



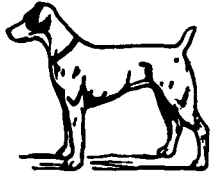
APRIL 29 - MAY 5 1996

FULL FLOWER MOON, MAY 3.

**BE KIND TO ANIMALS WEEK**

The first full week in May (beginning May 5) has been designated by the American Humane Association as a time to appreciate pets and other animals. Dogs and cats go back to ancient times as friends to humans, and both were once worshipped as gods in some societies. Dogs were probably the first domesticated animal, up to 15,000 years ago; the history of cats runs more like 5,000 years. In the 11th century A.D., a dog named Saur was named king of Norway by his master, the real ruler, who was angry with his subjects. Closer to home, Dr. Samuel Johnson fed his favorite cat, Hodge, fresh oysters every day, while Theodore Roosevelt invited the double-toed Slippers to diplomatic dinners

*A cat may look at a king.*



**TIP OF THE WEEK**

When choosing a pet, keep its lifespan in mind. Cats and dogs may live 20 years or more.

**MOXIE "COOKIES"**

These were Moxie's favorite treat. Your dog will love them, too!

- 3-1/2 cups whole wheat flour
- 3 cups rolled oats
- 1/2 cup powdered milk
- 1/2 cup bacon grease
- 2 teaspoons cod liver oil
- 2 eggs
- 1-1/2 cups instant beef gravy



Combine all ingredients into a sticky dough. Drop by tablespoons onto ungreased cookie sheets and bake at 325° F for 50 minutes. Cool on rack and store in plastic bag. Makes about 30 dog biscuits.

**The OLD FARMER'S WEATHER PROVERBS**



*Hoar frost on May 1 indicates a good harvest.*

*Shear your sheep in May, and shear them all away.*

*Don't plant your corn until the oak leaf is as big as a squirrel's ear.*

**Special Offer:** Handy chart full of interesting weather proverbs. Send \$3 to Weather Chart, Dept. UF, The Old Farmer's Almanac, Box 520, Dublin, NH 03444.

**Greencastle Livestock**

Greencastle, Pa.  
Report Supplied by Auction  
April 22, 1996

SLAUGHTER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 392 HEAD. SLAUGHTER STEERS: 110 HEAD, 1.00-2.00 LOWER.

HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 2-4 55.50-58.00; CHOICE 2-3 950-1075 LBS. 53.00-55.00; CHOICE 2-3 1075-1375 LBS. 52.00-56.25; CHOICE 2-3 OVER 1375 LBS. 50.00-54.00; CHOICE 4 ALL WEIGHTS 51.00-54.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 950-1100 LBS. 47.00-53.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2 1100 TO 1375 LBS. 45.00-52.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2, OVER 1375 LBS. 42.00-50.50.

HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1050-1450 LBS. 48.00-51.50; SELECT 1-2 1050-1450 LBS. 40.00-47.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: 24 HEAD, TREND 1.00-2.00 LOWER. CHOICE 2-3 850-1000 LBS. 50.00-53.00; CHOICE 2-3 1000-1250 LBS. 52.00-56.00; CHOICE 4, ALL WEIGHTS, 48.00-53.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2 850-1000 LBS. 42.00-49.00; SELECT AND CHOICE 1-2 1000-1250 LBS. 40.00-48.00.

HOLSTEINS: CHOICE 2-3 1000-1350 LBS. 40.00-46.00; SELECT & CHOICE 1-2 1000-1350 LBS. 37.00-41.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: 51 HEAD, TREND STEADY. YIELD GRADE 1, ALL WEIGHTS 40.00-48.00; YIELD GRADE 2, ALL WEIGHTS, 35.00-39.50.

BULLOCKS: 6 HEAD. CHOICE 1-3 950-1150 LBS., NONE; CHOICE 1-3 1150-1375 LBS. 47.00-49.00; SELECT 1-2 950 TO 1250 LBS. 46.00-50.50.

COWS: 201 HEAD, TREND 1.00 LOWER. BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL 30.00-33.50; CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 29.00-32.50; CANNER & LOW CUTTER 28.00 AND DOWN.

STOCKER & FEEDER CATTLE RECEIPTS: 222 HEAD, TREND

STEADY; GOOD DEMAND. BEEF TYPES 200-400 LB. STEERS 40.00-51.00, BULLS 35.00-45.00, HEIFERS 30.00-36.00; 400-600 LB. STEERS 40.00-53.50, BULLS 35.00-45.00, HEIFERS 30.00-40.00; 600-800 LB. STEERS 42.00-52.50, BULLS 35.00-42.00, HEIFERS 35.00-45.00; 800-975 LB. STEERS 40.00-50.50, BULLS 30.00-36.00, HEIFERS 35.00-42.00.

HOLSTEINS AND DAIRY CROSS: 200-400 LB. STEERS 25.00-35.00, BULLS 25.00-35.00, HEIFERS, NONE; 400-600 LB. STEERS 25.00-33.00, BULLS 24.00-32.00, HEIFERS, NONE; 600-800 LB. STEERS 25.00-32.00, BULLS 24.00-31.00; HEIFERS, NONE; 800-975 LB. STEERS 24.00-31.00; BULLS 22.00-31.00, HEIFERS, NONE.

CALVES: 305 HEAD. WEAKER TREND. CHOICE, 150-300 LBS., NONE; GOOD 150-300 LBS. UP TO 68.00; GOOD, 100-150 LBS. 45.00-60.00; GOOD 80-100 LBS. 35.00-50.00; STANDARD, 80-100 LBS. 30.00-40.00; STANDARD, 80 LBS. 30.00 AND DOWN.

CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, TREND WEAK, 10.00 LOWER. HOLSTEIN BULLS OVER 100 LBS., UP TO 100.00; UNDER 100 LBS., UP TO 97.50; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS, OVER 100 LBS., UP TO 120.00; UNDER 100 LBS., UP TO 115.00; BEEF TYPE BULLS, OVER 90 LBS., UP TO 70.00; BEEF TYPE HEIFERS OVER 90 LBS. 55.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS: 82 HEAD. STEADY TREND. CHOICE, 80-100 LBS. 79.00-95.00; 100-120 LBS. 75.00-90.00; 120 AND OVER 65.00-80.00; FEEDER LAMBS 60-85 LBS. 95.00-125.00; LIGHT LAMBS 120.00-150.00.

GOATS: 118 HEAD, SMALL 15.00-30.00; MEDIUM 30.00-55.00; LARGE 56.00-95.00, FEW BIG BILLIES UP TO 140.00.

HOGS, SOWS AND BOARS: 142 HEAD, TREND 1.00 HIGHER. HOGS,

BARROWS & GILTS: 210-250 LBS. 47.50-50.00; 250-260 LBS. 48.00-50.00; 260-270 LBS. 46.00-48.00; 270-300 LBS. 42.00-44.00.

LIGHT HOGS 140-180 LBS. 25.00-33.50; 180-210 LBS. 33.00-42.00.

SOWS: TREND 2.00 LOWER. GOOD SOWS UNDER 400 LBS. 33.00-36.50, OVER 400 LBS. 34.00-38.00, CULL SOWS, ALL WEIGHTS, 32.00 AND DOWN.

BOARS: STEADY TREND. 180-210 LBS. 28.00-30.00; 210-260 LBS. 29.00-30.50; 260-300 LBS. 28.00-29.00; 300 LBS. AND OVER 27.00-28.50.

SALE EVERY MONDAY AT 2:00 P.M. & EVERY THURSDAY AT 1:00 P.M.

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BROOD COWS, COWS WITH CALVES, STOCK BULLS SOLD APRIL 26 AT 7:15 P.M.

**New Holland Horses**

New Holland Sales Stables  
New Holland, PA

Monday, April 22, 1996

Report Supplied By Auction  
263 HEAD. MARKET STEADY. WORK HORSES 985.00-1800.00. DRIVING HORSES 560.00-900.00. RIDING HORSES 485.00-975.00. BETTER RIDING HORSES 1075.00-1925.00.

REGISTERED RIDING 875.00-1500.00.

KILLERS, 7 HEAD 1000.00-1135.00, HEAVYWEIGHTS 760.00-960.00, LIGHTWEIGHTS 365.00-610.00.

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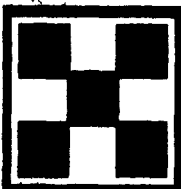
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