

**Delmarva  
Broiler/Fryer Report**

Wednesday, April 6, 1994

Ready-to-cook whole birds was generally good. Seller offerings were adequate to well cleared. Live supplies were moderate, occasionally heavy. Weights remained in a full range, but were mostly heavy. Processing schedules were very heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged to 1 cent higher at 51 to 62 cents. Trade sentiment was fully steady to higher. In the parts complex, bone-in breasts were in short supply. Boneless skinless breasts were in closer balance, but were at least adequate. Leg quarters were fully adequate. Wings were well cleared at some plants, slow to clear at others.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT  
04/06 04/04 04/04 03/30 03/28 2,402 1,699  
4.96 2,203 4.92.

\*BROILER/FRYER CURRENT 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 47-66 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 52.17 NO. OF BOXES 11,457.

\*8 of 9 plants reporting.

**Northeast  
Chicken Parts**

Wednesday, April 6, 1994

Trucklot buying interest was about as expected for mid-week needs with some late week interest developing. Supplies of

boneless skinless breasts were irregularly distributed but floor stocks overall were in better balance than early week. Trading was slow to develop this morning but improved by mid-day. Reported prices continued in a range of 1.75 to 1.80 but the majority of trades were at the 1.80 level. The undertone was fully steady. Line run breasts were short of needs. Available supplies were in firm hands with asking prices trending higher. Leg quarters were about adequate but the undertone was firm. Wings were steady.

PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED AND CO2 PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES. ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING\* BREAST - B/S (W & W/O TENDERS) 180 BREAST - WITH RIBS 83-84 BREAST - LINE RUN 83 LEGS 46-47 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 33-34 DRUMSTICKS 40-41 THIGHS D NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 20-25 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 30-35 INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG).

**Hackettstown  
Poultry & Egg**

Hackettstown, N.J.

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HEAVY FOWL 1.15 LB.

LEGHORN FOWL .65-2.15.

MIXED FOWL 1.35.

BANTAMS BY THE LB. 2.00-2.50,  
EACH 4.25-8.50.

PULLETS 2.00 LB.  
BUNNIES EACH 3.00-5.00.  
ROOSTERS 1.00-2.50.  
GEBSE .50 LB.  
DUCKS EACH 1.00-1.70.  
GUINEAS 1.50-1.90.  
RABBITS 1.00-1.95 LB.  
PIGEONS EACH 2.00-4.00, 2.20-2.70 LB.

WHITE EGGS: EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .60-.74; LARGE .66-.70; MEDIUMS .49-.60.

BROWN EGGS: EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .70-.80; LARGE .69-.77.

**National  
Egg Market**

Tuesday, April 5, 1994

NATIONAL EGG MARKET-AT A GLANCE: Prices were unchanged. The market tone was steady to barely steady, with some continued cautiousness. Demand was mixed, and mostly fair to fairly good, with restocking after the good Easter clearances still a factor. Supplies were adequate or available in all areas. Breaking stock prices were unchanged, and demand was spotty for the adequate to fully adequate supplies. Live hen markets were no better than steady, and offerings were adequate to ample for the fair at best demand; most plants were booked full through the month.

**Kutztown Produce  
Auction  
Hay Auction**

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Saturday, April 2, 1994

TOTAL LOADS: 61.  
MIXED HAY: 70.00-146.00.  
ALFALFA: 75.00-106.00.  
TIMOTHY: 124.00.  
ALFALFA CANARY GRASS: 100.00.  
OAT STRAW: 85.00-96.00.  
WHEAT STRAW: 115.00-118.00.  
CORN FODDER: 42.00.  
FIREWOOD: 75.00.

**Greencastle  
Livestock Market**

March 31 and April 4  
Hay & Straw

Report Supplied by Auction

89 LOADS.  
ALFALFA: 67.00-142.50.  
TIMOTHY HAY: 70.00-120.00.  
MIXED HAY: 58.00-136.00.  
ORCHARD GRASS: 75.00-91.00.  
BROME GRASS: 88.00-110.00.  
CLOVER: 72.50-102.00.  
STRAW: 100.00-137.50.  
OATS: 2.35 BU.

**Belleville Hay**

Wednesday, April 6  
Belleville, PA

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65 LOADS HAY.  
ALFALFA HAY: 82.50-140.00.  
MIXED HAY: 45.00-132.50.  
EAR CORN: 5 LOADS, 75.00-95.00.  
STRAW: 7 LOADS, 90.00-140.00.  
OATS: 2 LOADS AT 2.50 BU.  
CORN STALKS: 70.00.

**Kirkwood Hay Auction**

Kirkwood, Pa.

Tuesday, April 5, 1994

Report Supplied by Auction  
96 LOADS OF HAY.  
MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING  
77.00-135.00, 2ND CUTTING  
107.00-134.00.  
TIMOTHY: 100.00-155.00.  
ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING  
71.00-153.00, 2ND CUTTING  
90.00-146.00, 3RD CUTTING  
104.00-163.00, 4TH CUTTING  
110.00-164.00.  
CLOVER: 92.00-112.00.  
GRASS: 64.00-152.00.  
WHEAT STRAW: 140.00-162.00.  
BARLEY STRAW: 147.00-158.00.  
OAT STRAW: 140.00.  
CORN FODDER: 98.00.  
OATS: 2.85 BU.  
SALE TIME 11: A.M.

**Leinbach's Hay**

Shippensburg, PA  
April 2 and 5

Report Supplied by Auction  
91LOADS.  
ALFALFA: GOOD 85.00-117.00, FAIR  
60.00-85.00.  
MIXED HAY: 55.00-110.00.  
TIMOTHY: 67.00-122.00.  
CLOVER: 75.00.  
BROME GRASS: 65.00-102.00.  
ORCHARD GRASS: 62.00-98.00.  
STRAW: 70.00-135.00.  
CORN FODDER: 50.00.  
EAR CORN: 93.00-107.00.  
OATS: 2.20-2.80 BU.  
FIREWOOD: 34.00-44.00 LOAD.

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