



JULY 15-21, 2002
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL, JULY 19

RAIN, RAIN, GO AWAY

St. Swithin's feast day is July 15 and celebrates the Bishop of Winchester, who died in A.D. 862. His last wish was to be buried outside the church so that the "sweet rain of heaven" would fall on his grave. When he was canonized centuries later, church authorities deemed it more proper to bring his remains indoors. It's said that torrential rains followed the transfer, lasting 40 days and giving birth to various weather rhymes such as this one: St. Swithin's Day, if ye do rain, / For forty days it will remain / St. Swithin's Day, if thou be fair, / For forty days, 'twill rain na man.



More rain, more rest.

TIP OF THE WEEK

Put houseplants outside in a warm summer rain to rinse their leaves.

ROASTED CORN IN HUSK

1/2 cup (1 stick) butter
1 teaspoon chili powder (or substitute dill or other milder herbs, if preferred)
12 ears of corn, in husks

broiler rack or foil (to keep husks from direct flames)
Boil or grill until husks turn black.
Lower heat, roast for 5 minutes longer. Husk and serve with chilled butter.

Makes 6 to 8 servings.



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Carlisle Livestock
Carlisle, Pa.
Report Supplied by Auction
Tuesday, July 9, 2002

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS 117 HEAD. CHOICE 1100-1600 LBS. 65.00-69.00, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 60.00-65.25, HOLSTEINS CHOICE 1100-1650 LBS. 52.25-56.75, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 48.75-52.00; HEIFERS CHOICE 975-1300 LBS. 63.00-66.00, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 61.75-62.75; COWS, BREAKERS 40.00-44.50, BONE-RS 35.00-43.00, LEAN 33.25-41.50, SHELLY TO 33.00; BULLS, 1 HOLSTEIN AT 1640 LBS. 53.75.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS, DAIRY TYPES 400-600 LBS. 43.00-76.00, HEIFERS, DAIRY TYPES 400-800 LBS. 49.00-65.00.

CALVES: RETURNING TO THE FARM, HOLSTEIN BULLS +N1 80-130 LBS. 80.00-127.50, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS +N1 90-120 LBS. TO 540.00.

SWINE: HOGS US+N1-3 220-270 LBS. 40.00-41.50, 300-350 LBS. 27.00-33.00; SOWS US+N1-3 300-550 LBS. MOSTLY 14.00-20.50.

FEEDER PIGS: BY THE LB. 20-80 LBS. 30.00-51.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD MEDIUM AND LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 52.00-118.00, FANCY KIDS 49.00-62.00, FLESHY KIDS 35.00-48.00, SMALL AND THIN 13.00-34.00.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 60-130 LBS. 66.00-84.00.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 10.00-58.00. SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR

RABBITS, POULTRY, EGGS, 6 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK STARTING WITH CALVES; SPECIAL FAT CATTLE SALE TUES., JULY 23; SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE TUES., AUG. 6; STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRIDAY, JULY 12; RED CARPET TACK AND HORSE SALE FRIDAY, JULY 19. SALE STARTING AT 7 P.M. WITH TACK. RECEIVING 5 P.M..

SMALL ANIMAL SALE
July 9, 2002

RABBITS AND BUNNIES: .50-4.85.
CHICKENS: 4.25-6.00.
BANTIES: .75-3.25.
PIGEONS: 2.00-2.35.
PHEASANTS: 4.75-5.25.
QUAIL: .40-1.40.
GUINEA PIGS: 5.00.
TURKEYS: 7.50-10.50.
DOVES: 2.00-2.50.
DUCKS 1.50-10.00.

ALL ANIMALS SOLD BY THE HEAD. SALE STARTS AT 5 P.M.
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New Holland Horses
New Holland Sales Stables
Report Supplied by Auction
Monday, July 8, 2002

181 HEAD, MARKET STRONGER. DRIVING HORSES 550.00-1010.00. RIDING HORSES 475.00-1325.00. REGISTERED RIDING 1035.00-1775.00.
BETTER RIDING 1875.00.
PONIES 185.00-575.00.
LARGE PONIES 735.00-875.00.
COLTS 150.00-310.00.


Staunton Weekly Feeder Cattle Sale
Richmond, Va.
July 8, 2002
Report Supplied By USDA
WEEKLY AUCTION at Staunton, July 5 — FEEDER CATTLE: 275 head. Prices per cwt. based on in weights.

STEERS: 115 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 80-85.00; 400-500 lb 77-83.00; 500-600 lb 75-82.00; 600-700 lb 72-79.00.
HOLSTEIN STEERS: 25 head. Med. and Lge. 2: 300-500 lb 57-67.00; 500-700 lb 58.50-67.00.
HEIFERS: 115 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 65-72.00; 400-500 lb 65-73.00; 500-600 lb 66-73.00.
BULLS: 20 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 300-400 lb 80-85.00; 400-500 lb 75-81.00; 500-600 lb 72-77.00; 600-700 lb 65-73.00.

Marshall Weekly Feeder Cattle Sale
Richmond, Va.
July 10, 2002
Report Supplied By USDA
Weekly Auction at Marshall, July 9 — FEEDER CATTLE: 62 head. Prices per hundredweight, based on in weights.

FEEDER STEERS: 25 head. Med. and Lge. 1: 400-500 lb 78-84.75. Small 1: 600-700 lb 60-67.00. Med. and Lge. 2: 70-76.50.
FEEDER HEIFERS: 37 head. Med. and Lge. 2: 300-400 lb 68-71.50; 400-500 lb 70-72.00; 500-600 lb 65-68.00.

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New Holland Dairy Sale
New Holland Sales Stables
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Wednesday, July 10, 2002

283 DAIRY COWS, 303 HEIFERS, 15 BULLS. MARKET STRONGER.

LOCAL FRESH COWS 325.00-1300.00, BETTER 1525.00-1650.00.
LOCAL SPRINGER 610.00-1550.00.
BETTER FRESH COWS 1700.00-2000.00.
LARGE HEIFERS 1625.00-1700.00.
SHORT BRED HEIFERS 610.00-1400.00, 1 AT 1600.00.
OPEN BREEDING AGE HEIFERS 950.00-1250.00.
BULLS: 525.00-735.00, PUREBREDS 435.00-800.00.

HERD 42 ALL STAGES 485.00-1450.00, 1 AT 1675.00.
HERD 100 ALL STAGES 310.00-1200.00, BETTER 1375.00-1500.00.
UPSTATE LOADS FRESH 1200.00-1800.00, 1 AT 1900.00.
CANADIAN LOADS FRESH 975.00-1700.00. FEW AT 1800.00-2000.00.
FRESH HEIFERS 425.00-1375.00, 1 AT 1650.00.
REGISTERED HEIFERS 1300.00-1975.00.
SMALL HEIFERS 910.00-1510.00.
SMALL OPEN HEIFERS 475.00-900.00.
SMALLER OPEN HEIFERS 150.00-385.00.


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