

New York Egg Market

JULY 9, 1997

rices were higher for large and extra large and unchanged for mediums. The market tone was firm for larger eggs and steady for mediums. Demand was light to good, best where retail features were in progress and into resort areas. Supplies were tight to adequate for larger sizes and adequate to fully adequate for lighter weight eggs.

PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE A, WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CENTS PER DOZEN. RANGE EXTRA LARGE 77-79 LARGE 74-77 MEDIUM 52-55

Delmarva Broiler

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Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was light to fair with the bulk of activity due to previous commitments. Offerings were fully sufficient for current requirements. Live supplies were at least moderate; weights remained mixed and irregular in a full range of light to heavy. Processing schedules were moderate to heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 63 to 77 cents. Trade sentiment was about steady. Wings continued to clear well. Breast items were fully adequate to ample for the cautious buying interest. Leg quarters were irregularly balanced and were clearing satisfactorily at most points.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000) ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 07/09 07/07 07/07 07/02 06/30 2,455 2,463 4.82 2,463 4.88 *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 63-79 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 66.94 NO. OF BOXES 7,795 *7 of 9 plants reporting.

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Roots, East Petersburg

Tuesday, July 8, 1997

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Rabbits 4-6# .40-.92, 7-11# .60-.96.

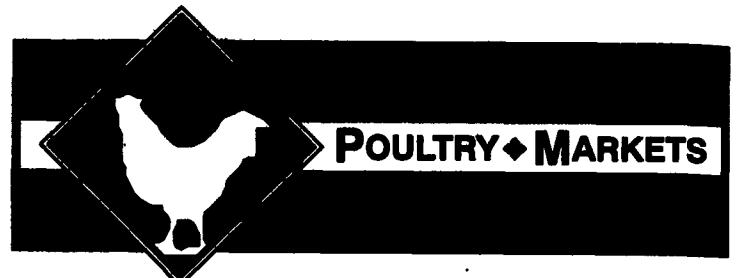
Bunnies .50-2.00 ea.

Guinea Pigs .75-3.75 ea.

Kid Goats 21.00-28.00 ea.

240 coops.

FEATHERED FRIENDS ARE BEING ACCEPTED AT THE GREEN DRAGON LIVESTOCK AUCTION, EPHRATA, PA. RECEIVING TIME NOON-7 P.M.



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 | 1.08 | .98 | .76 | .59 |
| NEW HAMPSHIRE | 1.01-1.05 | .91-.95 | .69-.73 | .52-.56 |
| MOSTLY | 1.03-1.04 | .93-.94 | .71-.72 | .54-.55 |
| RHODE ISLAND | 1.04-1.08 | .94 | .72-.76 | .55-.59 |
| MOSTLY | 1.04 | .94 | .72 | .55 |
| VERMONT | 1.10-1.11 | 1.00-1.01 | .79 | |
| MOSTLY | 1.11 | 1.01 | | |

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