



AUGUST 3-9, 1998  
FULL GREEN CORN MOON, AUG. 7.

**BY THE SILVERY MOON**

What some Native American tribes knew as the Full Green Corn Moon (not to be confused with July's Full Corn Tassel Moon or Ripe Moon), others knew as the Red Moon, for the heat and haze that makes the rising Moon appear reddish. Other names included the Woodcutter's Moon, All Elk Call Moon, and Berries Ripen Even in the Night Moon. Around Lake Champlain and the Great Lakes, where large sturgeon can be caught by fishermen this month, this month's Moon is called the Full Sturgeon Moon.

*The Moon, her face if red be, Of water speaks she.*

- Zuni Indians

**TIP OF THE WEEK**

Take your unsorted photos on vacation with you and update the family albums.

**ROASTED CORN WITH HERB BUTTER**

1 tablespoon chopped fresh herbs (basil, sage, thyme, chives — whatever's fresh!) OR 1 teaspoon powdered chili, paprika, or minced garlic  
1 stick (1/2 cup) butter, softened  
6 large ears corn, with husks on

or grill Roast corn on a baking sheet in the broiler or over the covered grill, turning, until all sides turn black. Keep turning and roasting about 5 minutes, until corn kernels are tender. Peel back husks, without detaching, and serve with chilled herb butter

Makes 6 servings.

Mix herb(s) into softened butter, form into a stick or log, and refrigerate until firm. Sprinkle corn husks with water and preheat broiler



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**THE OLD FARMER'S WEATHER PROVERBS**



None in August should over the land, in December none over the sea.

If the wind be hushed with sudden heat, expect heavy rain.

Lightning in the north in summer is a sign of heat.

Got a Question? Every day, the editors of The Old Farmer's Almanac answer a question on the Internet. All questions are archived there as well as our web site address below

**Four States Livestock**

Hagerstown, Md  
July 29, 1998

Report supplied by Auction

SLAUGHTER COWS: 89 HEAD, STEADY PRICES. UTILITY 35.50-39.00; HIGH DRESSING 40.00-41.50; CANNERS 32.00-36.00; SHELLY 31.00 DOWN.

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FED STEERS: HIGH CHOICE 1100-1350 LBS. 61.50-63.00; LOW CHOICE 57.00-60.50; SELECT 52.00-57.00.

FED HEIFERS: NONE.  
VEAL CALVES: 159 HEAD. 1 CHOICE 190 LBS. AT 69.00; CULLS 85-110 LBS. 23.00-31.00, 60-85 LBS. 18.00-25.00; WEAK/ROUGH 18.00 DOWN.

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NONE; #2 80-110 LBS. 60.00-112.00; BEEF X BULLS 50.00-85.00.

BUTCHER HOGS: #1&3 220 LBS. AT 34.50.

SOWS: 300-500 LBS. 23.00-25.00.

BOARS: 1 370 LBS. 12.00.

STOCK CATTLE: 54 HEAD. STEERS 300-500 LBS. 65.00-70.00; 700-1050 LBS. 50.00-57.00.

HEIFERS: 300-600 LBS. 55.00-65.00; 600-800 LBS. 50.00-57.00.

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GOATS: 1 LARGE THIN BILLY 64.00; MED. FLESHY 35.00-55.00; SMALL 11.00-21.00.

PIGS AND SHOATS: BY THE HEAD, 1 LOT 25 LBS. AT 10.00; BY THE LB. 3 BRED SOWS 300-400 LBS. 24.00-26.00.

**North Jersey Livestock**

Hackettstown, NJ

Report Supplied by Auction  
Tuesday, July 28, 1998

CALVES .02-1.60.

COWS .13-.41%.

EASY COWS .10-33.

FEEDERS 300-600 LBS. .32-.87.

HEIFERS .22%-.57.

BULLS .39%-.64.

STEERS .46-.59.

HOGS .39-.46.

ROASTING PIGS EACH 15.00-18.00.

BOARS .02-.42.

SOWS .02.

SHEEP .13-.60.

LAMBS EACH 20.00-38.00.

LAMBS PER LB. .23-1.02%.

GOATS EACH 45.00-145.00.

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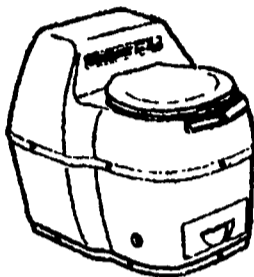
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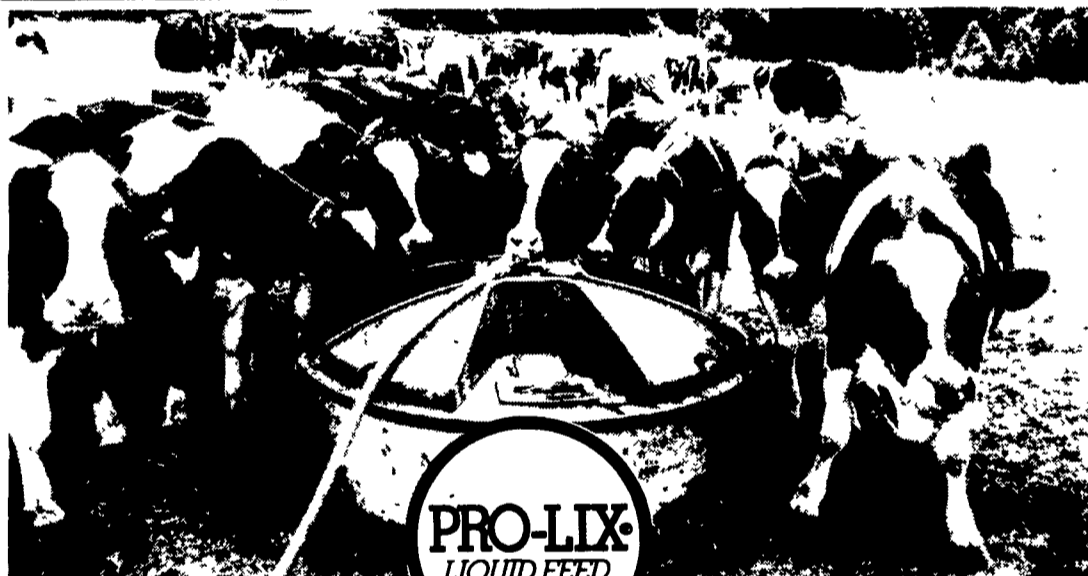
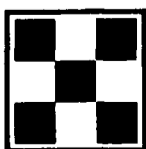
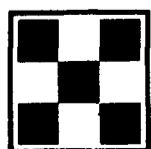
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