

# Livestock market and auction news

## THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

MAY 6-12, 1985

Take time to gaze on these glorious days.

Harden off tomato plants in cold frames now. Average length of days for the week, 14 hours, 22 minutes. Last quarter of the moon May 11 (Sat). Babe Ruth hit his first home run May 6, 1915. Washington attended first inaugural ball in New York City, May 7, 1789. Mothers Day on May 12. The more the years the fewer the tears.



**Ask the Old Farmer:** How can I safely remove old wax and water marks from a marble-topped table? H.S., Center Sandwich, N.H.  
A cream-type silver polish should remove the water spots and rings, or make a paste of salt and lemon juice and scrub the surface of the marble with it then wipe off with a damp cloth.  
**Home Hints** To keep the kitchen drainpipe clear pour 1 cup salt and 1 cup baking soda down it and then a pan of boiling water

### OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

**New England:** Beginning of week sunny and warm, midweek continuing warm with rain, end of week cool with rain.  
**Greater New York-New Jersey:** Through midweek cloudy and warm with light rain end of week cool with rainstorm.  
**Middle Atlantic Coastal:** Clear and hot start to week warm with showers by midweek end of week rain continuing warm.  
**Piedmont & Southeast Coastal:** Full week of hot temperatures and showers.

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### Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.  
Monday, April 29  
Report Supplied by PDA  
CATTLE 228: Compared with last Monday's market, slaughter cows 50 cents to \$1.75 higher. Choice 1100-1400 lbs. slaughter steers 54.50-57.50, Good 49.00-53.50, few Good & Choice holsteins 49.25-52.25, few Standard 43.50-45.25. Few Choice slaughter heifers 54.00-56.25. Breaking Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 39.75-43.10, Cutter & Boning Utility 38.75-41.75, Canner & Low Cutter 35.75-38.75, Shells down to 33.00. Yield Grade No. 1 (few) 1070-2230 lbs. slaughter bulls 47.25-52.25. Few Large & Medium Frame #2 300-700 lbs. steers 53.00-61.00.  
CALVES 221. Few Choice vealers 78.00-86.00, Good 65.00-

75.00, Standard & Good 70-105 lbs. 48.00-56.00, few Utility 60-85 lbs. 40.00-47.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 55.00-77.00.  
HOGS 148: BARROWS AND GILTS \$1-\$2 LOWER. US No. 1-2 215-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 41.80-42.70, No. 1-3 220-250 lbs. 38.85-41.40, No. 2-3 245-285 lbs. 37.00-38.75. US No. 1-3 (few) 430-730 lbs. sows 30.50-38.50. Few Boars 25.00-30.00.  
FEEDER PIGS 94. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. 31.00-42.00 per head, 40-60 lbs. 41.50-50.00 per head.  
SHEEP 16. Good and Choice 25-55 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 67.50-80.00. Few slaughter ewes 15.00-20.00.  
GOATS 16: Few Large Kids 17.50-35.00 per head, few Small Kids 14.00-21.00 per head.

### Penns Valley Livestock

Centre Hall, Pa.  
Tuesday, April 30  
Report supplied by Auction  
Beef Cows: Utility and Commercial 39.00-41.60; Cutters 36.10-38.75; Canners 32.85-36.00; Shells 30.00.  
Heifers: Standard 45.10-47.75; Commercial 35.00-42.00.

Steers: Good 50.00-54.85; Standard 42.00-49.00.  
Bulls: Good 46.50-48.00; Standard 41.00-45.00.  
Feeder Cattle: 300-500 lbs. large frame 42.00-48.00; 300-500 lbs. small frame 40.00-49.00; 500-700 lbs. large frame 47.00-51.00; 500-700 lbs. small frame 42.00-46.00.  
Veal Calves: Choice 74.00-

80.00; Good 65.00-73.00; Standard 51.00-64.00; Utility 45.00-50.00.  
Farm Calves: Bulls 65.00-82.00; Heifers 60.00-94.00.  
Hogs: 38.50-41.50.  
Sows: 30.00-33.50.  
Shoats: 25-30 lbs. per head 22.00-30.00; 30-35 lbs. per head 31.00-42.00; 35-50 lbs. per head 37.00-59.00.  
Goats per head: 15.00-28.00.

### VINTAGE SALES STABLES INC. PARADISE, PA.

### SPECIAL AUCTION OF FEEDER & STOCKER CATTLE FRIDAY, EVE., MAY 17

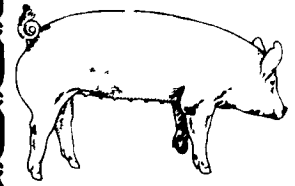
at 7 p.m.  
400-800 Lb. Cattle  
Cows & Calves  
Heifers, Steers & Bulls  
L. Robert Frame, Mrg.  
717-442-4181  
215-458-8518

## PIGS

STATE GRADED SALE  
FRIDAY, MAY 10  
1:30 P.M. at

## Carlisle

LIVESTOCK MARKET, INC.  
Exit 12 Off I-81  
(717) 249-4511 or  
Evenings Jim 249 2359



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Location: Ephrata RD 4. 1 mile N. on North State St., Ephrata.

### COWS COWS COWS SALE EVERY FRIDAY

Lots of good Northern Feeder & Stockers. Slaughter Cows - Bull Steer, Veal-lamb.  
11:00 A.M.-Beef Sale 200-300 each week.  
1:00 P.M.-Dairy Sale.  
7:00 P.M.-Small Animal Sale.  
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WALTER H. RISSER, Proprietor  
All out of state and new buyers must have cash or certified check or current letter of credit from bank.



### ATTENTION FARMERS

EVERY MONDAY  
HATFIELD PACKING CO. and  
MOYER PACKING CO.  
Will Receive Your  
Hogs and Cattle at the  
DANVILLE LIVESTOCK MARKET  
RD 4, Danville, PA

- We will receive your hogs from 8 AM to 12 Noon every Monday. Your hogs will be weighed and paid for immediately.
- We will also accept your sows & boars.
- Your cattle will be received from 12.30 to 5 P.M. We will either pay you for your cattle immediately or you may sell them dressed weight.
- There will not be a commission or yardage fee deducted from your check.
- You may call our office Monday morning and we will be able to tell you the base price for hogs for the day.

MELVIN M. LEHMAN - Owner  
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## SPRAY MATERIALS

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| * ATRAZINE        | * BLADEX    | * PRINCEP   |
| * DUAL            | * BANVEL    | * EXTRAZINE |
| * LASSO           | * LOROX     | * COUNTER   |
| * SUTAZINE        | * TOXAPHENE | * DYFONATE  |
| * ROUND UP        | * PARAQUAT  | * FURADAN   |
| * LASSO- ATRAZINE |             | * LORSBAN   |

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### FRIDAY, MAY 10 ON THE FARM MONTHLY BRED GILT SALE

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.

50 to 60 Head  
Now selling our new hybrid gilts representing mostly York & Hampshire & Landrace cross. Bred for easier & less trouble over farrowing and better weight gains.

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JOHN B. STOLTZFUS  
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Abe Diffenbach, Auctioneer AU225L  
NEXT SALE DATE JUNE 7