

Livestock market and auction news



THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

APRIL 21-27, 1980
Bright and cheery, dearie.

Watch for flooding now Daylight Saving Time begins Sunday April 27 (set clocks ahead one hour before retiring on the 26th) First quarter of the moon April 21 Average length of days for the week, 13 hours, 48 minutes The wild pear is now in bloom Temperance and labor are the two best physicians

Ask the Old Farmer. As a boy a long time ago we used to have a sort of relish called "pork scraps." They were pieces of pork scraps and came in a mass about the size of a potato chip, but thicker Can you give me any information? E F, Los Angeles

These pork scraps were what were left after making lard We have enjoyed them many a time Some packing houses still make them, but as good as they are, they do not taste like the homemade variety

Home Hints Try using hydrogen peroxide to remove ketchup stains

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Seasonal with showers becoming heavy rains near coast, and cold throughout the week

Greater New York-New Jersey: Warm and sunny, with some showers mid-week, end of week is rainy and cool

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Clear and warm, with showers west and north, to start, weekend is rainy and warm

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Clear and very warm through middle of week, end of week brings rain, then clear and hot

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East Coast Carlot

Wednesday, April 16
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's close: prime special fed veal steady-2.00 lower. Good and Choice boning veal, northeastern, generally steady; unshipped steady-weak in limited test. Other quoted items poorly tested or without adequate comparison.

VEAL CARCASS HIDE ON

Prime (Special Fed): 180-240 lbs. 190.00-193.00; steady-2.00 lower.

BONING TYPE HIDE ON

Good and Choice

Northeastern Suppliers: 65-75 lbs. 100.00-102.00, generally steady, few 98.00; 55-64 lbs. 98.00-100.00, few 96.00; 45-54 lbs. 96.00-98.00, few 94.00; 35-44 lbs. 94.00-96.00, few 92.00; 34 lbs. down 92.00-94.00, few 90.00.

Inshipped: 70-80 lbs. 100.00 LTD weak; 60-70 lbs. 100.00 LTD steady; 50-60 lbs. 96.00 LTD weak; 40-50 lbs. 90.00 LTD weak; 30-40 lbs. 90.00 LTD weak.

LAMB CARCASS Choice & Prime 3-4

1 Load
60 lbs. down 121.00.
SPRING LAMB CARCASS Choice & Prime 3-4
55 lbs. down 129.00 part load.

BONELESS BEEF 1 Load

85 pct chem lean, fresh 130.00, immediate ship.

BEEF TRIMMINGS 2 Loads

50 pct chem lean, fresh 51.00-53.00 FOB east.

CURED AND PROCESSED MEATS 18 Loads

Skinned Hams: 16-19 lbs. 65.00-66.00, most for delivery through late April; 19-23 lbs. 60.00.

NEW HAY AUCTION EVERY FRIDAY - 1:30 P.M.

Straw, Grain, Firewood, etc.
Tack & Misc. Consignments 3:30 PM
HORSE AUCTION - 7:30 P.M.

BEIL'S SALES

1 Mi. North of York Springs on Route 15
Hay - 717-334-7724, David W. Martin, Auct /Mgr
Horse - 717-528-8218, Wm. Artrip, Auct

Central US Carlot

Wednesday, April 16
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:30 report: Steer & heifer beef steady-1.00 higher, with most sales at the advance late on Choice. Demand moderate & trading moderate to good with most processor orders for delivery into early next week. Packer supplies moderate. Sales reported on 95 loads for steer and heifer beef.

STEER BEEF 74 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3: 600-900 lbs. 100.00-101.00, steady-1.00 higher late; 101.00 late.

Choice 2-3: 600-700 lbs. 100.50 & 101.50.

Choice 4: 600-900 lbs. 92.00-93.00, steady.

Choice 2-3: 500-900 lbs. 99.00. (Hols. type).

Good 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 99.00-100.00, steady-1.00 hghr.

Good 2-3: 500-900 lbs. 96.50. (Hols. type) steady.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 2-3: 500-700 lbs. Y.G. 3 101.00; Y.G. 2 102.00.

Choice 4: 600-850 lbs. 93.50.

Good 2-3: 600-900 lbs. 99.00.

HEIFER BEEF 21 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3: 500-700 lbs. 98.00-99.00, steady-1.00 hghr.

Choice 2-3: 600-700 lbs. 99.25 & 100.25.

Good 2-3: 500-700 lbs. 96.00-97.00.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 2-3: 500-700 lbs. Y.G. 3 98.00, T.G. 2 99.00.

Good 2-3: 500-700 lbs. 96.00.

Utility cow beef steady-1.00 lower than late last week to West Coast and 2.00 lower in Midwest.

COW BEEF 8 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Utility: 400/up lbs. 89.00 Midwest, 2.00 lower (BNG) 2-3.

Cnrr/Ctrr: 350/up lbs 98.00 Midwest 1-2.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Utility: 450&up lbs. 81.50 West, 1.00 lower; (BRKG) 3-4.

Utility: 400&up lbs. 86.50 West, steady-1.00 lwr., (BNG) 2-3.

PRIMAL BEEF CUTS 6 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

HINDS (S): 145-190 lbs. 121.00.

FORES: 130-210 lbs. 83.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING BEEF/BEEF TRIMMINGS 39 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

75 pct chem lean fresh 100.00-102.00.

50 pct chem lean fresh 48.50-50.00, mostly 1.00 hghr, bulk 49.00.

50 pct chem lean fresh/frozen 49.00-49.25.

Compared to Tuesday's 2:15 report: Fresh pork loins steady-2.00 higher. Picnics steady-1.00 lower with last test. Boston butts generally 1.00 higher. Fresh hams steady-1.50 lower. Sdls bellies steady-1.00 lower. Trading & demand light to moderate. Sales reported on 57 loads and 43 loads of trimmings and variety meats.

FRESH PORK CUTS

LOINS: 14-17 lbs. 66.00-68.00, steady-2.00 higher; 14-17 lbs. 69.75-71.75 clear channel, next week ship 17-20 lbs. 64.00-65.00, 1.00-2.00 higher; 17-20 lbs. 66.00 clear channel; 20&up lbs. 60.00, steady w/last test.

PICNICS: 4-8 lbs. 36.50; 50-1.00 lwr. than last test; 8&up lbs. 37.00, steady w/last test.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs. 49.00, generally 1.00 hghr.

SKINNED HAMS: 14-17 lbs. 55.00; 50-1.50 lower; 17-20 lbs. 51.00-52.50, gen. steady-50 lwr.; 20-26 lbs. 47.00-47.75, stdy., inst. 1.00 lwr.

BELLIES, SDLS: 12-14 lbs. 28.00, steady-1.00 lower; 14-16 lbs. 27.00, steady; 16-18 lbs. 26.00-27.00, steady-1.00 lower; 18-20 lbs. 24.00-24.25, steady.

VARIETY MEAT

Skinned Jowls: 20.00 frozen.

Feet, Toes On: 13.50 frozen.

Stomachs, Scalded: lrg. box 16.00.

Salivary Glands: 12.50 T.I.S.

PORK TRIMMINGS

BONELESS PROCESSING PORK (Chemical Lean)

42 pct lean trmmgss. fresh 22.50-23.00; 42 pct chem lean frzn. 21.50-22.50; 72 pct chem lean trmmgss. fresh 55.00-55.50; 72 pct lean trmmgss frzn. 55.00-57.00; 72 pct bnl picnics fresh 64.50; 72 pct bnl picnics frzn. 61.00-65.50, .50-5.00 higher; 85 pct cheek meat fresh 66.00.

Special Calf, Yearling Sale

Tuesday, April 15
Harrisonburg, Va.
Report supplied by VDA

There were 1,602 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: Large Frame No. 1: 405-500 lbs. 82.00-85.00; 505-600 lbs. 76.50-77.00; 605-700 lbs. 65.75-76.50; 705-800 lbs. 63.25-65.25; 805-900 lbs. 58.75-62.50; 905-1000 lbs. 57.75-58.25. Medium Frame No. 1: 405-500 lbs. 87.00; 505-600 lbs. 74.50-81.75; 605-700 lbs. 64.00-70.75; 705-800 lbs. 60.00-65.25; 805-900 lbs. 55.00-60.00; 905-1000 lbs. 55.50-57.75. Small Frame No. 1: 405-500 lbs. 76.00-84.00; 505-600 lbs. 67.50-77.75; 605-700 lbs. 62.50-70.00; 705-800 lbs. 57.50-62.75; 805-900 lbs. 56.50-58.50. Large and Medium No. 2: 405-500 lbs. 76.00-80.00; 505-600 lbs. 63.00-71.50.

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