Belleville Poultry Belleville, Pa. Report Supplied by Auction

Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000 GEESE: 3.00 EA. TURKEYS: 4.00 EA. **GUINEAS: 2.50-5.00 EA.** ROOSTERS: 3.50-5.50 EA. BANTAMS: 1.50-2.50 EA. **HEAVY HENS 1.25-3.50 EA.** SILKIES 2.50 EA. MUSCOVY HENS: 3.00 EA. MUSCOVY DRAKES: 5.00 EA. MIXED DUCKS: 2.00-4.00 EA. BARN PIGEONS: .75-1.25 EA. WHITE BIRDS: .60 EA. FANCY BIRDS: 2.25 EA. PEACOCKS: NONE. PHEASANTS: 8.00 EA. DOVES: NONE. QUAIL: NONE. GUINEA PIGS: .10-.25 EA.

RABBITS: UNDER 4 LBS. .50-2.00 EA., 4-6 LBS. 2.00-3.00 EA., OVER 6 LBS. 3.00-5.00 EA.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PHONE 717-242-2898.

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer ATLANTA, GA. Sept. 20, 2000 Report Supplied By USDA

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds slowed on all sizes. Seller offerings were readily available, particularly on the heavier sizes. Live supplies were moderate; weights were light to heavy, mostly desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were 1 cent lower at 54 to 68 cents. Trade sentiment was barely steady to weak. In the parts complex, Wings continued to clear well. Gizzards and Livers were in tight supply. Other cuts, particularly bone-in and boneless skinless breasts had increased in availability and were difficult

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER RYERS IN DELMARVA (000)

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 091/40 091/48 091/48 091/43 091/41

2,402 2,362 5.17 2,419 5.14

BROILER/FRYER CURRENT NEGOTIATED PRICES FOR IMME-DIATE DELIVERY INCLUDES MOSTLY MULTIPLE-DROP SHIP-MENTS OF BRANDED AND WING TAGGED TO NEW YORK CITY FROM DELMARVA

BRANDED U.S. GRADE A RANGE 42-70 WEIGHTED AVERAGE 57.19 NO. OF BOXES 10,128

7 of 8 plants reporting.

North Atlantic Shell Egg Market

Atlanta, GA Sept. 21, 2000 Report Supplied By USDA

In the Southern region, prices were one cent higher on all sizes except medium which were unchanged. Otherwise, prices were unchanged to higher on the larger sizes and unchanged on the balance of sizes. Trade sentiment ranged steady to instances firm. Demand was light to fairly good, mostly moderate and was best where features stimulated additional movement. Supplies remained adequate to in close balance. Breaking stock supplies continued balanced to adequate. Demand for additional products was light. Light type fowl satisfied current slaughter schedules.

Morrison's Cove **Poultry & Rabbit**

Martinsburg, Pa. Report Supplied by Auction Monday, September 18, 2000 ROOSTERS 2.25-6.00.

BANTY ROOSTERS 1.00-3.75. HEAVY HENS 1.00-3.50. BANTY HENS .50-3.00. PIGEONS 1.50-3.10. **GUINEAS 4.00-5.50.** DUCKS 2.00-4.25. **MUSCOVY DRAKES 5.00.** BUNNIES .25-3.75. RABBITS 1.50-6.25. PEACOCKS 25.00. TURKEYS 5.00. **AUCTION EVERY MON., 7:30 P.M.**

Dewart Hay Dewart, Pa.

Report Supplied By Auction Monday, Sept. 18, 2000 HAY: 10 LOTS, 52,50-85,00. CORN: 3 LOTS, 67.50-80.00. OATS: 2 LOTS, 1.65-2.20 BU.

Daily National Grain Market **Summary** St. Joseph, MO

Sept. 20, 2000 Report Supplied By USDA

Rains halted combines many places but harvest off t a very early start and farmers not stressed out yet. Wheat 1 to 2 cents higher. Corn steady to 6 cents higher. Sorghum 1 cent higher. Soybeans 3 to 9 cents higher.

Producers and elevators needed a little break to service machinery and elevate transporting problems. Early yield reports varied considerably and for the most part, a little below expectations. Moisture contents of both beans and corn below discount levels and no premiums payed for lower measurements. Small export announcements today but most foreign and domestic buyers fell that prices will get even lower with full harvest pressure. Senate voted to permanently normalize trade with China, hoping to open it to American products and improve export business with this

EXPORT SALES: PURCHASER COMMODITY TONNAGE DELIV-ERY DATE Taiwan Corn 20,000 Oct Taiwan Soybeans 10,000 Oct

DATE CHANGE YEAR AGO TRUCK BIDS: 09/20/00 09/19/00 09/22/99 Wheat: Kansas City (HRW ORD) 2.76 Dn 2 2.47-2.52 Minneapolis (DNS 14pct) 3.01 1/4 Up 1 3.18 1/2 Portland (SWW) 2.77-2.79 Up 2 3.27-3.31 St. Louis (SRW) 1.96-1.98 Up 2-1 2.35-2.36

Corn, US 2 Yellow: Kansas City 1.54-1.56 Up 1 1.74-1.76 Minneapolis 1.43 Up 3/4 1.68 1/4 So. Iowa 1.45-1.53 Up 6-3 1.70-1.80 Omaha 1.46-1.47 Unch 1.64-1.67 Soybeans, US 1 Yellow: Kansas City 4.74 Up 4 4.70 Minneapolis 4.39 1/2 Up 6 34 4.49 14 So. Iowa 4.43-4.53 1/2 Up 9 4.51-4.60 Cent II Processors 4.72 1/2-4.77 1/2 Up 3 3/4 4.68 1/4-4.81 1/4 Minneapolis truck wheat - to arrive 20 days

FUTURES: Kansas City (Dec) Wheat 2.96 1/4 Dn 1 1/4 2.92 Minneapolis (Dec) Wheat 3.07 1/4 Up 1 3.28 1/2 Chicago (Dec) Wheat 2.49 1/4 Up 1/2 2.69 1/4 Chicago (Dec) Corn 1.88 Up 3/4 2.10 1/4 Chicago (Nov) Soybeans 4.87 1/2 Up 3 3/4 4.85

EXPORT BIDS: Barge or rail, Port of New Orleans or North Texas Gulf. Bids per bushel except sorghum per cwt.

US 1 HRW Wheat, Ord Protein: 3.14 1/4-3.21 1/4 Dn 1 1/4-1/4 2.95-3.02 US 2 Soft Red Winter Wheat: 2.63 3/4-2.66 3/4 Up 1/2-2 1/2 2.69 3/4-2.75 1/4 US No 2 Yellow Corn: 2.00 1/2-2.01 Dn 2 1/4-3/4 2.18 1/4-2.19 3/4 US 2 Yellow Sorghum Rail 3.65-3.77 Up 2-5 3.58 Barge 3.70-3.78 Up 2-1 3.47-3.58 US 1 Yellow Soybeans: 5.04 1/2-5.06 1/2 Up 4 1/4-5 1/4 5.05 1/4-5.08 1/4.

Belleville **Livestock Auction** Belleville, Pa.

Wednesday, Sept. 20, 2000 Report Supplied By PDA CATTLE 319...(PDA).

COWS: Breakers 75-80% lean 39.50-43.25, Boners 80-85% lean 36.50-41.50, few low dressing down to 34.00, Lean 85-90% lean 30.00-39.25. Shells down to

BULLS: couple Yield Grade 2 1095 & 1210 lbs 37.25 & 45.75.

FEEDER CATTLE: HEIFERS: Medium 1-2 230-370 lbs 51.00-79.00, Large 1-2 775-800 lbs 57.50-60.00.

CALVES 71...VEALERS: Standard and Good 80-110 lbs 30.00-52.50, Utility 50-100 lbs 14.00-29.00.

FARM CALVES: No 1 Holstein bulls 95-125 lbs 120.00-152.50, 85-90 lbs 82.50-100.00, No 2 80-105 lbs 50.00-110.00, 70-75 lbs 40.00-60.00; one No 1 Holstein heifers 100 lbs 380.00, few No 2 70-80 lbs 165.00-215.00.

Few beef type bulls and heifers 75-90 lbs 100.00-200.00.

HOGS 12...BARROWS AND GILTS: one lot 5 head 45-50% lean 260 lbs 35.00. SOWS: couple US 1-3 550 & 650 lbs 30.00 & 31.00, one Medium 235 lbs

19.00. BOARS. 240-535 lbs 9.00-12.00.

FEEDER PIGS 45...US 1-3 20-30 lbs 8.00-13.00, 35-50 lbs 18.00-41.00. - per

SHEEP 21...SLAUGHTER LAMBS: Choice 60-80 lbs 74.00-86.00, 90-105 lbs 74.00-79.00.

SLAUGHTER SHEEP: 25.00-42.00. GOATS 26...(All goats sold by the head).Large Billies 74.00-120.00, Large Nannies 40.00-55.00, Medium 38.00-40.00, Large Kids 20.00-49.00, couple Small 10.00 & 15.00.

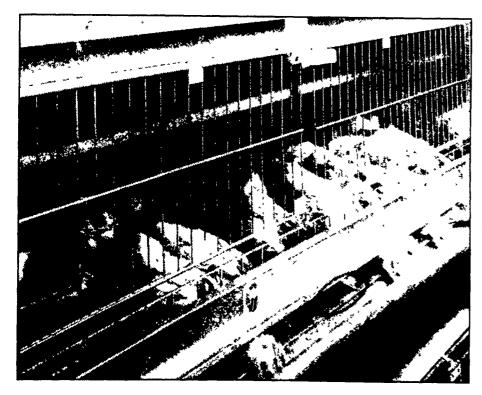
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