



AUG. 14-20, 1978

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Cat nights begin now Blondin crossed Niagara Falls on tight-rope Aug 17, 1859 Full moon Aug 18 Average length of days for the week, 13 hours 47 minutes Social Security began Aug 14, 1935 Railroads first carried US mail Aug 14 1838
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Ask the Old Farmer. We never miss "Crockett's Victory Garden" on public TV His advice always works at least for us But we can't find some of the unusual tools he uses, such as an old-fashioned planting board Can you tell us where to get one? R.A., Auburn NY
Jim Crockett tells us that since he has had so many requests for information about his gardening tools and supplies, he now got a booklet he can send you Write him at Birch Meadow Farms Box 188 Concord Mass 01742 and he'll send you one
Home Hints: To extend the life of cut flowers add one tablespoon of sugar to the water in your vase

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Sunny and warmer to start then some light showers at midweek, clear and hot for weekend
Greater New York-New Jersey: Cool with scattered showers, then warm with moderate showers and partly sunny
Middle Atlantic Coastal: Warming with some showers through midweek, then sunny, hot with a few showers
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Thundershowers to start then sunny and hot through week's end
Florida: Fairly heavy rain, scattered south, throughout week
Upstate N.Y.-Toronto & Montreal: Very hot with some showers most of week
Greater Ohio Valley: Week begins cooler with showers east, then changing to hot with showers west and clearing, thunderstorms predicted for weekend
Deep South: Sunny and very hot with a few showers south and east to midweek, remainder of week seasonal with thunderstorms
Chicago & Southern Great Lakes: Showers and hot first part of week then partly sunny, cooler with showers east for remainder of week
Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Hot with scattered showers through midweek, sunny and hot for remainder of week
Central Great Plains: Variably cloudy, cooler with showers central, hot weekend, sunny west, rainy east
Texas-Oklahoma: Clear and very hot, then scattered showers and cooler for last part of week
Rocky Mountain: Partly sunny, hot with showers south and east to start, then sunny at midweek, cooler and rainy south for weekend
Southwest Desert: Clear, hot with light showers west to midweek, rain west and cool for remainder of week
Pacific Northwest: Modestly sunny, very hot south, then cloudy and cooler with showers north for week's end
California: Sunny and hot inland and south clearing northwest to start, then cloudier and cooler with showers south

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Livestock market and auction news

Lebanon Valley Auction

Fredericksburg, Pa. August 8, 1978

CATTLE 200. Two High Choice and Prime slaughter steers 1180-1275 lbs. 54.10 and 59.75, Choice 2-4 950-1275 lbs. 51.00-54.60, Good 49.50-51.85, few Standard 48.00-49.85. Choice slaughter heifers 49.00-52.60, one at 53.35, few Good 46.00-60.00, few Standard 44.25-47.75, few Utility 41.10-42.25. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 38.10-39.85, few to 41.60, Cutters 34.75-37.75, few to 38.35, Canner and Low Cutters 32.00-34.75, few Shells down to 17.50. Few Good slaughter bullocks 48.10-50.00, Standard 45.10-48.00. Few Yield Grade No. 1, 1625-1645 lbs. slaughter bulls 51.85-54.85.

CALVES 211. Few Choice vealers 70.00-80.00, Good 61.50-72.50, Standard and Good 90-120 lbs. 61.00-64.50, 70-90 lbs. 51.00-62.50, 60-70 lbs. 40.00-51.00, few Utility 55-110 lbs. 35.50-41.50. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 65.50-73.00, few to 76.00; Holstein heifers 85-125 lbs. 71.00-95.50.

HOGS 276. US No. 1-2 195-250 lbs. barrows and gilts 51.00-51.50, (4 head at 52.10), No. 1-3 195-250 lbs. 49.85-51.00, No. 2-3 195-235 lbs. 49.00-50.35, few No. 1-3 160-175 lbs. 43.50-46.25. US No. 1-3

290-550 lbs. sows 38.75-42.25, few to 43.25, No. 2-3 270-565 lbs. 35.00-38.25. Two Boars at 35.00.

FEEDER PIGS 42. US No. 1-3 35-60 lbs. feeder pigs 80.00-81.00 per hundredweight, No. 1-3 90-110 lbs. 61.00-69.00 per hundredweight.

SHEEP 24. Choice 65-110 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 54.00-57.50, two Good 55-65 lbs. 45.00 and 47.00. Few Slaughter ewes 16.00-23.00.

Market courtesy of PDA.

Choice 2-4 900-1300 lbs. 51.00-52.00; Good 2-3 47.00-51.00; Few Good and Choice 2-3 Holsteins 48.00; Standard and Good 46.50-47.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 900-1050 lbs. 51.00-52.00; load 52.25; Wednesday 51.00-51.50; Choice 2-4 850-1025 lbs 50.00-51.00; 800-900 lbs. 48.00-50.00; Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 750-1000 lbs. 47.00-

50.00; Good 2-3 44.00-47.00; Standard and Good 2-3 41.00-44.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 26.00-38.50; high-Dressing Utility 40.00-40.50; Cutter 1-2 33.00-36.00; Canner 30.00-33.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-1900 lbs. 40.00-45.00; Few Yield Grade 1 46.00-47.00.

Market courtesy of USDA.

Peoria Livestock

Peoria, Illinois August 10, 1978

CATTLE: Receipts this week: 4700, last week 4900, Year ago: 5200.

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers 50-1.00 lower. Slaughter heifers 50-1.00, instances 1.50 lower. Cows steady to 1.00 higher. Bulls 1.00-2.00 higher. Receipts about 60 per cent slaughter steers, 55 per cent slaughter heifers, balance mainly cows. Increased showing yield grade 4 slaughter steers and heifers.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and Prime 3-4 1200-1270 lbs. 53.00-53.50; Part-load 1150 lbs -54.50; Choice 2-4 950-1300 lbs. 52.50-54.00; Couple loads Monday 1390 lbs. 55.00; Late 52.50-53.00, load 53.50; 900-1050 lbs. 52.00-52.50; Mixed Good and

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PERIOD 1 8/26/77—9/22/77							1,710
PERIOD 2 9/23/77—10/20/77	96.80	12.48	51.85	23.97	0.89	2.31	18,690
PERIOD 3 10/21/77—11/17/77	96.08	43.48	48.11	4.19	1.04	2.88	24,000
PERIOD 4 11/18/77—12/15/77	94.09	65.02	27.96	1.11	1.70	4.21	23,580
PERIOD 5 12/16/77—1/12/78	94.59	75.12	19.01	.46	1.94	3.48	22,620
PERIOD 6 1/13/78—2/9/78	94.26	79.85	13.12	.31	2.31	3.43	21,360
PERIOD 7 2/10/78—3/9/78	94.53	81.50	9.97	0.15	2.08	4.85	20,550
PERIOD 8 3/10/78—4/6/78	93.70	82.80	8.00	0.10	1.90	4.13	19,470
PERIOD 9 4/7/78—5/4/78	90.48	82.71	6.01	0.14	3.77	5.74	18,210
PERIOD 10 5/5/78—6/1/78	89.23	81.66	5.93	0.11	3.86	6.91	18,710
PERIOD 11 6/2/78—6/29/78	89.25	83.02	4.20	0.08	2.96	7.79	18,570

The flock of Hubbard Leghorns reported upon above were 20 weeks old when record-keeping began on August 26, 1977. Each of the periods consists of four weeks. Write or telephone for additional details.



HUBBARD FARMS

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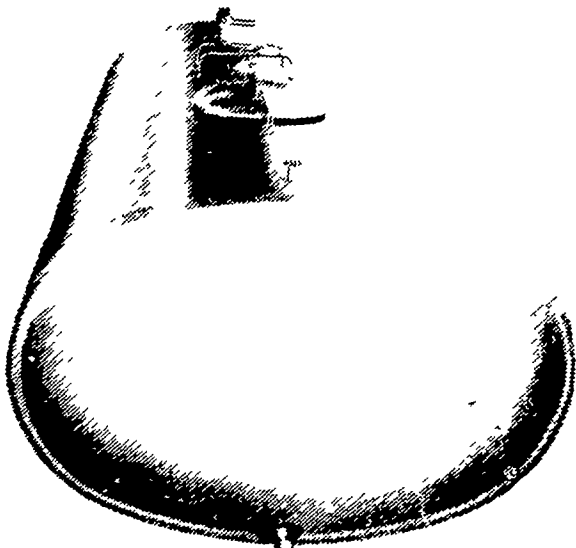
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