


# Livestock market and auction news

## THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

**SEPT. 26-OCT. 2, 1983**  
Days of gold — not too cold.

Apple picking time begins John Jay became first chief justice of United States Sept 26, 1789 Last quarter of the moon Sept 29 (Thurs) Average length of days for the week, 11 hours, 51 minutes  
W H Auden died Sept 28, 1973 Porgy and Bess opened in Boston Sept 30, 1935 Babe Ruth hit 60th home run Sept 30, 1927  
*None is a fool always everyone sometimes*



**Ask the Old Farmer:** We have a cast-iron Dutch oven that keeps rusting up on us. Can we do anything to prevent this? L.J.B., Jacksonville, Fla.  
*After each use give it a quick wash in hot sudsy water, then rinse in hot clear water and wipe with a damp cloth. Dry in the oven or in the open air.*

**Home Hints:** For quick cleaning of a blender, fill the container half full with hot water, add a little dish detergent, and blend for a few seconds then rinse thoroughly.

**OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST**

New England: Rainy and warm for the week, sunny, cold nights for the weekend.  
Greater New York-New Jersey: Week starts sunny and hot midweek mild, thundershowers, sunny and cool for the weekend.  
Middle Atlantic Coastal: First part of week hot, showers, mild remainder of week.  
Piedmont & Southeast Coastal: Hot to midweek, then showers, mild, partly cloudy, unseasonably cool weekend.

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### Morrison's Cove Auction

Monday, September 19  
Report Supplied By Auction

**CATTLE** 282. High Choice & Prime slaughter steers 61.75-64.25, Choice 58.75-60, Good 54.50-58.25, Standard 50.50-52.50, Utility 40.00-45.50. Choice slaughter heifers 54.50-56.25, Good 51.50-53.50, Standard 45.50-48.50, Utility 37.50-43.50. Utility & Commercial slaughter cows 41.50-45.25, Commercial 40.25-42.50, Cutters 38.50-41.50, Canner & Low Cutters 34.50-38.50, Shells down to 25.00. Choice slaughter bullocks 54.50-55.50, Good 50.50-52.50, Standard 44.50-48.50, Utility 40.25-43.50. Yield Grade slaughter bulls 50.50-53.50, #2 38.50-47.50. Choice feeder steers 56.50-73.50, Good 50.25-53.50,

### PENNSYLVANIA MARKETS

55.50, 70-90 lbs. 42.50-48.50, Utility at 35.00. Farm Calves: Hol. Bulls 90-130 lbs. 62.50-91.50; Hol. Heifers 90-130 lbs. 52.50-72.50.  
HOGS 173. US No. 1-2 2-240 lbs. barrows and gilts 48.00-48.75, No. 1-3 2-240 lbs. 47.00-48.25, No. 2-3 2-240 lbs. 45.50-46.50, No. 1-3 270-290 lbs. 44.00-45, No. 2-3 185-195 lbs. 44.00-45.50. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. sows 36.50-39.50, No. 2-3 300-600 lbs. 32.50-36.25. Boars 28.00-29.50, light weights 29.00-32.50.  
FEEDER PIGS 120. US No. 1-3 20-40 lbs. feeder pigs 9.00-17.50 per head, No. 1-3 40-60 lbs. 16.00-22.50 per head.  
SHEEP 35. Choice 90-115 lbs. spring slaughter lambs 47.50-51.50, Good 80-85 lbs. 40.50-45.50, Utility 60-75 lbs. 42.50-44.50. Slaughter ewes 10.00-17.50. Goats 19: 12.00-22 per head.

### Oklahoma Cattle

Wednesday, September 21  
Report supplied by USDA

Trade slow. Demand moderate on cattle under 500 lb., light on cattle over 500 lb. Feeder steers and heifers under 500 lb. steady, over 500 lb. weak to 50 lower, several early 1.00-1.50 lower. Bulk of receipts 500-800 lb. feeder steers and 500-700 lb. feeder heifers. Medium Frame 1 through 2 grades dominant.

**FEEDER STEERS**  
MEDIUM AND LARGE 1: 330-500 lb. 67.00-71.80; 400-600 lb. 59.80-64.00, couple lots 500-550 lb. 64.50-67.40; 600-800 lb. 56.00-57.50, few early 57.00-59.90; 800-900 lb. 54.50-57.20.

**MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME MIXED 1-2:** 375-500 lb. 58.75-65.75, few 66.00-69.25; 500-600 lb. 54.00-58.00; 600-800 lb. 54.00-57.00, late mostly 54.00-56.10; 850-875 lb. 53.40-54.80.

**MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 2:** 500-800 lb. 50.00-55.30.  
**LARGE FRAME 2**  
HOLSTEINS: Pkg 725 lb. 40.70.

**FEEDER HEIFERS**  
MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 1: 350-500 lb. 55.00-58.00, one lot 345 lb. 59.00; 500-600 lb. 51.00-52.60, couple lots 500-525 lb. 54.70-55.00; 600-800 lb. 51.00-53.30.

**MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME MIXED 1-2:** 400-500 lb. 49.30-51.80; 500-800 lb. 46.50-50.80.  
**MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 2:** 500-700 lb. 44.00-48.10.

### WEEKLY CATTLE SUMMARY

Trade moderate at best, demand light to moderate with buyers being quality conscious. Compared to last Wednesday, feeder steers under 500 lb. firm to 1.00 higher; heifers under 500 lb. 1.00-2.00 higher. Medium and Large Frame 1 feeder steers and heifers over 500 lb. steady to 50 lower; medium and large frame mixed 1-2 and 2 feeder steers and heifers over 500 lb. unevenly 50-1.50 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 1.00 higher with breaking-utility and commercial 2-3 35.60-39.80; boning-cutter and utility 1-2 34.40-37.40, few 38.30-39.10, Canners and low cutters 28.25-34.60. Slaughter bulls closed 3.00-4.00 lower with YG 1 1400-1700 lb. 46.00-51.00; 1175-1400 lb. 45.00-50.00; few 995-1190 lbs. 40.00-41.00. Salable receipts this week estimated at 18,300 head compared with 20,227 head last week and 18,407 head last year. Majority of receipts consisted of feeder steers and heifers; cows and bulls made up 11 percent of estimated supply.

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12:30 P.M. - Dairy Cows  
7:00 P.M. - Small Animal Sale

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