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POINSETTIA DAY, DEC. 12.

**RUDOLPH**

Most youngsters think Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer has been around forever... just like Santa Claus. Actually, Rudolph was "born" in 1939 in a Chicago department store! The brainchild of Robert May, an ad copywriter for Montgomery Ward, Rudolph started out as an illustrated poem; 2.4 million copies were handed out nationwide that year. In 1947, Johnny Marks set the poem to music, but no one wanted to record it. Then in 1949 Gene Autry recorded the song, which zoomed to the top of the charts. Three hundred different recordings and eighty million records later, Autry's "Rudolph" is second only to Bing Crosby's "White Christmas" as the best-selling record of all time.



*Rudolph the red-nosed reindeer,  
you'll go down in history!*

**TIP OF THE WEEK**

Don't store soft and crisp cookies in the same container or the crisp cookies will soon become limp.

**EARWISE**

Ionizing type smoke detectors (the majority in home use today) require radioactive material — more than enough to cause cancer if inhaled or ingested. In a fire or through improper disposal, radiation may be released into the environment; an unnecessary risk. Photoelectric smoke alarms use no radioactive materials, are more effective, and give off fewer false alarms. Contact Nuclear Free America at 410-235-3575 if you can't find one locally or for more information

**WILD RICE WITH MUSHROOMS**

- 1/2 cup finely chopped onions
- 1/2 cup butter
- 2 cups sliced mushrooms
- 1 cup uncooked wild rice
- 3 cups chicken broth
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon ground pepper

Sauté onions in butter until soft. Add mushrooms and cook, stirring often, until mushrooms darken. Place onions and mushrooms in a greased 1 1/2-quart casserole, add remaining ingredients, and mix well. Cover; bake at 325° F for 1 hour or until broth is absorbed and rice is tender.

Makes 4 servings.

**The OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST**



**NORTHEAST:** Stormy New England, gale coast; clearing and cold, some light snow.

**SOUTHEAST:** Cold, freezing rain and snow north and coast; sunny and warm Florida; scattered showers.

**MIDWEST:** Seasonable, flurries; turning colder, light snow.

**NORTHWEST:** Seasonable; rain, snow mountains, showers coast; then colder, some showers mountains, heavy rain coast.

**SOUTHWEST:** Sunny and warm, rain and snow mountains; then scattered showers; mild and clear desert.

**Greencastle Livestock**

Greencastle, Pa.

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December 6, 1993

159 SLAUGHTER STEERS 1.00 LOWER.  
HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4, 71.50-73.50; CHOICE 2-3 950-1075 LBS. 66.00-70.00; CHOICE 2-3 1075-1375 LBS. 67.50-71.50; CHOICE 2-3 OVER 1375 LBS. 65.00-69.00; CHOICE 4 ALL WEIGHTS 62.00-66.25; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 950-1100 LBS. 62.00-67.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 1100-1375 LBS. 60.00-66.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 OVER 1375 LBS. 58.00-65.00.  
HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1050-1450 LBS. 60.00-64.00; SELECT 1-2 1050-1450 LBS. 54.00-59.50.  
SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: 66 HD, MARKET 1.00 LOWER. CHOICE 2-3 850-1000 LBS. 65.00-69.00; CHOICE 2-3 1000-1250 LBS. 67.00-72.50; CHOICE 4, ALL WEIGHTS 60.00-64.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 850-1000 LBS. 60.00-65.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2, 1000-1250 LBS. 63.00-67.75.  
HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1000-1350 LBS. 56.00-62.75; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 1000-1350 LBS. 49.00-55.00.  
SLAUGHTER BULLS: 23 HD. MARKET 1.00 HIGHER. YIELD GRADE 1 ALL WEIGHTS 59.00-67.75; YIELD GRADE 2 ALL WEIGHTS 50.00-58.00.  
BULLOCKS: 15 HEAD. CHOICE 1-3 950-1150 LBS. 61.00-64.00; 1150-1375 LBS. 57.00-63.00; SELECT 1-2 950-1250 LBS., 63.00-71.00 AND TO 76.75.

COWS: 335 HD. TREND: STEADY. BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 42.00-46.75; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 44.00-49.00; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 44.00 & DOWN.  
STOCKER & FEEDER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 1140 HD. BEEF TYPES: 200-400 LBS. STEERS 82.00-106.00, BULLS 78.00-101.00, HEIFERS 74.00-94.50; 400-600 LBS. STEERS 75.00-91.50, BULLS 65.00-75.00, HEIFERS 74.00-89.50; 600-800 LBS. STEERS 75.00-86.50, BULLS 60.00-67.50, HEIFERS 70.00-81.00; 800-975 LBS. STEERS 67.00-74.50, BULLS 55.00-61.00; HEIFERS, 65.00-71.00.

190.00; BEEF TYPE BULLS OVER 90 LBS. UP TO 199.00; BEEF TYPE BULLS UNDER 90 LBS. 175.00.  
SHEEP & LAMBS: 72 HD. LAMBS: TREND: STEADY TO WEAKER. CHOICE 80-100 LBS. 70.00-73.00; 100-120 LBS. 60.00-65.00; 120 LBS. AND OVER 50.00-55.00; MEDIUM AND GOOD ALL WEIGHTS 60.00-69.00; LIGHT LAMBS 75.00-86.00.  
SHEEP: EWES LEAN 30.00-40.00; EWES FAT 21.00-26.00; YEARLINGS 40.00-44.00; BUCKS 20.00-25.00.  
GOATS: 131 HD., SMALL 19.00-40.00; MEDIUM 42.00-64.00; LARGE 60.00-105.00 AND TO 131.00.  
HOGS, SOWS & BOARS: 201 HEAD, 1.00 LOWER. HOGS, BARROWS & GILTS: 210-250 LBS. 38.00-40.00; 250-260 LBS. 37.50-39.50; 260-270 LBS. 36.50-39.00; 270-300 LBS. 35.00-39.50.  
LIGHT HOGS: 140-180 LBS. 30.00-35.00; 180-210 LBS. 34.00-36.00.  
SOWS: 1.00 LOWER. GOOD SOWS UNDER 400 LBS. 30.00-34.50; GOOD SOWS UNDER 400 LBS. 31.50-35.00; CULL SOWS ALL WEIGHTS 29.00 AND DOWN.  
BOARS: STEADY TREND. 180-210 LBS. 29.00-32.00; 210-260 LBS. 30.00-32.50; 260-300 LBS. 27.00-29.00; 300 LBS. AND OVER 25.00-27.25.  
SALE EVERY MONDAY AT 2:00 P.M. & EVERY THURSDAY AT 1:00 P.M.  
HAY & STRAW SALE EVERY MONDAY & THURSDAY AT 11:30 A.M.  
SPECIAL FEEDER PIG SALE: SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, AT 1:00 P.M.

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**GOLDEN LEAF TOBACCO CO. INC.**  
**ATTENTION TOBACCO FARMERS**

For the past several months we have worked very hard to get prices up from last year's \$1.09 average. We believe the contracts that were written have already guaranteed our customers a much higher price for this year.

As a major buyer of 609 tobacco in Lancaster Co., GOLDEN LEAF TOBACCO is looking forward to assisting you in keeping a good market for your 609 tobacco.

We will be receiving tobacco Monday to Friday from 8 am to 4 pm. If we can be of any help, please give us a call.

We are located at the same location as last year, 3 miles east of Rt. 222 on Rt. 322 between Hinkletown and Blue Ball. Watch for our sign on the north side of Rt. 322 at the Quality Fencing Warehouse.

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