

THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

JAN. 19-25, 1987
Starts out raw, then a thaw.

Martin Luther King Jr's Birthday observed Jan 19 Existence of Pluto visually confirmed by C W Tombaugh, Jan 21, 1930 Temperature of -22°F recorded at Akron Ohio, Jan 21, 1985 Last quarter of the moon Jan 22 (Thurs) Average length of days for the week 9 hours, 38 minutes Gold discovered at Sutter's Mill Calif., Jan 24, 1848 *A lie stands on one leg truth on two*



Ask the Old Farmer: I have copper countertops in my kitchen and wonder what is the best way to care for them. I have cleaned them with many products but they seem to darken almost overnight. E B Bangor, Maine
You can polish and clean your countertops using either catsup or Worcestershire sauce or vinegar. After cleaning wipe them with baby oil to help prevent tarnishing.

Home Hints To prevent thread from unraveling knot the end that comes off the spool first.

OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

New England: Beginning of week cold snow south mid through end of week sunny with mild temperatures

Greater New York-New Jersey: Light snow through midweek end of week cloudy with mild temperatures

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Beginning of week rainy snow in mountains midweek cloudy with seasonable temperatures end of week sunny and mild

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Keister's Middleburg Livestock Auction

Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, January 13, 1987

Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 419...PDA...Slaughter Steers and Cows \$1 to \$2 higher. Few High Choice and Prime steers 63.25-64.85, Choice 1050-1500 lbs. 58.60-63.60, Good 53.00-58, few Standard 45-47.50; Good & Choice holsteins 53.00-55, Good 48.00-51.00. Choice slaughter heifers 55.50-60.50, Good 48.00-53.00. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 38.50-42, couple 43.75, Cutter and Boning Utility 36.00-40, Canner and Low Cutter 34.00-36, Shells down to 30.00. Few Good slaughter bullocks 47-51.50. Yield Grade No. 1, 1200-1700 lbs. slaughter bulls 44-52.75. Feeder Cattle: Few Medium Frame No. 1, 350-750 lbs. steers and Bulls 48.00-57.00.

CALVES 166...Choice vealers 81.00-93, one 97.00, Good 67.00-80, Standard and Good 75-100 lbs. 48.00-54, few Utility 65-75 lbs. 35.00-43.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls

100-125 lbs. 90.00-107, Small Frame 90-95 lbs. 50.00-55; Holstein Heifers 90-120 lbs. 48.00-68.00.

HOGS 354...Barrows and gilts about steady. US No. 1, 215-235 lbs. 48.50-49.10, 1-2 210-245 lbs. 47.50-48.50, 1-3 200-250 lbs. 46.50-47.50, 2-4 190-270 lbs. 45.00-46.50. US No. 1-3 290-650 lbs. sows 40.00-43.75, 2-3 300-525 lbs. 37.00-40.00. Boars 30.50-40.50.

FEEDER PIGS 477...US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs. feeder pigs 32.00-45.00, 35-55 lbs. 42.00-52.00 — all per head.

SHEEP 6...Few Choice 75-85 lbs. wool slaughter lambs 80.00-84.00.

GOATS 5...Few Large 39.00-68.00 — per head.

New Wilmington Livestock Auction

New Wilmington, Pa.

Monday, January 12, 1987

Report Supplied by PDA

CATTLE 238...PDA. Compared with last Monday's market: Slaughter cows \$2 to \$2.50 higher. Couple Choice steers, individual's 58.00&58.25, Good 53-57.25, few

Standard 50.25-53.25. Few Choice heifers 55.50-57.75, few Good 49.00-54, few Standard 40.00-46.00. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 39.50-43.25, one 44.00, Cutter & Boning Utility 36-40.75, Canner & Low Cutter 31.00-36, Shells down to 27.00. Standard slaughter bullock, one 47.25. Yield Grade No. 1, 1245-1870 lbs. slaughter bulls 42.00-48.50. Feeder Cattle: Medium Frame No. 1, 315-665 lbs. steers 53.50-59.00. Medium Frame No. 1, 350-500 lbs. heifers 45.00-52.50, Large No. 2, 435-790 lbs. holsteins 41.00-47.50.

CALVES 248...Few Choice vealers 94.00-104, Good 72.00-84, Standard and Good 90-125 lbs. 50-62.50, 65-85 lbs. 30.00-50, Utility 50-60 lbs. 20.00-24.00. Farm Calves: Holstein Bulls 90-130 lbs. 85.00-122.00.

HOGS 402...Barrows and gilts .50 to .75 lower. US No. 1-2 220-255 lbs. 46.75-47.50, 1-3 210-255 lbs. 45.50-47, 2-3 225-280 lbs. 44-45.50, lot 1-3 205 lbs. 43.50. Sows \$1 to \$2 lower. US No. 1-3 300-650 lbs. sows 39.50-46.50. Boars 33.00-38.50.

FEEDER PIGS 8...Lot US No. 1-

3 50 lbs. feeder pigs 39.00 — all per head.

SHEEP 65...Choice and Prime 75-90 lbs. wool slaughter lambs 79.00-83, Lot 110 lbs. 68.00; Lot 80 lbs. new crop lambs 89.00; Good and Choice 50-75 lbs. feeder lambs 67.00-80.00. Slaughter ewes 15.00-22.00.

GOATS 6...No market test.

to 25.00. Yield Grade No. 1, 1000-1700 lbs. slaughter bulls 43-47.25, No. 2, 900-1400 lbs. 39.00-42.50. Feeder Cattle: Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 380-625 lbs. steers 58.00-67.00. Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 400-600 lbs. heifers 45.00-55.00. Medium & Large Frame No. 1, 350-650 lbs. bulls 54.00-65.00.

CALVES 235...Few Choice vealers 84.00-94, few Good 68.00-80, Standard and Good 90-120 lbs. 44.00-58, 60-85 lbs. 40.00-45, few Utility 50-90 lbs. 30.00-38.00. Farm Calves: Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs. 68.00-113.00.

HOGS 54...Barrows and gilts .50 lower. Few Small lots US No. 1-2 240-255 lbs. 48.00-48.75, 1-3 215-245 lbs. 46.00-47.00. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 42.00-46.50. Boars 32.00-36.00.

FEEDER PIGS 10...Lot US No. 1-3 20 lbs. feeder pigs 15.00 — all per head.

SHEEP 60...Choice 90-105 lbs. wool slaughter lambs 71.00-76.00, Good and Choice 60-75 lbs. feeder lambs 65.00-80.00. Slaughter sheep 24.00-30.50.

GOATS 4...10.00-25.00 — per head.



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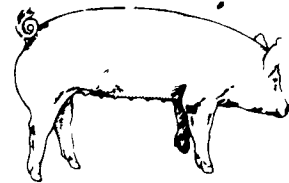
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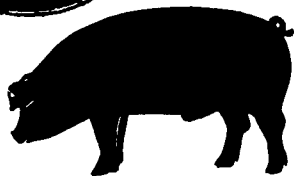
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