

**Delmarva Broiler**

**MAY 22, 1996**

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds remained fair to good. Offerings were generally short on 2.5 to 3 pound sizes; more than adequate on the heavier sizes. Live supplies were moderate to heavy; weights were desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were moderate to heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were 1 cent higher at 64 to 76 cents. Trade sentiment was fully steady to firm. In the parts complex, supplies were in close balance to instances short of needs as Memorial Day buying interest improved.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 05/22 05/20 05/20 05/15 05/13 2,451 2,366 4.87 2,191 4.91 \*BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA

**E. PA & NJ Poultry**

**MAY 20, 1996**

Final majority prices were unchanged from a week ago. The market tone was steady. Offerings from production areas were adequate to fully adequate easily fulfilling slaughter requirements. Demand was light to moderate at best. Planned schedules for this week were full. HEAVY TYPE HBNS (7 POUNDS

AND UP) \* FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB., GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE WEEK OF 20-MAY-96 RANGE MAJORITY WTD AVG AT FARM BUYER LOADING 10-12 CENTS/LB. 10-11 10.74 AT FARM PRODUCER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO REPORT \* WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUBJECT TO DISCOUNT.

**Westminster Hay**

Westminster, Md.

Tuesday, May 21, 1996

Report Supplied by Auction

ALFALFA: 1.40-2.10 BALE.  
TIMOTHY: 2.40-3.50 BALE.  
MIXED HAY: 62.00-112.00, .90-2.70 BALE.  
GRASS: 1.50-1.70 BALE.  
STRAW: 1.60-2.10 BALE.  
LUMBER: .50-7.25 LOAD.  
NEXT TUES., MAY 28 WEATHER PERMITTING, WE'LL HAVE 1 LARGE LOAD OF BAR CORN.

**Leinbach's Hay**

Shippensburg, PA

May 18 and 21

Report Supplied by Auction

34 LOADS.  
ALFALFA: 49.00-152.00.  
MIXED HAY: 78.00-100.00.  
TIMOTHY: 90.00-144.00.  
BROME GRASS: 70.00-110.00.  
ORCHARD GRASS: 82.00.  
STRAW: 52.00-62.00.  
EAR CORN: 146.00.  
OATS: 3.10 BU.

**Pa. Grain**

May 20, 1996

Report supplied by PDA

COMPARED WITH LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR SOUTHEASTERN, CENTRAL, AND SOUTH CENTRAL PA: CORN STEADY TO .40 HIGHER, WHEAT STEADY UNEVEN, MOSTLY STEADY TO WEAK, BARLEY & OATS STEADY TO STRONG, SOYBEANS STEADY .10 HIGHER, EAR CORN STEADY TO 6.00 HIGHER.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.35-5.69, AVERAGE 5.50, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.53-3.72; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 5.90-6.30, AVERAGE 6.04, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 5.49-5.69; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 4.00-4.40, AVERAGE 4.27, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 2.75-3.50; OATS NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 2.50-2.93, AVERAGE 2.70, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST FEW REPORTED 2.20; SOYBEANS RANGE 7.85-8.10 FEW REPORTED 7.65, AVERAGE 7.90, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 7.39-7.64; FEW REPORTED PER HUNDREDWEIGHT BUCKWHEAT CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 10.90; FEW REPORTED GRAIN SORGHUM #2 RANGE 5.29, AVERAGE 5.29, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.35; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN RANGE 148.00-160.00 FEW REPORTED 140.00, AVERAGE 151.33.

**SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA**

CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 4.80-5.50, AVERAGE 5.16, MOSTLY RANGE 5.15-5.25; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 5.75-5.80, AVERAGE 5.78; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE FEW REPORTED 3.30-4.25, AVERAGE 3.85;

OATS NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 2.50-2.80, AVERAGE 2.65; SOYBEANS RANGE 7.70-8.00, AVERAGE 7.85; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN RANGE 125.00-143.00, AVERAGE 133.00.

SOUTHEASTERN, CENTRAL & SOUTH CENTRAL SUMMARY CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.20-5.69, AVERAGE 5.39; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 5.80-6.04, AVERAGE 5.96; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.70-4.40, AVERAGE 4.09; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.40-2.93, AVERAGE 2.76; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 7.70-8.20, AVERAGE 7.88; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN RANGE 130.00-156.00, AVERAGE 144.52.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.25-5.66 FEW REPORTED 5.00, AVERAGE 5.34; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE FEW REPORTED 5.90, AVERAGE 5.90; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE FEW REPORTED 3.70-4.40, AVERAGE 4.09; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.40-2.80, AVERAGE 2.65; SOYBEANS RANGE FEW REPORTED 7.65-8.10, AVERAGE 7.86; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN RANGE 130.00-145.00, AVERAGE 136.25.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 4.70-5.50, AVERAGE 5.12 RANGE MOSTLY 4.90-5.33; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 5.44-5.81, AVERAGE 5.65; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.93-4.00, AVERAGE 3.97; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.00-2.70, AVERAGE 2.38, RANGE MOSTLY 2.20-2.58; SOYBEANS RANGE 7.55-7.85, AVERAGE 7.70; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN RANGE 115.00-128.00, AVERAGE 121.00.

MONTH AGO CORN NO. 2-Y 4.82; WHEAT NO. 2

5.84; BARLEY NO. 3 3.76; OATS NO. 2 2.50; SOYBEANS NO. 1 7.77; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN 128.56.

YEAR AGO CORN NO. 2-Y 2.77; WHEAT NO. 2 3.54; BARLEY NO. 3 1.75; OATS NO. 2 1.63; SOYBEANS NO. 1 5.56; AVERAGE MOISTURE EAR CORN 75.78.

**Valley Stockyards**

Athens, Pa.

May 20, 1996

Report supplied by auction

HOLSTEIN HEIFER CALVES TO 125.00.  
VEAL CALVES, NONE.  
VEALER BULL CALVES TO 115.00.  
SLAUGHTER CALVES 40.00 AND DOWN.  
GRASSERS AND FEEDERS 18.00-42.00.  
LAMBS TO 98.00.  
SHEEP 28.00-43.00.  
HOGS, 200-250, 44.50-59.00.  
SOWS TO 30.50.  
BOARS TO 26.00.  
PIGS, NONE.  
HEIFERS 32.50-39.00.  
STEERS 33.00-36.75.  
STEERS, FEEDER, 35.00-62.00.  
BULLS 38.00-45.75.  
GOOD COWS, 34.50-40.50.  
COWS MEDIUM 27.00-33.75.  
COWS POOR OR SMALL 26.50 AND DOWN.  
CATTLE MARKET HIGHER.  
CALF MARKET STEADY.  
HORSES, NONE.  
PONIES, NONE.  
GOATS 11.00-67.50.  
REMARKS: NEED MORE COWS.

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