

Livestock market and auction news



THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

DEC. 27, 1982-JAN. 2, 1983

In 1982 no more to tell; a snowy farewell. Make New Year's resolutions now. *Showboat* opened on Broadway Dec. 27, 1927. Full moon Dec. 30 (Thurs.). Total eclipse of the moon Dec. 30 will be visible from U.S. beginning at 5:58 a.m. and ending 6:59 a.m. EST. Battle of Wounded Knee, S.D., Dec. 29, 1890. *Happy New Year and be of good cheer things will be better this year.*



Ask the Old Farmer: For three nights in a row now, raccoons have raided my garbage cans. Short of staying up with a gun, or keeping the garbage indoors, is there any way of discouraging the rascals? ID, Strafford, Vt.
Place a small radio near the cans and leave it playing all night.

Home Hints: To prevent fish from sticking to the pan when frying, sprinkle a little salt in the skillet before placing the fish in it.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: Cold and cloudy with snow north, through midweek, clear cold weekend.
Greater New York-New Jersey: Cold and snowy all week.
Middle Atlantic Coastal: Very beginning of week is cloudy and cold rain and snow south cold midweek then cold, with light snow.
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: To start rain and snow cold temperatures, cloudy and cold snow west over weekend.
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Kesiters Middleburg Livestock Auction

Middleburg, PA

Tuesday, Dec. 21

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 216: Choice slaughter steers 60.00-63.60, Good 57.00-62.10, Standard 52.00-57.00, Utility 45.00-52.00. Choice slaughter heifers 56.00-57.50, Standard 48.00-52.00, Utility 38.00-48.00, Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 36.00-40.75, few at 42.75, Cutters 35.00-38.75, Canner & Low Cutter 32.00-35.00, Shells down to 28.00. Good Slaughter bullocks 52.00-53.75. Yield Grade #1 1200-1965 lbs. slaughter bulls 48.00-50.75, #2 800-1200 lbs. 43.50-48.00.

CALVES 216: Choice vealers 75.00-84.00, Good 62.00-75.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 45.00-60.00. Farm calves, Holstein Bulls 90-120 lbs. 65.00-85.00.

HOGS 541: (Monday, December

20, 1982) US No. 1-2 215-240 lbs. barrows & gilts 58.85-60.35, No. 1-3 210-250 lbs. 58.00-58.85, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 56.50-58.00. US No. 1-3 400-575 lbs. sows 48.00-53.00, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 43.75-48.10. Boars 200-650 lbs. 41.50-51.50.

FEEDER PIGS 280: US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 20.00-28.00 per head, No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. 28.00-45.00, No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 45.00-62.50.

SHEEP 8: Good Woolled Slaughter lambs 42.00-51.00. Few slaughter ewes 16.00-22.00.

Central U.S. Carlot

Thursday, Dec. 22

Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 p.m. report: Steer and heifer carcasses 1.00 higher. Demand and trading moderate to good. Packers bullish on light to moderate supplies.

The gross boxed beef carcass cutout value advanced \$.22 to an estimated \$96.80 per cwt.

Sales reported on 101 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

STEER BEEF

62½ Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 93.00-94.00,

late 94.00, 1.00 higher.
Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 84.00-85.00.
Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 92.00, 1.00 higher.
Choice 2-3 600-900 lbs. 85.00 Hols. Type.
Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 92.00 Hols. Type.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 85.00.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 92.00.

HEIFER BEEF

38½ Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 92.00-93.00,

late 93.00, 1.00 higher.

Choice 3 500-550 lbs. 89.00-90.00,

late 90.00, 1.00 higher.

Choice 3 400-500 lbs. 88.00-89.00,

late 89.00, 1.00 higher.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 84.00-85.00

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 88.00-89.00,

late 89.00, 1.00 higher.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 85.00.

COW CARCASSES

3 Loads

Few loads \$4.00 higher to West Coast. Not established in Midwest on limited supplies.

FOB Omaha Basis

Bkrg Utility 3-4 450/up lbs. 65.50

(West)

Brg Utility 2-3 400/up lbs. 67.50

(West)

FOB Amarillo Basis

Bkrg Utility 3-4 450/up lbs. 66.50

(West)

PRIMAL BEEF CUTS

3 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3

Hinds (S) 145-190 lbs. 104.00.

Good & Choice 2-3

Short Plates 51.00.

BONELESS PROCESSING/ BEEF TRIMMINGS

48 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 108.00-109.00.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 100.00-102.00.

75% Chem Lean Fresh 82.00-83.00.

65% Chem Lean Fresh 67.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 48.00-49.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 50.00 (Boxed)

50% Chem Lean Frozen 49.00-50.00.

FOB Amarillo Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 105.00 late Tuesday.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 98.00 late Tuesday.

Compared to last Friday: Steer and Heifer carcasses \$2.00 to mostly \$3.00 higher. Boxed beef carcass cutout value advanced \$1.78 per cwt. Cow carcasses not established on light supplies.

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: Loins steady to \$1.50 lower. Picnics and Boston Butts steady.

Hams steady to \$3.00 lower. Bellies \$1.00 lower. Trading slow on moderate offerings, demand light.

Sales reported on 58½ loads and 2 loads of trimmings.

FRESH PORK CUTS

LOINS: Regular - 14/dn lbs. 111.00 week-end ship; 14-17 lbs. 106.50 immediate ship, steady; 14-17 lbs. 110.00 week-end ship, steady; 17-22 lbs. 98.00 week-end ship; 17-22 lbs. 93.50-95.00, late 93.50, 1.50 lower; 22/up lbs. 88.00, steady.

PICNICS: 4-8 lbs. 63.00, steady; 8&up lbs. 56.50, steady.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs. 99.00, steady.

HAMS (Skinned): 17-20 lbs.

85.50-88.00, steady-1.50 lower; 20-26 lbs. 84.00-85.00, 2.00-3.00 lower.

BELLIES: Sds-Skin on: 12-14 lbs. 75.00, 1.00 lower; 16-18 lbs. 72.00, P1 73.00, 1.00 lower; 18-20 lbs. 66.00, P1 67.00, mostly 1.00 lower; 20-25 lbs. 61.50.

BONELESS PROCESSING/ PORK TRIMMINGS (Chemical Lean)

72% bns picnics frozen 86.00.

For The Week: Loins steady to \$3.50 lower. Picnics and Boston Butts steady to \$2.00 higher. Hams \$2.00-12.50 lower, main decline on 20/dn weights. Bellies \$2.00-5.00 lower. Pork trimmings and boneless processing pork steady to \$2.00 higher.



With warm gratitude, we wish you peace and ask His blessing for you during this Special Season and throughout the New Year!



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WALTER H. RISSER, Proprietor

A Merry Christmas and Prosperous New Year

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Happy Holiday

We're glowing with bright wishes to all our friends and customers. Have the merriest of Christmases!

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