

Delmarva Broiler Fryer May 20, 1992

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds remained moderate to good; however, advance interest was slow in developing. Supplies of whole birds were uneven but

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fully adequate overall. Less than trucklot asking prices were generally higher at 59 to 69 cents but premiums were not fully applied in several instances. Live supplies were moderate. Weights ranged desirable to heavy. Slaughter schedules were heavy and the majority of plants were projecting no operations on the upcoming Monday holiday. The market tone was steady at best. In the parts complex, buying interest

was less aggressive and highly selective.
ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 05/20 05/18 05/18 05/13 05/11

2,254 2,246 4.83 2,116 4.73 BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGO-TIATED 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 54-69 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 60.09 NO. OF BOXES 9.872 7 of 9 plants reporting.

Heinsey's Poultry Roots, E. Petersburg May 19, 1992

PRICES PAID DOCK WEIGHTS. CENTS PER POUND, EXCEPT WHERE NOTED

RANGE Banty Hens 2.00 - 3.50 ea. Banty Roosters 2.00 - 4.25 ea. Burmies 1.00 - 3.25 ea. Crossbred Fowl 5-9 .30 - .54 Crossbred Roosters 4-6 .40 - .72 Crossbred Roosters 7-11 .24 - .62 Doves 3.00 - 4.25 ca. Geese 9-12.24 - .40 Gosts 35.00 - 50.00 ea. Guinea Fowl 1.70 - 1.85 Guinea Pigs 1.50 - 3.25 ea. Kid Goats 20.00 - 32.00 ea. Leghorn Hens .07 - .16 Muscovy Ducks - Drakes 1.24 - 1.38 Muscovy Ducks - Hens 1.40 - 1.54 Pekin Ducks .60 - .72 Pigeons 1.85 - 2.25 ea. Pullets 5-7 .24 - .36 Rabbits 4-6 .90 - 1.14 Rabbits 7-11 .80 - 1.00 Red Fowl 4-4.5 .30 - .46 Red Fowl 5-6 .60 - .76 Silkies 4.75 -5.25 ea. White Pigeons 2.50 - 3.00 ea. Total Coops Sold 868

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes -

| | From Fri., May 15 to Thurs., May 21 | | | | | | |
|-------------|-------------------------------------|------|-------|------|--------|--|--|
| | FRI. | MON. | TUES. | WED. | THURS. | | |
| WHITE | | | | | | | |
| JUMBO | .67 | .67 | .67 | .67 | .67 | | |
| EX. LARGE | .65 | .65 | .65 | .65 | .65 | | |
| LARGE | .60 | .60 | .60 | .60 | .60 | | |
| MEDIUM | .54 | .54 | .54 | .54 | .54 | | |
| PULLETS | .47 | .47 | .47 | .47 | .47 | | |
| OFF GRADE | .48 | .48 | .48 | .48 | .48 | | |
| BROWN | | | | | | | |
| EXTRA LARGE | .79 | .79 | .81 | .81 | .82 | | |
| LARGE | .74 | .74 | .76 | .76 | .77 | | |
| MEDIUM | .65 | .65 | .67 | .67 | .68 | | |
| OFF GRADE | | | | | | | |
| UNDERGRADES | | | | | | | |
| AND CHECKS | .19 | .19 | .19 | .19 | .19 | | |

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 48-50 LBS. 32.00-34.00, 50 LBS. AND UP

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, May 19, 1992 Report Supplied by Auction HEAVY FOWL .30-.80. LEGHORN POWL .30-.45.

MIXED FOWL .90. ROASTERS .25-.40. CHICKS EACH .10-1.00. ROOSTERS .35-1.25. BANTAMS BACH: .90-2.20. BUNNIES EACH .50-2.75. DUCKS .80-1.60. **RABBITS .20-.90.** PIGEONS, BY LB. 1.70-2.30.

TURKEYS .25-1.25.

GUINEAS EACH 6.25. WHITE EGGS: EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .40-.65; LARGE .28-.60;

MEDIUM .20-.50; SMALL .18-.19. BROWN EGGS: EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .30-.75; LARGE .25-.51; MEDIUMS .12-.22; SMALL .10-.13.

National Egg Market May 20, 1992

Prices were unchanged. The market tone was generally steady with caution. In New England, the undertone continued fully steady. Demand was light to moderate, occasionally better where featured. Supplies of large and mediums were adequate to instances ample, and the balance were generally adequate. Brown eggs were short to adequate, and buyers sought eggs in all areas. Breakers provided a light to moderate demand for surplus shell egg offerings, and prices were unchanged. Live hen markets were usually steady.

New England Shell **Eggs**

May 20, 1992

Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment was fully steady. Retail and food service demand was poor to instances fair. Wholesale inquiry for brown eggs continued actively. Supplies were short to instances

PRICES PAID TO PRODUCERS, CASES EXCHANGED, GRADE YIELD BASIS, BROWN EGGS LOOSE, AT

RANGE JUMBO 66-69 EXTRA LARGE 61-64 LARGE 59-62 MEDIUM 45-48 SMALL 17-20

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO **VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A** AND GRADE A. BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN

RANGE EXTRA LARGE 80-82

Poultry

Trading insufficent to report prices, however trade sentiment is generally Demand moderate.

CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE FOLLOWING

HEAVY TYPE (7 POUNDS AND UP) AT FARM BUYER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT

LIGHT TYPE AT FARM BUYER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT

JECT TO DISCOUNT.

NEW ENGLAND:

LARGE 78-80 MEDIUM 64-66

Eastern PA & NJ May 19, 1992

steady. Offerings of both classes of fowl are noted as about sufficient to cover next week's reduced slaughter requirements.

• WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUB-

FARM, CENTS PER DOZEN.

BOSTON:

N.Y. Phila. Frozen **Eggs** May 19, 1992

DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN

LARGE 55-58 MEDIUM 49-52

N.E. Chicken Parts

May 20, 1992

ing good demand for the upcoming holiday. Trading was reported at higher prices. Legs and wings were in good belance at

steady prices. Thighs were slow to clear at

TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M., 20-MAY-92 PRICES

PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED PARTS DELIVERED IN POOL TRUCK-LOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES

ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED

BREAST - BONELESS SKINLESS

225-230 BREAST - WITH RIBS 114-115

BREAST - LINE RUN 114 LEGS 33-34

LEG QUARTERS 29-30 THIGHS 29-30

DRUMSTICKS 30-31 WINGS 51 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED)

Includes New York City Metropolitan

area, Northern New Jersey, Massa-

chusetts, Connecticut and Rhode Island.

New York Eggs

May 20, 1992

Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment

was about steady. Demand remained light

to moderate, and was best where featured,

and where buyers ordered extra to cover

for no deliveries on Memorial Day. Sup-

plies were adequate to fully adequate on

large and medium, generally adequate on

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO

VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE

RANGE EXTRA LARGE 58-60

GIZZARDS

10-12 LIVERS 20

lower trending prices.

TRADING

(HEARTS) 20

Trucklot buying interest was irregular today. Supplies of boneless skinless is ranged tight to adequate. Some retail inquiry for late week needs went unfilled while demand for pallet volumes slowed from early week. Line run breasts were short of trade needs but some buyers were not as aggressive at earlier. Leg quarters were in close balance with a continu-

The market tone was unsettled. Trading was limited and usually at increasingly competitive price levels. Raw materials were fully adequate to instances ample. Breaking schedules were being adjusted as dealers prepared for the upcoming long holiday week-end.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CON-TAINERS)

TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE MOSTLY RANGE

WHOLE 39-43 41-42 43-47 BLEND (/) 53-65 WHITES 36-39 37-38 39-45 SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 49-53 50-51 54-63 SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 46-49 46-47 50-60 (/) - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS

SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report Tuesday, May 19

Report Supplied by USDA

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

| | EX. LARGE | LARGE | MEDIUM | SMALI |
|--------------|-----------|-------|--------|-------|
| N. HAMP. | .8791 | .8589 | .7175 | .4347 |
| MOSTLY | .8990 | .8788 | .7374 | .4546 |
| RHODE ISLAND | .9094 | .8892 | .7478 | .4650 |
| MOSTLY | .90 | .88 | .74 | .46 |
| VERMONT | .9597 | .8995 | .7981 | |
| MAINE | .94 | .92 | .78 | .50 |
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