

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, Feb. 26

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

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
N. HAMP.	1.01-1.05	.98-1.02	.83-.87	.64-.68
MOSTLY	1.03-1.04	1.00-1.01	.85-.86	.66-.67
RHODE ISLAND	1.00-1.04	.97-1.01	.82-.86	.64-.68
MOSTLY	1.00	.97	.82	.64
VERMONT	1.04-1.18	1.01-1.16	.86-.95	
MOSTLY	1.04	1.01	.86	
MAINE	1.08	1.05	.90	.71

Northeast Chicken Parts

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NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS: PART 1 OF 2: FEDERAL-STATE: Trucklot buying interest was limited. Seller offerings of boneless skinless breasts varied; however, pricing was high-

ly competitive at lower trending levels. Supplies of whole breasts were more available and at least adequate for today's lackluster call. Leg items were balanced to instances ample on some yellow product which was traded at sharp reduction to normal practices; thighs were in tightest balance. Yellow wings were adequate with supplies in Southern shipping channels sometimes noted heavy and discounted.

TODAYS 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 BONELESS SKINLESS 165-170 WITH RIBS 87-88 LINE RUN 87 LEGS 41-42 LEG QUARTERS 29-30 THIGHS 36-37 DRUMSTICKS 30-31 WINGS 61-62 BACKS & NECKS 10-12 LIVERS 20 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 35.

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 BONELESS SKINLESS 165-170 176.48 268,200 WITH RIBS 87-88 90.82 322,200 LINE RUN 87 88.37 270,000 LEGS 41-42 42.84 300,600 LEG QUARTERS 29-30 30.30 390,600 THIGHS 36-37 36.71 30,600 DRUMSTICKS 30-31 30.48 72,000 WINGS 61-62 66.48 358,200 BACKS & NECKS 10-12 10.77 27,000 LIVERS 20 23.13 14,400 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 35 34.24 37,800.

*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 AS OF 1:30 P.M. DAY OF REPORT. (INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT AND RHODE ISLAND).

Delmarva Broiler Fryer Market

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Movement of ready to cook broiler fryers was fair today, and about as expected for mid-week trading. Supplies were in good balance with immediate needs. Less than trucklot asking prices were steady at 49-62 cents. Live supplies were adequate. Average live weights were in a desirable range. Processing schedules were heavy. Trade sentiment was cautiously steady. In the parts complex, dark meat was adequate to fully adequate, boneless skinless breast were fully adequate, whole breast and wings were adequate.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WGT. ACTUAL AVG. WGT. 2/27 2/25 2/25 2/20 2/18 2,104 2,114 4.65 1,950 4.65.

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 49-62 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 54.05 NO. OF BOXES 10,577.

National Egg Market

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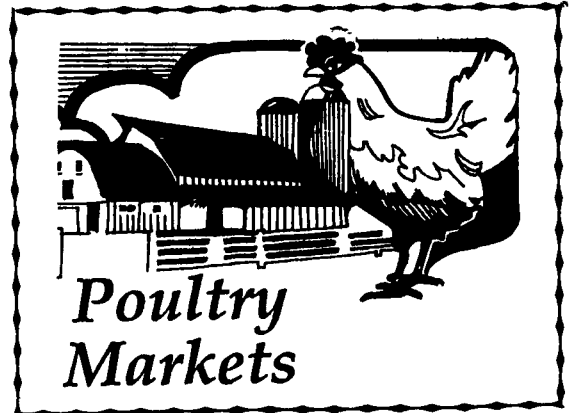
NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE: Prices were unchanged to higher in the North Atlantic region, higher in the Midwest, and unchanged elsewhere. The market tone was fully steady to firm. Demand at all levels covered the full range, and was best into retail features and where wholesalers continued to seek additional eggs for anticipated needs as the March holidays approached. Supplies were adequate to barely adequate for immediate needs. Additional supplies were confidently held and intentionally accumulated. Breakers had about adequate supplies of eggs; some Midwest operations reduced schedules partially due to higher priced eggs and diminished finished product sales.

Eastern PA & NJ Poultry

Atlanta, Ga.

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NORTHEAST LIVE HEN MARKET FEDERAL-STATE: Light type fowl prices generally unchanged, however offerings are limited and buyers are unable to fill slaughter schedules to desired capacity. Heavy hen availability remains tight with too few sales to report prices. Demand moderate to good. Undertone at least steady.



Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Fri., Feb. 22 to Thurs., Feb. 28

	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.94	.94	.97	.99	1.01
EX. LARGE	.91	.91	.94	.96	.99
LARGE	.86	.86	.89	.91	.94
MEDIUM	.76	.76	.79	.81	.83
PULLETS	.68	.68	.71	.73	.73
OFF GRADE	.74	.74	.77	.79	.82
BROWN					
EXTRA LARGE	.86	.86	.88	.90	.91
LARGE	.82	.82	.84	.86	.87
MEDIUM	.73	.73	.75	.77	.77
OFF GRADE UNDERGRADES AND CHECKS	.41	.41	.44	.45	.45

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 48-50 LBS. 54.00-56.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 56.00-58.00; TUES. 48-50 LBS. 57.00-59.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 59.00-61.00; WED. 48-50 LBS. 58.00-60.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 60.00-62.00.

CENTS PER POUND, GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE FOLLOWING WEEK:

LIGHT TYPE AT FARM (PRODUCER LOADING) 2.5-4.5 FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT HEAVY TYPE (7 POUNDS AND UP) AT FARM (BUYER LOADING) TOO FEW TO REPORT AT FARM (PRODUCER LOADING) TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT.

Pullets 5-7# .46-.54.
Red Fowl: 4-4.5# .40-.54; 5-6# .60-.78.
Crossbred Roosters: 4-6# .48-.89; 7-12# .50-1.04.
Crossbred Fowl: 5-9# .40-.58.
Banty Roosters 2.50-4.75 ea.
Banty Hens 1.25-2.50 ea.
Guinea Pigs 1.00-3.25 ea.
Kid Goats 31.00-42.00 ea.
Guinea Fowl .90-1.15.
Geese 8-12# .20-.44.
Pigeons 1.75-2.15 ea.
White Pigeons 2.50-3.25 ea.
Rabbits: 4-6# .92-1.22; 7-11# .80-.94.
Leghorn Hens .18-.26.
Bunnies 2.00-5.50 ea.
Doves 2.50-4.50 ea.
Chukars 4.70-4.90 ea.
Silkies 4.50-5.50 ea.
Dwarf Bunnies 10.00-12.00 ea.
Total Coops Sold 802.

N.Y. & Phila. Frozen Eggs

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Prices continued to trend higher as further processors attempted to keep up with escalating costs. Trading activity was usually limited to fill-in business. Most breakers were cautious and worked accordingly. Floor stocks were generally adequate to handle current needs.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS)

CLASS TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) WHOLE 59-64 MOSTLY 61-62 54-70 BLENDS (J) - MOSTLY - 68-76 WHITES 43-46 MOSTLY 45-46 47-56 YOLKS (MIN. 43% SOLIDS) SUGARED 74-80 MOSTLY 76-78 80-86 SALTED 71-75 MOSTLY 72-74 75-80 (J)-WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

Heinsey's Poultry

Roots, East Petersburg

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Muscovy Ducks, Drakes Range .80-.92.

Hens 1.04-1.14.

Pekin Ducks .50-.64.

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