



NOV. 28-DEC 4, 1977

It's sad, but weather's pretty bad.

Time to don your woollies Holy Bible translated into English Dec 4, 1611 Last quarter of the moon Dec 3 Geese now in the south Average length of days for the week, 9 hours, 18 minutes Boston's disastrous Cocoanut Grove fire Nov 28, 1942 The devil can cite Scripture for his purpose (Shakespeare)



nothing about beets It goes, "Onion skin is very thin, mild winter is coming in Onion skin is thick and tough, winter will be cold and rough" Home hints: Vinegar is better than turpentine for keeping paint brushes pliable

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Cooler with light rain to start, then fair at midweek with a chance of 3-5 inches snow north, cold with light snow for week's end
Greater New York-New Jersey: Scattered rain and colder through Wednesday, remainder of week brings sleet changing to rain and warming
Middle Atlantic Coastal: Rainy and warm through Tuesday, then cloudy and cold at midweek, heavy rain and warm for week's end
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Cold with some rain and snow in mountains through Wednesday, cloudy with light rain and flurries west for remainder of week
Florida: Partly cloudy, hot, showers west through Tuesday, then fair and cooler at midweek, cloudy with light showers over weekend
Upstate N.Y.-Toronto & Montreal: Rain changing to snow through Wednesday, cold with flurries for remainder of week
Greater Ohio Valley: Colder and rainy through Wednesday, clearing and warming expected for the remainder of week
Deep South: Clear to start, then hot and showery spell, weekend is cooler and rainy
Chicago & Southern Great Lakes: Week starts cloudy and cool through Wednesday, intermittent rain and mild promised for remainder of week
Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Cloudy and seasonal with light snow west and heavier snow east throughout week
Central Great Plains: Partly cloudy, seasonal, showery through Wednesday, snow north, snow and rain south for week's end
Texas-Oklahoma: Week begins partly cloudy, cool, frost north, few showers, then colder with showers south

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Martinsburg Auction

Martinsburg, Pa. November 21, 1977

CATTLE 347. Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter steers 75 cents to \$2 higher. Slaughter cows 25 cents to \$1.50 lower. High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 43.00-45.50, Choice 42.50-44.00, Good 38.50-41.50, Standard 35.00-38.00, Utility 28.00-31.00. Choice slaughter heifers 37.00-40.00, Good 33.50-36.50, Standard 29.00-33.00, Utility 23.50-28.50. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 24.00-26.50, few to 27.50, Cutters 22.00-24.00, Canner & Low Cutter 21.00-23.00, Shells down to 16.00. Good slaughter bullocks 32.00-36.00, Standard 30.50-34.50, Utility 26.00-29.00. Yield Grade #1 1000-2000 lbs. slaughter bulls 32.00-35.00; yield grade #2 900-1600 lbs. 29.00-33.00. Few Medium & Good 400-600 lbs. feeder steers 28.00-35.00; few Medium & Good 400-600 lbs. 21.00-28.00.

CALVES 434. Vealers 50 cents to \$1 lower, instances \$3 lower. Choice vealers 66.00-73.00, Good 57.00-68.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 50.00-62.00, 90-110 lbs. 47.50-54.00, Standard 70-90 lbs. 33.00-48.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 49.00-56.00; holstein heifers 85-115 lbs. 45.00-58.00.

HOGS 203. Barrows & gilts \$2.50 to \$3.25 higher. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 42.00-44.25, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 41.00-42.00, No. 2-3 200-260 lbs. 40.50-41.50, No. 1-3 150-180 lbs. 32.50-36.00. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 33.00-36.00, No. 2-3 400-600 lbs. 30.50-33.00. Boars 22.00-28.00.

FEEDER PIGS 65. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 8.00-20.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 12.00-25.00 per head.

SHEEP 20. Good & Choice 70-110 lbs. woolled slaughter lambs 44.00-51.00.

Lancaster Feeder Cattle

Lancaster, Pa. Friday, November 18, 1977

Today 1421
Last Friday 1327

TREND: Compared to last Friday feeder steers mostly steady. Majority of cattle sold in lots of three or less.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice lot 425 lbs. 38.50, 630-905 lbs. 36.85-38.00, lot 860 lbs. 39.00; mixed Good and Choice 535-1005 lbs. 34.00-37.00, couple lots 37.10-37.35; Good few lots 845-1125 lbs. 32.60-33.25; Holsteins two lots Standard and Good 820-855 lbs. 29.25-30.10.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Few Choice 465-760 lbs. 28.00-30.50, lot Good 540 lbs. 25.75.

Baltimore USDA

November 21, 1977
CATTLE 500: Slaughter steers steady, slaughter

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SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 40.00-41.50; Good & Choice 2-4 38.00-40.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 36.00-38.50.

COWS: Utility 2-3 22.50-25.00; Cutter 1-2 19.75-22.35.

HOGS 900: Compared with Thursday Barrows & Gilts 50 cents higher. US 1-2 200-240 lbs. 40.00-40.50; US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 39.50-40.00.

SOWS: Steady to 50 lower.

US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 31.00-32.00.

VEAL & CALF AUCTION: 130: few Prime Vealers 200-250 lbs. 52.00-66.00; Choice 200-300 lbs. 40.00-50.00; Good 190-300 lbs. 28.00-39.00; Good

Special Sales

Abingdon, Va. November 7, 1977

There were 1281 head sold. All steers were graded by Representatives of the VDAC's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on VDAC standards and sold by the hundredweight.

STEERS: Choice & Fancy 400-500 lbs. 39.50-42.50; 500-600 lbs. 38.25-39.75; 600-700 lbs. 38.00-39.90; 700-800 lbs. 37.25-38.40; 800-900 lbs. 36.00-37.30; 900-1000 lbs. 36.00-

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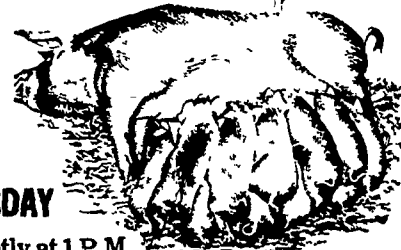
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Chambersburg Auction

November 17, 1977

CATTLE 448. Compared with last Thursday's market, slaughter steers steady to 50 cents lower. Slaughter cows \$1.25 to \$2 lower. Few Choice slaughter steers 39.85-42.50, Good 36.60-39.85, Standard 32.75-35.75, Utility 28.00-32.50. Few Choice slaughter heifers 35.75-38.50, Good 33.75-35.00, Standard 30.00-33.25, few Utility 25.25-29.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 23.00-25.50, couple 26.25, Cutters 22.50-24.50, Canner & Low Cutter 20.00-22.50, Shells Down to 18.00. Yield Grade No. 1 1200-2300 lbs. slaughter bulls 29.50-33.00.

CALVES 726. Vealers grading Good & Choice about steady; Standard & Good 70-110 lbs. \$1.50-\$3 lower. Few Prime vealers 74.00-78.00, Choice 623.00-74.50, Good 51.00-63.00, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 40.00-50.00, 90-110 lbs. 36.50-41.00, Standard 65-85 lbs. 33.00-38.00, Utility 50-100 lbs. 12.00-30.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls & heifers 90-120 lbs. 40.00-53.00, couple to 55.00.

HOGS 130. Barrows & gilts 25 cents to 75 cents lower. Few lots US No. 1-2 200-220 lbs. barrows & gilts 40.00-41.00, No. 1-3 220-250 lbs. 38.75-39.25. US No. 1 300-500 lbs. sows 33.00-39.00, Utility 200-400 lbs. 24.50-30.50. Boars 24.75-31.00.

FEEDER PIGS 190. US No. 1-3 25-35 lbs. feeder pigs 13.50-20.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 20.00-27.00, Utility 20-30 lbs. 6.50-10.00 per head.

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correction: the Brintian Acres cow listed in last week's ad was not sired by Ivanhoe Star

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