



NOV. 13-19, 1978  
Typical, cool and fickle.

Look for shooting stars Nov 16 Toscanini's American debut Nov 16, 1908 Full Beaver Moon Nov 14 (which traditionally provides light to the beavers making their final preparations for winter) Average length of days for the week, 9 hours, 45 minutes Standard Time zones adopted Nov 18, 1883 *If you tell the truth, you don't have to remember anything* (Mark Twain)



Ask the Old Farmer. I have an old cabinet for holding spools of thread It says Coates & Clarks O N T on it What do the initials stand for? E K, Bridgeport, Conn

"Our New Thread"

Home Hints A dollar bill can always be an instant measuring stick It's 6-1/8 inches long

**OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS**

**New England:** Partly sunny and cold through week, expect rain for weekend with snow in mountains

**Greater New York-New Jersey:** Cold and rainy to start, then partly sunny, warm, with scattered showers for remainder of week

**Middle Atlantic Coastal:** Week begins rainy and cool, partly sunny and warmer by midweek, then rain for week's end

**Piedmont & Southeast Coastal:** Heavy rain first of week, partly cloudy, warming by midweek, then rain

**Florida:** Cloudy throughout the week, showers north

**Upstate NY-Toronto & Montreal:** Partly sunny, but rain and sleet east, to midweek, then rain and snow last of week

**Greater Ohio Valley:** Cold with rain moving east during week, cold with flurries for weekend

**Deep South:** Mild to start, turning cold and rainy by midweek, cloudy and cold for weekend

**Chicago-Southern Great Lakes:** Sunny and cold to midweek, then rain and sleet, very cold weekend

**Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes:** Rain and sleet to midweek, then cloudy and seasonal for remainder of week

**Central Great Plains:** Sunny to start then expect rain and snow through week's end

**Texas-Oklahoma:** Rain heavy east and coast, then cold and cloudy

**Rocky Mountain:** Light rain with snow north throughout week

**Southwest Desert:** Cloudy and mild with light rain to start then clear with cold nights

**Pacific Northwest:** Rainy throughout week, snow in mountains

**California:** Mostly sunny throughout week

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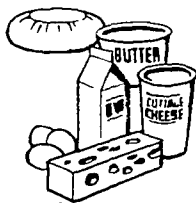
**New Holland Dairy**

New Holland Sales Stables  
Wed., November 8, 1978

Reported receipts of 162 cows, 116 heifers, and 5 bulls. Market stronger than last week's market.

Load of Pa. fresh 800-1500; load of Pa. fresh 800-1275; load of N Y, purebreds and grades, fresh 710-2550, springers 825-1800; load of Canada springers 810-1350;

local cows 525-1425; springers, grades 650-900, purebreds 800-1450; open heifers 425-550; bulls 440-590; herd dispersal of 50 head in all stages of lactation 490-1200; herd dispersal of Ayrshires in all stages of lactation 290-655.



**Livestock market and auction news**

**G & M Livestock**

November 6, 1978  
Duncansville, Pa.

Market reported higher this week.

STEERS: Good to Choice 53.00-55.60; Standard to Good 50.00-53.00. Dairy Cows-690-1005.00.

HEIFERS: Good to Choice 51.00-53.50; Other 47.00-51.00.

FEEDERSTEERS: Good to Choice 250 to 500 lbs. 60.00-70.50; Standard to Good 500 to 700 lb. 50.00-62.50.

BULLS: 1200 to 1500 lbs. 48.00-52.10; 900 to 1200 lb. 47.00-51.60.

COWS: High Choice to Prime 43.00-45.50, Individual 49.00; Good to Standard 40.00-43.00; Utility 38.00-40.00; Cutters 36.00-38.00; Canners Down to 34.00.

CALVES: High Choice 88.00-92.00; Good to Choice 70.00-88.00; Standard to Good 60.00-70.00. Farm Calves Bulls 90.00-102.00. Farm Heifers 100.00-135.00.

HOGS: 200 to 240 lb. 49.00-

50.85; 190 to 270 lb 46.00-50.00

SOWS: 42.00-47.00.

ROARS: 32.00-36.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 20 to 30 lb 20.00-38.00; 30 to 50 lbs. 38.00-50.00.

SHEEP: Lambs 55.00-60.00; Sheep 15.00-32.00.

**Peoria Livestock**

Peoria, Illinois  
November 9, 1978

CATTLE: Receipts this week: 5600 Last Week: 4800 year ago: 6200 compared with last week's close, slaughter steers 1.00-2.00 lower. Slaughter heifers 50-1.00 lower. Cows steady to weak. Bulls weak. Receipts about 65 per cent slaughter steers 30 per cent slaughter heifers, balance mainly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice and prime 3-4 1125-1250 lb. 53.00-54.00, Few Early 54.50. Choice 2-4 1050-1300 lbs. 51.50-54.00; late 51.50-53.00; 900-1050 lbs. 51.00-51.50; mixed good and choice 2-4 900-1250 lbs. 50.00-51.50; good 2-3 47.50-50.50;

few standard and good 2-3 45.00-47.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice and prime 3-4 900-1050 lbs. 51.00-52.00, Wednesday 51.00-51.75; Choice 2-4 850-1050 lbs. 50.00-51.50, at mid-week 50.00-51.00; 800-900 lbs. 49.00-50.00; mixed good and choice 2-4 800-1000 lbs. 48.00-50.00; good 2-3 45.50-48.00.

COWS. Utility and commercial 1-3 39.00-42.00; few high-dressing utility 42.50; cutter 1-2 34.50-39.00; Canner 33.50-35.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1100-1800 lbs. 41.00-47.00.

Market courtesy of USDA

**Joliet Cattle**

Joliet, Illinois  
November 9, 1978

Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 7,800, 5 days last week 5,905, same period last year 9,301. Trading slow for the week. Mixed high Choice and Prime steers closed the week 1.00-1.25 lower than Wednesday of last week. Good to aver Choice

steers 1.00-1.50 lower. Slaughter heifers 1.00-1.75 lower. Cows 50 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed high Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350 lbs. 54.75-55.25, Monday 54.00-54.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 53.00-54.75 Monday, 52.50-54.00 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 975-1200 lbs. 51.50-53.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1100 lbs. 52.50-53.00 Monday, 51.75-52.25, 1 load 52.55 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 900-1050 lbs. 51.75-52.50 Monday; 51.00-51.75 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 50.00-51.75.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 39.00-41.50 Monday; 40.00-42.00 Wednesday.

Market courtesy of USDA.

**Chambersburg Auction**

No Market Available  
Due to Holiday.

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