Delmarva **Broiler** ATLANTA, GA. **AUGUST 02, 1999**

DELMARVA BROILER/FRYER

MARKET. FEDERAL-STATE Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was generally noted as light to fair for delivery of fill-in needs, cautious thereafter. Offerings were readily available on the smaller sizes; adequate to short on the over 3 pound sizes. Live supplies were at least moderate; weights were light to heavy, mostly light to desirable. Processing schedules was moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 48 to 60 cents. Trade sentiment was steady but cautious. In the parts complex, machine cut wings were readily available and difficult to place. Other items were at least adequate but were generally under less pressure to sell.

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DELMARVA

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 08/02 07/29 07/29 07/26 07/22 2,410 2,476 4.95 2.442 5.04

*BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMMEDI-ATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIPMENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA

BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE 46-66 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 52.27 NO. OF BOXES 6,893

*6 of 8 plants reporting.

NE Chicken Parts 1&2 ATLANTA, GA. **AUGUST 03, 1999**

NORTHEAST BROILER/FRYER PARTS - PART I FEDERAL-STATE

Trucklot buying interest improved as most dealers began to work beyond current trades and build inventories. Offerings were less available compared to last week, but generally satisfied buyers' needs. Retail and distributive movement was stimulated somewhat by attractive promotional activity, but overall, was only moderate at best. The market tone was cautiously steady.

PRICES PAID PER POUND, ICE PACKED AND CO2 PACKED BROILER/FRYER PARTS, DELIV-ERED TO FIRST RECEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUAN-TITIES.

ITEM CURRENT NEGOTIATED TRADING*

BREAST - B/S 135-145 TENDER-LOINS 130-135 BREAST - WITH RIBS 57-58 BREAST - LINE RUN 57 LEGS 27-28 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 16-17 **DRUMSTICKS 30-31 THIGHS 17-18 B/S** THIGHS 70-71 WINGS (WHOLE) 48-49 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 30-35 GIZZARDS (HÈARTS) 40-45

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY MET-ROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CON-NECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHEAST OF HARRISBURG). * TODAY'S NEGO-TIATED SALES AS OF 11:30 A.M.

E. PA & NJ **Poultry** ATLANTA, GA.

AUGUST 02, 1999 SOUTHEAST HEAVY LIVE HEN REPORT, AUGUST 2, 1999. FEDERAL-

Majority prices were unchanged when compared to a week earlier. Demand was light to occasionally moderate for fully adequate to ample offerings. Undertone was cautiously steady.

HEAVY TYPE HENS (7 POUNDS AND UP)

FINAL PRICE, CENTS PER LB. GENERALLY FOR SLAUGHTER THE

WEEK OF 02-AUG-99 RANGE MAJORITY WTD AVG AT FARM BUYER LOADING 8-18.5 CENTS/LB. 16-17 15.25 AT FARM PRO-DUCER LOADING TOO FEW TO REPORT FOB PLANT TOO FEW TO

* WEIGHTS UNDER 7 LBS. SUB-JECT TO DISCOUNT.

National Egg Market ATLANTA, GA **AUGUST 04, 1999**

NATIONAL EGG MARKET - AT A GLANCE

In Chicago and the Eastern Region, prices were unchanged to sharply lower on all sizes. Elsewhere, prices were unchanged. The market tone ranged barely steady to weak, mostly weak. Retail demand was generally slow to fair with limited feature activity noted throughout the country. Supplies of jumbo eggs remained close, however, the balance of sizes were at least adequate to ample with the large and smaller eggs in the longest positions. Breaking stock supplies were fully sufficient from regular sources, and most trading continued to center around the atractively priced lighter weight product. Light type hens were fully adequate to ample for immediate slaughter requirements.

Belleville Poultry

Believille, Pa.

Wednesday, August 4, 1999 Report Supplied By Auction

Turkeys: 3.00-7.00 ea. Guineas: 5.00-6.00 ea. Roosters: 3.00-6.00 ca. Bantams: 1.00-3.00 ca. Heavy hens: 1.50-4.00 ea. Silkies: 1.75 ca. Muscovy hens: 5.50 ea. Muscovy drakes: 7.50 ea. Mixed ducks: 2.50 ca. Barn pigeons: 2.25 ea. White birds: 2.25 ca. Fancy birds: 25.00 ea. Peacocks: chicks 3.00 ea. Pheasants: chicks 5.00. Doves: 9.00 ea.

Geese: 2.00-3.00 ca.

Quail: none. Guinea Pigs: 4.00-7.50 ca. Rabbits: under 4 lbs. 1.50-5.50 ea., 4-6 lbs. 3.00-5.00 ea., over 6 lbs. 5.00-8.00 ea. For more information phone

717-242-2898.

NY Phil Frozen Eggs ATLANTA, ĞĂ

JULY 30, 1999 EASTERN REGION FROZEN EGGS,

JULY 30, 1999. FEDERAL-STATE Prices were mostly unchanged to higher on whole egg, and unchanged on the balance. Trade sentiment was mixed, but

generally steady. Demand was usually light. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending July 24, 1999 were 3% less than last week, and 7% less than the same week a year ago. Shell egg supplies were adequate from regular sources.

WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES (CENTS PER POUND IN 30 LB. CON-TAINERS)

TRUCKLOTS LTL (MIN. 25 CONT.) RANGE MOSTLY RANGE

WHOLE 44-49 44-46 50-54 BLENDS (f) TFEWR 50-65 WHITES 38-42 40-42 43-54 SUGARED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 52-57 53-55 58-64 SALTED YOLKS (MIN 43% SOLIDS) 49-54 50-53 55-62

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

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J. Report Supplied by Auction Tuesday, August 3, 1999 Report Supplied by Auction HEAVY FOWL: 3.25 EA., .45-1.00 LB. MIXED FOWL: .50-1.55 LB. ROASTERS: .25-.40 LB. GEESE .35 LB. BANTAMS: .50-.75 EA., .40-.75 LB. ROOSTERS: 2.00-5.00 EA., .45-1.50

BUNNIES .75-1.25 EA. DUCKS: 3.00 EA., .40-.75 LB.

RABBITS: 1.50 EA., .15-1.15 LB. PIGEONS 1.00-3.50 EA. **GUINEAS 4.00-10.00 EA.** GRADE A EGGS: WHITE JUMBO EX. LRGE. .80-.99, LRGE. .60-.85, MEDIUM .27-.35; BROWN, JUMBO, EX. LRGE. .70-.85, LARGE .50-.70, MEDIUM

Dewart Hay & Livestock Dewart, Pa.

Monday, August 2, 1999 Report Supplied by Auction STEERS: 55.00-63.75. HEIFERS: TOO FEW TO QUOTE. GOOD COWS: 30.00-42.50. CANNERS AND CUTTERS: 20.00-30.00. BULLS: 45.00-49.50. VEAL 90-190 LBS. 100.00-280.00, 70-90 LBS. 25.00-100.00.

HOGS: 220-240 LBS. 30.00-30.75. SOWS: 19.00-22.00. FEEDER PIGS: TOO FEW TO OUOTE.

HAY: 5 LOADS, 100.00-175.00. CORN: 4 LOADS, 70.00-85.00.

OATS: 2 LOADS, 1.85-2.40 BU.

Kirkwood Hay Auction

Kirkwood, Pa.

Tuesday, August 3 Report Supplied By Auction 44 LOADS.

MIXED HAY: 1ST CUTTING 59.00-154.00; 2ND CUTTING 85.00-95.00.

TIMOTHY: 90.00-160.00. ALFALFA: 1ST CUTTING 95.00-118.00, 2ND 118.00-129.00, 3RD

132.00-220.00. GRASS: 87.00-160.00. WHEAT STRAW: 60.00-116.00. RYE STRAW: 63.00-85.00. OAT STRAW: 60.00-61.00. SALE DAYS TUES., 10 A.M. PRODUCE TUESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, 10 A.M.

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