

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

June 2, 1998

Report Supplied by USDA

PRICES PAID PER DOZEN GRADE "A" BROWN EGGS IN CARTONS DELIVERED TO RETAIL STORES:

	EX. LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MAINE	1.02	.91	.64	.48
NEW HAMPSHIRE	.95-.99	.84-.88	.57-.61	.41-.45
MOSTLY	.97-.98	.86-.87	.59-.60	.43-.44
RHODE ISLAND	.98-1.02	.87-.91	.60-.64	.43-.44
MOSTLY	.98	.87	.60	.44
VERMONT	1.03-1.05	.93-.94	.67-.69	
MOSTLY	1.05	.94	.67	

Heinsey's Poultry

Roots, East Petersburg
 Tuesday, June 2, 1998
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 Muscovy duck drakes 2.00-2.12, hens, 1.90-2.06.
 Peking ducks .50-.74.
 Red fowl 4-4 1/2 .40-.64, 5-6 lbs. .60-.82.
 Crossbred fowl 5-9 lbs. .50-.84.
 Crossbred roosters 4-6 lbs. .60-1.04, 7-11 lbs. .40-.98.
 Guinea fowl .80-1.35.
 Banty roosters 3.00-6.75 ea., hens 1.00-3.75.
 Leghorn hens .12-.20.
 Leghorn Roosters .20-.48
 Silkies 2.00-3.50 ea.
 Geese 9-14 lbs. .10-.18.
 Pigeons 2.50-3.25 ea.
 White pigeons 4.00-5.00 ea.
 Rabbits 4-6 lbs. .70-1.08, 7-11 lbs. .70-.96.
 Bunnies .50-1.50 ea.
 Guinea pigs .50-6.00 ea.
 Goats, not enough.
 Kid goats 25.00-38.00 ea.
 Doves 2.00-3.50.
 Chukars, not enough.
 Pullets .60-.74.
 Total coops 848.

Weekly New York Egg Market Northeast Quotes Prices Supplied by Urner-Barry

	From May 29-June 4				
	FRI.	MON.	TUES.	WED.	THURS.
WHITE					
JUMBO	.83	.83	.86	.86	.88
EX. LARGE	.75	.75	.77	.77	.79
LARGE	.69	.69	.70	.70	.71
MEDIUM	.48	.48	.47	.47	.47
PULLETS	.41	.41	.41	.41	.41
BROWN					
EXTRA LARGE	.73	.73	.75	.75	.75
LARGE	.66	.66	.68	.68	.68
MEDIUM	.52	.52	.52	.52	.52
UNDERGRADES AND CHECKS	.20	.20	.20	.20	.20

BREAKING STOCKS: MON. 42-44 LBS. .25-.27, 48-50 LBS. .33-.35, 50 LBS. AND UP .35-.36; TUES. 50 LBS. AND UP .35-.37; THURS. 48-50 LBS. .35-.37, 50 LBS. AND UP .37-.39.

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Delmarva Broiler

ATLANTA, GA
 JUNE 03, 1998
 DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE
 Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds continued to slow and was light and unaggressive. Offerings were adequate to ample on the heavier sizes; adequate and generally in good balance on the smaller sizes. Live supplies were mostly moderate; weights were desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 65 to 79 cents. Trade sentiment was steady at best. In the parts complex, all items were at least adequate. Demand for most items was light and selective.
 ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA (000)
 ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT
 06/03 06/01 06/01 05/27 05/25
 2,488 2,205 5.02 2,518 5.20
 *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 63-89 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 69.42 NO. OF BOXES 6,879
 *7 of 9 plants reporting.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.
 Report Supplied by Auction
 Tuesday, June 2, 1998
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 HEAVY FOWL .50-1.35.
 LEGHORN FOWL .55-.75.
 MIXED FOWL .20-1.60.
 BROILERS .50-70 LB.
 CHICKS .40-1.70 EA.
 GEESE EA. .25-4.00, .55 LB.
 BANTAMS 1.50-4.00 EA.
 ROOSTERS .45-1.35 LB., 4.00 EA.
 BUNNIES 1.50-9.75 EA.
 DUCKLINGS 2.00-3.00 EA.
 DUCKS .60-2.25 LB.
 RABBITS .60-1.15 LB.
 PIGEONS 2.00-6.00 EA.
 GUINEAS 3.00-10.25 EA.
 GRADE A EGGS: WHITE EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .74-.85, LARGE .65-.72, MEDIUM .40-.45, BROWN EXTRA LARGE & JUMBO .65-.85, LARGE .50-.70, MEDIUM .40-.45.

Belleville Poultry

Belleville, Pa.
 Wednesday, June 3, 1998
 Report supplied by Auction
 Geese: 3.00 ea.
 Turkeys: 14.00-19.00 ea.
 Guineas: 5.00 ea.
 Roosters: 3.50-7.50 ea.
 Bantams: 1.00-3.00 ea.
 Heavy hens: 3.00-5.00 ea.
 Silkies: none.
 Muscovy hens: 8.50 ea.
 Muscovy drakes: 16.00 ea.
 Mixed ducks: 5.50 ea.
 Barn pigeons: 2.00-2.50 ea.
 White birds: 4.00 ea.
 Fancy birds: 9.00 ea.
 Peacocks: 16.00-21.00 ea.
 Pheasants: 5.00-7.00 ea.
 Doves: 12.50 ea.
 Quail: none.
 Guinea Pigs: 2.00-5.00 ea.
 Rabbits: under 4 lbs. 1.00-3.00 ea., 4-6 lbs. 3.00-5.50 ea., over 6 lbs. 4.00-11.00 ea.
 For more information phone 717-242-2898.

North Atlantic Shell Eggs

June 4, 1998
 Atlanta, Ga.
 PRICES IN PHILADELPHIA WERE UNCHANGED TO ONE CENT HIGHER ON LARGE SIZES AND UNCHANGED ON MEDIUMS; BALANCE OF AREAS WERE UNCHANGED. UNDERTONE WAS MIXED AND IRREGULAR. SUPPLIES OF LARGER SIZES WERE IN CLOSE BALANCE AND IN THE BEST POSITION, MEDIUMS WERE FULLY ADEQUATE TO AMPLE FOR TRADE NEEDS. DEMAND WAS LIGHT TO OCCASIONALLY GOOD. BREAKING STOCK DEMAND WAS LIGHT FOR ADEQUATE OFFERINGS. OFFERINGS OF SPENT HENS WERE SLIGHTLY LESS THAN A WEEK EARLIER BUT STILL FULLY ADEQUATE TO AMPLE FOR PROCESSOR NEEDS.
 PHILADELPHIA: PRICES TO RETAILERS, SALES TO VOLUME BUYERS, USDA GRADE A AND GRADE B WHITE EGGS IN CARTONS, DELIVERED STORE DOOR, CBNTS PER DOZEN: EXTRA LARGE .64-.69; LARGE .62-.67; MEDIUM .41-.44.

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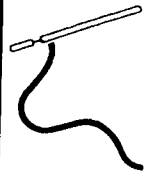
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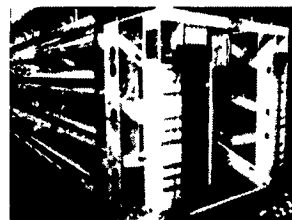
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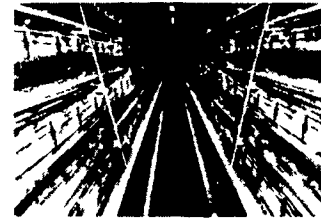
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