Delmarva **Broiler**

EDISON, NJ MAY 31, 1995

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was fairly good. Seller offerings were generally adequate. Live supplies were moderate with weights ranging light to heavy. Processing schedules were very heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 53 to 64 cents. Trade sentiment was fully steady to instances firm. In

the parts complex, all items were generally steady to fully steady.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 05/31 05/29 05/29 05/24 05/22 2,352 (A) (A) 2,427 4.83 (A)-Not reported to avoid disclosing individual operations.

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Belleville Poultry

Belleville, Pa. Wednesday, May 31, 1995 Report supplied by Auction Geese: 2.50-3.50 ea.

Turkeys: none. Guineas: 3.25 ca Roosters: 3.50-6.00 ea. Bantams: 2.25-3.50 ea. Heavy hens: 2.50-3.50 ea.

Silkies: 3.50 ca. Muscovy hens: 5.25 ea. Mixed ducks: none. Muscovy Drakes: 10.00 ca. Guinea pigs: 2.00-4.25 ca. Barn pigeons: 2.00 ca. Fancy birds: 2.50-3.00 ca. Quail: none.

Rabbits: under 4 lbs. 1.50-3.00 ea., 4-6 lbs. 4.40-6.60 ea., over 6 lbs. 6.60-9.25 ea.

JUNE DAIRY MONTH

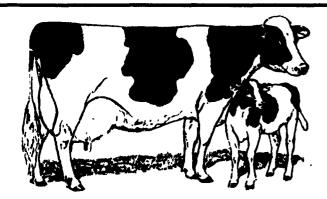


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