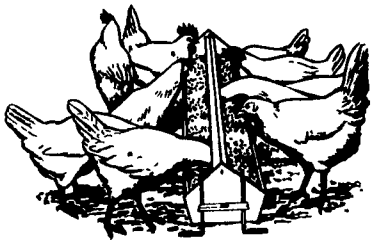


Poultry Markets



Heinsey's Poultry

Roots, East Petersburg
 Tuesday, April 26, 1994
 Muscovy Ducks - Drakes 1.36 - 1.54,
 Muscovy Ducks - Hens 1.20 - 1.36.
 Pekin Ducks .60 - .74.
 Red Fowl 4-4.5 LBS. .30 - .52, Red
 Fowl 5-6 LBS. .42 - .74.
 Crossbred Fowl 5-9 LBS. .30 - .54.
 Crossbred Roosters 4-6 LBS. .40 - .84,
 Crossbred Roosters 7-11 LBS. .30 - .74.
 Guinea Fowl 1.15 - 1.35.
 Banty Roosters 2.50 - 5.00 ea.
 Banty Hens 1.50 - 3.00 ea.
 Leghorn Hens .12 - .18.
 Silkies 3.50 - 4.75 ea.
 Geese 9-12 LBS. .30 - .52.
 Pigeons 2.25 - 2.75 ea.
 White Pigeons 3.00 - 3.75 ea.
 Rabbits 4-6 LBS. 1.10 - 1.56, Rabbits
 7-11 LBS. 1.10 - 1.38.
 Bunnies 1.00 - 3 32.00 - 50.00 ea.
 Kid Goats 19.00 - 34.00 ea.
 Doves 2.50 - 4.50 ea.
 Pullets 4-6 LBS. .40 - .62.
 Total Coops Sold 842.

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

April 26
 Report Supplied by USDA
 PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS
 DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES:

| | EX. LARGE | LARGE | MEDIUM | SMALL |
|--------------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|
| MAINE | .93 | .89 | .79 | .56 |
| N. HAMP. | .86-.90 | .82-.86 | .72-.76 | .49-.53 |
| MOSTLY | .88-.89 | .84-.85 | .74-.75 | .51-.52 |
| RHODE ISLAND | .89-.93 | .85-.89 | .75-.79 | .52-.56 |
| MOSTLY | .89 | .85 | .75 | .52 |
| VERMONT | .96-.99 | .92-.95 | .82 | |
| MOSTLY | .96 | .92 | | |

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, April 28, 1994
 Report Supplied by USDA
 MARKET COMMENT: TRADE SENTIMENT WAS CAUTIOUSLY STEADY TO WEAK. DEMAND CONTINUED LIGHT TO FAIR. SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE TO AMPLE OR AVAILABLE. A EXTRA LARGE .59-.65% , A LARGE .57-.63% , A MEDIUM .52-.57% .

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.
 Report Supplied by Auction
 Tuesday, April 26, 1994
 Report Supplied by Auction
 HEAVY FOWL .80-1.55.
 MIXED FOWL .60-1.40.
 LEGHORN FOWL .40.
 MIXED FOWL .25.
 BANTAMS .50-1.50.
 BUNNIES EACH 1.00-2.00.
 ROOSTERS .60-1.15.
 DUCKS .50-1.45.
 RABBITS 1.25-1.50.
 PIGEONS 2.90 LB.
 GUINEAS 1.30-1.90.

Delmarva Broiler

EDISON, NJ
 APRIL 26, 1994
 DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE
 Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was light to good, mostly moderate, and best on 3 pound and smaller sizes. Movement on the heavier sizes was fair. Live supplies were moderate, instances heavy; weights were desirable to heavy. Processing schedules continued very heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 55 to 67 cents. Trade sentiment was steady to firm. In the parts complex, all items were at least adequate. Sellers looked for increased activity mid to late week as buyers would need additional supplies for the weekend and the first of the month.
 ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)
 ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT
 04/26 04/22 04/22 04/19 04/15
 2,364 2,504 4.81 2,421 4.77
 *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 52-67 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 56.48 NO. OF BOXES 12,394
 *9 of 9 plants reporting.
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New York & Phila. Frozen Eggs

Tuesday, April 26, 1994
 The market tone was barely steady and cautious. Buying interest was very limited as dealers closely watched related markets. Raw materials were usually readily available and further processors were reluctant to pass up bargains. Floor stocks were fully adequate with most plants running full schedules and building inventories.
 WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS) TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE MOSTLY RANGE WHOLE 43-46 44-45 47-56 BLEND () - 57-67 WHITES 38-41 39-40 42-49 SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 55-58 56-57 59-66 SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 52-55 52-53 56-63 ()
 WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

National Egg Market

EDISON, NJ
 April 26, 1994
 NATIONAL EGG MARKET-AT A GLANCE
 Prices were unchanged. The market tone was steady at best, and generally cautious. Cartoned egg demand was no better than moderate unless featured, and food service demand was fair to instances good. Supplies were adequate to ample. Breaking stock supplies were adequate or available for the fair and unaggressive demand, and prices were generally unchanged. Light type hen offerings were at least adequate for the fair at best demand, and the undertone was about steady to weak.

WHITE EGGS: EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .52-.79; LARGE .46-.67; MEDIUMS .45-.58; SMALL .26.
 BROWN EGGS: EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .58-.77; LARGE .51-.65; MEDIUM .34-.49; SMALL .33; PEEWEES 28

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes

From Fri., April 23 to Thursday, April 28

| | FRI. | MON. | TUES. | WED. | THURS. |
|----------------------------------|------|------|-------|------|--------|
| WHITE JUMBO | .71 | .71 | .71 | .71 | .69 |
| EX. LARGE | .67 | .67 | .67 | .67 | .65 |
| LARGE | .65 | .65 | .65 | .65 | .63 |
| MEDIUM | .61 | .61 | .61 | .61 | .58 |
| PULLETS | .53 | .53 | .53 | .53 | .51 |
| OFF GRADE BROWN | .53 | .53 | .53 | .53 | .51 |
| EXTRA LARGE | .71 | .71 | .71 | .71 | .71 |
| LARGE | .68 | .68 | .68 | .68 | .68 |
| MEDIUM | .60 | .60 | .60 | .60 | .60 |
| OFF GRADE UNDERGRADES AND CHECKS | .22 | .22 | .22 | .22 | .22 |

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 42-44 LBS. 29.00-31.00, 48-50 LBS. 35.00-37.00, 50 LBS. AND UP 37.00-38.00.

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