



APRIL 25-MAY 1, 1983 There is still an occasional chill.

Plant seeds now. Zipper patented April 29, 1913 . Maryland became seventh state, April 28, 1788 . . Full moon April 27 (Wed) . . . Average length of days for the week 13 hours, 56 minutes Inauguration of George Washington as first president of the United States, April 30, 1789 . . . Life is like the moon now dark, now full



Ask the Old Farmer: We have heard that years ago people added milk to whitewash to keep it from cracking and being washed away by the weather Could you tell me what proportion of milk to add? E.B., Mentor, Ohio

Mix enough unslaked lime into a gallon of sweet milk to make it thicker than cream, stir in a teacup of turpentine, and put on at once with a paint brush. It will stick to smooth wood. If you want a color, add earth

colors and stir well Home Hints: Paint handles of garden tools bright colors and they won't be so

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST New England: Rain and cold all week, then clearing; showers very

Greater New York-New Jersey: Beginning of week, rain and cold, clearing midweek on; cool with showers to close

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Rain and cold at first, sunny and cool starting midweek, warming at week's end

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Valley Livestock Valley Stockyards Athens, Pa. Monday, April 18

Report supplied by auction Total No. of head 460. Holstein Hfr. Calves to 102.50; Veal Calves to 101.00; Vealer Bull Calves 70.00-95.00; Slaughter Calves 53.00-61.50;

Grassers & Feeders 36.00-58.00;

Sheep 24.50-28.00; Hogs, 200 to 250

42.00-51.50; Sows 42.00-45.50; Boars

38.00-47.50; Pigs each 41.00-53.00; Heifers 39.75-53.00; Steers 46.50-56.00; Steers, feeder 45.00-50.00; Bulls 43.50-55.00; Cows, utility 42.50-45.25; Cows, fat 40.00-44.00; Cows, medium 37.50-42.00; Cows, poor or small 25.00-37.75; Cattle Market strong; Calf Market steady; Ponies to 170.00; Goats 18.00-50.00; Hay 53.00-62.00.

Remarks: Good demand on feeders & medium heifers.

Livestock market and auction news

Central U.S. Carlot

Wednesday, April 20 Report supplied by USDA

Central U.S. Carlot Beef report (includes the major production areas in the Midwest and Texas-Oklahoma Panhandle) as of 4:00

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 P.M. report: Choice steer and heifer carcasses steady but not tested afternoon, good steady to 1.00 lower. Demand light, trading light to moderate on moderate supplies. Most buyers off the market late with a wait and see

The gross boxed beef carcass cutout value decline 1.55 to an estimated 110.44 per cwt.

Sales reported on 91 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

STEER BEEF 64 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 107.00, steady; 600-700 lbs. 106.50-107.50.

Choice 2 600-900 lbs. 107.50-108.00. Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 97.00, steady Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 104.00-105.00, steady-1.00 lower.

Good mostly 2 600-700 lbs. 104.00-

Choice 2-3 600-900 lbs. 98.00 Hols. type 1.00 lower.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 94.00 Hols. type steady.

FOB Amarillo Basis Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 105.00. Choice 4 600-900 lbs. 96.50. Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 105.00. **HEIFER BEEF**

27 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 105.00, steady; 500-550 lbs. 101.00, steady; 400-500 lbs. 99.00, steady.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 97.00.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 101.00-103.00, steady-1.00 lower.

Good mostly 2 600-700 lbs. 103.00-

FOB Amarillo Basis Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 96.50. Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 103.00. COW BEEF 13 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis Bng Utity 2-3 400/up lbs. 77.00-78.00, 2.00-3.00 lower than last week

(Midwest). Cnr & Cutter 1-2 350/up lbs. 80.00-82.00, 3.00-5.00 lower than last week (Midwest).

FOB Amarillo Basis

Bkrg Utlty 3-4 450/up 75.00 (West).

Bng Utlty 2-3 400/up 75.50-77.00 Cnr & Ctr 1-2 350/up 80.50-81.00. BONELESS PROCESSING/

BEEF TRIMMINGS 68 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis 90% Chem Lean Fresh 112.00. 50% Chem Lean Fresh 59.00-61.00, late 59.00.

FOB Amarillo Basis 90% Chem Lean Fresh 113.00. 90% Chem Lean Frozen 113.50-

114.00. 85% Chem Lean Fresh 106.00.

85% Chem Lean Frozen 107.00. Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 p.m. report: Loins steady to firm. Boston Butts steady to 1.00 higher.

Hams steady to 1.00 lower. Bellies 12-16 lbs. steady to 1.00 lower, 16-25 lbs. steady to 1.50 higher. Trading active. Demand moderate for moderate offerings.

Sales reported on 80½ loads and 22 loads of trimmings.

FRESH PORK CUTS LOINS: (Regular) - 14-17 lbs. 95.00; 14-17 lbs. 94.00-95.50, steady; 14-17 lbs. 99.00 next week ship; 17-22 lbs. 93.00-95.00, mostly 93.00-94.00, steady-firm; 22/up 86.50. (Retail Trim) 14-17 lbs. 104.00-105.00, steady.

BOSTON BUTTS: 4-8 lbs. 68.50-70.00, steady-1.00 higher.

SKINNED HAMS: 14-17 lbs. 68.50, .50 lower; 17-20 lbs. 65.00-65.50, mostly 65.00, steady-1.00 lower; 20-26 lbs. 63.00, 1.00 lower.

BELLIES: (Sdls, Skin On): 10-12 lbs. 57.00; 12-14 lbs. 61.50-62.00, steady-1.00 lower; 14-16 lbs. 61.50-62.00, steady-1.00 lower; 16-18 lbs. 60.50, 1.50 higher; 18-20 lbs. 56.00, steady-1.00 higher; 20-25 lbs. 54.00, steady.

BONELESS PROCESSING/ PORK TRIMMINGS (Chemical Lean).

Trimmings Fresh 46.00-46.50, steady-.50 lower.

45% Trimmings Fresh 48.50. 72% Trimmings Fresh 77.00, 1.00 lower.

Bnls Pics Fresh 79.00, steady-.50 higher.

75% Bnls Pics Fresh 80.00-80.75. Skinned Jowls Fresh 36.50, 1.00

88% Blade Meat Frzn 98.50, steady.

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