

# Wednesday New York Egg Market

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Nearby Whites

Extra Fancy Heavyweights	38
Mediums	37½
Pullets	29 -29½
Peewees	23
Nearby Browns	
Extra Fancy Heavyweights	40½
Mediums	39
Pullets	34½-35
Peewees	22½
Midwestern Mixed	
Fancy Heavyweights	37½
Mediums	34
Standards	37
Checks	34½-35
Midwestern Whites	
Fancy Heavyweights	37½
Mediums	36
Pullets	29 -29½
Midwestern Browns	
Fancy Heavyweights	40½

NEW YORK, May 28 — Market unsettled and easy on top nearby white, midwesterns and mixed. Outcome confused and further price adjustments are possible.

### Weekly Egg Price Review

Ex Fcy Hywts	38	39	39½	39½
Mediums	35	37½	37½	37½
Pullets	28½	30 -30½	30½	29 -29½
Peewees	23	23	23	23
NEARBY BROWNS				
Ex Fcy Hywts	40½	40½	40½	40½
Mediums	38	39	39	39
Pullets	36	36	36	35
Peewees	22½	22½	22½	22½

### PHILADELPHIA EGGS

PHILADELPHIA, May 28 — Weak. Lower prices prevailed. Supplies were more than sufficient for the relatively lighter demand.

Prices to retailers in cartons (cents per dozen) Grade A and US grade A large, whites 48-53 mostly 50-51, browns 48-53, mostly 50-51. Grade A and US grade A medium, whites 44-47, mostly 45-46; browns 44-47, mostly 45-46. Grade A and US grade A small whites 37-41, mostly 39-40; browns 37-41, mostly 39-40. Grade B and US grade B large whites 42-45, mostly 43-45, browns 42-47, mostly 32-45.

## Hogs Stronger Steers Weak, At Baltimore

BALTIMORE, May 26 — CATTLE AND CALVES The supply was comprised of approximately 50 per cent fed steers, grading mostly good and choice, about 25 per cent stockers and feeders and the balance mostly cows. In addition to today's receipts around two loads of cows, two loads of stockers and feeders and about two loads of vealers were carried over from last week's trade. Fed steers were slow and sold steady to weak with instances 25 cents lower. Cows and bulls were slow to moderately active. Cows sold steady to weak and steady, but demand was poor with several still unsold late. Stockers and feeders about steady. Fairly good clearance on all classes except vealers. The bulk of low good to average-choice 850-1200 lb mostly 975-1100 lb fed steers brought \$27 00-29 50 with a load of standard to low good included at \$27 00 and a 1020 lb package of average choice reached \$30 00. Around 50 head of 795 to 885 lb good and low-choice fed heifers sold at \$27 50-28 00 with one lot of good at \$26 25 and one lot 702 lb high-choice \$29 00. Utility and commercial cows brought \$19 50-22 00 with a few high-commercial and standard \$22 25-23 50. Canners and cutters sold from \$17 00-19 50 with a few cutters to \$20 00 and a few light cutters down to \$15 00. Utility and commercial bulls bulked at \$22 00-24 00 with one or two individuals at \$24 50-25 00. Choice 170-230 lb vealers sold at \$30 00-32 00, good \$26 00-30 00 and standard \$24 00-26 00. Three lots mostly good 752-856 lb feeder steers \$27 00-28 00. One lot 516 lb good and choice stock steers reached \$32 00 and a few lots of 566-612 lb mostly good to choice \$29 00-31 00 and the bulk of medium to good 500-700 lbs \$25 50-28 00. One lot of 492 lb good stock steer calves \$30 00 and a load 426 495 lb medium \$27 50. One lot good and choice 431 lb stock heifer calves sorted off the \$32 00 steers at \$27 00.

HOGS Butchers were active and sold mostly 25 cents higher with instances 50 cents up. The supply was largely mixed lots of U. S. No. 1, 2, and 3, 160-230 lb butchers which sold at \$24 25-24 50 and 44 head No. 1 and 2 near 200 lbs reached \$24 75. One lot No. 2 and 3, 265 lb garbage fed butchers \$22 25 and a small lot No. 3, 316 lbs \$20 00.

SHEEP Several small lots 78-98 lb good and choice spring slaughter lambs sold at \$24 00, three lots 73-92 lb utility \$20 00-22 00 and a package of good shorn slaughter ewes \$7 00. The bulk of the supply still in first hands.

### Midwest Markets

(Continued from page 2) these weights sorted for grade \$23 75. No. 2 and 3, 240-260 lbs \$22 25-22 75. No. 2 and 3, 260-290 lbs \$21 75-22 25. Several lots mostly No. 3 300-325 lbs \$20 75-21 50. Mixed grades 400-500 lb sows \$18 50-19 50. Most 300-400 lb \$19 50-20 50, and bulk 500-550 lbs \$18 00-18 50.

## Demand for Broilers Generally Good At Beginning of Week; Ratio Down

PHILADELPHIA, May 27 — (USDA) — Demand for broiler and fryer chickens was generally good throughout the nation at the beginning of the week. The only soft spot in the market was reported in Arkansas.

Delmarva buyers, as usual, were off the market waiting for the price to be established at the Eastern Shore Poultry Growers Exchange.

The broiler-feed ratio during the past week dropped two points, reflecting a drop of .95 cents in the average price of broilers. The feed price remained about the same.

The ratio now stands at an even 4.0, as compared with a 4.3 ratio a year ago and 3.5 six months ago.

Here is how the broiler market looked in the major producing areas on Monday.

DELMARVA Market quiet. Trading very light. Prices paid at the farm since Friday were 21½ cents for the 48,000 head sold.

NORTH CAROLINA Offerings adequate to short demand. Fair to good. Prices were steady at 20 cents for 51,000 head sold.

GEORGIA Offerings adequate to short of needs. Demand good. Prices were from 20 to 21 cents, mostly 20 cents. 1,263,000 head were sold, 87 per cent at 20 cents.

SHENANDOAH VALLEY Demand good. Trading active. Supply about equal to demands. Prices were from 20 to 21½ cents. The number of birds at each stage of the range was about equal, with 43 per cent of the sales being at undetermined prices.

ARKANSAS Offerings generally adequate.

quate. Prices paid and volume were from 19 to 22 cents with the bulk of the 638,000 birds being sold for 21 cents. ALABAMA Demand good to very good. Offerings and supplies adequate to short. Prices were 20 to 20½ cents. Eighty-nine per cent of the 467,000 birds were sold at 20 cents.

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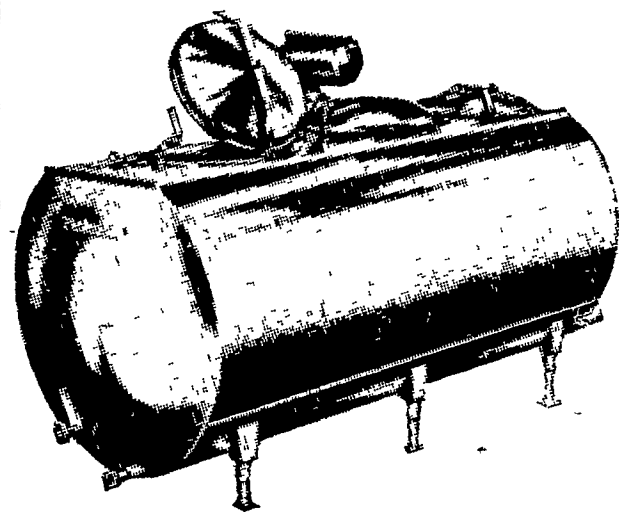
## Barbeque Folder Being Offered

A pocket-sized folder called "A Barbecue Treat in Your Own Backyard" is being issued by the Beacon Milling Co., Cayuga, N.Y.

The folder features three sauce recipes for barbecued chicken and some hints on how to pick good birds for barbecuing and how to control the fire.

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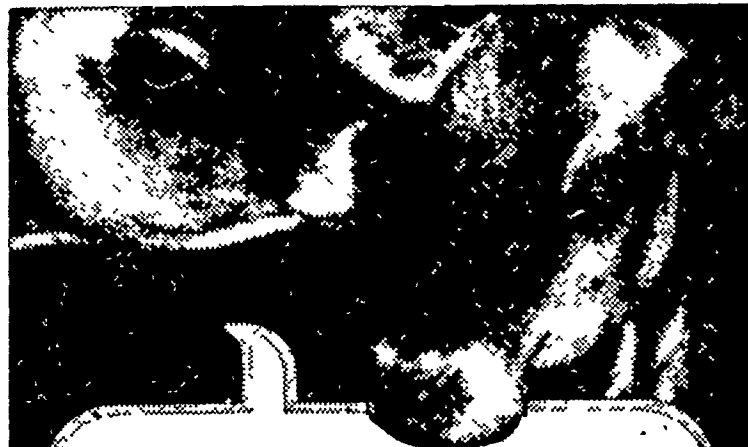
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