



APRIL 14-20, 1997

TAX DAY, APRIL 15.

NOTABLE NOTEBOOKS

Forget your taxes and celebrate the birthday of Leonardo daVinci, born on April 15, 1452. Besides the Mona Lisa and other major works of art, daVinci left some of the most prolific literary notebooks of any of our great genius minds. There were notebooks on human anatomy, the science of painting, architecture, and mechanics. He also studied and depicted his knowledge in drawings and text on the subjects of hydraulic engineering, botany, geology, and other subjects. The key to all this, according to Leonardo, was simply in "knowing how to see"



As a well-spent day brings happy sleep, so life well used brings happy death.

- Leonardo daVinci

TIP OF THE WEEK

If lightning is near, drop your golf clubs and get off the course.

SAVORY MUSTARD SOLE

- 6 fillets of sole
- 1/4 cup butter, melted
- juice of 1 lemon
- 5 shallots, peeled and finely chopped
- 1/2 cup dry white wine
- 7/8 cup heavy cream
- 2 tablespoons dijon-style mustard
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1/8 teaspoon pepper
- 6 scallions, sliced, including green parts

and pour over fish. Place shallots and wine in a saucepan and boil gently until wine has evaporated. Mix together cream, mustard, salt, and pepper and add to shallots. Bring to a boil and remove from heat. Cool, pour over fish. Sprinkle with scallions. Bake at 425° for 10 minutes or until fish flakes easily.

Makes 6 servings.



Arrange fish fillets full-length in baking dish. Combine butter and lemon juice

The OLD FARMER'S WEATHER PROVERBS



Better April showers than the breadth of the ocean in gold.

- Irish proverb

Rain from the south prevents a drouth, but rain from the west is always best.

If the Sun in red should set, the next day surely will be wet; if the Sun should set in grey, the next will be a rainy day.

Carlisle Livestock

April 8, 1997

SLAUGHTER CATTLE STEERS SELECT AND LOW CHOICE 60.25-66.25; HOLSTEINS SELECT AND CHOICE 50.00-58.50.

COWS: ACTIVE BREAKING UTILITY AND COMMERCIAL 38.00-42.25; CUTTER AND BONING UTILITY 36.25-40.75; CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 29.75-34.00; BIG MIDDLE 34.50-37.50; SHELLY 29.50 AND DOWN.

BULLS: YG#1 44.00-47.75. FEEDER CATTLE: STRONG DEMAND! FEEDER STEERS MEDIUM AND LARGE #1 300-850 LBS. 63.00-79.50; MEDIUM AND LARGE #2 300-850 LBS. 53.50-62.00; HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 44.00-62.00.

FEEDER HEIFERS: MEDIUM AND LARGE #1 300-850 LBS. 55.00-77.00; MEDIUM AND LARGE #2 300-850 LBS. 44.00-52.00; HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES TO 76.00.

FEEDER BULLS: MEIDUM AND LARGE #1 400-850 LBS. 53.50-58.00; HOLSTEINS/DAIRY TYPES 49.00-53.00.

CALVES: VEALERS STANDARD AND GOOD 24.00-47.50; CALVES RETURNING TO THE FARM, ACTIVE. HOLSTEIN BULLS #1 95-125 LBS. 73.00-79.00; #2 85-135 LBS. 50.00-69.00; HOLSTEIN HEIFERS #1 95-125 LBS. 175.00-187.50; BEEF X BULLS 80-120 LBS. 50.00-76.00; BEEF X HEIFERS 80-125 LBS. TO 65.00.

SWINE: HOGS US#1-3 220-270 LBS. 50.00-51.00; SOWS US#1-3 300-600 LBS. 42.25-47.50; THIN/WEAK/ROUGH TO 41.00; BOARS, ALL WEIGHTS 36.00-41.00; FEEDER PIGS ACTIVE. BY THE HEAD 15-30 LBS. 15.00-37.00;

30-50 LBS. 31.00-46.00.

GOATS: BY THE HEAD, LARGE NANNIES AND BILLIES 57.50-90.00; FLESHY KIDS 42.50-65.00; SMALL/THIN KIDS 25.00-40.00.

LAMBS: GOOD AND CHOICE 40-80 LBS. 110.00-150.00.

SHEEP: ALL WEIGHTS 40.00-49.00. SALE EVERY TUES. 5 P.M. FOR RABBITS, POULTRY AND EGGS. 6:30 P.M. FOR LIVESTOCK STARTING WITH CALVES.

NEXT SPECIAL FEEDER CATTLE SALE TUES., APRIL 15 AND 29, APPROX. 7:30 P.M.

NEXT SPECIAL FED CATTLE SALE TUES., APRIL 15. ALREADY CON-SIGNED FOR APRIL 15: 20 HEAD B-BWF STEERS AND HEIFERS 400-600 LBS.; 15 HEAD B-BWF STEERS AND HEIFERS 500-700 LBS.; 20 HEAD HOLSTEIN/ANGUS X STEERS 500-700 LBS.; 18 HEAD HOLSTEIN STEERS APPROX. 500 LBS.

NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALE FRIDAY, APRIL 11 AND 25. SALE TIME 1:30 P.M.

New Wilmington Livestock

NEW WILMINGTON, PA APRIL 7, 1997

CATTLE 174... PDA ...Compared with last week's sale...cows .25 to 2.00 higher. SLAUGHTER STEERS: few Select and Low Choice 1170/1370 lbs. 62.00-68.25, few Standard 52.50-54.75.

HEIFERS: one Choice 1145 lbs. 64.75, few Standard 45.00-49.00.

COWS: few Breaking Utility and Commercial 35.50-40.75, Cutter and Boning Utility 30.25-37.00, Canner and Low Cutter 27.00-31.50. Shells down to 20.00.

BULLS: few Yield Grade No. 1 1375/1640 lbs. 44.50-45.00, few No. 2

1300/1810 lbs. 43.25-44.50.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS: Medium Frame No 1 370/850 lbs. 51.00-63.50, Large Frame No. 2 375/910 lbs. 37.50-45.00; HEIFERS: Large Frame No 2 275/930 lbs. 42.00-55.00, Medium Frame No. 2 400/800 lbs. 35.00-52.00; BULLS: few Medium & Large Frame No. 1 490/980 lbs. 49.75-52.00.

CALVES 174...VEALERS: couple Choice 280/285 lbs. 85.00 & 90.00, few Good 120/145 lbs. 60.00-70.00, Standard & Good 80/130 lbs. 30.00-39.00, Utility 50/85 lbs. 10.00-28.00.

FARM CALVES: No. 1 Holstein bulls 95/120 lbs. 70.00-77.00, 90 lbs. 62.50, No 2 90/120 lbs. 35.00-64.00; few No. 1 Holstein heifers 85/105 lbs. 100.00-140.00, few No. 2 85/120 lbs. 50.00-100.00. Beef cross bulls and heifers 90/130 lbs. 40.00-92.50.

HOGS 304...Barrows and gilts 2.00 to 3.00 higher.

BARROWS AND GILTS: US 1-2 220/250 lbs. 53.00-54.85, US 1-3 220/270 lbs. 51.00-53.25, US 2-3 230/280 lbs. 49.50-51.10.

SOWS: few US 1-3 455/650 lbs. 44.00-48.25, few Medium 285/310 lbs. 41.25-42.00.

BOARS: one 260 lbs. 38.00. FEEDER PIGS 24...US 1-3 30 lbs 20.00-25.00. --- per head. US 1-3 115/145 lbs. 38.00-46.00. --- per cwt.

SHEEP 103...SLAUGHTER LAMBS-Choice 35/75 lbs. 120.00-134.00, 75/105 lbs. 112.00-122.50, Good and Choice 35/50 lbs. 97.50-110.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 29.00-38.00. GOATS 10...Few Large 40.00-85.00, one Small 37.50, few Small Kids 15.00-20.00. --- per head.

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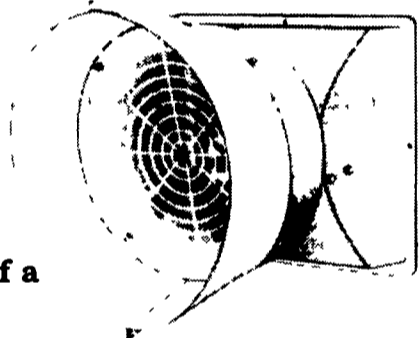


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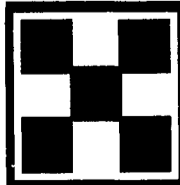


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