

**NY Phil
Frozen Eggs
ATLANTA, GA.
MARCH 13, 1998**

EASTERN REGION FROZEN EGGS, MARCH 13, 1998. FEDERAL-STATE
Whole egg prices were mixed, but mostly higher, and the balance of prices were unchanged. The market tone was steady to instances firm. Demand was light to fair, and generally for immediate needs only. Floor stocks were adequate. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection for the week ending March 7, 1998 in the Eastern Region were 3% more than the week before, and 4% more than the same week last year.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CONTAINERS)

TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE MOSTLY RANGE
WHOLE 49.5-53 52 53-62 BLENDS (f)
TFEWR 63-75 WHITES 36-40 37-38
40-50 SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 78-81 79-80 81-92 SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 74-77 76 77-86

(f) - WHOLE PLUS YOLK PLUS SWEETENER, GENERALLY 28-32% EGG SOLIDS.

**NE Chicken
Parts 1&2
ATLANTA, GA.
MARCH 19, 1998**

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS - PART I FEDERAL-STATE

Trucklot buying activity was light with dealers looking to the weekend for improved activity. Offerings were often noted as limited and occasionally short on bone-in breast, tight but usually adequate

on boneless skinless breast, fully adequate to ample on dark meat with leg quarters and thighs often forced for sale. Demand was lackluster. The market tone was highly unsettled and cautious.

PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED AND CO2 PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES.

ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING*

BREAST - B/S 165-170 BREAST - WITH RIBS 83-84 BREAST - LINE RUN 83 LEGS 40-41 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 26-27 DRUMSTICKS 34-35 THIGHS 31-32 WINGS (WHOLE) 73-74 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 12-14 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 20-25 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 45-50

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY METROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG). * TODAY'S NEGOTIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

**Delmarva Broiler
ATLANTA, GA
MARCH 19, 1998**

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds remained seasonally light to fair in most quarters. Seller offerings were fully sufficient for current inquiry. Live supplies were mostly moderate; weights varied, but were mostly desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were moderate to moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 52 to 66 cents. Trade sentiment was steady to fully steady. In the parts complex, breast items were adequate

to short. Leg quarters and thighs were in excess at several points. Wings remained in generally good balance.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 03/19 03/17 03/17 03/12 03/10

2,365 2,376 4.96 2,363 4.93
*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 50-66 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 56.04 NO. OF BOXES 8,030
*6 of 9 plants reporting.

Belleville Poultry

Belleville, Pa.

Wednesday, March 18, 1998

Report supplied by Auction

Geese: 1.00-3.00 ea.
Turkeys: 8.00-14.00 ea.
Guineas: 5.00 ea.
Roosters: 4.00-8.00 ea.
Bantams: .50-3.00 ea.
Heavy hens: 2.00-3.00 ea.
Silkies: 2.00-3.50 ea.
Muscovy hens: 5.00-7.00 ea.
Muscovy drakes: 9.00-17.00 ea.
Mixed ducks: 4.25 ea.
Barn pigeons: 1.00-2.75 ea.
White birds: 4.75 ea.
Fancy birds: 12.00 ea.
Peacocks: none.
Pheasants: none.
Doves: 3.00 ea.
Quail: none.
Guinea Pigs: 2.00-3.75 ea.
Rabbits: under 4 lbs. .50-7.50 ea., 4-6 lbs. 4.40-6.60 ea., over 6 lbs. 8.00-9.50 ea.

For more information phone 717-242-2898.

Our Easter bunny sale will be Wed., March 25, at 1 p.m.

**New York
Egg Market
ATLANTA, GA.
MARCH 19, 1998**

NEW YORK EGGS, MARCH 19, 1998. FEDERAL-STATE

Prices were unchanged. The market tone was generally no better than steady. Demand was light to moderate for the adequate to fully adequate offerings.

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 85-87
LARGE 82-85 MEDIUM 65-68

Kirkwood Hay Auction

Kirkwood, Pa.

Tuesday, March 17, 1998

Report Supplied by Auction

121 LOADS OF HAY.
MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 83.00-167.00, 2ND 135.00-155.00.
TIMOTHY: 137.00-182.00.
ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 140.00-196.00, 2ND CUTTING 157.00-227.00, 3RD CUTTING 125.00-222.00, 4TH 141.00-230.00.
CLOVER: 142.00-150.00.
GRASS: 86.00-164.00.
WHEAT STRAW: 102.00-117.00.
BARLEY STRAW: 101.00-107.00.
OAT STRAW: 87.00-115.00.
RYE STRAW: 114.00.
SALE DAYS, TUESDAYS, 11 A.M.

**North Jersey
Market**

Hackettstown, N.J.

Report Supplied by Auction

Tuesday, March 17, 1998

Hay—Straw & Grain Report

ALFALFA: 6 LOTS, 2.00-4.25 BALE. MIXED HAY: 12 LOTS, 1.60-2.60 BALE.
TIMOTHY: 6 LOTS, 2.00-3.10 BALE. GRASS: 14 LOTS, 1.70-3.10 BALE. WHEAT STRAW: 4 LOTS, 1.50-1.80. EAR CORN: 2 LOTS, 1.50 AND 3.00 BAG.
GROUND CORN: 1 LOT AT 4.50 BAG.
OATS: 1 LOT, 3.00 AND 6.50 BAG. SHELLED CORN: 3 LOTS, 1.75-3.25 BAG.
FIREWOOD: 17.00 LOAD. 50 LOTS TOTAL.

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Walter M. Dunlap and Sons recommends that all lambs & kid goats for the Christian Easter trade be consigned either:
Monday, **March 30**
or
Monday, **April 6**
since Easter is April 12.
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