

THE OLD CARMER'S



JUNE 7-13, 1982

Mackerel sky will lift, by and by.

Hang hammocks outside now NAACP leader Medgar Evers murdered June 12, 1963 Average length of days for the week, 15 hours, 13 munutes World's largest flower (four feet in diameter) bloomed, New York Botanic Gardens, June 8, 1837 Gossamer Albatross, first man-powered aircraft, crossed English Channel June 12, 1979 A writer is rarely so inspired as when he talks about himself



Ask the Old Farmer: Evidently the original settlers of Connecticut fancied the word "bury to tag onto the names they chose for their towns, to wit — Danbury, Waterbury, and no doubt many others What is a 'bury"? D L , Hartford

The suffix as it is used in town names, is merely a form of the word

borough, and originally meant "a fortified place" Home Hints It is said that a pickle or lemon eaten at night after you have had coffee will prevent sleeplessness

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: Week is cloudy and cool, with showers, for weekend, sunny and warm north, showers south

Greater New York-New Jersey. Cloudier and cooler, with rain, through midweek, then sunny and warm, hot muggy weekend Middle Atlantic Coastal: Sunny and warm to begin week, weekend brings partly cloudy skies, a few showers, hot temperatures Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: To start, thundershowers, cooling, rest of week is suiting and hot, then rainy
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Livestock market and auction news

Joliet Cattle Thursday, June 3 Report supplied by USDA

CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 2,700; 5 days last week 3,027, same period a year ago 3,515. Trading moderate for the week. Slaughter Steers ended the week .50 to mostly 1.00 higher. Slaughter Heifers ended the week mostly 1.00 higher. Cows steady to weak.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350 lbs. 75.50-76.00, load Tuesday 76.50. Choice 2-4 1100-1300 lbs. 73.00-75.00, 1000-1100 lbs. 72.00-73.50 Tuesday; 71.50-73.00 Wednesday; 925-1000 lb. 71.00-72.00 Tuesday; 70.00-71.00 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1100-1200 lbs. 71.00-72.00 Tuesday; 70.00-71.50 Wednesday; 900-1100 lbs. 69.00-71.50. Choice 2 1560 lbs. 64.00 Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 900-1050 lbs. 70.00-72.00; 825-900 lbs. 68.00-70.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 67.00-

SLAUGHTER COWS: Cutter & Utility Few Commercial 1-3 40.00-

> Peoria Cattle Thursday, June 3 Report supplied by USDA

Compared to last week Slaughter Steers and Heifers sold .50-1.00 higher. Cows steady to 1.00, instances 2.00 lower. Bulls steady to

1.00 lower. Trade moderate this second cutting 71.00 per ton; Straw post holiday week with broad mixed hay 55.00 ton. Remarksbuyer demand noted on Tuesday in . Very active for a holiday. Cattle response to a late week rally in wholesale beef trade. Wednesday's .. higher. trade turned slow especially on Steers with buyers anticipating the carcass beef prices to trend downward and erase all advance noted the previous week. Majority of receipts mainly Good and Choice Steers and Heifers with average Choice and Prime Steer consignments scarce and poorly tested at midweek. Receipts this week about 2200 compared to 2340

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice, few Prime 2-4 1000-1300 lbs. 71.50-73.50, few lots 1025-1225 lbs. 73.75-74.00. Good and Choice 2-3 1075-1225 lbs. 71.00-72.50. 900-1100 lbs. 68.50-71.00. Good 68.00-70.00, few 65.00-68.00. Holsteins Good and Choice 1-3 1150-1350 lbs. 60.00-62.50. Standard and Good 58.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice, including Prime 2-4 850-1050 lbs. 70.00-72.00, part load 1045 lbs. 72.50. Good and Choice 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 67.00-70.50, largely 68.00-70.00. Good 65.00-69.00.

COWS: Closing sales Utility and Commercial 1-3 41.00-45.00, bulk 42.00-43.00. Cutter 35.00-41.00. Canner and low Cutter 32.00-36.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1200-2000 lbs. 48.00-53.00.

> Valley Livestock Valley Stockyards Athens, Pa. Monday, May 31 Report supplied by auction

Total No. of Head 612. Hay

last week and 2918 a year ago.

market steady. Calf mark Holstein Hfr Calves to 127 50. Veal Caives to 94.00; Vealer Bull Calves 90.00-112.00; Slaughter Calves 62.00-75.00; Grasses &

Feeders 38.00-68.50; Lambs 50.00-68.50; Sheep 8.00-21.00; Hogs, 200-250 lbs. 53.00-60.00; Sows 48.00-54.00; Boars 38.00-46.50; Pigs 16 00-53.00; Heifers 42.00-46.75; Steers medium 38.00-56.00; Steers, feeder 39.00-52.00; Bulls 42.50-53.00; Cows, utility 42.00-44.50; Cows, fat-40 00-44.00; Cows, medium 34.50-37 50, Cows, poor or small 32.00-34 00. Horses to 625.00; Pomes to 240 00,

Goats to 44.00.

New Holland Horse

Monday, May 31 **New Holland Sales Stables** Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 348 head of horses, mules, and ponies Market, lower.

Load of driving III 685.0 1375.00; Load of driving TN, 700.00 900.00.

Better horses 600.00-1010 00. Driving horses 375.00-1250.00, Riding horses 375.00-550 00, Lightweight killers 375.00-500.00, Heavyweight killers 550.00-650.00, .Mares Ponies 45.00-135.00; Pony Colts 15.00-45.00, Geldings 45.00-135.00; Larger ponies 165.00-265 00



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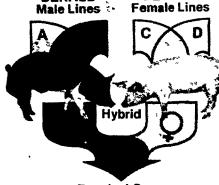
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