

Livestock market and auction news



THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

JUNE 20-26, 1983
Keep the rain gear near.

Summer begins June 21 (Tues) at 11.09 p.m. EST General Custer and his soldiers killed in Battle of the Little Big Horn in Sioux Indians War June 25, 1876. Full moon June 25 (Sat). Average length of days for the week, 15 hours, 17 minutes. Bullhead City, Ariz., recorded temperature of 118° F. June 22, 1981. Floyd Patterson first heavyweight in boxing history to regain title when he KO'd Ingemar Johansson June 20, 1960. *A man of words and not of deeds is like a garden full of weeds.*



Ask the Old Farmer: Would you please tell me the way to clean a stained marble-top table? D.B., Bridgewater, Mass

You can remove some spots with hydrogen peroxide with a couple of drops of ammonia added to it. When it stops bubbling, wash and rinse. Other spots can be removed with putty powder which you get from a monument works; mix it with water and let set until it dries, then wash and rinse. To polish the top, sprinkle putty powder on a piece of damp felt, and rub until you get the polish you want.

Home Hints: Soften brown sugar that has hardened by putting it in a pan and heating it slowly over low heat.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: First part of week is clear and warm, for weekend, rainy, turning cool.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Sunny and warm, few sprinkles, cool, rain north, midweek, clear and cool at week's end.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: To start week sunny and warm, showers north, rainy north, cool west, into weekend, sunny and cool, very end.

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Week starts sunny and hot, then rainy north and west, showers southeast, weekend is sunny and cooler.

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PENNSYLVANIA MARKETS

Keister's Auction

Middleburg, Pa.
June 14, 1983

Report Supplied By Auction

CATTLE 277. High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 65.00-66.60, Choice 64.00-66.10, Good 60.00-64, Standard 55.00-60, Utility 48.00-55. Choice slaughter heifers 61.00-62.85, one 70.00, Good 58.00-61.75, Standard 52.00-58, Utility 48.00-50. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 48.00-52.75, few 54.60, Cutters 45.00-51.25, Canner & Low Cutters 42.00-45, Shells down to 38.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 61.00-62.25, Good 58.00-61.00. Yield Grade #1 1200-2300 lbs. slaughter bulls 56.00-60.75, #2 800-1200 lbs. 48.00-55.75. Medium Frame #1 250-800 lbs. feeder steers 55.00-62.50.

CALVES 164. Choice vealers 80.00-95, Good 70.00-80, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 65.00-70, 70-90 lbs. 50.00-65.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90-120 lbs. 80.00-95.

HOGS 542. (Mon. 6-13-83) US No. 1-2 210-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 49.25-50.10, few lots 51.00, No. 1-3 2-250 lbs. 48.50-49.25, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 46.00-48.50. US No. 1-3 400-550 lbs. sows 37.25-41.25, No. 2-3 400-600 lbs. 35.00-37.25. Boars 37.00-38.00.

FEEDER PIGS 194. US No. 1-3 10-20 lbs. feeder pigs 20.00-30 per head, No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. 30.00-40, No. 1-3 40-70 lbs. 40.00-48.50 per head.

SHEEP 46. Choice 60-80 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 60.00-62, Good 50-80 lbs. 45.00-58.00. Slaughter ewes 15.00-35.00.

G&M Livestock

Monday, June 13
Duncansville, Pa.

Report supplied by auction

Dairy Cows: 700.00-860.00 per head.

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: Steers-Good 52.75-65.75; Standard 58.25-62.60; Utility 53.85-58.00. Heifers-Choice 58.35-63.00; Good 54.00-57.00; Standard 48.85-53.50; Utility 44.50-48.75. Cows-Choice 46.35-49.85; Good 43.10-46.25; Standard 43.00-45.22, few at 52.00-53.50; Utility 41.00-43.00. Cannons down to 37.10. Bulls 1634-2118 lbs. 58.10-59.25; 1100-1510 lbs. 56.00-58.35.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers-Choice 414-656 lbs. 58.50-67.00; Medium and Good 476-728 lbs. 52.00-57.00. Heifers-Choice 478-574

lbs. 44.50-53.25; Medium and Good 530-632 lbs. 43.50-47.75.

CALVES: Vealers Prime and High Choice 92.00-96.50; Good and Choice 88.00-91.00; Standard 74.00-85.50; Utility down to 48.50. Farm Calves- Holstein Bulls 90-115 lbs. 80.00-104.00. Heifers- 94.00-110 lbs. 74.50-114.00.

HOGS: Barrows and Gilts 210-230 lbs. 49.25-50.60; 200-270 lbs. 47.75-49.00. Sows- 400-600 lbs. 43.00-47.00; 310-656 lbs. 38.25-43.25. Boars- 33.00-39.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 25-35 lbs. 22.00-28.00 per head; 35-50 lbs. 33.00-39.50.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs 70-80 lbs. 60.00-70.50. Ewes- 12.00-26.00. 1 small lamb at 104.00.

GOATS: Per hd. 9.00-26.00.



DAIRY MARKETS

New Holland Dairy

New Holland Sales Stables
Wednesday, June 15

Report supplied by auction

Reported receipts of 130 cows, 80 heifers and 4 bulls. Market stronger.

Load of NY cows fresh 1000.00-1200.00. Load of Pa. cows fresh 600.00-1100.00. Load of Pa. cows fresh 1030.00-1175.00. Load of

Canada cows fresh 800.00-1100.00; springers 820.00-1030.00. Load of Bradford Co. cows fresh 1160.00-1550.00. Load of Canada cows fresh 860.00-1025.00; springers 675.00-1100.00.

Locally consigned cows 480.00-1200.00.

Springing heifers 650.00-1150.00.

Open heifers 410.00-525.00.

Bulls 335.00-610.00.

Herd dispersal 26 head all stages 480.00-885.00.

Greencastle Market

Greencastle, Pa.
June 6, 1983

Report Supplied By USDA

CATTLE: Butcher Steers-Choice 65.00-66.75; Butcher Steers-Medium-Good 52.00-64.00; Butcher Heifers-Choice 80.00-61.75; Butcher Heifers-Medium-Good 48.00-58.00; Butcher Cows-Utility-Good 45.00-50.00; Butcher Cows-Canner and Cutters 43.00-49.00; Butcher Cows-Shells down to 39.00; Butcher Bulls-Medium-Good 49.00-57.50; Stock Steers-Medium-Good up to 70.00; Stock Heifers-Medium-Good-54.50.

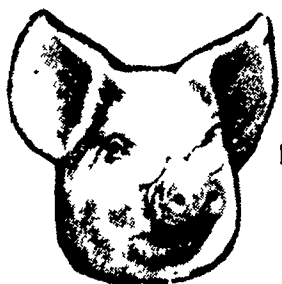
CALVES: Medium-Good Calves-

160-220 lbs. 75.00-90.00; Medium-Good-Calves-125-160 lbs. 65.00-80.00; Medium-Good-Calves-100-120 lbs. 60.00-75.00; Medium-Good Calves-80-100 lbs. 55.00-70.00; Holstein Bull Calves up to 100.00; Holstein Heifer Calves-91.00; Light and Green Calves down to 40.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: Medium-Good Lambs 43.00-58.00.

HOGS: Good-Choice Butcher Hogs 190-225 lbs. 45.00-48.00; Good-Choice Butcher Hogs 225-250 lbs. 47.00-48.00; Good-Choice Butcher Sows 400 lbs., down up to 37.50; Good-Choice Butcher Sows 400 lbs., up 38.00; Heavy Boars 34.00; Pigs-Per Head 21.00-30.00.

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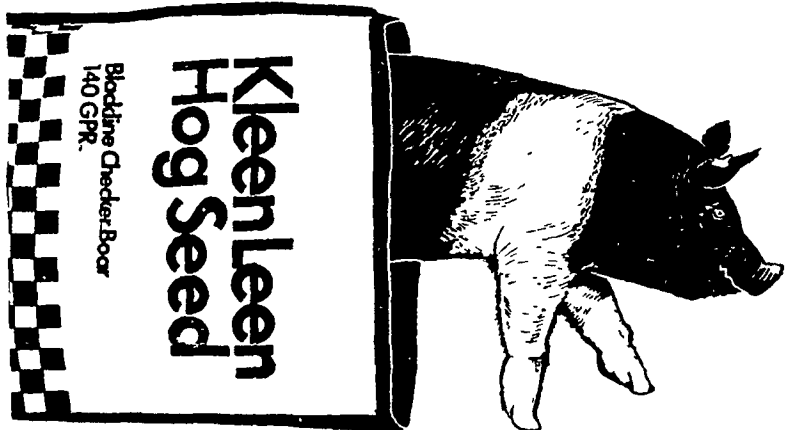
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