



POULTRY MARKETS

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, March 7

Report Supplied by USDA

PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES:

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
N. HAMP.	1.06-1.10	1.04-1.08	.84-.88	.68-.72
MOSTLY	1.06-1.07	1.06-1.07	.86-.87	.70-.71
R.I.	1.08-1.12	1.06-1.10	.86-.90	.68-.72
MOSTLY	1.08	1.06	.86	.68
MAINE	1.13-1.17	1.11-1.15	.91-.95	.75-.77

Eastern PA & New Jersey Poultry

Wednesday, March 8, 1989

Prices were unchanged. The trade sentiment was barely steady. Live supplies were adequate for the fair but cautious buyer demand. Processors operated less than full schedules primarily because of adverse weather conditions. Demand for canner pack product was no better than fair as further processors fill immediate needs only.

LIVE LIGHT TYPE HENS: AT FARM 15-16.50 MOSTLY 16 F.O.B. PLANT - MOSTLY.

New York Egg Market

Wednesday, March 8, 1989

Prices were higher. Demand at the retail food service and institutional levels was mostly moderate. Floor stocks were barely adequate to adequate. When sought, additional supplies were difficult to locate. The undertone continued fully steady to firm.

PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE A WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN: A EXTRA LARGE .96-.98; A LARGE .93-.96; A MEDIUM .79-.86.

Heinsey's Poultry

Roots, East Petersburg
Tuesday, March 7, 1989

Muscovy Ducks, Drakes Range 1.20-1.32.
Hens 1.00-1.10.
Pekin Ducks .50-.62.
Red Fowl: 4-4.5# .60-.72.
Crossbred Roosters: 4-6# .50-1.10; 7-11# .60-1.04.
Crossbred Fowl: 5-9# .50-.68.
Banty Roosters 5.00-8.75 ea.
Banty Hens 2.00-2.50 ea.
Guinea Pigs 1.00-3.50 ea.
Guinea Fowl 1.10-1.25.
Geese 14-15# .62-.66.
Pigeons 1.85-2.45 ea.
Rabbits: 4-6# 1.10-1.48; 7-11# 1.00-1.32.
Leghorn Roosters .40-.62.
Bunnies 2.00-4.50 ea.
Dwarf Bunnies 5.00-12.50 ea.
Dutch Bunnies 5.00-8.50 ea.
Total Coops Sold 459.

New England Shell Egg

Wednesday, March 8, 1989

Prices increased on loose jumbo through large, unchanged to higher on all cartoned sizes, unchanged on the balance. Trade sentiment was firm. Demand was moderate at the retail and food service levels. Wholesale inquiry for white eggs continued for the limited offerings. Brown egg supplies were generally adequate.

PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS FOR LOOSE BROWN EGGS AT FARM, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE JUMBO .84-.87; EX. LARGE .81-.84; LARGE .79-.82; MEDIUM .58-.61; SMALL .42-.45.

BOSTON: PRICES TO RETAILERS - SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADE BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN: A EXTRA LARGE .98-1.01; A LARGE .96-.99; A MEDIUM .76-.79.

New York & Philadelphia Frozen Eggs

Tuesday, March 7, 1989

Prices were unchanged to higher under a firm but somewhat cautious undertone. Raw material costs increased and were a driving force behind the escalating prices. Demand was light to moderate as most buyers attempted to work from existing floor stocks. Supplies of all products diminished and were barely adequate to adequate; few processors were willing to build frozen inventories at current price levels.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) U.S.D.A. INSPECTED CLASS TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) WHOLE 60-62 MOSTLY - 62-69 BLENDS () - MOSTLY - 63-75 WHITES 53-55 MOSTLY - 55-62 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 64-65 MOSTLY - 65-72 SALTED 61-63 MOSTLY - () - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Fri., March 3 to Thurs., March 9

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	1.00	1.00	1.03	1.05	1.07
EX. LARGE	.97	.97	1.00	1.02	1.04
LARGE	.93	.93	.96	.98	1.01
MEDIUM	.87	.87	.90	.91	.94
PULLETS	.72	.72	.75	.75	.78
OFF GRADE	.81	.81	.84	.86	.89
BROWN					
EX. LARGE	1.02	1.02	1.04	1.04	1.04
LARGE	.95	.95	.97	.97	.97
MEDIUM	.85	.85	.87	.87	.87
OFF GRADE					
UNDERGRADES					
AND CHECKS	.54	.54	.56	.57	.58

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 48-50 LBS. 62.00-64.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 65.00-67.00; TUES. 48-50 LBS. 64.00-66.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 67.00-69.00; WED. 48-50 LBS. 65.00-67.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 68.00-70.00; THURS. 48-50 LBS. 66.00-68.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 69.00-71.00.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, March 7, 1989

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HEAVY FOWL: .50-.60.
MIXED FOWL: .45-.60.
BUNNIES, EACH: 1.00-4.50
GEESE: .55.
DUCKS: .40-.70.
RABBITS: .80-1.45.
PIGEONS: 1.30.

WHITE

JUMBO X LGE. .95-1.05; LARGE .75-.90; MEDIUM .69.

BROWN

JUMBO X LGE. 1.05-1.12; LARGE .90-1.05; MEDIUM .81.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, March 9, 1989

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MARKET COMMENT: DEMAND AT ALL LEVELS EVEN WHOLESALE WAS MOSTLY MODERATE BUT IRREGULAR OVERALL. SUPPLIES WERE CONFIDENTLY HELD, AND WHEN RELEASED FOR SALE, PREMIUMS CONTINUED TO BE PAID. THE UNDERTONE REMAINED FULLY STEADY TO FIRM. PRICES TO RETAILERS: SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, CONSUMER GRADES WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED STORE DOOR:

EXTRA LARGE .86-.99; A LARGE .84-.97; A MEDIUM .78-.89.

Northeast Chicken Parts

Wednesday, March 8, 1989

Trucklot buying interest was light to fair and cautious. Cutlets and whole breasts were in close balance and buyers often limited receipts to an as needed basis. Leg items were adequate to occasionally fully adequate. Wings remained in limited supply and sellers continued to advance prices and clear stocks.

TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M., PRICES PAID PER POUND ON ICE PACKED PARTS DELIVERED IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES:

ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING BREASTS SKINNED BONELESS 235-240 RIBS ON 116-117 LINE RUN 115 LEGS 39-40 LEG QUARTERS 30-31 WINGS 62-63 BACKS & NECKS 10-12 LIVERS 15 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 50-55.

Includes New York City Metropolitan area, Northern New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

PRICES PAID PER POUND ON ICE PACKED PARTS DELIVERED IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES: CURRENT ITEM NEGOTIATED TRADING* WEIGHTED AVG.** VOLUME/LBS. BREASTS SKINNED BONELESS 235-240 250.48 131,400 RIBS ON 116-117 123.51 142,200 LINE RUN 115 119.51 190,800 LEGS 39-40 45.65 174,600 LEG QUARTERS 30-31 30.86 315,000 WINGS 62-63 65.71 221,400 BACKS & NECKS 10-12 11.23 23,400 LIVERS 15 16.67 10,800 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 50-55 57.88 14,400.

*TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M. **WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICE OF ALL GRADES AND BRANDS OF PRODUCT SHIPPED, OR TO BE SHIPPED FROM PROCESSORS AS OF 2:00 P.M. DAY OF REPORT. (INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT AND RHODE ISLAND).

Delmarva Broiler & Fryer Market

Wednesday, March 8, 1989

Demand for ready-to-cook whole fryers was generally fair. Supplies were adequate. In the parts complex supplies of breast items and wings were short of trade needs, while dark meat items were at least adequate. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged to higher at 63-68 cents. Live supplies were adequate. Average weights were desirable. Slaughter schedules were moderate. Undertone at least steady.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WGT. ACTUAL AVG. WGT. 3/8 3/6 3/6 3/1 2/27 1,945 1,931 4.72 2,020 4.71.

NEW YORK MULTIPLE DROP BROILER REPORT:

CURRENT BROILER/FRYER NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA. BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE 63-68 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 66.02 NO. OF BOXES 6,845.

National Egg Market

Wednesday, March 8, 1989

NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE:

Prices were unchanged to higher in the Northeast and Midwest, unchanged elsewhere. The market tone was fully steady to firm. Demand was light to good, mostly moderate. Wholesale demand was also moderate for the limited offerings. Supplies were maintained with confidence and ranged short to fully adequate. Breakers limited purchases primarily to fulfill liquid needs.

Carlisle Livestock Market

Carlisle, Pa.

Tuesday, Mar. 7, 1989

CATTLE: HOLSTEINS: GOOD 60.25-64.75; MEDIUM 59.00 AND DOWN; SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: GOOD 63.50-68.25; MEDIUM-GOOD HOLSTEINS UP TO 63.00.

COWS: WERE ACTIVE, EARLY BIRD PENS 3.00 HIGHER. HIGH YIELD 53 50-54.75; GOOD 49.25-53.00; MEDIUM 46.00-49.00; BIG MIDDLE 44.00-48.50; SHELLY 44.00 AND DOWN; FAT BULLS: GOOD 61.25-67.75; MEDIUM 51.75-57.75.

FEEDER CATTLE: HEIFERS (ALL WEIGHTS) GOOD 80.00-87.00; BULLS (ALL WEIGHTS) MEDIUM 64.00-73.00.

VEAL CALVES: CHOICE 100.00-111.00; GOOD 90.00-99.00; MEDIUM 80.00-89.00; LIGHT/WEAK 79.00 AND DOWN; FARM BULLS 125.00-150.00.

HOGS: BARROWS & GILTS: US 1-3 210-260 LBS. 40.10-42.25; OVER 270 LBS. 39.50-40.00; SOWS OVER 450 LBS. 33.75-34.75; UNDER 450 LBS. 33.50-35.00; BOARS HEAVY 25.50-26.50.

FEEDER PIGS: (BY THE HEAD) 24-35LBS. 30.00-34.00.

SHEEP: CHOICE LIGHT 94.00-116.00; GOOD 78.00-90.00; MEDIUM 60.00-68.00; EWES 25.00-34.00.

GOATS (BY THE HEAD) NANNIES 51.00-58.00; SMALL MEDIUM 20.00-50.00.

NOTE: EASTER LAMB & GOAT SALE FRIDAY, MARCH 17, AT 12:30 P.M.; RABBITS AND POULTRY SALE 9:00 A.M., RECEIVING 7:30-11:30 A.M.

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