Morrison's Cove Livestock Martinsburg, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction Monday, February 25, 2002 CATTLE: 88 HEAD.

STEERS: CHOICE 68.00-73.00. GOOD 64.00-68.00.

HEIFERS: CHOICE 68.00-72.00, GOOD 58 00-66 00.

COWS: UTILITY AND COMMER-CIAL 37.00-44.00, CANNER AND LOW CUTTER 25.00-36.00.

BULLOCKS: GOOD & CHOICE 52.50-56.00.

BULLS: YG+N1 52 00-57.00.

FEEDER CATTLE: STEERS 70.00-78.00, BULI S 65.00-73.00, HEIF-ERS 65.00-75.00.

CALVES: 66. PRIME, NO MKT. TEST, CHOICE 90.00-101.00, GOOD 69.00-83.00, STANDARD 25.00-53.00; HOLSTEIN BULLS 90-130 LBS. 90.00-135.00, HOLSTEIN HEIFERS 90-130 LBS. 175.00-450.00.

HOGS: 127. US+N1-2, 40.50-41.50; US +N 1-3, 37.00-40.00.

SOWS: US +N1-3 24.00-30.00.

BOARS: 13.00-24.00.

FEEDER PIGS: 33. US +N1-3 20-50 LBS. 8.00-37.00.

SHEEP: 6 HEAD. CHOICE 85.00-95.00, GOOD LAMBS 80.00-85.00, SLAUGHTER EWES 30.00-38.00. GOATS: 51.00-100.00 EA.

Belleville Poultry Belleville, Pa.

Report Supplied by Auction Wednesday, February 27, 2002 GEESE: 5.00-6.00 EA. TURKEYS: 3.00-8.00 EA **GUINEAS: 4.00-5.00 EA.** ROOSTERS: 4.00-6.50 EA BANTAMS: 2.50-4.00 EA. HEAVY HENS: 2.50 EA. SILKIES: 2.50-3.50 EA. MUSCOVY HENS: 5.00-7.00 EA. MUSCOVY DRAKES: 12.00-16.00

MIXED DUCKS: 4.00 EA. BARN PIGEONS, 3.00 EA. WHITE BIRDS: 5.00 EA. FANCY BIRDS: 6.00 EA. PEACOCKS: NONE. PHEASANTS: NONE. DOVES: NONE. QUAIL: NONE.

, ¡GUINEA PIGS: 1.00-2.00 EA. RABBITS: UNDER 4 LBS. 3.00-5.00, 4-6 LBS. 5.00-8.00, OVER 6 LBS. 8.00-19.00, ALL EACH; RABBIT FAMI-LY 17.00-21.50.

EASTER BUNNY SALE MARCH 13, 1 P.M. BUNNIES FOR SALE.

National Retail Egg Purchases Atlanta, Ga. February 22, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Cooperators estimate orders for the week ending March 1 will increase by 15 percent. Present week purchases for the week ending Feb. 22 were 228,107 cases which was 2 percent above the prior week and 20 percent below estimates

CASES PURCHASED: CARTONED: 181,086 — down 6%; LOOSE: 47,021 up 52%; TOTAL: 228,107 - up 2%.

Comparison figures are compiled on a matched plant basis. Purchases and estimates by 17 cooperators; 30 dozen cases or equivalent.

National Canner Fowl Market

Atlanta, Ga. February 22, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

NATIONAL CANNER FOWL MAR-KET: Majority prices were unchanged to slightly lower on both light and heavy canners when compared to a week earlier. Trading was light to fair. Demand moderate. Offerings were irregular but at least adequate for trade needs. The undertone was about steady

Cents per pound, current negotiations with out freight cost: LIGHT CANNER HENS: Line run without necks; 24-25. HEAVY CANNER HENS: Without necks: 30-40, majority 32-33.

Cents per pound, current negotiations freight cost included: LIGHT CANNER HENS: Line run without necks 25-28, majority 25-25.5. HEAVY CANNER HENS: Without necks: 32.5-38 majority 34-35.

National Egg Market At A Glance

Atlanta, Ga. February 27, 2002 **Report Supplied By USDA**

In Chicago, prices were 2 cents higher on the larger sizes and unchanged on the lighter weights. Prices in most other locations were generally unchanged. The trade sentiment was fully steady to firm in the Southeast, steady to fully steady in the Midwest, and mostly steady in the Northeast, Demand was in a full range of light to good with the best movement centered around feature activity. Supplies were irregular, but usually sufficient and and remained confidently held. Breaking stock demand was light to moderate for adequate or available offerings. Light type fowl were adequate to fully adequate for current processing schedules.

Eastern Region Miscellaneous Poultry

Atlanta, GA. February 25, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

EASTERN REGION MISCELLANE-OUS POULTRY FOR CURRENT DE-LIVERY for the week of February 18.

DUCKLINGS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A, 4-5 pounds, delivered in trucklot and pool trucklot quantities: LONG ISLAND-Frozen 137; Fresh 143. MIDWEST-Frozen 122-126; Fresh- 123-127.

ROASTERS: Prices negotiated by first receivers, US Grade A and Plant Grade, 5 pounds and up, delivered: ICE PACKED (12 per box) 60-65 mostly 63-65. VACU-UM PACKED (6-9 per box) 55-85 mostly

SQUABS: New York Wholesale Prices, Frozen, Plant Grade, dollars per dozen, 1 to 10 boxes: 12 oz. 60.48-69.66; 14 oz. 66 96-76.14; 16 oz. 73.44-83.43.

The eastern region includes: CT, DF, FL, GA, MA, MD, ME, NC, NH, NJ, NY,

Eastern Region Frozen Eggs ATLANTA, GĂ.

February 22, 2001 **Report Supplied By USDA**

Mostly prices were unchanged on whites, but unchanged to lower on the remainder of items when compared to previous week's trading. Demand and trading were very light and limited. Supplies were adequate for current trade requirements. The market tone was unsettled to barely steady on yolks and generally steady on whole and whites. Liquid and frozen eggs (ingredients included) processed under federal inspection in the Eastern region for the week ending February 16, 2002 were 1% lower than the previous week but 1% higher than the same week last year.

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

TRUCKLOTS: WHOLE 38-45, mostly 38-41; BLENDS (/) TFEWR; WHITES 22-32, mostly 22-25; SUGARED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 71-75, mostly 74-75; SALTED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 67-71, mostly 70-71.

LESS THAN TRUCKLOT (min. 25 cont.); WHOLE 47-51; BLENDS 63-80; WHITES 27-46; SUGARED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 78-85; SALTED YOLKS (min. 43% solids) 74-90.

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

National Broiler Market At A Glance

Atlanta, Ga. February 27, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

Trade sentiment was generally no better than steady. Retail demand was light to fair with limited feature activity. Food service was fair to fairly good, best into fast food outlets. Supplies were sufficient on the smaller sizes; heavier sizes were readily available. In the parts structure, breast items were in close balance and clearing well. Wings and dark meat items were fully adequate to ample and competitively priced to stimulate interest. In production areas, live supplies were moderate. Weights were desirable to heavy, mostly desirable.

Eastern Region Whole Young Turkeys

Des Moines, Iowa February 27, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS. FRO-ZEN, Consumer Sizes, Commodity Pack or Equivalent, US Grade A, cents per lb, delivered (minimum of 10,000 lb lots) for Feb. 27:

CURRENT SHIPMENTS: Eastern Region: HENS, 8-16 lb FROZEN: Offers 59; Sales 0. TOMS, 16-24 lb FROZEN: Offers 56: Sales 0. FRESH TURKFYS, with timers or

equivalent, US Grade A delivered first receivers, Fastern Region, cents per lb, week of Feb.25.

SAI ES (Promotions included) HFNS 8-16 lb 67 47; 102,000 lb. TOMS, 16-24 lb 62.67; 30,000 lb.

Northeast Broiler Fryer Parts Part I ATLANTA, GA.

February 27, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

Trucklot buying interest was light to fair and noted as typical of midweek trading. Offerings of breast items were closely cleared. Leg quarters were readily available and wings were ample. Movement through retail and distributive channels ranged fair to fairly good with best draw noted into boneless-skinless breast features. The market tone was fully steady to firm on breast items, barely steady on wings and leg quarters and no better than steady on the balance.

ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYFR PARTS, DELIVFRED TO FIRST RF-CEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CFNTS PER POUND. ITEM CURRENT NF-GOTIATED TRADING BREAST - B/S 120-125 TENDERLOINS 110 BREAST -WITH RIBS 58-59 BREAST - LINE **RUN 58 LEGS 37-38 LEG OUARTERS** (BULK) 22-23 DRUMSTICKS 38-39 THIGHS 28-29 B/S THIGHS 85-86 WINGS (WHOLE) 69-70 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 25-30 GIZZARDS (HEARTS) 40-45

INCLUDES NEW YORK CITY MET-ROPOLITAN AREA. NORTHERN NFW JERSEY, MASSACHUSFTTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODF ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHFAST OF HARRISBURG).

Northeast Broiler Fryer Parts Part II

ATLANTA, GA. February 27, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA ICE PACKED BROILER/FRYFR PARTS, DELIVERED TO FIRST RE-CEIVERS IN POOL TRUCKLOT AND TRUCKLOT QUANTITIES, CENTS PER POUND

CURRENT NEGOTIATED WTD VOLUME ITEM TRADING AVG /LBS

BREAST - B/S 120-125 120.05 410,430 TENDERLOINS 110 111.94 48,800 BREAST - WITH RIBS 58-59 64.51 213.360 BREAST - LINE RUN 58 59.80 138,360 LEGS 37-38 42 08 117,840 LEG QUARTERS (BULK) 22-23 23 55 359,912 DRUMSTICKS 38-39 41.54 70,480 THIGHS 28-29 36.67 64,920 B/S THIGHS 85-86 86.57 47,800 WINGS (WHOLE) 69-70 73 92 282,640 BACKS AND NECKS (STRIPPED) 10-12 12.85 47,160 LIVERS (5 POUND TUBS) 25-30 19.21 13,445 GIZZARDS (HFARTS) 40-45 39 31 29,480

INCLUDES NFW YORK CITY MFT-ROPOLITAN AREA, NORTHFRN NFW JERSEY, MASSACHUSETTS, CONNECTICUT, RHODE ISLAND, AND PENNSYLVANIA (NORTHFAST OF HARRISBURG).

Virginia Broilers **And Fryers** Harrisonburg, Va. February 26, 2002

Report Supplied By USDA

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds was moderate and clearing the market at a reasonable rate. Demand was moderate with average buyer interest and trading. Live supplies were moderate for the market being reported with an estimated slaughter of 1,377,000 compared to 1.174,000 last Tuesday Weights were desırable. Processing schedules were moderate. Supply and demand of bone in breast were moderate for the market being reported with additional pallets being ordered and rapidly absorbed Actual slaughter for the week of 2/18-2/22-2002 was 6,551,727 head with an average weight of 4.89.

Negotiated F.O.B. dock prices, 2 pounds and heavier ice-packed broilers and fryers, trucklot sales of US Grade A or equivalent were steady at 47 - 58 per pound; less than trucklot sales 47 - 67 per

Delmarva Broiler/Fryer ATLANTA, GA.

February 27, 2002 Report Supplied By USDA

Movement of ready-to-cook whole birds remained light to no better than fair. Seller offerings were fully adequate to ample with 3.5 and 4.0 pound sizes offered at highly competitive prices in an effort to stimulate buyers interest. Live supplies were at least moderate, weights were mostly desirable to heavy. Processing schedules were moderately heavy. Less than trucklot asking prices were unchanged at 50 to 64 cents. Trade sentiment was barely steady. In the parts complex, breast items were short of buyer needs. Leg items and wings continued to be readily available and generally slow to clear

ESTIMATED SLAUGHTER OF BROILER/FRYERS IN DFI MARVA

ESTIMATED ACTUAL AVG WEIGHT ACTUAL AVG. WEIGHT 02/27 02/25 02/25 02/20 02/18

2,405 2,271 5,19 2,342 5 25

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