


Livestock market and auction news




THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

JULY 12-18, 1982

Here's wishin' you've gone fishin'.

Blueberry picking time now... "Wrong Way" Corrigan left New York for California, arrived in Ireland instead July 17, 1938... Last quarter of the moon July 13 (Tues.)... Average length of days for the week, 14 hours, 58 minutes... Democrats nominated Jimmy Carter for president July 14, 1976... *The girl who can't dance says the band can't play.*



Ask the Old Farmer: I have a map of Windham, Conn., from the 1850s which shows many buildings with the letters "T.H." instead of the owner's name. Do you know what the initials stand for? D.M., Litchfield, Conn. Probably "Taxed House" to indicate a private residence. Some dwellings, such as a parsonage, were not taxed.

Home Hints: When making peanut butter cookies use a meat pounder instead of a fork for the design. Dip the pounder in flour and press down on the round ball of dough.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: Partly cloudy and cool, showers north to start; followed by some clouds, cool temperatures.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Week is sunny, cool, and pleasant.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Clearing and cooler through midweek; rest of week is cool and cloudy, with rain south.

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Clear skies begin week; midweek is hot, cool, with heavy rain, for weekend.

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Carlisle Auction

Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, July 6

Report supplied by auction

CATTLE: Steers steady to 1.50 lower; Heifers steady to 2.00 lower; Cows 3.00 lower (large run of average cows). Steers: Individual at 63.50; Good 58.75-60.75; Standard 56.00-59.00; Utility 53.00-57.25. Heifers: No Choice offered; Individual 57.00; Standard 51.75-55.50. Cows: Utility & Commercial 42.85-45.85; Cutter 41.00-43.00; Canner & Low Cutter 36.10-40.50; Shells down to 33.00. Bullocks: Standard few at 47.50. Bulls: Yield Grade 2, 48.00-50.25 No. 1's offered.

FEEDERS: Light run; No Choice offered. Steers: Prices steady; Medium 525-560 lbs.; 53.00-54.00 Medium 555-615 lbs. 48.00-52.50. Heifers: Steady to 3.00 lower; Medium 540-680 lbs. 39.00-46.00-Good 705 lbs. 57.00. Bulls: Prices 3.00 higher; Good 330-375 lbs. 51.00-56.00; Good 445-465 lbs. 55.00-56.00 Medium 565 lbs. 49.00.

CALVES: Vealers: Steady to 2.00 lower. Choice 90.00-96.00; Good 75.00-90.00; Standard & Good 60.00-75.00; Standard & Good 55.00-65.00. Farm Calves: Prices 15.00 higher. Hol. Bulls 96.00-103.00; Hol. Heifers 88.00-96.00 (down 9.00)

HOGS: Strong demand; very active, prices higher. US No. 1-2, 61.85-64.00. US No. 1-3, 60.00-62.00; US No. 2-3, 50.00-57.50. Sows: US No. 2-3, 50.00-56.00 prices steady. Boars: Prices 5.00 higher 43.75-50.50.

FEEDER PIGS: US No. 1-3 20-37 lbs. 33.00-47.00 Hd. No. 1-3 35-45 lbs. 38.00-46.00 Hd. No. 1-3 55 lbs. 56.00 Hd.

SHEEP: Lambs: Choice, 1 lot at 54.00; Good 43.00-49.00. Goats: 1 Registered Doe at 77.50 Hd.; Average 30.00-41.00 Hd.

East Coast Carlot

Wednesday, July 7

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's close: Prime special fed veal mostly 3.00 higher. Good and Choice Boning Veal steady. Limited sales spring lamb mostly 5.00 higher than last week's bulk.

VEAL CARCASS
380 Head
PRIME
HIDE ON
180-240 lbs. 145.00-150.00, mostly 3.00 higher, bulk 145.00.

BONING TYPE
HIDE-ON
Good & Choice
Northeastern Suppliers: 65-75 lbs. 98.00, all steady; 55-64 lbs. 96.00; 45-54 lbs. 94.00; 35-44 lbs. 92.00; 34 lbs. down 90.00.

Inshipped: No sales reported.
SPRING LAMB CARCASS
4 Loads
Choice & Prime 3-4, compared to last week: All mostly 5.00 higher. 55 lbs. down 135.00; 55-65 lbs. 135.00; 65-75 lbs. 135.00.

BONELESS BEEF
1 Loads
85% chem lean fresh 109.00.
CURED AND PROCESSED MEATS
3 Loads

Semi-boneless Hams: 14-17 lbs. 115.00 steady
No. 1 sliced bacon, vac pac 1 lb. pkg. 139.00 weak.
Franks, 70 Beef, 30 Pork, 1 lb. pack, 87.00 steady.

Morrison Cove Livestock

Martinsburg, Pa.

Tuesday, July 6

Report supplied by Auction

CATTLE 229: High Choice and Prime slaughter steers 68.10-70.10, Choice 64.85-67.50, Good 59.25-62.85, Standard 54.50-60.25, Utility 47.50-54.50. Choice slaughter heifers 65.85-68.10, Good 61.50-65.50, Standard 55.25-60.50, Utility 45.50-55.25. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 47.50-50.25, Cutters 43.50-46.50, Canner and Low Cutters 38.50-42.75, Shells down to 30. Choice slaughter bullocks 58.25-57.50, Standard 51.50-54.50, Utility 45.50-50.25. Yield Grade No. 1, slaughter bulls 51.75-53.75, #2, 49.50-51.75. Feeder Cattle: Choice feeder steers 58.50-60.50, Good 54.50-58.00, Medium 48.50-54.50. Good feeder heifers 58.50-60.25, Medium 45.50-53.50. Good feeder bulls 56.50-59.50, Medium 47.50-52.50.

CALVES 275: Prime vealers 91.50-92.50, Choice 82.50-86.50, Good 76.50-82.50, Standard & Good 110-130 lbs. 65.00-71.50, 90-110 lbs. 58.50-63.50, 70-90 lbs. 45.00-58.50. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 90-120 lbs. 91.50-101.50; Hol. Heifers 90-130 lbs. 82.50-122.50.

HOGS 248: US No. 1-2 200-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 61.50-63.00, No. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 60.50-62.50, No. 2-3 200-240 lbs. 59.50-60.25. US No. 1-3 sows

52.50-54.25, No. 2-3 48.50-52.50. Boars 41.50-48.50.

FEEDER PIGS 66: US No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. feeder pigs 22.50-50.00 per head, No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 50.00-64.00 per head.

SHEEP 2: Utility slaughter lambs 45-60 lbs. 52.00-54.00.

GOATS 11: 19.00-54.00 per head.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, July 8

Report supplied by USDA

Compared with the middle of last week Slaughter Steers .50, instances 1.00 lower. Heifers steady to weak. Cows steady to 1.00 lower. Bulls steady. Demand for Steers and Heifers good on Tuesday, but light on Wednesday. The bulk of Steer and Heifer receipts good to average Choice this week with most Steers in 1000-1125 lbs. weights and Heifers 850-950 lbs. Loads of high Choice and Prime Steers and Heifers were virtually absent in the market this week. Cow supply about 7% of receipts. Receipts this week 2,000 as compared to 2,674 a week ago and 2,570 a year ago.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 2-4, mostly 3 975-1250 lbs. 66.50-68.00. Tuesday with half load 68.25. Wednesday 1050-1200 lbs. 65.50-67.50 and lighter 900-1050 lbs. 65.00-66.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 950-1125 lbs. 64.00-66.00, some to 67.00 on Tuesday. Good 2-3 950-1100 lbs. 62.00-65.00. Good, few Choice 2 1050-1250 lbs. Holsteins 56.50-58.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-4 925-1050 lbs. 65.00-66.00, load 3 1025-1050 lbs. Tuesday 66.50-66.75; 2-3 850-925 lbs. 63.00-65.00. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 850-950 lbs. 62.00-64.50. Good 56.00-62.00.

COWS: Utility, few Commercial 1-3 42.50-46.00, few Utility 1-2 46.50-47.50. Cutter 1-2 40.00-44.00. Canner and low Cutter 37.00-41.00.

BULLS: YG 1-2 1100-2200 lbs. 49.50-54.00.

Valley Livestock

Valley Stockyards

Athens, Pa.

Monday, July 5

Report supplied by auction

Total No. of Head 396. Hay 1 pick up load 55.00.

Holstein Hfr. Calves to 95.00; Veal Calves 70.00-82.50; Vealer Bull Calves 72.00-86.00; Slaughter Calves 62.00-70.00; Grasses & Feeders 38.00-53.00; Lambs 51.00-53.50; Sheep 14.00-20.00; Hogs, 200-250 lbs. 48.00-61.50; Sows 44.00-51.50; Boars 42.00-45.00; Pigs 34.00-41.00; Heifers 42.00-48.75; Steers common 40.00-53.00; Steers feeder 38.50-54.50; Bulls 44.00-49.75; Cows, utility 45.00-48.00; Cows, fat 43.00-46.00; Cows, medium 36.00-38.00; Cows, poor or small 32.00-34.00; Horses to 415.00; Ponies to 210.00; Goats to 15.00-33.00.

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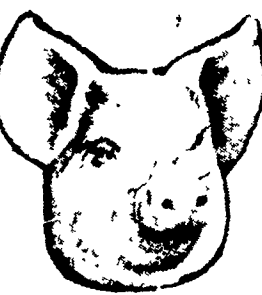
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