-44.85, few No 1-3 150-185 lbs. 30.00-41.00. US No. 1-3 400-545 lbs. sows 31.25-33.25, No. 2-3 300-540 lbs. 25.00-31.25. Few Boars 20.25-24.25.

FEEDER PIGS 58. US No 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 19.50-27.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 33.25-37.50 per head.

SHEEP 18. One Choice 50 lbs. spring slaughter lamb at 54.50, Good & Choice 50-60 lbs. 45.50-50.50. Few Slaughter ewes 14.00-18.50



... call a friend



CATTLE FEEDERS

You've Fattened Your Cattle, Now Fatten Your Profits. WIN A

*1,000 SAVINGS BOND If You Are the Consignor Of The MILLIONth HEAD

Whether a Steer, Bull, Heifer or Cow, to be Sold at LANCASTER STOCKYARDS at the Monday or Wednesday Cattle Auction, You Will be the Winner.

It's Due to Occur Sometime in June.

Free • No Gimmicks • No Entry Blanks • Just Ship Your Cattle to LANCASTER STOCKYARDS And Sell Them Through Your Favorite Commission Firm • That's All There is to It •

Participating Firms

Walter M. Dunlap & Sons G.G. Lorah Louis Lyons & Son S.L. Heilbron & Sons T.G. Kreider McCoy Cattle Co J.M. Hooper Inc. Johnson Cattle Co. William W. McCoy

When You Think About Going To Market, THINK:

LANCASTER STOCKYARDS

(The East Coast's Livestock Trend-Setter) Phone (717) 394-2611

WILLING TO PUT COMPLETE MILKHOUSE SET-UPS

In Nittany, White Deer Valley, Perry County

ON HAND LEHIGH CONDENSING UNITS LISTER & DEUTZ DIESELS

LR-1 4 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. SR-1 6 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. SR-2 12 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. ST-2 14.6 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. HR-2 25 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. HR-3 37.5 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. HR-4 50 H.P. at 1800 R.P.M. F2L-912 20-32 H. P. at 1800 R.P.M. Quincy Air Compressor

NEW & USED CAN & BULK MILK COOLERS

You get quality installation for less money at

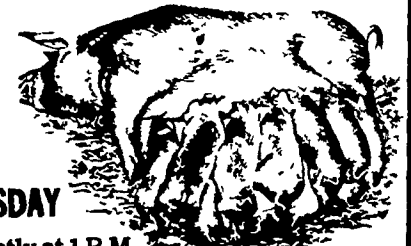
BYLER'S DIESEL REFRIGERATION & PLUMBING

Star Route, Rt. 655 Belleville, Pa. 17004 Phone Peachey 717-493-6646

NEW HOLLAND SALES STABLES, INC.

12 Miles East of Lancaster on Route 23, New Holland, Penna.

WEEKLY FEEDER PIG SALE EVERY WEDNESDAY



Sale to Start Promptly at 1 P.M.

We Will Receive Your Pigs Anytime From 7 A.M. Wed. Morning

State Graded Until 12 Noon. All pigs inspected by State Approved Veterinarian. State tags available at our office for you to tag pigs at home to save 25 cents tagging charge. Tags delivered if you call 717-354-4341 our office in advance.

Calf Sale To Be Held In New Sales Pavilion Every Thursday At 6:30 P.M.

NORMAN KOLB ABE DIFFENBACH 717-397-5538 717-393-4464

INCREASE YOUR PRODUCTION!

LEASE QUALITY DAIRY COWS DHIA HERDS AVAILABLE DAIRY FARM LEASING COMPANY 1700 DUPONT AVENUE SOUTH MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA 55403

CALL 612-377-1489 TODAY!

HAY, STRAW & CORN

-SALE-

Every Friday at 12 Noon.

GREEN DRAGON MARKET & AUCTION

RD No. 3 Ephrata, Pa. 717-733-2334 1 mile North of Ephrata on N. State St.