### JUNE 24-30, 2002

FULL STRAWBERRY MOON, JUNE 24

## MOLLY PITCHER

une 28 marks the anniversary of the Battle of Monmouth, New Jersey, in 1778, when Mary ULudwig Hays cained the name Molly Pitcher Her husband served as an artillery man in the conflict. In the severe heat and combat activity, the guns and the soldiers needed water to cool them off. Twenty-one year-

old Molly made trip after trip from a nearby spring, responding to the calls of "Molly pitcher!" across the battlefield. Some say that when her husband was tatally wounded. she took up the ramrod and assumed his post for the remainder of the battle. She later remarried in Carlisle Pennsylvania, where she was buried as Mary Hays McCauly A cannon and flag mark her grave

thistles before St. John, you will have two instead of one

> Ram on St John's Day (June 24) damage to nuts

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M OLD FARMER'S

PROVERBY

No war without a woman.

#### TIP OF THE WEEK La Add a little lemon juice to ice water, for a refreshing summer drink.

### CORN CUSTARD (A COLONIAL MAINSTAY)

2 cups corn kernels, fresh or canned (drained) 1/4 cup flour

1 teaspoon sugar 1 teaspoon salt

1/2 teaspoon pepper 3 eggs, beaten

2 cups milk 2 tablespoons butter, melted

reheat oven to 350°F Mix com, with dry ingredients Add eggs, milk, and butter Bake for 50 to 60 minutes in a buttered baking dish (8x8-inch or similar) or casserole dish that's set in a pan of water When a knife inserted in the center comes out clean it's done

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Makes 6



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**New Holland Sales Stables** Report Supplied by Auction Monday, June 17, 2002

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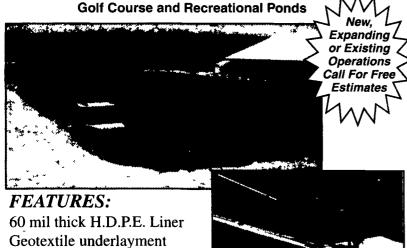
# HAY & GRAIN SALE EVERY MONDAY - 10:00 A.M.

| WED  | JULY 3      | WINROSS, HESS, FARM TRAC. & TOYS | 6 30 PM |
|------|-------------|----------------------------------|---------|
| FRI  | JULY 12     | TRACTORS, FARM EQ & SUPPLIES     | 9:00 AM |
| JUES | JULY 23     | QUILT, CRAFT & BUGGY             | 9.00 AM |
| WED  | JULY 24 (?) | QUILT & CRAFT                    | 9 00 AM |

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### Carlisle Livestock

Carlisle, Pa. Report Supplied by Auction

Tuesday, June 18, 2002 SLAUGHTER CATTLE: ACTIVE! STEERS: 102 HEAD. CHOICE 1100-1485 LBS. 67.00-70.00, 1500-1785 LBS. 60.25-69.00, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 1050-1525 LBS. 64.50-66.75, HOLSTEINS CHOICE 1100-1750 LBS. 55.00-58.00, SELECT 51.00-54.75, RE-TURNED TO FEED 43.50-50.00; HEIF-ERS: 17 HEAD CHOICE 1030-1475 LBS. 66.75-67.75, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 63.50-66.50; COWS ACTIVE! BREAKERS 42.50-45.75, BONERS 38.75-44.75, LEAN 40.50-44 00, BIG MIDDLE, LOW DRESSING LIGHTS 35 00-39.75, SHELLY TO 34.00; BULLS 1910-2245 LBS. 48.00-60.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STRONG DE-MAND! STEERS MED. AND LARGE +N1 400-600 LBS. 88.00-96.00, HOL-STEINS, DAIRY TYPES 400-1050 LBS. 48.00-64.00; HEIFERS MED. AND LARGE +N1 400-675 LBS. 69.50-81.00; BULLS MED. AND LARGE +N1 450-600 LBS. 70.00-73.00.

CALVES: RETURNING TO THE FARM, HOLSTEIN BULLS +N1 85-130 LBS. 125.00-140.00, HOLSTEIN HEIF-ERS +N1 80-125 LBS. 440.00-640.00, X HEIFERS 80-90 LBS. 97.50-120.00.

SWINE: HOGS US+N1-3 220-280 LBS. 32.00-35.00, 1 HOG AT 360 LBS. 17.00; SOWS THIN, WEAK, ROUGH 12.00-18.00; FEEDER PIGS BY THE LB. 16-20 LBS. 150.00, 24-65 LBS. 50.00-85.00, ROASTERS 60-200 LBS. 33.00-41.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 48.00-117.00, FANCY KIDS 52.00-60.00, FLESHY KIDS 40.00-51.00, SMALL AND THIN 5.00-39.00.

LAMBS: CHOICE 40-60 LBS. 114.00-135.00, GOOD AND CHOICE 60-130 LBS. 71.00-91.00.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS TO 34.00. SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY, EGGS, 6 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK STARTING WITH CALVES: SPECIAL FAT CATTLE SALE TUES., JULY 9; SPECIAL FEED-ER CATTLE SALE TUES., JULY 9; STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRIDAY, JUNE 28, RECEIVING 7 A.M.-10:30 A.M. SALE 1 P.M.; RED CARPET TACK AND HORSE SALE FRIDAY, JULY 19. SALE STARTING AT 7 P.M. WITH TACK. RECEIVING 5 P.M..

SMALL ANIMAL SALE June 18, 2002

RABBITS AND BUNNIES: .00-8.25

CHICKENS: 3.75-5.50. BANTIES: .60-3.00. PIGEONS: 2.25-3.75. PHEASANTS: 20.00-24.00. PEACOCKS: 36.00. **GUINEA PIGS: 3.00-3.25.** TURKEYS 4.75-11.50. DUCKS 6.00-12.50.

PARAKEETS 15.00. ALL ANIMALS SOLD BY THE HEAD. SALE STARTS AT 5 P.M. ALL SOLD BY THE HEAD. SALE STARTS 5 P.M.

### Middleburg **Livestock Auction**

Middleburg, Pa. Tuesday, June 18, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

CATTLE 269...(PDA)...(Supply included 100 steers and heifers, 99 cows, 6 bulls and 64 feeder cattle)...Compared with last week's sale..steers and heifers steady to 1.00 lower, cows 1.50 to 2.50 higher.

STEERS: Choice 2-3 1090-1405 lbs 63.25-68.00, few up to 69.25, Select 1-3 61.75-65.50, Standard 1-2 54.25-60.75.

**HOLSTEIN STEERS: Choice 2-3** 1075-1625 lbs 53.25-58.00, Select 1-2 50.50-54.00, Standard 1-2 46.50-49.50.

HEIFERS: Choice 1-3 1050-1375 lbs 63.00-65.75, few Yield Grade 4 down to 61.00, Standard 1-2 50.25-55.00.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 42.00-46.75, few high yielding up to 50.25, Boners 80-85% lean 39.50-46.00, Lean 85-90% lean 35.00-44.00 mostly 37.25-42.50. Shells 34.50 and down

BULLS: few Yield Grade 1 1180-1750 lbs 57.75-60.25, one 66.75, few Yield Grade 2 1400-1630 lbs 52.75-56.25.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: one Medium 2 485 lbs 72.00, one Large 3 555 lbs 58.00; HEIFERS: one Medium 2 410 lbs 72.00, one Medium 3 495 lbs 51.00; BULLS: few Medium and Large 1 430-450 lbs 80.00, 505-605 lbs 65.00-76.00, 720-940 lbs 57.50-60.50, Medium and Large 2 460-670 lbs 54.50-66.00, 740-990 lbs 54.00-55.00.

CALVES 281...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-115 lbs 40.00-65.00, Utility 65-100 lbs 20.00-32.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 5.00 to 10.00 lower, Holstein heifers steady..No 1 Holstein bulls 90-125 lbs 125.00-150.00 mostly 130.00-145.00, 80-85 lbs 100.00-127.00, No 2 80-130 lbs 75.00-122.00, weaker calves down to 65.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 80-105 lbs 500.00-680.00, No 2 70-105 lbs 200.00-490.00.

Few beef type bulls and heifers 70-80 lbs 125.00-160.00

HOGS 75...Barrows and gilts 1.50-2.00, sows steady. BARROWS AND GILTS: 45-50% lean 230-275 lbs 29.50-31.75, 40-45% lean 285-300 lbs 31.00.

SOWS: 1-3 365-460 lbs 11.50-20.50 mostly 13.00-17.25, 510-580 lbs 18.00-20.00.

BOARS: 225-235 lbs 16.50-20.50. FEEDER PIGS 13...1-3 85-95 lbs 44.00-45.00. -

4.00-45.00. —- per cwt. SHEEP 25...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 25-40 lbs 77.00-95.00, 60-75 lbs 70.00, few Choice 100-105 lbs 60.00. SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 15.00-31.00.

GOATS 38...(All goats sold by the head with weights estimated). Kids: Selection 1 under 20 lbs 20.00, 20-40 lbs 22.00-25.00.

40-60 lbs 35.00-51.00, one 60.00. Selection 2 20-40 lbs 20.00, 40-60 1 b s 32.00-40.00. Yearlings: Selection 2 40-60 lbs 35.00. Nannies: 50-70 lbs 42.00, 70-100 lbs 65.00. Billies: 100-120 lbs 107.00.

### **Lebanon Valley** Livestock

Fredericksburg, Pa. Report Supplied By USDA June 18, 2002

CATTLE 74...(PDA)..Compared with last week's sale...cows steady.

STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1300-1400 lbs 67.75-68.25, few Choice 1-3 1150-1280 lbs 52.00-66.50.

HEIFERS: one Choice 1-3 1310 lbs 67.25.

COWS: few Breakers 75-80% lean 43.00-44.25, Boners 80-85% lean 38.00-42.50, Lean 85-90% lean 33.75-38.00. Shells 32.50 and down.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade 1 1605 & 2110 lbs 54.75 & 55.00, couple Yield Grade 2 840 & 1760 lbs 41.50 & 54.75. FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Large 3

360-510 lbs 49.00-64.00; BULLS: one Large 3 495 lbs 50.00.

CALVES 98...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-120 lbs 50.00-82.00, Utility 55-90 lbs 5.00-35.00.

FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 5.00 to 15.00 lower..No 1 Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs 130.00-147.00, No 2 80-125 lbs 85.00-122.00: few No 1 Holstein heifers 90-105 lbs 400.00-535.00, couple No 2 85 & 90 lbs 100.00 & 190.00.

HOGS 40...Sows 2.50 to 6.00 lower. BARROWS AND GILTS: 40-45% lean 137-320 lbs 11.00-21.50. SOWS: 1-3 410-493 lbs 10.00-17.00, 525-632 lbs 12.50-17.50, Medium 245-415 lbs 1.00-7.00.

BOARS: few 10.00.

FEEDER PIGS 0...NO MARKET

SHEEP 10...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 40-95 lbs 58.00-90.00. SLAUGH-TER SHEEP: 20.00-50.00.

GOATS 2...(All sold by the head with weights estimated). Wethers: couple 55 & 70 lbs 52.00 & 77.00.

#### **Dewart Livestock** Dewart, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction Monday, June 17, 2002 STEERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE. HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE.

GOOD COWS: 38.00-46.00. CANNERS AND CUTTERS: 30.00-38.00.

BULLS: 50.00-56.25.

VEAL: 90-190 LBS. 100.00-650.00; 70-90 LBS. 60.00-10000

HOGS: 30.00-37.00.

SOWS: NONE.

FEEDER PIGS: 36.00-41.00 HEAD.

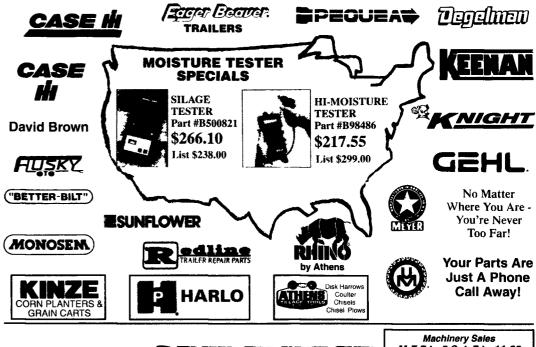
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