

**September 8-14** **THIS WEEK WITH** **2003**

**SEPTEMBER 10**  
Full Harvest Moon

**SEPTEMBER 12, 13**  
Best days to cut hay

**SEPTEMBER 14**  
Best day to cut hair to discourage growth

**SEPTEMBER 9**  
Admission Day (Calif.)

**The Old Farmer's Almanac**

**National Honey Month**

**Honey-Glazed Acorn Squash**

2 medium acorn squashes  
4 tbsp. butter, melted  
1/4 tsp. salt  
1/4 tsp. ground allspice  
1/4 tsp. ground nutmeg  
1/4 cup honey

**W**innie the Pooh ate his peas with honey. Challah dipped in honey on Rosh Hashanah eve brings a new year of sweetness. Folklore lists honey under remedies for arthritis, asthma, bedwetting, coughs, sore throats, and weight control. The nutritional powers of honey are well documented (although children under the age of one should avoid it). Dreaming about bees has been interpreted as signifying riches or success in business, probably as a result of being "as busy as a bee" in profitable undertakings. Diligence, hard work, eloquence, and wisdom are the bee's domain.

**Preheat oven to 350°F. Wash squash, cut in half, and cut a thin slice from the bottom, if necessary, to make a steady base. Discard seeds and stringy fibers. Place squash in a baking pan with 1/4 inch of water. Mix other ingredients and brush it on the inside of the squash, reserving some for basting. Bake for about 45 minutes, or until tender. basting at least once during cooking. MAKES 4 SERVINGS.**

**WIT AND WISDOM FROM THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC**

- When the corn wears a heavy coat, so must you
- Don't pick parsnips until a couple of frosts have sweetened them

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### New Holland Dairy Sale

New Holland Sales Stables  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Wednesday, September 3, 2003  
180 DAIRY COWS, 204 HEIFERS, 20 BULLS. MARKET STRONGER.  
LOCAL FRESH COWS 625.00-1510.00, few 1575.00-1725.00.  
LOCAL SPRINGERS 810.00-1550.00.  
BETTER FRESH COWS 1600.00-1725.00.  
LARGE HEIFERS 1485.00-1610.00.  
SHORT BRED HEIFERS 710.00-1075.00, FEW 1275.00-1325.00.  
OPEN BREDDING AGE HEIFERS 800.00-910.00.  
BULLS 250.00-560.00, PUREBREDS 375.00-800.00.  
UPSTATE LOADS FRESH 1400.00-1625.00.  
FRESH HEIFERS 810.00-1400.00, 1 AT 1575.00.  
REGISTERED HEIFERS 1325.00-1775.00.  
SMALL HEIFERS 525.00-1385.00.  
SMALL OPEN HEIFERS 485.00-585.00.  
SMALLER OPEN HEIFERS 125.00-350.00.  
3 HERDS ALL STAGES 450.00-1300.00, BETTER COWS 1650.00-1750.00.

### New Holland Horses

New Holland Sales Stables  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Monday, September 1, 2003  
MARKET STRONGER.  
WORK HORSES 410.00-875.00.  
DRIVING HORSES 410.00-850.00.  
RIDING HORSES 385.00-975.00.  
REGISTERED RIDING 735.00-1750.00.  
BETTER RIDING 1025.00-1310.00.  
PONIES 260.00-625.00.  
LARGE PONIES 710.00-775.00.  
COLTS 150.00-285.00.  
REGISTERED COLTS 625.00-700.00.

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### Carlisle Livestock

Carlisle, Pa.  
Report Supplied by Auction  
Tuesday, September 2, 2003

SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS, STRONG DEMAND ON LARGE RUN! HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1255-1475 LBS. 87.75-89.50, CHOICE 1105-1495 LBS. 82.00-87.50, 1500-1585 LBS. 80.00-83.25, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 1065-1505 LBS. 77.75-81.75, SELECT 72.00-77.50, COUPLE NO ROLLS 65.00-71.75, HOLSTEINS HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME 1400-1500 LBS. 77.00-81.75, CHOICE 1055-1555 LBS. 70.00-75.00, SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 1005-1485 LBS. 60.50-69.75; HEIFERS CHOICE 975-1215 LBS. 75.00-83.00, NO HIGH CHOICE OFFERED; COWS, ACTIVE AND STEADY! BREAKERS AND WHITE, NONE OFFERED, BONERS 40.00-46.00, LEAN 35.00-45.00, BIG MIDDLE, LOW DRESSING LIGHTS 33.00-38.75, SHELLY 32.00 AND DOWN; BULLS, ANGUS 1920 LBS. 56.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: FEEDER STEERS, HOLSTEINS, DAIRY TYPES 400-600 LBS. 67.00-79.00; FEEDER HEIFERS, HOLSTEINS, DAIRY TYPES 350-975 LBS. 42.00-62.00; FEEDER BULLS, HOLSTEINS 400-550 LBS. 64.00-68.00.

CALVES: RETURNING TO THE FARM, HOLSTEIN BULLS +N1 90-125 LBS. 110.00-148.00, 80-90 LBS. 44.00-105.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS +N1 85-110 LBS. 380.00-450.00, 75-80 LBS. 120.00-280.00.

SWINE: HOGS US+N1-3 225-285 LBS. 41.00-47.00; SOWS US+N1-3 350-560 LBS. 33.00-40.50; BOARS 380-685 LBS. 6.75-7.75; FEEDER PIGS BY THE LB. 15-17 LBS. 85.00-165.00, 18-22 LBS. 135.00-137.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 49.00-150.00, FANCY KIDS 57.00-80.00, FLESHY KIDS 41.00-56.00, SMALL, THIN 25.00-40.00.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 20-40 LBS. 106.00-140.00, 45-80 LBS. 88.00-126.00, 80-135 LBS. 92.00-110.00.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 36.00-52.00.

SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY, EGGS, 6 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES; SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALE TUES., SEPT. 16; STATE GRADED FEEDER CATTLE SALE SEPT. 16; STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE

FRIDAY, SEPT. 19, RECEIVING 7:30 A.M.-10:30 A.M. SALE 1 P.M. RED CARPET HORSE AND TACK SALE FRIDAY, SEPT. 19, 2003.

Small Animal Sale

September 2, 2003

RABBITS AND BUNNIES 2.00-9.75.  
CHICKENS 1.00-4.00.  
BANTIES TO 1.30.  
PIGEONS 1.20-4.00.  
PHEASANTS 5.00.  
GUINEA PIGS 4.75-5.50.  
TURKEYS 14.00.  
DUCKS 3.00.  
GEESE 5.00-5.50.  
GUINEAS 5.50.

ALL POULTRY SOLD BY THE HEAD. SALE STARTS AT 5 P.M.

### Middleburg Livestock Auction

Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, September 2, 2003

Report Supplied By PDA

CATTLE 313...(PDA)...(Supply included 122 steers and heifers, 124 cows, 16 bulls and 51 feeder cattle)..Compared with last week's sale...sl. steers 2.00 to 4.00 higher, sl. cows steady to 1.50 higher most strength on bulk cows, heifers 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1200-1430 lbs 86.25-90.00, average 87.85, Choice 1-3 1040-1350 lbs 80.25-86.75, average 83.85, Select 1-2 70.25-80.25, few Yield Grade 1 up to 84.50, one Standard 1-2 68.25.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 1105-1385 lbs 75.25-80.00, average 77.75, Choice 2-3 1155-1480 lbs 67.75-74.25, average 71.90, Select 1-2 58.25-67.00, few Standard 1-2 42.50-45.00.

HEIFERS: Choice 1-3 995-1260 lbs 79.00-85.00, few up to 87.75, average 82.65, Select 1-2 73.50-78.75, few Standard 1-2 55.25-60.00.

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 45.75-50.50, one 54.75, low dressing down to 42.00, average 47.10, Boners 80-85% lean 39.00-45.75, average 43.70, Lean 85-90% lean 33.50-40.75 mostly 35.00-39.50, average 37.25. Shells 33.00 and down.

BULLS: Yield Grade 1 1100-1920 lbs 52.75-58.75, one 62.25, average 56.35, Yield Grade 2 1000-1630 lbs 47.00-51.00, average 49.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium and Large 1 550-560 lbs 97.50, few Medium and Large 3 305-515 lbs 45.00-57.50; HEIFERS: Medium and

Large 1 425-525 lbs 73.00-86.00, few Medium and Large 2 520-635 lbs 59.00-66.00, one Medium and Large 3 520 lbs 44.00, one 940 lbs 38.50; BULLS: couple Medium and Large 1 222 lbs 104.00, 490-575 lbs 80.50-85.00, one Large 2 590 lbs 67.00, few Medium and Large 3 440-505 lbs 37.00-50.00.

CALVES 233...VEALERS: Standard and Good 75-135 lbs 40.00-62.00, Utility 65-105 lbs 20.00-35.00. FARM CALVES: Holstein bulls 6.50 to 7.50 lower, Holstein heifers 60.00 to 70.00 higher...No 1 Holstein bulls 90-120 lbs 120.00-165.00, average 146.65, 80-90 lbs 95.00-125.00, No 2 80-125 lbs 50.00-125.00; No 1 Holstein heifers 95-110 lbs 440.00-550.00, No 2 70-115 lbs 100.00-300.00.

One beef cross heifer 100 lbs 50.00.

HOGS 64...Barrows and gilts 1.00 to 1.50 lower, sows 3.00 to 4.00 lower. BARROWS AND GILTS: 45-50% lean 220-280 lbs 35.25-38.25, few 40-45% lean 250-305 lbs 30.00-30.50.

SOWS: 1-3 400-475 lbs 23.50-28.50, 505-585 lbs 25.00-33.25, Medium 270-485 lbs 17.00-20.50.

BOARS: one 515 lbs 5.00, 255-330 lbs 14.00-18.50.

FEEDER PIGS 14...1-3 lbs 30-40 lbs 17.00-25.00 per head.

SHEEP 24...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 45-55 lbs 100.00, few 65-85 lbs 70.00-85.00. SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 20.00-41.00, Yearlings 50.00-65.00.

GOATS 22...(All goats sold by the head with weights estimated). Kids: Selection 2 under 20 lbs 30.00-37.00, 40-60 lbs 52.00-64.00. Nannies: 50-70 lbs 30.00-45.00, 70-100 lbs 53.00-60.00. Billies: 50-70 lbs 65.00, 100-150 lbs 127.00. Wethers: 70-90 lbs 87.00.

### Dewart Livestock

Dewart, Pa.

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Monday, September 1, 2003

STEERS: 55.00-72.00.

HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE.

GOOD COWS: 40.00-49.50.

CANNERS AND CUTTERS: 30.00-40.00.

BULLS: 45.00-55.75.

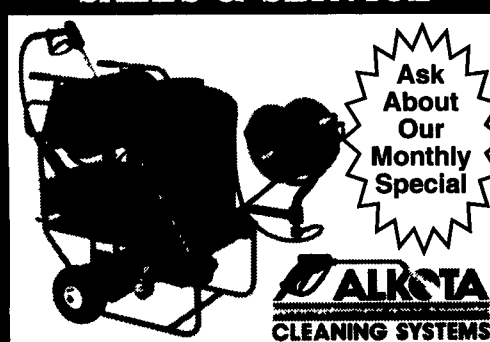
VEAL: 90-190 LBS. 120.00-510.00; 70-90 LBS. 60.00-120.00.

HOGS: 1 PEN AT 42.00.

SOWS: 23.00-25.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 25.00-33.00 PER HEAD.

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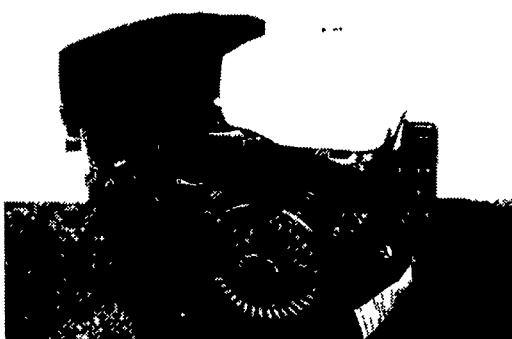
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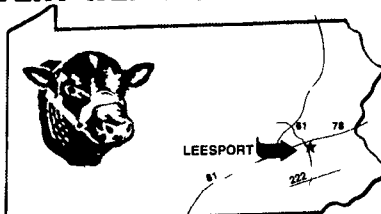
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