


Livestock market and auction news

THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

MAY 21-27, 1984
Showers and seeds fall gently to earth.

Plant corn in blocks, not rows Charles Lindbergh landed in Paris, completing first solo transatlantic flight May 21 1927 Last quarter of the moon May 22 (Tue) Average length of day for the week, 14 hours 52 minutes Hall of Fame pitcher Lefty Grove died May 22 1975 Constitutional Convention began in Philadelphia May 25 1787 *A loafer always has the right time*



Ask the Old Farmer. Can you tell me how to remove plastic bread wrapping that melted on my toaster? Detergents don't seem to work H.G. Waterbury Vt. Soften the plastic by holding an ammonia-soaked cloth pad on the area for a few minutes. Then carefully scrape off the paper with a razor blade

Home Hint: To clean stainless steel wash with detergent then apply mineral oil with a cloth

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: Week starts cloudy and cool with rain north midweek brings heat wave with clear skies end of week arrives with warm temperatures and rain

Greater New York-New Jersey: Rain to start week sunny and hot by midweek, rain and cool by end of week

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Beginning of week warm with showers, clear and hot midweek week ends with showers

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Week begins and ends sunny and warm, midweek clear and hot

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East Coast Carolot
Wednesday, May 16
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's close: Demand good for light supplies of Prime Special Fed Veal; limited sales generally steady. Good and Choice Boning Veal slow as buyers resist higher asking prices for light supplies; no sales reported. Spring Lamb slow, weak undertone. Few sales 75% Chem Lean Boneless 2.00 higher than last week. Beef Trimmings generally steady with last week.

VEAL CARCASS
Prime (Special Fed)
Hide On 75 Head
220-280 lbs. few 185.00, generally steady.

Good & Choice
Boning Type
Hide On

Northeastern Suppliers: No sales reported.
Inshipped: No sales reported.

Boneless Beef
(US & Canadian Origin)
3 Loads
Compared to last week:
75% Chem Lean Fresh 91.00, 2.00 higher.

Beef Trimmings
8 Loads
Compared to last week:
65% Chem Lean Fresh 80.00, generally steady.
50% Chem Lean Fresh 64.00, generally steady.

Keister's Livestock
Middleburg, Pa.
Tuesday, May 15
Report supplied by auction

CATTLE 353: High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 65.00-67.50, Choice 63.50-66.85, Good 58.00-63.50, Standard 50.00-58.00, Utility 45.00-50.00. Choice slaughter heifers 61.00-62.85, Good 55.00-60.75, Standard 50.00-55.00, Utility 42.00-50.00. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 45.00-49.85, few 51.35, Cutter & Boning Utility 44.00-48.85, Canner & Low Cutter 37.00-44.00, Shells down to 32.00. Good slaughter bullocks 52.00-58.10. Yield Grade #1 1200-1910 lbs. slaughter bulls 52.00-57.75, #2 800-1200 lbs. 44.00-52.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Medium Frame #1 350-750 lbs. feeder steers 40.00-65.00; Medium Frame #1 350-750 lbs. feeder heifers 35.00-50.00; Medium Frame #1 350-750 lbs. feeder bulls 38.00-55.00.

CAVLES 131: Choice vealers 79.00-89.00, Good 65.00-79.00, Standard & Good 90-110 lbs. 60.00-75.00, 60-90 lbs. 50.00-60.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls

85-120 lbs. 60.00-114.00.
HOGS 653: US No. 1-2 210-235 lbs. barrows and gilts 49.75-51.00, few 51.85, No. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 49.00-49.75, No. 2-3 190-270 lbs. 44.00-49.00. US No. 1-3 200-600 lbs. sows 40.00-45.00, few to 50.00, No. 2-3 300-500 lbs. 32.00-40.00. Boars 33.00-37.25.

FEEDER PIGS 153: US No. 1-3 10-25 lbs. feeder pigs at 35.00 per head, No. 1-3 25-50 lbs. 35.00-52.00 per head.

SHEEP 62: Choice 80-100 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 62.00-68.00, Good 30-60 lbs. 45.00-55.00. Slaughter ewes 14.00-30.00 per head.

GOATS 10: 45.00 per head.



Carlisle Livestock Auction
Carlisle, Pa.
Tuesday, May 15
Report supplied by auction

CATTLE: Steers: High Good to Low Choice 59.00-64.25; Good Holsteins 57.00-59.85; Medium 57.00 down. Heifers: Medium 44.00-52.75. Cows: Strong demand; 2.00 higher. High Yield 45.00-48.85; Average 40.00-44.50; Big Middle 37.10-39.35; Fatty Herf to 45.00; Shelly 38.00 down. Fat Bulls: Good 53.00-54.85; Medium 51.50-52.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: Good run with good demand. Steers (300-550 lb.): Active, strong demand for Beef Type. Choice 64.00-71.00; Good 58.00-61.00; Medium 50.00-56.00; Culls 49.00 down. Steers (600-850 lb.): 2.00 higher. Choice 58.00-63.00; Good 55.00-58.00; Medium 54.00 down. Heifers (all weights): Steady. Choice 53.00-55.00; Good

48.00-53.00; Medium 47.00 down. Bulls (all weights): Steady. Good 50.00-53.00; Medium 49.00 down.

VEAL CALVES: 2.00 lower. Choice 90.00-98.00; Good 70.00-90.00; Medium 50.00-75.00; Light/Weak 50.00 down. Farm Bulls: 95.00-103.00; Farm Heifers 65.00-82.00.

HOGS: Barrows & Gilts: Strong demand, 1.00 higher. 210-250 lbs. 47.50-50.50; over 260 lb. 44.00-47.50; 2&3's 39.75-44.00.

SOWS: Over 450 lb. 41.25-46.50; under 450 36.25-42.25; 2 & 3's 36.00-38.00; Boars 32.00-36.25.

FEEDER PIGS (by the hd): (20-30 lbs.) 25.00-31.00 hd. (35-45 lbs.) 41.00-45.00 head. Shoats (by the lb.) to 45.00.

SHEEP: Lambs strong demand for Choice Lambs. Choice 85.00-95.00; Good 58.00-71.00. Ewes 12.00-28.00. Goats (Lg) 30.00-52.00 (hd); Sm./Med. to 28.00 (hd).

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FRIDAY, JUNE 8
ON THE FARM MONTHLY BRED GILT SALE

Sale to Start Promptly at 7:30
Every 4 Weeks

NOTICE

4 Evening Sales June 8, July 16, August 3, and August 31

Located 18 miles south of Lancaster, Pa., 6 miles south of Quarryville, take Rt. 272 to Little Britain, turn north, follow Little Britain Road to Jackson Road, 2nd farm, OR take Rt. 222, out of Quarryville to Cedar Hill Road to Little Britain Road to Jackson Road. Watch for sale arrows.

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20 due between June 13 to 20
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Local Trucker Available
No Hogs Sold On Commission

CHRIST A. BEILER
R.D. 2, Quarryville, Pa
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R.D. 1, Kirkwood, Pa
Abe Diffenbach, Auctioneer
NEXT SALE DATE JULY 6

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