

Livestock market and auction news



THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

APRIL 7-13, 1980
Drizzle finally fizzles.

Plant shrubs now FDR died April 12, 1945 Last quarter of the moon April 8 Average length of days for the week, 13 hours, 12 minutes Titanic sank April 15 1912 Maine sardine season opens Walrus mating now If you cannot obey, you cannot command



Ask the Old Farmer: Years ago in our rural area water pails made out of paper were used in every farm kitchen. The ones my grandfather used were colored red. I can't make folks believe there was such a thing. B.N., Los Angeles, Calif.
You are right. The paper pulp was moulded when soft then varnished. Maybe you didn't know this, but as long ago as fifty years electric car wheels were made of the same stuff, except the rims.
Home Hints: Scorch spots on linen may often disappear when placed in hot sunlight all day.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Rainy and cold to start, then seasonal, rain coast, weekend brings resumed rain and cold.
Greater New York-New Jersey: Showers, cool, beginning of week, then warming, with heavy rain, weekend is cold, light rain.
Middle Atlantic Coastal: Seasonal beginning of week, then rainy and cool, middle of week through week's end is cloudy and cold, with showers.
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Week brings rain Piedmont and east, warm, continued rain, very cool, for weekend.

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Middleburg Livestock

Tuesday, April 1, 1980
Report supplied by Auction
CATTLE 217. Choice slaughter steers 62.00-64.75, few to 67.00, Good 58.00-62.00, Standard 55.00-58.00, Utility 50.00-55.00. Choice slaughter heifers 62.00-64.50, individual at 67.25, Good 55.00-62.00, Standard 50.00-55.00, Utility 48.00-50.00. Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 42.00-45.75, few to 47.35, Cutters 40.00-44.75, Canner and Low Cutters 38.00-40.00, Shells down to 37.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 60.00-66.10, Good 52.00-54.00 Yield Grade No 1, slaughter bulls 55.00-62.00, #2, 45.00-55.00.
CALVES 159. Prime vealers 110.00-116.00, Choice 100.00-110.00, Good 90.00-110.00, Standard and Good 90-100 lbs 65.00-70.00, 70-90 lbs 60.00-65.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 95-115 lbs 75.00-90.00; Holstein heifers 80-175 lbs 120.00-200.00.
HOGS 871. US No 1-2 210-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 31.35-32.50, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 30.50-31.35, No 2-3 190-270 lbs. 29.00-30.25 US No. 1-3 330-550 lbs. sows 26.00-28.00, No. 2-3 300-650 lbs 22.25-

25.00. Boars 200-400 lbs. 22.75-23.50.
FEEDER PIGS 437. US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 10.00-16.00 per head, No. 1-3 20-30 lbs. 16.00-22.00, No. 1-3 40-50 lbs 22.00-28.00 per head.
SHEEP 52. Choice 20-40 lbs spring slaughter lambs 110.00-140.00. Slaughter ewes. 18.00-30.00.

Special Slaughter Cattle Sale

Wednesday, March 26
Report supplied by VDA
There were 102 head sold. All cattle were graded by Representatives of the VDAC's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundredweight.
CHOICE STEERS: 1075-1250 lbs. 63.00-66.00;
CHOICE SINGLE STEERS: 60.75-64.00; **GOOD STEERS:** 1175-1200 lbs. 57.00-60.50; **GOOD SINGLE STEERS:** 56.00-61.00; **GOOD HOLSTEIN STEERS:** 1367 lbs. 56.10.
CHOICE BULLOCKS: 63.00-64.00; **CHOICE HEIFERS:** 942-1092 lbs. 61.60-63.00; **GOOD HEIFERS:** 845-900 lbs. 56.75-57.80.

Central U.S. Carlot

Wednesday, April 2
Report supplied by USDA
Compared to Tuesday's 4:30 report: limited early sales steer beef steady but no reported sales after noon. Heifer beef 2.00 lower late. Bulk of sales to chain store on regular weekly orders. Demand continues very light & attitudes very depressed in general. Sales reported on 72 1/2 loads of steer and heifer beef.

STEER BEEF
55 1/2 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis
Choice 3 600-800 lbs. 96.00 early, steady.
Choice 3 500-700 lbs. 97.00-98.00, chain store
Choice 2 500-700 lbs. 98.00-99.00, chain store
Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 89.00.
Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 94.00 early, steady.
Good 2-3 500-900 lbs. 89.00 (Hols type)
FOB Amarillo Basis
Choice 3 500-700 lbs. 95.00 chain stores
Choice 2 500-700 lbs. 96.00 chain stores.

HEIFER BEEF
19 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis
Choice 3 500-700 lbs. 92.00-94.00, 2.00 lower late, 92.00 late.
Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 87.00-89.00.
Cow Beef 1.00-4.00 lower.

COW BEEF
9 1/2 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis
Utility 450&up lbs. 76.50-77.50 West, 1.00-2.00 lower. (Brkg) 3-4.
Utility 400&up lbs. 80.50 West, 4.00 lower. (Bng) 2-3
Canner & Cutter 350&up 88.00 Midwest 1-2
Canner & Cutter 350&up 84.50 West, 2.00-3.00 lower 1-2
FOB Amarillo Basis
Utility 450&up lbs. 78.50 West, 1.00 lower (Brkg) 3-4

Utility 400&up lbs. 81.50 West, (Bng) 2-3

PRIMAL BEEF CUTS
6 1/2 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis
Hinds 120-170 lbs. 111.50, heifer.
Arm Chucks 75-120 lbs. 81.00-81.50.
Briskets 56.00.
Short Plates 40.50.
BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF TRIMMINGS
22 Loads
FOB Omaha Basis
90 pct chem lean frozen 125.00.
75 pct chem lean fresh 90.00.
50 pct chem lean fresh 43.00.

FOB Amarillo Basis
90 pct chem lean fresh 125.00.
Compared to Tuesday's 2:15 report: fresh pork loins steady 2.00 lower. Picnics 4-8 lbs. steady - 3.00 lower. Boston Butts 2.50-5.50 lower than last test. Fresh Hams 1.50-2.25 lower. Sdls bellies .50-2.75 lower. Demand and trading light. Sales reported on 90 1/2 loads and 20 loads of trimmings and variety meats.

FRESH PORK CUTS
Loins - 14/dn lbs. 71.25; 14-17 lbs. 66.75-70.25 steady - 2.00 lower; 17-20 lbs. 63.00 clear channel; 17-20 lbs. 65.00 steady 2.00 lower; 17-22 lbs. 63.00; 20 & up lbs. 58.00 steady.

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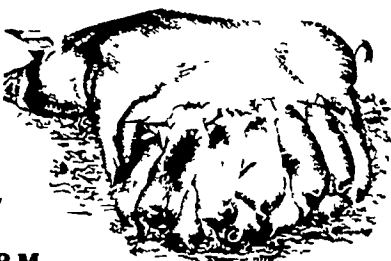
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Picnics - 4-8 lbs. 48.00-40.50.

Boston Butts - 4-8 lbs. 48.00-50.50, 2.50-5.50 lower than last test.
Skinned Hams - 14-17 lbs. 54.00-54.50 1.50-1.75 lower; 17-20 lbs. 49.50-51.50 1.50-2.25 lower; 20-26 lbs. 47.00-49.79.
Bellies, Sdls - 12-14 lbs. 26.50-27.00 1.50-2.00 lower; 14-16 lbs. 27.00 .50 lower; 18-20 24.75-25.75 1.75-2.75 lower; 20-25 lbs. 24.50 frozen.

VARIETY MEATS
Livers - Sm. Box 21.75 export; Lrg. Box 22.00 Domestic.

PORK TRIMMINGS BONELESS PROCESSING (Chemical Lean)
72 pct lean trmngs fresh 58.50; 72 pct bnl picnics fresh 59.00-62.00 steady 3.00 lower; 72 pct bnl picnics frzn 59.00-60.00.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, April 3
Report supplied by USDA
51 weekly cattle summary: salable receipts about 2800 this week, 2508 a week ago, and 3235 a year ago. Slaughter Steers were

sharply lower for the week and through Thursday, Slaughter Steers 5.00-5.50 lower and Heifers 6.00-7.00 lower than Wednesday a week ago. Cows 3.00, instances 4.00 lower. Bulls 2.00 lower. Trading very slow Monday, but moderate on small Wednesday run.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Late Choice 2-4 1050 lbs. 58.50-60.25, few to 61.50 after bulk of sales Monday, 62.00-64.00, few to 64.25-65.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 900-1150 lbs. 57.00-58.00 late, and Good 2-3 900-1150 lbs. 55.00-57.00. Standard and Good 2 900-1300 lb. Holsteins 54.00-56.00, some Monday to 57.75.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 900-1025 lbs. 57.00-58.50 after selling 59.00-63.00 Monday, few 63.50. Mixed Good and Choice 2-4 850-1000 lbs. 55.00-57.00. Good 52.00-56.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 1-3 42.00-46.50, some utility 1-2 47.00-48.00 early. Cutter 1-2 40.00-44.00.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1100-1700 lbs. 50.00-58.00, mostly 52.00-55.00.

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C ROMANDELE SHALIMAR MAGNET, 1st calf fresh 2/1/80 milking 68 lbs. Dam 87 pt. Elevation.

UTAG IVANHOE ULTIMATE, 83 pt. due with 3rd calf 5/4/80 to Creek.

HART-LYN DIADEM, 81 pt. due with 3rd calf 5/21/80 to Liftoff.

ELEVATION VICTORY EDSON due with 4th calf 5/10/80 to Creek.

DANCOR G IVANHOE PABST due with 4th calf 4/24/80 to Glendell Corky.

HEATHERSTONE LUCKY TYPEBLAZER due with 4th calf late April.

GRADE-SKYLAB due with 2nd calf 6/1/80 to Fury Ivan. 2-3, 305, 17,642, 599, 3.4.

GRADE-due with 4th calf 4/9/80 to Noble Prince.

REGISTERED BULLS

PENNSTATE IVANHOE STAR born 6/29/79. Dam VG 85 Collins Crest Majesty 4-11, 365, 18,523, 684, 3.7.

WAPA ARLINDA CONDUCTOR, born 4/27/79. Dam 83 pt. Elevation 4-3, 305, 22,305, 831, 3.9.

LAWCREST MARVEX-TWIN, born 5/16/79. Dam Pawnee Farm Arlinda Chief 5-7, 305, 20,993, 767, 3.7.

MILU BETTY IVANHOE CHIEF, born 3/12/79. Dam 5-4, 305, 19,505, 695, 3.6.

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Every 4 weeks

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