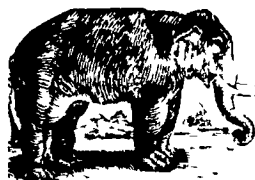


# THE OLD FARMER'S ALMANAC

SEPT. 14-20, 1987  
Plump vines, good wines.

Last quarter of the moon Sept 14 Handel, after working uninterrupted for 23 days, finished his *Messiah* Sept 14, 1741 Jumbo, the elephant, died in a train crash Sept 15, 1885 Cherokee Strip Day in Oklahoma Sept 16 1893 Timmountain, Mass., changed its name to Boston Sept 17, 1630 Elizabeth Barrett eloped with Robert Browning to Paris Sept 19, 1846 Average length of days for the week 12 hours, 25 minutes Romulus born Sept 20, 70 BC *Life is half spent before we know what it is*



**Ask the Old Farmer:** How can I remove candle wax that has dripped deep into the pile of our carpet?  
K M Benton Harbor Mich  
*Scrape lightly to get any lumps off then use a little dry-cleaning fluid on the spots. Blot don't rub or brush the stain. Or you can place a paper bag over the spots and lightly run a hot iron over it. Either will first test in a small, inconspicuous spot if possible to see the effect.*  
**Home Hints** To remove water marks from table tops, rub in mayonnaise and let stand for an hour, wipe clean with a soft cloth

### OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECAST

**New England** Week begins sunny and pleasant possible hurricane near coast midweek end of week clear and warm  
**Greater New York-New Jersey** Week begins partly cloudy with mid temperatures possible hurricane midweek end of week cloudy with seasonable temperatures  
**Middle Atlantic Coastal** Beginning of week sunny and mild midweek heavy rain possible offshore hurricane end of week sunny with seasonable temperatures

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### Keister's Livestock

Middleburg, Pa.

Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1987

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CATTLE 410. HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME SL. STEERS 67-69.50, CHOICE 65.00-68, GOOD 62.00-65, STANDARD 58.00-62, UTILITY 52.00-58.00. CHOICE SL. HEIFERS 62-65.50, GOOD 57.00-62, STANDARD 53.00-57, UTILITY 50-53.00. BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL SL. COWS 45.00-48, FEW 49.00, CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 43.00-46, CANNER & LOW CUTTER 38.00-43, SHELLS DOWN TO 32.00 CHOICE SL. BULLOCKS 55.00-63.00. YIELD GRADE NO. 1, 1200/1700 LBS SL. BULLS 54-56.75, NO 2, 800/1200 LBS 50.00-54.00 FEEDER CATTLE:

MEDIUM & LARGE FRAME NO. 1, 450/750 LBS. 65.00-75.00. HEIFERS 500/750 LBS. 54.00-60.00. CALVES 201. CHOICE VEALERS 91.00-105, GOOD 90.00-96, STANDARD AND GOOD 90/120 LBS. 80.00-95, 70/90

LBS. 70.00-80.00. FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS 95/120 LBS. 90.00-138.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90/110 LBS. 100.00-151.00. HOGS 521. US NO. 1, 215/235 LBS. BARROWS AND GILTS 59.75-62, 1-2 215/245 LBS. 58.75-59.75, 2-3 200/250 LBS. 57.50-58.75, 2-4 190/270 LBS. 51.50-57.50. US NO. 1-3 280/650 LBS. SOWS 47.00-49, FEW 52.00, 2-3 260/575 LBS. 42.00-47.00. BOARS 42.00-45.00. FEEDER PIGS 381. US NO. 1-3 20/30 LBS. FEEDER PIGS 30.00-42.00, 30/40 LBS. 42.00-51.00, 50/60 LBS. 51.00-58.00 — ALL PER HEAD. SHEEP 21. GOOD 75/105 LBS. SPRING SL. LAMBS 66.00-73.00. GOATS 24. LARGE 41.00-71.00 — PER HEAD.

### Lebanon Valley Livestock

Fredericksburg, PA

Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1987

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CATTLE 164 - PDA - COMPARED WITH LAST WEEKS MARKET: SLAUGHTER COWS MOSTLY STEADY TO .75 HIGHER. TWO CHOICE SL STEERS 64.75&65, FEW GOOD 57.50-61.85, GOOD & CHOICE 1210/1645 LBS. HOLSTEINS 55.50-60.85, ONE 61.50, FEW UTILITY & STANDARD 49.25-57.75. FEW CHOICE SL. HEIFERS 61.25-63.85, TWO HIGH CHOICE 63.85&65, TWO GOOD 55&58.25, FEW UTILITY & STANDARD 45.00-52.00. BREAKING UTILITY & COMMERCIAL SL. COWS

46.25-48.50, FEW 51.25, CUTTER & BONING UTILITY 42-46.50, FEW 47.75, CANNER & LOW CUTTER 37.75-41.75, SHELLS 35-37.25, FEW DOWN TO 25.00. FEW STANDARD SL. BULLOCKS 54.50-55.75. FEW YIELD GRADE NO. 1, 1445/1950 LBS. SL. BULLS 56.75-60.00. FEEDER CATTLE: FEW LARGE FRAME NO. 2-3, 195/295 LBS. STEERS 73.00-76.00. FEW MEDIUM FRAME #2&3 210/315 LBS. HEIFERS 63.00-68.00. LOT LARGE FRAME NO. 2, 205 LBS. BULLS 69.00. CALVES 230: VEALERS GRADING STANDARD AND GOOD \$5 TO \$10 HIGHER. FEW CHOICE VEALERS 92.00-97.00, FEW GOOD 71.00, STANDARD & GOOD 80/105 LBS. 77.00-87, 65/75 LBS. 70.00-81, UTILITY 50/70 LBS. 50.00-65, FEW 74.00. FARM CALVES: HOLSTEIN BULLS 95/125 LBS. 91.00-129, FEW 137.00, 85/95 LBS. 85.00-99, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 85/115 LBS. 100.00-129.00, ONE 140.00.

HOGS 171: (SUPPLY INCLUDED ABOUT 35% COWS) BARROWS AND GILTS SMALL SUPPLY UNEVEN. TWO LOTS US NO. 1-2 235&240 LBS 58.60-59.50, 1-3 230/245 LBS. 58-58.85, 2-3 205/235 LBS. 55.00-57, LOT 2-4 285 LBS. 47.00, 1-3 160/198 LBS. 42-48.60. US NO 1-3 275/645 LBS. SOWS 46-49.50, FEW 51.00, FEW MEDIUM 275/315 LBS. 35-43.50. FEW BOARS 38-40.00. FEW BOARS 38.00-40, LIGHT WEIGHTS 45-46.50.

FEEDER PIGS 14: TWO LOTS US NO. 1-3 12/17 LBS. FEEDER PIGS 6 0 . 0 0 & 6 5 . 0 0 — P E R HUNDREDWEIGHT.

### Weston Livestock Market

September 1, 1987

STOCK STEERS: M-1 225-290 87.00-99.00; 291-360 85.00-97.00, 361-430 80.00-85.00; 431-500 72.00-80.00; 501-585 68.00-77.00, 585-700 68.00-75.00; 800 AND OVER 52.00-68.00.  
STOCK HEIFERS: M-1 225-290 72.00-79.00; 291-360 70.00-78.00; 361-430 70.00-75.00; 431-500 65.00-70.00; 501-585 62.00-70.00, 585-700 60.00-68.00; 800 AND OVER 55.00-60.00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: 47.50-51.75  
STOCK BULLS: M-1 225-290 85.00-95.00; 291-360 82.00-91.00, 361-430 78.00-82.00; 431-500 69.00-75.00; 501-585 65.00-71.50, 585-700 62.00-70.00.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: 45.00-50.00.  
SLAUGHTER COWS: HIGH DRESSING: 42.00-46.75; UTILITY: 38.00-42.00.  
CANNERS & CUTTERS: 30.00-38.00.  
VEALS: CHOICE: 72.00-75.00; MED 70.00-74.00; GOODS: 68.00-74.00.

BABY CALVES: BH 50.00-100.00.  
HORSES: CWT. 25.00-38.00  
PONIES: CWT. 15.00-20.00  
MALE HOGS: 38.00-40.00.  
HOGS: 200-250 56.00-57.50; 300-500 42.00-50.00.  
PIGS: BH 17.00-59.00.

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12-23-85	45,914	Over 93% - 9 weeks	Over 90% - 16 weeks	96.3% at 56 weeks
5-08-86	82,845	Over 93% - 2 weeks	Over 90% - 18 weeks	93.4% at 70 weeks
7-21-86	30,688	Over 93% - 4 weeks	Over 90% - 14 weeks	96.1% at 60 weeks
7-30-86	45,715	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
8-29-86	60,160	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
9-08-86	27,900	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
9-17-86	60,160	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
9-17-86	60,160	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
9-22-86	60,160	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
9-24-86	60,160	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
10-1-86	60,160	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
10-21-86	63,308	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
11-25-86	608	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
12-08-86	62,226	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
12-24-86	61,290	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
12-29-86	27,664	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks
1-30-87	85,619	Over 93% - 16 weeks	Over 90% - 20 weeks	95.8% at 59 weeks

Age At 48 lb. Case Weight: 39 Weeks

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Eggs/H.H. At 73 Weeks: 299.6

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