

National Egg Market

AUGUST 28, 1996

Prices were generally unchanged with smalls occasionally lower. The market tone was steady for the majority of retail and loose pack eggs. Demand was fair to good. Supplies of extra-large through mediums were adequate or available, and smalls were frequently long. Breaking plants received adequate shell supplies from regular commitments, and some plants ran extended schedules in preparation for the Labor Day long weekend. The light type hen offerings were sufficient for the light to moderate demand.

North Atlantic Shell Eggs

August 29, 1996
Atlanta, Ga.

PRICES WERE UNCHANGED TO LOWER FOR MEDIUMS AND SMALLS, BALANCE UNCHANGED. THE MARKET TONE WAS GENERALLY STEADY FOR THE LARGER SIZES AND BARELY STEADY TO WEAK FOR THE LIGHTER WEIGHTS. INTER-DEALER DEMAND WAS ACTIVE FOR EXTRA LARGE AND CLASS ONES AND RETAIL DEMAND WAS LIGHT TO MODERATE. SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE FOR THE LARGER SIZES AND FULLY ADEQUATE AND AVAILABLE FOR THE SMALLER SIZES. BREAKING STOCK SUPPLIES WERE ADEQUATE AND MOST PLANTS PLANNED REDUCED HOLIDAY SCHEDULES.

PHILADELPHIA: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, EXTRA LARGE .89-.91, LARGE .87-.89, MEDIUM .71-.74.

Heinsey's Poultry

AUGUST 29, 1996

RANGE
Muscovy Ducks - Drakes 1.20 - 1.54
Muscovy Ducks - Hens .90 - 1.10
Pekin Ducks .40 - .64
Red Fowl 4-4.5 .30 - .52
Red Fowl 5-6 .40 - .74
Crossbred Fowl 5-9 .30 - .64
Crossbred Roosters 4-6 .50 - 1.20
Crossbred Roosters 7-11 .50 - 1.18
Guinea Fowl 1.75 - 1.95
Banty Roosters 3.00 - 7.50 ea.
Banty Hens 1.75 - 3.25 ea.
Leghorn Hens .05 - .14
Silkies 3.25 - 4.25 ea.
Geese 9-14 .20 - .34
Pigeons 1.75 - 2.20 ea.
White Pigeons 2.75 - 3.25 ea.
Rabbits 4-6 .40 - .72
Rabbits 7-11 .60 - .92
Bunnies 1.00 - 3.50 ea.
Guinea Pigs 1.00 - 5.25 ea.
Goats 38.00 - 50.00 ea.
Kid Goats 20.00 - 38.00 ea.
Doves 3.00 - 5.50 ea.
Pullets 4-6 .40 - .68
Total Coops Sold 805

Pa. Grain

August 26, 1996

Report supplied by PDA

COMPARED WITH LAST MONDAY'S MARKET FOR SOUTHEASTERN, CENTRAL, AND SOUTH CENTRAL PA: CORN VERY UNEVEN .20 LOWER TO .15 HIGHER, WHEAT & BARCORN UNEVEN, MOSTLY STEADY, BARLEY STEADY TO STRONG, OATS STEADY, SOYBEANS VERY UNEVEN, .20 HIGHER TO .20 LOWER. PRICES PAID DELIVERED TO DELIVERS DOCK. ALL PRICES PER BUSHEL, EXCEPT EAR CORN PER TON.

SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 4.96-5.85 MOSTLY 5.25-5.75, AVERAGE 5.41, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.39-3.55; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 4.65-4.93, AVERAGE 4.74; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.10-3.75, AVERAGE 3.40; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.00-2.50, AVERAGE 2.29; SOYBEANS RANGE 7.30-7.99, AVERAGE 7.66, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 7.39-7.59; FEW REPORTED GRAIN SORGHUM #2 RANGE 4.90, AVERAGE 4.90, CONTRACT FOR HARVEST 3.30; EAR CORN RANGE 142.00-164.00, AVERAGE 154.77.

SOUTH CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.00-5.35, FEW REPORTED 5.50, AVERAGE 5.19; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 4.10-4.60, AVERAGE 4.38; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.25-3.60, AVERAGE 3.43; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.15-2.50, AVERAGE 2.24; SOYBEANS RANGE 7.25-7.75 FEW REPORTED 8.00, AVERAGE 7.55; EAR CORN RANGE 130.00-150.00, AVERAGE 139.29.

SOUTHEASTERN, CENTRAL & SOUTH CENTRAL SUMMARY
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.00-5.75, AVERAGE 5.37; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 4.20-4.95, AVERAGE 4.56; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.10-3.75; AVERAGE 3.41; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.00-2.50, AVERAGE 2.25; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE 7.25-7.99, AVERAGE 7.61; EAR CORN RANGE 126.00-164.00, AVERAGE 145.69.

CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.00-6.00 MOSTLY 5.20-5.70, AVERAGE 5.39; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 4.10-4.70, AVERAGE 4.33; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.15-3.60 FEW REPORTED 3.90, AVERAGE 3.43; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.00-2.60, AVERAGE 2.23; SOYBEANS NO. 1 RANGE FEW REPORTED 7.15-7.85, AVERAGE 7.53; EAR CORN RANGE 120.00-145.00, AVERAGE 133.50.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA
CORN NO. 2-Y RANGE 5.20-5.40 FEW REPORTED 4.90, AVERAGE 5.24; WHEAT NO. 2 RANGE 4.35-4.50, AVERAGE 4.43; BARLEY NO. 3 RANGE 3.39-3.40, AVERAGE 3.40; OATS NO. 2 RANGE 2.20-2.30 FEW REPORTED 2.00, AVERAGE 2.23; SOYBEANS RANGE FEW REPORTED 7.50, AVERAGE 7.50, EAR CORN RANGE FEW REPORTED 130.00-140.00, AVERAGE 135.00.

MONTH AGO
CORN NO. 2-Y 5.08; WHEAT NO. 2 4.33; BARLEY NO. 3 3.27; OATS NO. 2 2.18; SOYBEANS NO. 1 7.36; EAR CORN 144.64.

YEAR AGO
CORN NO. 2-Y 3.09; WHEAT NO. 2 3.84; BARLEY NO. 3 1.63; OATS NO. 2 1.43; SOYBEANS NO. 1 5.73; EAR CORN 82.64.

Regional Hay

August 26, 1996
Eastern, Pa.

HAY & STRAW MARKET FOR EASTERN PA - (ALL HAY NO. 2 AND BETTER. PRICES PAID BY DEALERS AT THE FARM & PER TON.) HAY AND STRAW STEADY TO 10.00 HIGHER.

ALFALFA 85.00-120.00; MIXED HAY 85.00-110.00 FEW REPORTED 120.00; TIMOTHY 80.00-110.00 FEW REPORTED 120.00; STRAW 55.00-75.00 FEW REPORTED 40.00; MULCH 25.00-35.00.

SUMMARY OF LANCASTER CO. HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 08/23/96. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 146 HAY, 25 STRAW & 22 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 80.00-137.00; MIXED HAY 75.00-167.00; TIMOTHY 102.00-171.00; STRAW 100.00-132.00; EAR CORN 165.00-177.00.

SUMMARY OF CENTRAL PA HAY AUCTIONS FOR WEEK ENDING 08/23/96. PRICES PER TON: LOADS: 72 HAY, 4 STRAW & 33 EAR CORN. ALFALFA 82.50-125.00; MIXED HAY 65.00-135.00; STRAW 50.00-95.00; EAR CORN 135.00-185.00.

Belleville Hay

Wednesday, Aug. 21
Belleville, PA

Report Supplied by Auction
ALFALFA HAY: 4 LOADS, 87.50-147.50.

MIXED HAY: 8 LOADS, 67.50-135.00.
CORN: 8 LOADS, 135.00-182.50.
OATS: 2.90 BU.

Vintage Hay (seas)

PARADISE, PA
AUGUST 27, 1996

Cattle Calves Sheep Goats

TODAY 578 975 0 10

LAST TUESDAY 611 910 0 0

LAST YEAR 547 929 6 6

CATTLE... USDA ... Supply included 28% slaughter steers and 67% cows ...sl. steers fully steady, sl. heifers scarce, cows uneven, Breaking Utility and Commercial steady, Canner and Cutter 1.00 to 1.50 lower, bulls not fully tested.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 2-3 few 4 1100/1450 lbs. 66.25-69.00, couple lots 69.00-69.50, Choice and Prime 2-3 1150/1450 lbs. 69.50-70.50, few 71.25-72.50, Choice and Prime 2-4 1100/1450 lbs. 68.60-70.60, one lot Choice mostly 3 1535 lbs. 54.25, Select and Low Choice 2-3 1075/1450 lbs. 62.00-62.50.

HOLSTEINS: Choice 2-3 1275/1500 lbs. 55.50-58.75, one lot 1810 lbs. 56.50, one lot Choice and Prime 2-3 1325 lbs. 62.25, Select 1-3 1200/1350 lbs. 50.00-55.75.

HEIFERS: one lot Select 2-3 1025 lbs. 54.00.

COWS: Breaking Utility and Commercial 2-3 bulk 35.50-40.00, high dressing 40.00-43.00, Cutter and Boning Utility 1-3 low dressing 31.00-33.00, bulk 33.00-37.00, high dressing 37.00-39.00, Canner and Low Cutter 1-2 low dressing 24.00-28.00, bulk 28.50-30.50.

BULLS: couple Yield Grade No. 1 1225/2020 lbs. 37.00-41.00.

CALVES... Vealers steady. Supply included 864 in graded sale of which 69% sold to return to farm.

VEALERS: High Good and Low Choice 120/160 lbs. 24.00-47.00, 80/110 lbs. 17.00-24.00, Standard and Low Good 65/85 lbs. 10.00-17.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: 20 head 120/125 lbs. Holstein bulls 45.00, 50 head 110/115 lbs. 52.00-55.00, 165 head 100/110 lbs. 63.00-69.00, 60 head 95 lbs. 45.00-50.00 and 60 head 90 lbs. 24.00-26.00, 30 head small frame 110/115 lbs. 25.00-38.00 and 85 head 90/105 lbs. 19.00-20.00; 40 head 90/110 lbs. Holstein heifers 125.00-148.00, 15 head small frame 90/110 lbs. 82.00-95.00 and 35 head 70/85 lbs. 25.00-32.00.

SHEEP...NO MARKET TEST!
GOATS...INSUFFICIENT VOLUME FOR A MARKET TEST!

Middleburg Hog Report

Middleburg, Pa.

August 26 and 27, 1996
Report supplied by PDA

376 HEAD. BARROWS AND GILTS 3.00 LOWER. US#1-2 220-260 LBS. 56.00-58.50; #1&3 210-260 LBS. 55.00-57.00.

SOWS: US#1-3 500-600 LBS. 47.00-50.00, 400-500 LBS. 45.00-48.00; MEDIUM 300-400 LBS. 43.00-45.00. BOARS: ALL WEIGHTS 38.00-40.50.

New Holland Hogs

NEW HOLLAND, PA
AUGUST 28, 1996

TODAY 420

LAST WEDNESDAY 582

LAST YEAR 580

TREND: Compared to last Wednesday feeder pigs 5.00-10.00 lower, although 65 percent of supply sold for slaughter. All pigs weighed on arrival and sold by the hundred weight.

WEIGHTED WEIGHTED HEAD WEIGHT PRICE AVERAGE PRICE US 1-2 40 40-44 78.00-92.00 42.45 79.73 US 2 35 22-27 55.00-70.00 24.31 62.09 28 31-37 76.00-80.00 32.71 78.87 16 40-43 70.00-74.00 42.63 73.53 20 50 66.00 50.00 66.00 9 93 72.00 93.00 72.00 SLAUGHTER 54 33-37 80.00-100.00 34.94 89.05 73 52-65 78.00-95.00 58.47 83.88 34 54-66 104.00-116.00 58.94 111.06 As is Pigs 18 51-66 72.00-80.00 56.50 75.51 ALL PIGS CONSIGNED TO WEDNESDAY FEEDER PIG SALE MUST ORIGINATE FROM A QUALIFIED NEGATIVE OR MONITORED HERD.

State Graded Feeder Pig Sale

Carlisle Livestock Market, Inc.
Friday, August 23, 1996

RESULTS ON 804 PIGS. TREND: COMPARED TO AUG. 9, PIGS WERE ACTIVE 5.00-15.00 HIGHER. ALL PIGS ARE FROM QUALIFIED OR MONITORED HERDS; THEY WERE WEIGHED ON ARRIVAL AND SOLD BY THE HUNDREDWEIGHT.

US#1&2: 594 HEAD. 102 HEAD 43-49 LBS. 86.00-93.00; 235 HEAD 50-59 LBS. 81.00-98.00; 212 HEAD 61-69 LBS. 79.00-90.00; 43 HEAD 70-79 LBS. 75.00-84.00; 2 HEAD 95-100 LBS. 60.00.

US#2: 182 HEAD. 10 HEAD 37-39 LBS. 96.00; 56 HEAD 41-49 LBS. 87.00-88.00; 69 HEAD 50-59 LBS. 74.00-98.00; 44 HEAD 63-70 LBS. 72.00-95.00; 3 HEAD 98-100 LBS. 61.00.

US#2-3: 4 HEAD 27-49 LBS. 50.00-70.00.

AS IS: 24 HEAD 40-75 LBS. 30.00-50.00.

NEXT STATE GRADED FEEDER PIG SALES FRIDAY, SEPT. 13 AND 27. RECEIVING FROM 7 A.M.-11 A.M. SALE 1:30 P.M. SHARP!

Indiana Hogs

SPRINGFIELD, IL
AUGUST 29, 1996

Barrows and Gilts: .50-1.00 Lower. Demand light to very light, with some interest out of the market and a moderate movement. Country Plants US 1-2 220-260 lbs. 54.50-56.00 Few 54.00 & 55.50-57.00 56.50 US 2-3 230-260 lbs. 47.50-54.00 210-230 lbs. 42.50-47.00 Sows: Steady to 1.00 Lower. US 1-3 300-450 lbs. 41.00-45.00 450-500 lbs. 45.00-49.00 500-650 lbs. 49.00-50.00 Few 51.00 Boars: 38.00-40.00 Preliminary estimate: 38,000 * Receipts have changed due to change in reporting base.

Lancaster Hogs

Lancaster Stockyards

Wednesday, August 28, 1996

Report supplied by USDA

HOG MARKET TODAY 1213 HEAD; LAST WEDNESDAY 1003; LAST YEAR 23.

BARROWS AND GILTS: COMPARED TO MONDAY 1.00-1.50 HIGHER.

US#1-2 225-260 LBS. 59.00-60.00.

US#1-3 220-265 LBS. 58.00-58.50; 195-210 LBS. 49.00-50.00.

New Holland Sales Stables

Goat and Sheep Sale

Monday, August 26, 1996

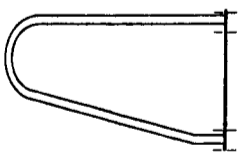
GOATS: 728 HEAD. BILLIES 60.00-90.00 AND 90.00-140.00; NANNIES 40.00-70.00; MUTTON 60.00-90.00; YEARLINGS 45.00-70.00; KIDS 20.00-30.00 AND 30.00-40.00.

SHEEP: 513. ALL WEIGHTS, SLAUGHTER EWES 25.00-50.00; SLAUGHTER RAMS 25.00-40.00; 1 YEAR OLDS 40.00-70.00; 2 YEAR OLDS 30.00-50.00.

LAMBS: 50-80 LBS. 100.00-110.00, FEW 90.00-100.00; 80-100 LBS. 80.00-110.00; 100-130 LBS. 75.00-85.00.

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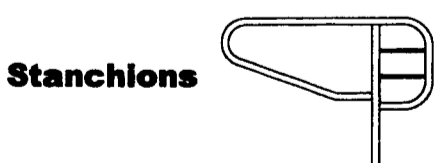
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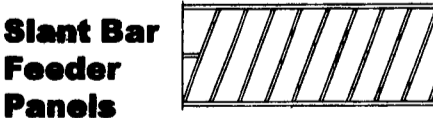
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