



JULY 24-30, 1995

PIONEER DAY, UTAH, JULY 24.

**BEST FISHING DAYS**

When the Moon is between New (July 27) and Full (August 10), fishing is improved, some say. Other best fishing times are when the ocean tides are restless before their turn and in the first hour of ebbing. All fish in all waters — salt or fresh — feed most heavily then. An hour before and an hour after the high tide or the low tide is considered optimum. Inland, times for high tides would correspond to the times the Moon is due south. Low tides are halfway between the high tides. When we can get off to go fishing is always a better time than when we can't, although it's not necessarily the best.

*Time and tide wait for no man.*



**THE OLD FARMER'S WEATHER PROVERBS**



*Fish bite the least With wind in the east.*

*When trout refuse bait or fly, There ever is a storm a-nigh.*

*Sea urchins digging in the mud or covering themselves with sand foretell a storm.*

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**TIP OF THE WEEK**

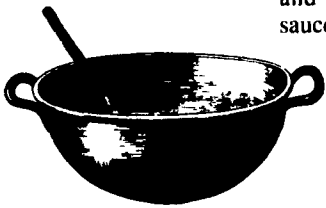
Don't buy a fish that has dim, sunken eyes; dark-colored gills; or that is soft in flesh.

**CREAMED FLOUNDER**

- 2 pounds flounder fillets
- 2 cups thin cream
- 1/2 cup sherry
- salt and pepper to taste
- 1 pound cooked shrimp OR cooked meat from 1 small lobster
- 1/3 cup buttered crumbs

Lay fillets in greased skillet and cover with cream. Add sherry, seasonings, and cook 5 minutes on stovetop. Remove to a baking dish, add shrimp or lobster meat, and bake at 400° F until sauce is thick. Add bread-crumbs and broil, briefly, until bubbly and lightly browned.

Makes 6 servings.



**Mercer Livestock**

MERCER, PA  
JULY 18, 1995

**CATTLE** 174... PDA ..Compared with last Tuesday's sale...steers .50 to 1.50 lower, cows 1.00 to 3.25 lower.  
**STEERS:** Choice 1075/1425 lbs. 63.00-66.50, Select 54.75-62.75, few Standard 45.00-54.00.  
**HOLSTEINS:** Choice 1100/1550 lbs. 57.00-60.00, few Select 52.00-55.75, few Standard 43.00-51.25.  
**HEIFERS:** one Choice 1175 lbs. 61.00, couple Select 52.00 & 56.25.  
**COWS:** Breaking Utility and Commercial 38.00-42.00, one 43.50, Cutter and Boning Utility 30.75-36.25, Canner and Low Cutter 29.00-35.00. Shells down to 22.00.  
**BULLOCKS:** few Choice 1075/1225 lbs. 52.00-56.75.  
**BULLS:** few Yield Grade No. 1 1250/2050 lbs. 44.75-54.75, few No. 2 1050/1475 lbs. 40.50-47.00.  
**FEEDER CATTLE:** **STEERS:** few Medium & Large Frame No. 2 650/875 lbs. 45.00-52.00;  
**HEIFERS:** few Medium & Large Frame No. 1 625/700 lbs. 44.50-50.00; **BULLS:** couple 265 & 395 lbs. 42.00 & 56.00.  
**CALVES** 102...**VEALERS:** Standard and Good 70/100 lbs. 20.00-34.00, Utility 40/75 lbs. 10.00-20.00.

**FARM CALVES:** No. 1 Holstein bulls 120/145 lbs. 60.00-80.00, 95/115 lbs. 70.00-90.00, No. 2 90/115 lbs. 34.00-65.00; few No. 1 Holstein heifers 110/130 lbs. 165.00-175.00, few No. 2 80/130 lbs. 125.00-150.00. Few beef cross bulls and heifers 160/190 lbs. 63.00-85.00, 80/100 lbs. 40.00-105.00.  
**HOGS** 104...Barrows and gilts steady to .50 lower.  
**BARROWS AND GILTS:** US 1-3 220/250 lbs. 44.30-46.25, US 2-3 240/270 lbs. 43.75-44.25, few US 1-3 170/210 lbs. 40.50-44.00.  
**SOWS:** few US 1-3 320/575 lbs. 26.50-29.50.  
**FEEDER PIGS** 0...NO MARKET TEST!  
**SHEEP** 3...**SLAUGHTER LAMBS:** couple Choice 110 & 120 lbs. 75.00.  
**GOATS** 0...NO MARKET TEST!

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**STOCK BULLS AND STEERS** (200-500 LBS.) 50.00-72.50.  
**STOCK HEIFERS:** 55.00-62.50.  
**SLAUGHTER STEERS:** GOOD TO CHOICE 59.00-64.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 54.00-58.50, HEAVY CHOICE

OVER 1450 LB. 58.50-61.75.  
**HOLSTEIN STEERS:** HEAVY 50.00-56.50, LIGHT 42.00-50.00.  
**SLAUGHTER HEIFERS:** GOOD TO CHOICE 58.50-63.00, MEDIUM TO GOOD 53.50-58.00.  
**BULLS:** HEAVY 40.00-51.00, LIGHT 42.00-50.50.  
**COWS:** FEW HIGH DRESSING UP TO 42.50, UTILITY (HOLSTEIN) 35.00-39.00, COMMERCIAL TO GOOD 32.00-37.00, CULL COWS 30.00 AND DOWN.  
**VEALS:** GOOD TO CHOICE 70.00-82.80, MEDIUM TO GOOD 50.00-69.00.  
**BOB CALVES:** 35.00 AND DOWN.  
**HOLSTEIN BULL CALVES —** RETURN TO FARM (90 TO 120 LB.) 60.00-84.00.  
**HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES —** RETURN TO FARM (100 TO 120 LB.) - UP TO 172.00.  
**BEEF CROSS CALVES —** RETURN TO FARM UP TO 108.00.  
**HOGS:** TOP QUALITY 45.00-47.00, HEAVY 39.00-44.00, LIGHT 30.00-38.50.  
**SOWS:** 21.50-26.00.  
**MALE HOGS:** 19.00-24.00.  
**LAMBS** 65.00-81.00; **FEEDER LAMBS** 55.00-75.00.  
**SHEEP** 20.00-27.00.  
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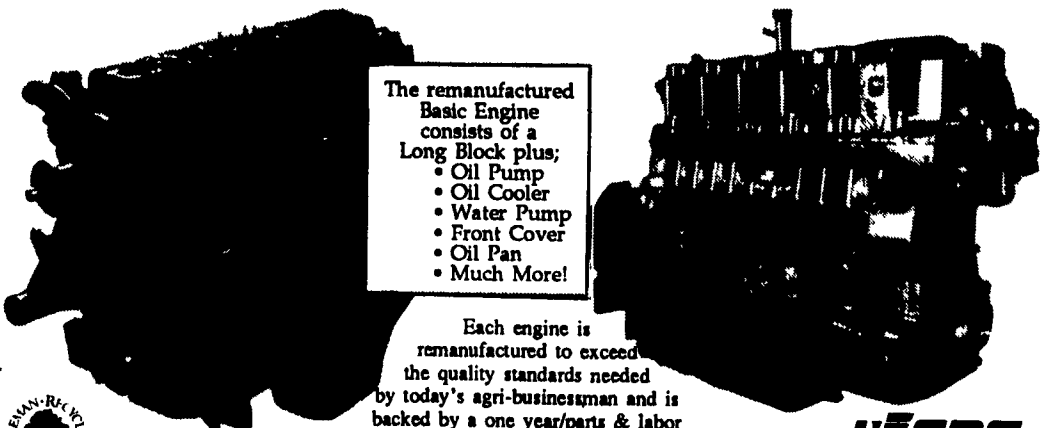
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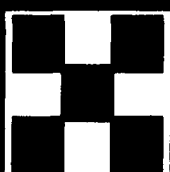
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