

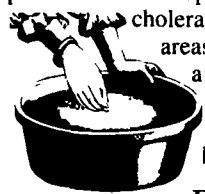


APRIL 7-13, 1997

NEW MOON, APRIL 7.

**WHO?**

This week begins with World Health Day, started in 1948 by who else but the World Health Organization (WHO). First founded as a specialized agency of the United Nations (although not all its members had to belong to the United Nations), WHO has had remarkable success in checking global outbreaks of not only polio but also leprosy, tuberculosis, malaria, and cholera. Much of its work has been in the areas of prevention, improved sanitation and hygiene, and more-effective quarantine precautions. So go wash your hands and give a salute to health and WHO.



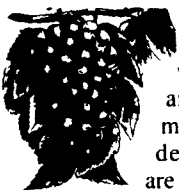
*Prevention is better than cure; or forecast is better than work-hard.*

**TIP OF THE WEEK**

Olive oil is a good skin cleanser for grease, tar, and grimy dirt. Add sugar as an abrasive, if necessary, then rinse.

**CARROTS WITH GRAPES**

- 2 pounds fresh carrots
- 2 teaspoons dried basil
- 1 clove garlic
- 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter
- 1 teaspoon dried chervil
- 1/4 teaspoon celery salt
- 2 cups seedless white grapes, halved
- 2 tablespoons fresh lemon juice



carrots, basil, and garlic, add water to cover, and cook about 20 minutes or until tender. While carrots are cooking, melt butter in a saucepan and add chervil and celery salt. When carrots are cooked, drain, discard garlic. Add carrots and grapes to butter, stir to coat, and heat just until grapes are warm. Serve as a side dish with chicken or turkey.

Makes 12 servings.

Clean carrots and cut into julienne strips. In a saucepan, combine

**THE OLD FARMER'S WEATHER PROVERBS**



*If the sky looks curly, it will rain within three days.*

*"After the rain cometh the fair weather."*

*Rain is something that makes flowers grow and taxicabs disappear.*

*A soft dropping April brings milk to cows and sheep.*

*A cold April the barn will fill.*

**Carlisle Livestock Market**  
Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, April 1, 1997  
Report Supplied by Auction  
SLAUGHTER CATTLE: STEERS, NO HIGH CHOICE AND PRIME OFFERED; CHOICE 66.75-69.50; SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 61.00-66.50; SELECT 54.75-60.75; HOLSTEINS CHOICE 55.00-60.00, SELECT 53.00-54.75, COUPLE COMMERCIAL 40.00-48.00. HEIFERS CHOICE 64.25-68.25; SELECT LIGHTS 56.00-60.00.  
COWS: BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 36.50-39.75; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 34.50-39.00; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 28.00-34.00; BIG MIDDLE 33.00-36.00.  
BULLS: 40.25-45.25.  
FEEDER CATTLE: GOOD DEMAND! FEEDER STEERS MEDIUM AND LARGE #1 400-850 LBS. 62.00-69.00; MEDIUM AND LARGE #2 450-850 LBS. 51.00-60.00; HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 400-750 LBS. 46.00-62.00.  
FEEDER HEIFERS: MEDIUM AND LARGE #1 350-850 LBS. 50.50-62.00; MEDIUM AND LARGE #2 350-850 LBS. 47.00-49.00; HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 41.00-55.00.  
FEEDER BULLS: MEIDUM AND LARGE #1 450-850 LBS. 51.00-59.00.  
CALVES: VEALERS STANDARD AND GOOD 25.00-45.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-125 LBS. 65.00-70.00; #2 85-135 LBS. 47.50-62.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-125 LBS. 100.00-140.00, 80-90 LBS. 77.50-90.00; BEEF X BULLS TO 80.00; BEEF X HEIFERS TO 65.00.  
SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 50.00-50.50, 280-350 LBS. 42.50-49.00; US#2-3 49.00-49.75.  
SOWS: US#1-3 300-550 LBS. 42.00-47.00.  
BOARS: 36.25.  
FEEDER PIGS: BY THE HEAD, 15-25 LBS. 20.00-27.00; 45-85 LBS. 45.50-75.00.  
GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 57.50-117.50; FLESHY KIDS 45.00-55.00; SMALL

KIDS 27.50-38.00.  
LAMBS: CHOICE 40-80 LBS. 130.00-145.00.  
SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 30.00-75.00.  
SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS, 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK, STARTING WITH CALVES.  
THE NEXT SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALES TUES., APRIL 15. SALE TIME APPROXIMATELY 7:30 P.M.  
BARYBIRD PENS FOR CATTLE, COWS AND HOGS CLOSE EVERY TUES. AT 2 P.M. FOR PREMIUM PRICES, USE THESE PENS.  
PEN LOTS OF CATTLE WILL BE SOLD IN ORDER RECEIVED.  
NEXT SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALES TUES., APRIL 15 AND 29, 7:30 P.M. APPROX.  
NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRIDAY, APRIL 11 AND 25. RECEIVING 7-11 A.M. SALE TIME 1:30 P.M.

**Middleburg Livestock**

MIDDLEBURG, PA  
APRIL 1, 1997  
CATTLE 460... PDA ...Compared with last week's sale...slaughter steers steady, cows strong to 2.50 higher.  
SLAUGHTER STEERS: few High Choice and Prime 1360/1500 lbs. 70.75-72.50, Choice 1150/1560 lbs. 65.00-70.00, Select 58.00-66.25, few Standard 54.50-55.50.  
HOLSTEINS: few High Choice and Prime 1430/1550 lbs. 62.75-65.50, Choice 1220/1615 lbs. 59.50-62.25, Select 51.50-57.00, few Standard 45.00-52.25.  
HEIFERS: few High Choice and Prime 1100/1285 lbs. 68.25-69.25, Choice 1150/1240 lbs. 63.50-67.25, few Select 60.00-63.25, few Standard 43.25-47.00.  
COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 39.00-44.00, couple 49.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 34.75-41.25, Canner and Low Cutter 29.25-34.75. Few shells down to 26.00.  
BULLOCKS: one Choice 64.00, one

Select 50.00.  
BULLS: few Yield Grade No. 1 1300/2180 lbs. 46.50-49.50, few No. 2 1080/1520 lbs. 43.25-44.75.  
FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: few Medium & Large Frame No. 1 370/665 lbs. 56.00-67.00, few Medium & Large Frame No. 2 365/630 lbs. 40.00-49.50; HEIFERS: few Medium & Large Frame No. 1 310/880 lbs. 57.00-62.50, few Large Frame No. 2 380/960 lbs. 39.00-50.00; BULLS: few Medium & Large Frame No. 1 575/600 lbs. 60.00-64.00, Medium & Large Frame No. 2 300/560 lbs. 43.00-51.50.  
CALVES 179...VEALERS Standard and Good 75/105 lbs. 27.00-32.00, Utility 60/85 lbs. 10.00-25.00.  
FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 90/120 lbs. 60.00-74.00, couple to 78.00, No. 2 90/125 lbs. 30.00-60.00; few No. 1 Holstein heifers 90/125 lbs. 140.00-152.50, few 75/80 lbs. 105.00-125.00. Few beef cross bulls and heifers 90/100 lbs. 72.00-82.00.  
HOGS 245...(03/31 & 04/01/97)...Bulk of supply sold on Monday and reported by the auction. Barrows and gilts steady.  
BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 220/250 lbs. 49.00-43.50, few to 52.50, US 1-3 220/265 lbs. 47.00-48.50, few to 44.85.  
SOWS: US 1-3 300/625 lbs. 38.50-43.50, few to 46.50.  
BOARS: few 34.50-37.00.  
FEEDER PIGS 154...US 1-3 20/30 lbs. 30.00-33.00, lot 40 lbs. 40.00. --- per head.  
SHEEP 10...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: few Choice 35/60 lbs. 123.00-136.00.  
SLAUGHTER SHEEP: few 32.00-45.00.  
GOATS 8...One Large 63.00, few Medium 43.00-50.00, couple Large Kids 39.00 & 66.00. --- per head.



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