

Livestock market and auction news

Middleburg Auction

Middleburg, Pa.
October 31, 1978

CATTLE 323. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers about steady. Slaughter cows steady to strong. High Choice & prime slaughter steers 55.85-58.10, Choice 2-4 1000-1250 lbs. 53.00-56.10, Good 49.00-53.25, Standard 47.00-49.60. Choice slaughter heifers 49.25-53.10, Good 46.35-49.25, few Standard 44.50-46.10. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 39.50-43.00, couple to 47.10, Cutters 38.25-41.50, Canner & Low Cutter 35.00-38.50. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 53.85-54.35. Yield Grade #1 1100-1900 lbs. slaughter bulls 44.00-50.50, one at 56.10. Choice 400-800 lbs. feeder steers 55.25-60.00. **CALVES 126.** Vealers steady to \$2 lower. One

Prime vealer at 90.00, Choice 82.00-87.00, Good 75.00-83.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 74.00-80.00, 70-85 lbs. 68.00-76.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 75.00-90.00; holstein heifers 90-145 lbs. 90.00-116.00.

HOGS 543. (Monday, October 30, 1978). **HOGS 116:** (Tuesday, October 31, 1978). Barrows & Gilts \$2 to \$2.50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-235 lbs. barrows & gilts 51.75-52.35, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 51.00-51.85, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 49.75-50.85. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 41.50-45.75. Boars 36.25-37.25.

FEEDER PIGS 452. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 27.50-37.50 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 33.00-53.00, No. 1-3 55-65 lbs. 56.00-61.50 per head.

SHEEP 25. Good & Choice 80-110 lbs. wooled slaughter lambs 50.00-58.00.

Market courtesy of PDA.

Special Market

Special Feeder Calf Sale
October 26, 1978
Lynchburg, Va.

There were 1745 head sold. All cattle were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on VDACS standards and sold by the hundredweight.

STEERS: Choice 300-400 lbs. 70.25-72.75; 400-500 lbs. 71.75-73.25; 500-600 lbs. 65.00-74.00; mostly 70.50-74.00; 600-700 lbs. 64.50-65.00; Good 300-400 lbs. 71.25-74.00; 400-500 lbs. 68.00-74.50; 500-600 lbs. 63.25-68.75; 600-700 lbs. 62.50-64.75; Short 450-550 lbs. 55.50-60.75; Medium 300-400 lbs. 63.75-66.50; 400-500 lbs. 62.75-67.25; 500-600 lbs. 59.50-64.75; 600-700 lbs. 62.50-62.75; 700-800 lbs. 55.00-58.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 300-400 lbs. 55.00-57.00; 400-500 lbs.

57.25-65.25; 500-600 lbs. 57.00-58.25; Good 300-400 lbs. 51.50-55.25; 400-500 lbs. 56.00-60.50; 500-600 lbs. 53.00-57.00; Short 300-400 lbs. 50.50-50.75; 400-500 lbs. 48.75-50.25; Medium 300-400 lbs. 47.50-50.00; 400-500 lbs. 47.75-49.25; 500-600 lbs. 50.00-51.75.

Special Market

Special Feeder Yearling Steer Sale
October 26, 1978
Roanoke, Va.

There were 1549 head sold. All steers were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on VDACS standards and sold by the hundredweight.

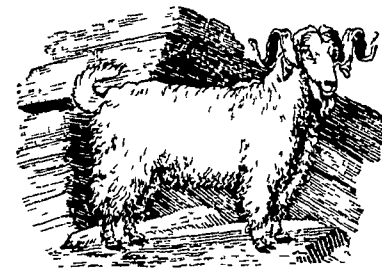
Choice 500-600 lbs. 64.00-66.00; 600-700 lbs. 62.00-64.75; 700-800 lbs. 60.25-61.75; 800-900 lbs. 54.50-56.50; 900-1000 lbs. 53.25-54.50; 1005-1100 lbs. 47.25-52.75; Good 500-600 lbs. 64.50-67.75; 600-700 lbs. 61.50-



NOV. 6-12, 1978

Ma is calling 'cause weather's falling.

Clean up vegetable garden refuse Eleanor Roosevelt died Nov 8, 1962 First quarter of the moon Nov 7 Average length of days for the week, 9 hours, 59 minutes General Election Nov 7 Hope diamond given to Smithsonian Nov 8, 1958 Wise men care not for what they cannot have



Ask the Old Farmer: One line in the sea chantey "Blow the Man Down" goes, "Give me some time to blow the man down" What specific situation or action does that refer to? S F, Holland, Mich

It simply means to set a pace that leaves the other feller out of breath

Home Hints: Hot vinegar will remove paint from glass

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

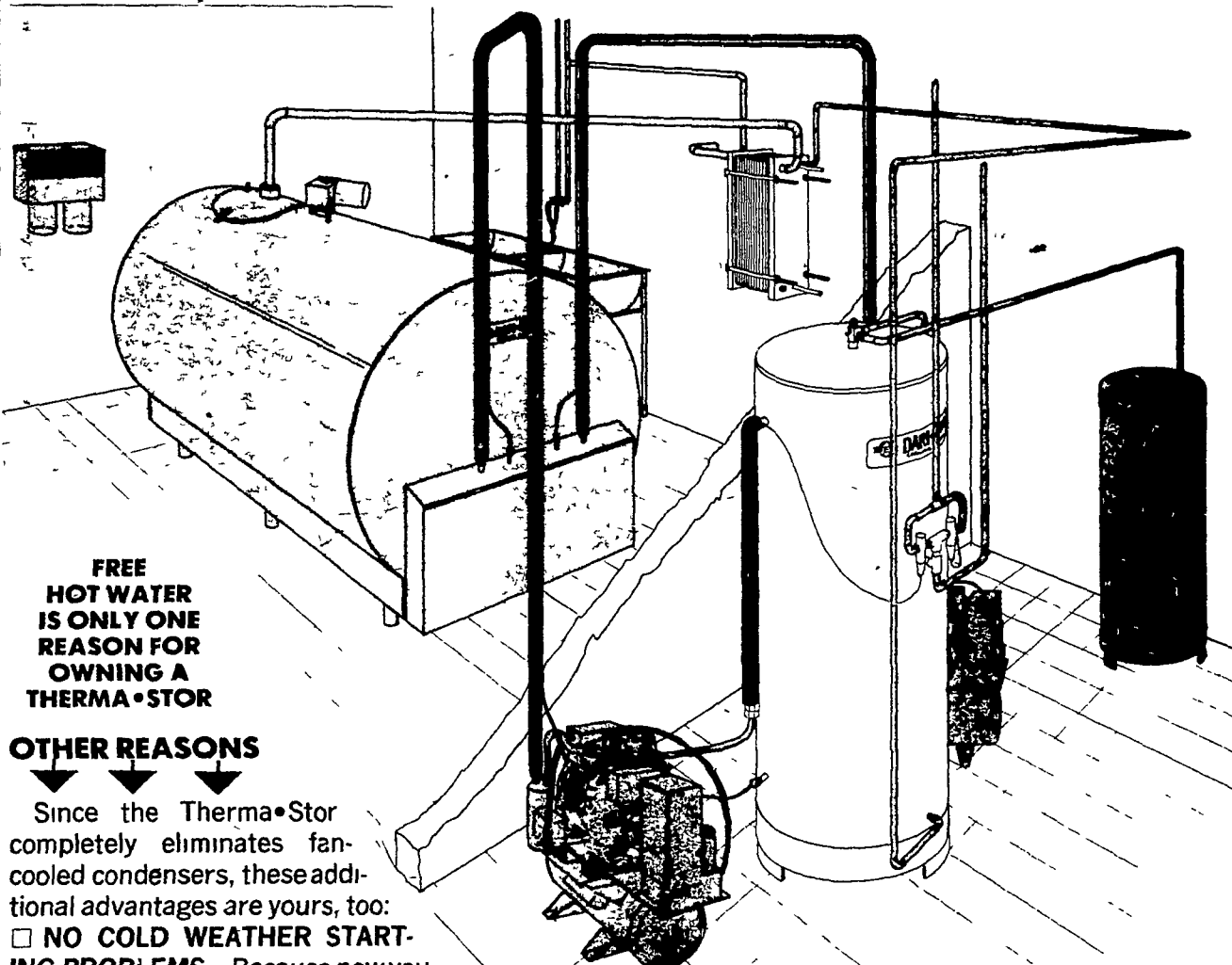
New England: Cool, rainy all week, milder
Greater New York-New Jersey: Cloudy and warm with scattered showers to start, rain and colder for weekend
Middle Atlantic Coastal: Cloudy and warm with showers east, then rainy and cool through week's end
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Sunny and warm with few showers northeast, then cloudy and cool with light showers west and north, rain end of week
Florida: First part of week fair north with showers south, possible hurricane in south, late week
Upstate NY-Toronto & Montreal: Rain to start, sunny by mid-week, then rain and mountain snow for weekend
Greater Ohio Valley: Alternating sunny and cloudy through the week, rainy and cold for weekend
Deep South: Partly cloudy and warm first of week, then very cool with rain north
Chicago & Southern Great Lakes: Rainy throughout the week, then turning sunny and cold
Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Very cold and cloudy with light snow throughout week, then rain
Central Great Plains: Cold and rainy with snow north to start, then sunny and seasonal for remainder of week
Texas-Oklahoma: Week begins warm and dry west, then cold with rain east at end of week
Rocky Mountain: Cold with light snow, clearing by week's end
Southwest Desert: First of week clear, then cold with light frost
Pacific Northwest: Week begins very cold with light snow, sunny and warm for last part of week
California: Rain with heavy snow north in mountains, clear and warmer by end of week

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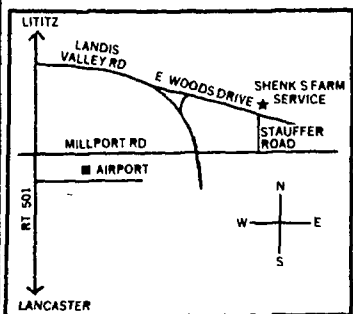
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