

Livestock market and auction news



THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

APRIL 14-20, 1980

Checkerboard weather, fickle as ever.

Income taxes due on the 15th Paul Revere's famous night ride April 18, 1775 New moon April 14 Average length of days for the week, 13 hours, 32 minutes Howard Hughes' coast-to-coast flight April 17, 1944 Heaviest 24-hour snowfall in North America — 75.8" in Silver Lake, Col., April 15, 1921 Don't marry for money, you can borrow it cheaper



Home Hints: To avoid odor when cooking cabbage put a heel of bread on the cabbage before covering to cook

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Light rain, cool, to start, then sunny and warm mid-week, with seasonal temperatures and showers by week's end
Greater New York-New Jersey: Light rain and cold begin the week, middle through end of week is alternately showery, and sunny and warm

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Clearing and warming through middle of week, weekend is cooler, with light rain
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Sunny and pleasant all week, with weekend bringing cool temperatures and rain

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Special Feeder Calf and Yearling Sale

Friday, April 4
Winchester, Va.

Report supplied by VDA

There were 1,161 head sold. All cattle were graded by the Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundredweight

LARGE 1: 400-500 lbs. \$89.00; 500-700 lbs. 67.00-76.00; 700-800 lbs. 65.50-68.00; 800 & up 58.00-63.00.
MEDIUM FRAME 1: 400-500 lbs. \$87.00; 500-700 lbs. 71.50-85.00; 700-800 lbs. 63.00-70.00.
SMALL FRAME 1: 400-500 lbs. \$84.00-86.00; 500-700 lbs. 72.00-83.00; 700-800 lbs. 61.00-61.50; 800 & up lbs. 53.00-59.00.
MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 2: 700-900 lbs. \$55.00-59.00; 800 & up lbs. 52.00-59.00.

HEIFERS: **LARGE FRAME 1:** 500-600 lbs. \$64.00-69.00; 600-700 lbs. 60.00-64.00; 700-800 lbs. 55.00-61.50
MEDIUM FRAME 1: 400-500 lbs. \$62.00-65.00; 500-600 lbs. 59.00-60.00; 600-800 lbs. 57.00-65.00.
SMALL FRAME 1:

400-500 lbs. 58.00-67.00; 500-600 lbs. 56.00-58.00; 600-800 lbs. 54.00-66.00. **MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 2:** 400-600 lbs. \$56.00-60.00; 600-700 lbs. 51.00-52.50.

Hunter's Auction

Monday, April 7
Rising Sun, Md.

Report supplied by auction

BULLS: 1340 lbs. 55.75.
COWS: High Choice to Prime 50.25-51.25; Good to Standard 48.75-50.00; Utility 46.75-48.00; Cutters 45.25-47.00; Canners 38.75-46.50.

CALVES: Prime 180-240 lbs. 95.00-110.00; High to Choice 140-180 lbs. 89.00-115.00; Good to Choice 120-140 lbs. 85.00-111.00; Utility 75-85 lbs. 60.00-95.00; Low Utility 65-75 lbs. 55.00-69.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 20-25 lbs. \$8 to \$12 by hd.; 30-35 lbs. \$14 to \$16 by hd.

HOGS: 180-220 lbs. 27.00-29.50.

SOWS: 25.00-27.00.

BOARS: 25.00-28.00.
SHEEP: 20.0-26.00;
Lambs 20-30 lbs. 105.00-121.00.

GOATS: Kids \$15 to \$18 by hd.; Names \$26 to \$38 by hd.; Billies \$35 to \$41 by hd.

Middleburg Auction

Tuesday, April 8

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 183. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter steers steady to 75¢ higher. Slaughter cows \$3 to \$4 higher. Choice No. 2-4 950-1400 lbs. slaughter steers 62.00-65.75, couple to 71.35, Good 58.75-62.25, Standard 55.75-58.00. Few Choice slaughter heifers 62.50-67.00; few Standard & Good 55.00-58.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 45.50-50.00, couple to 51.35, Cutters 44.50-49.00, few Canner & Low Cutter 42.00-44.00. Few Choice slaughter bullocks 60.85-67.00. Yield Grade #1 1050-1950 lbs. slaughter bulls 55.00-64.60, one at 68.85. Large Frame #1 500-850 lbs. feeder steers & bulls 55.00-62.00.

CALVES 111. One Prime vealer at 116.00, Choice 95.00-110.00, few Good 80.00-95.00, Standard & Low Good 70-95 lbs. 62.00-68.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 70.00-95.00, couple to 106.00; holstein heifers 80-130 lbs. 110.00-155.00.

HOGS 113. US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 28.00-28.50, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 27.60-28.00. (HOG MONDAY 4-7-80) 678. Barrows & gilts \$2 lower US No. 1-2 200-230 lbs. barrows & gilts 29.25-30.35, No. 1-3 190-250 lbs. 28.50-29.25, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 27.10-28.00 US No. 1-3 300-500 lbs sows 24.50-27.00, No. 2-3 300-675 lbs 22.00-24.25 Few Boars 20.00-26.00

FEEDER PIGS 406. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs feeder pigs 13.00-19.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs 17.00-26.00, No. 1-3 50-60 lbs 22.00-28.50 per head

SHEEP 7. Few Slaughter ewes 21.00-34.50

37.00-42.00, Shells down to 32.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 62.50-67.50, Good 60.00-63.00, Standard 57.00-61.00, Utility 52.00-56.00. Yield Grade #1 1000-2000 lbs. slaughter bulls 61.00-66.00; yield grade #2 900-1600 lbs. 56.00-60.00. Few Medium Frame #1 and #2 500-600 lbs. feeder steers 70.00.

CALVES 260. Choice vealers 100.00-118.00, Good 95.00-105.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 58.00-75.00, 70-90 lbs. 48.00-58.00, Utility 55-100 lbs. 38.00-60.00. Farm calves, holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 95.00-115.00; few holstein heifers 85-130 lbs. at 150.00.

HOGS: 313. US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 29.30-30.50, few to 31.25, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 27.00-29.50, No. 2-3 260-270 lbs. 26.50-29.00, No. 1-3 130-185 lbs. 21.50-27.00. US No. 1-3 300-550 lbs. sows 25.00-27.00, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 23.00-25.00. Boars 18.00-23.00.

FEEDER PIGS 80. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 7.00-16.00 per head, No. 1-3 35-50 lbs. 12.00-18.00 per head.

SHEEP 0. No sales on offer.

300-400 lbs. 73.00-91.00; 400-500 lbs. 65.00-87.00; 500-600 lbs. 63.00-72.00; 600-700 lbs. 57.00-65.00; 700-800 lbs. 53.00-59.00; 800-900 lbs. 51.00-60.00; 900-1000 lbs. 49.00. Medium & Large 3: 300-400 lbs. 61.00; 500-600 lbs. 56.00-57.00; 600-700 lbs. 44.00. Large 1: 300-400 lbs. 88.00; 400-500 lbs. 91.00-95.00; 500-600 lbs. 72.00-90.00; 600-700 lbs. 60.00-72.00; 700-800 lbs. 61.00-65.50; 800-900 lbs. 56.00-61.50; 900-1000 lbs. 51.00-61.00; Over 1000 lbs. 58.25-61.50. Small 1: 300-400 lbs. 83.00-93.50; 400-500 lbs. 75.00-91.00; 500-600 lbs. 70.00-79.00; 600-700 lbs. 57.00-65.00; 700-800 lbs. 54.50-58.00.

HEIFERS: Medium 1: 200-300 lbs. 64.00-66.00; 300-400 lbs. 64.00-74.00; 400-500 lbs. 57.00-83.00; 500-600 lbs. 60.00-65.50; 600-700 lbs. 54.50-58.00; 700-800 lbs. 52.00. Medium & Large 2: 300-400 lbs. 59.00-60.00; 400-500 lbs. 54.00-64.00; 500-600 lbs. 49.00-63.00; 600-700 lbs. 47.00.

Medium & Large 3: 300-400 lbs. 58.00. Large 1: 400-500 lbs. 60.00-72.00; 500-600 lbs. 60.50-63.00; 600-700 lbs. 56.50-58.00; 700-800 lbs. 55.00. Small 1: 200-300 lbs. 56.00; 300-400 lbs. 56.00-73.00; 400-500 lbs. 57.00-68.00; 500-600 lbs. 54.00-56.00; 600-700 lbs. 50.00.

Martinsburg Apples

Thursday, April 3

Report supplied by VDA

APPLES: Demand fairly good market steady CA Storage cartons 12-3 lb film bags US Fancy or Better 2-1/4" minimum Red Delicious \$8.50-9.00 few \$8.25 Red Stayman \$7.50 few \$7.00-7.25 Red Rome \$7.50-8.00 mostly \$7.50 US Extra Fancy \$8.25 Winesap \$7.25-7.50 occasionally \$7.00 Golden Delicious \$7.50-8.00 mostly \$7.50. Carton traypack US Combination Extra Fancy & Fancy or better Red Delicious 88-113's \$11.50-12.00 mostly 12.00 few \$11.00 US Extra Fancy \$12.50 Red Stayman 88-113's supplies light \$11.00 Red Rome \$9.00.

Apples for Processing Appalachian District MD-PA-VA-WV... Movement expected to decrease trading slow some processors to finish during next two weeks. Cash prices paid to grower per cwt. delivered to plant: Peelers too few purchases to establish a market straight loads for juice \$5.00-5.50 utilization week ending March 29, 4,967 tons. Total to date this season 347,284 tons.

Special Feeder Sale

Tri-State, Va.

Monday, April 7

There were 1,256 head sold. All cattle were graded by Representatives of the VDACS's Division of Markets, Livestock Section on USDA standards and sold by the hundredweight.

STEERS: Medium 1: 200-300 lbs. 84.00; 300-400 lbs. 88.00-98.00; 400-500 lbs. 87.00-97.00; 500-600 lbs. 72.00-82.00; 600-700 lbs. 60.00-69.00; 700-800 lbs. 57.50-63.00; 800-900 lbs. 55.00-58.25; 900-1000 lbs. 53.00. Medium & Large 2.

Martinsburg Auction

Monday, April 7

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CATTLE 198. Choice slaughter steers 61.00-64.50, few to 66.00, Good 58.00-63.00, Standard 56.00-60.00, Utility 52.50-56.00. Choice slaughter heifers 58.00-62.50, Good 56.00-60.50, Standard 54.00-57.00, Utility 44.00-54.00. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 45.00-48.50, few to 50.00, Cutters 42.50-46.00, Canner & Low Cutter

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