N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

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PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS

DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES:

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MAINE	1:12.	1.07	.93	.75
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1.05-1.09	1.02-1.06	.8690	.6872
MOSTLY	1.07-1.08	1.04-1.05	.8889	.7071
RHODE ISLAND	1.08-1.12	1.03-1.07	.8993	.7175
MOSTLY	1.08	1.03	.89	.71
VERMONT	1.12-1.15	1.07-1.10	.9396	,
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National Egg Market

MARCH 19, 1997 Prices were unchanged to higher on large sizes in the Bast and Midwest, unchanged on the balance. The market tone ranged from steady to firm. Demand was moderate to very good, mostly good. Supplies were tight to fully adequate with extra product held with confidence. Breaking stock supplies were adequate to instances barely adequate for the light to moderate demand, and prices were unchanged under a steady to fully steady trade sentiment.

. Heinsey's Poultry Roots, East Petersburg Tuesday, March 18, 1997 Report supplied by USDA Muscovy Ducks, Drakes: 1.04-1.32.

Muscoy Ducks, Hens 1.00-1.20. Pekin Ducks .70-.98. Red Fowl: 4-4.5# .40-.66, 5-6# .60-.00. Crossbred Fowl 5-9# .30-.74. Crossbred Roosters 4-6#.50-1.10, 7-11# .50-1.10.

Guinea Fowl 1.60-1.95. Banty Roosters 3.00-6.00 each. Banty Hens 2.50-4.00 each. Leghorn Hens .18-.32. Leghorn Roosters .10-.24. Silkies 2.50-3.00 ca. Goese 9-14# .10-.34. Pigeons 2.50-3.15 ca White Pigeons 4.75-6.00 ca. Rabbits 4-6# 1.20-1.54, 7-11# 1.20-1.48. Bunnies 2.00-8.00 ca Guinea Pigs 1.00-4.00 ea. Goats 40.00-52.00 ea. Kid Goats 21.00-42.00 ca. Doves 3.00-6.00 ca. Chukars, not enough. Pullets 4-6 lbs. .60-.82. Dwarf Bunnies 7.00-10.00.

NE Chicken Pts 1&2

MARCH 19, 1997

Trucklot buying activity was limited as dealers were cautious and attempted to work with minimal floor stocks. offerings were for the most part, fully sufficient to handle the current trade interest. Demand was sluggish and about typical for the latter part of the month. The market tone was barely steady to weak in instances. PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE

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New York Egg Market MARCH 19, 1997

Prices were higher for large and extra large. The market tone was fully steady to firm. Demand continued to range from moderate to good, mostly good. Supplies for current needs were usually adequate and extra eggs were held with confidence for the Baster holiday.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CAR-TONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE EXTRA LARGE 90-92 LARGE 87-90 MEDIUM

Weekly New York Egg Market **Northeast Quotes**

	From	From March 15-20			
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	
WHITE					
JUMBO	.94	.94	.95	.96	.99
EX. LARGE	.91	.91	.93	.95	.99
LARGE	.88	.88	.90	.92	.96
MEDIUM	.79	.79	.78	.80	.84
PULLETS	.64	.64	.64	.64	.64
OFF GRADE	.76	.76	.76	.76	.76
BROWN					
EXTRA LARGE	.93	.93	.93	.93	.92
LARGE	.91	.91	.91	.91	.90
MEDIUM	.77	.77	.77	.77	.77
UNDERGRADES					
AND CHECKS	.34	.34	.34	.34	.34

BREAKING STOCKS: FRI. 42-44 LBS. .40-.42, 48-50 LBS. .47-.49, 50 LBS. AND UP .50-.51; THURS. 42-44 LBS. .41-.43, 48-50 LBS. .47-.50, 50 LBS. AND

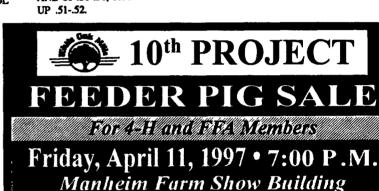
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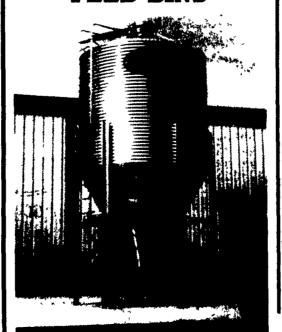
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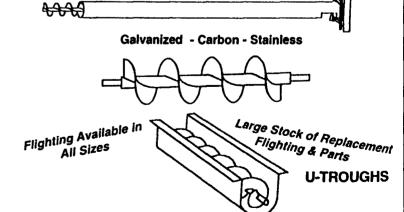
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