

Livestock market and auction news

THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

OCT. 15-21, 1984

Precipitation — aggravation.

Watch out for chipmunks crossing roads Guggenheim Museum opened Oct 21, 1959 Average length of days for the week, 10 hours, 58 minutes Last quarter of the moon Oct 17 (Wed) First women's golf championship tournament Oct 17, 1894 OPEC oil embargo imposed Oct 20, 1973 American astronomer Harlow Shapley died Oct 20, 1972 He who has no poetry in himself will find poetry in nothing



Ask the Old Farmer: When I was a boy, a long time ago, I was familiar with the expression "Take the rag off the bush," which meant you were good at something. Have you ever heard of it? FTJ, St. Louis, Mo. We have, and it meant to excel at something. It was originally a marksman's term.

Home Hint: Apply a slice of onion to a wasp sting.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: Week begins with rain and cold temperatures, midweek cloudy and cool, end of week cool temperatures and more rain

Greater New York-New Jersey: Sunny start to week, midweek rain and warm, end of week cool, with possible showers

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Clear and warm at beginning of week, through end of week rain with cool temperatures

Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Full week of clear skies and warm temperatures

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G&M Livestock

Monday, Oct. 8
Duncansville, Pa.

Report supplied by auction

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: Steers-Choice 62.00-66.00; Good 54.00-62.00; Standard 48.00-54.00; Utility 42.00-48.00; Heifers- Choice 60.00-64.00; Good 52.00-60.00; Standard 46.00-52.00; Utility 40.00-46.00. Cows- Choice 40.00-43.50; Good 38.00-40.00; Standard 34.00-38.00; Utility 32.00-34.00; Cutters 30.00-32.00; Cannors down to 26.00; Bulls- 1200-1700 lbs. 44.00-52.00, 900-1200 lbs. 42.00-50.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: Steers-Choice 300-600 lbs. 50.00-60.00.

Heifers- Choice 300-600 lbs. 46.00-56.00.

CALVES: Vealers Prime and High Choice 70.00-80.00; good and Choice 50.00-70.00; Standard 40.00-50.00; Utility down to 32.00; farm calves, Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs. 65.00-89.00; heifers 90-120 lbs. 53.00-68.00.

HOGS: Barrows and Gilts 200-240 lbs. 43.00-46.10; 170-300 lbs. 40.00-44.00; Sows 300-600 lbs. 40.00-46.00; Boars 27.00-33.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 25-35 lbs. 12.00-22.00 per head; 35-50 lbs. 22.00-32.00.

SHEEP: Slaughter lambs 80-100 lbs. 50.00-62.50; Ewes 12.00-30.00.

Central U.S. Carlot

Beef Report

Wednesday, October 10
Report supplied by USDA

Compared to Tuesday's 4:00 report: No comparison on steer carcasses but firm undertone late compared to early trading. Heifers steady to mostly \$1.00 lower. Demand and trading light to moderate on moderate supplies but packers firm on offerings.

The gross boxed beef carcass cut-out value declined \$1.30 to an estimated \$96.36 per cwt., 195 loads boxed cuts reported.

Sales reported on 60 loads of steer and heifer carcasses.

Steer Beef

31 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 600-900 lbs. 90.00-91.00, late 91.00, no comparison; 600-700 lbs. 89.50.

Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 90.50.

Good 2-3 600-900 lbs. 87.00.

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 86.00-87.00, mostly 86.50.

Heifer Beef

29 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

Choice 3 550-700 lbs. 89.00-90.00, late 90.00, 1.00 lower; 500-550 lbs. 88.00-89.00, steady-1.00 lower; 400-

500 lbs. 87.00-88.00, steady-1.00 lower.

Choice 2 600-700 lbs. 89.00.

Choice 4 500-700 lbs. 80.00-82.00, mostly 81.00, 1.00 lower.

Good 2-3 550-700 lbs. 83.00-84.00, mostly 84.00, no comparison.

Good 2 & Low 3 600-700 lbs. 84.50.

Cow Beef

12 Loads

Prices steady with last week to West Coast.

FOB Amarillo Basis

Bkrg Utly 2-3 450/up lbs. 69.00 (West).

Bng Utly 1-3 400/up lbs. 71.00 (West).

Cnr & Cutter 1-2 350/up lbs. 71.00 (West).

Primal Beef Cuts

Good and Choice

1 Load

FOB Omaha Basis

Short Plates 54.00.

Boneless Processing Beef

Beef Trimmings

120 Loads

FOB Omaha Basis

90% Chem Lean Fresh 96.00.

90% Chem Lean Frozen 97.00.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 48.00-

49.00, mostly 48.00.

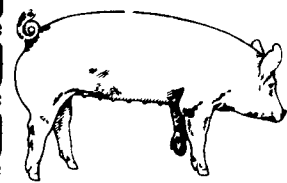
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90% Chem Lean Fresh 96.00.

90% Chem Lean Frozen 97.00.

85% Chem Lean Fresh 90.50.

50% Chem Lean Fresh 49.00.



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ON THE FARM MONTHLY
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Sale to Start Promptly at 1:00 P.M.
Every 4 Weeks

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, right. 2nd farm, OR take Rt. 222, out of Quarryville to Cedar Hill Road to Little Britain Road to Jackson Road, left. Watch for sale arrows.

27 due between Nov. 1-7
27 due between No. 7-18

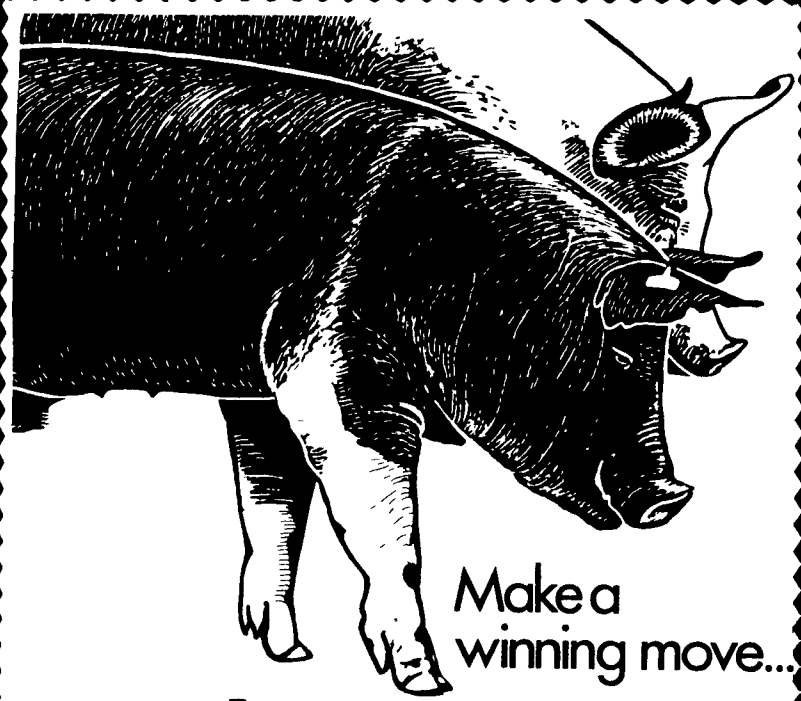
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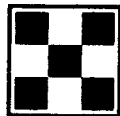
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