

# Poultry Market Reports

## Delmarva

### BOILERS

Wednesday, April 26

Ready-to-cook movement continues fairly good in most quarters though occasionally reported slightly less aggressive than early week. Slaughter schedules generally heavy. Less than trucklot prices unchanged on both Plant and U.S. Grade A. Advance interest slow in developing as traders await further market developments. Live supplies fully adequate with weights irregular ranging desirable to heavy. Undertone fully steady to firm. Pool trucklot prices for Thursday arrival in the New York area: U.S. Grade A 27½-30½, M 27½-28; Plant Grade 26½-28½, M 26½-27.

## Eastern Pa. and N. J.

### HENS

Wednesday, April 26

Light type hen prices unchanged. New offerings continue light and short of needs with some plants only operating part-time. Offerings of heavy hens short of a fair demand at slightly lower prices. Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 5-6½ mostly 6-6½ in Pa. mostly 5½-6 in N.J. Heavy type hens 15-16½.

## Folgersville

Auction Report  
Tuesday, April 18

(Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted).

Hens, Heavy type 5-16½, mostly 7-16; Pullets 22-30½, mostly 24-30; Roasters 7½-30, mostly 27-30; Ducks 34-35; Geese 27½; Rabbits 13-65½, mostly 45-65; Guineas 60-65; Pigeons (Per Pair) 81-5.01.

Total coops sold 414.



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## Weekly New York Egg Market

(From Monday, April 24th. to Friday, April 28th)

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Fcy. Ex. Large	37	37	35	35	34
Large	35	35	33	33	32
Mediums	32½	32½	30½	30	29
Pullets	29	28	27	27	27
Peeweese	23	22	21	21	21
<b>BROWN</b>					
Fcy. Large	40	40	40	40	38
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeweese	Unquoted				
Standards	30-31	30-31	29	29	28
Checks	17	17	17	17	17

Long Tone - Buying interest continues to show a complete lack of confidence and interest on large and mediums up in most plants.

## New York Eggs

Wednesday, April 26

Prices declined. Market mixed and unsettled with some dealers more willing sellers at fractionally lower prices in an effort to stimulate movement. Local wholesale trading activity is light. Distributors floor stocks of large and mediums fully adequate for current needs. Extra large moved in street trading at mostly 31½-33c. Smalls irregularly distributed; some quarters note light supplies clearing while receipts from south and nearby areas are spotty but increasing. Standards continue well cleared with about adequate receipts of nest runs. Carton movement is just fair at best.

## New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, April 24

Reported receipts of 336 head of horses; market active to higher. Load Kansas riding and driving horses, 160-345.

Load Michigan work horses, single, 340-370; pairs, 700-900.

Load West Virginia riding horses, 365-510.

## Soil Temperatures

Friday, April 28  
8 a.m.

Reporting from Southeast Research Center, Landisville:

Degrees	April
54	24
50	25
46	26
48	27
51	28
<b>Plowed, 2 inches</b>	
53	24
48	25
43	26
45	27
44	28
<b>Sod, 2 inches</b>	
54	24
50	25
48	26
49	27
50	28
<b>Sod, 4 inches</b>	
52	24
49	25
47	26
48	27
48	28

Precipitation for week, Friday: 0.76 inches rain

Local riding horses 140-480; drivers 150-375; Killers 10-12.

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## Oklahoma City

Thursday, April 27

Estimated Receipts 10,000  
Same Day Last Week 13,024  
Same Day Last Year 9,787

General rains over the state and the new Wednesday procedure of limiting lots to a minimum of five head resulted in the salable receipts being somewhat curtailed compared to the average of the past several Thursdays. Compared to late last week, feeder steers over 500 pounds steady to weak, instances 50c lower; feeder heifers over 400 pound steady to strong; not enough steers under 500 pound and heifers under 400 pounds sold to make a test of the trade. Majority receipts High Good and Choice 600-850 pound steers and 450-650 pound heifers with the bulk of these in moderate to fairly fleshy condition arriving from wheat pastures. Fairly large attendance buyers. At the Wednesday feeder cattle auction, 3,291 head sold with buyer attendance larger than usual.

Sales as of 12:30 p.m.

Feeder Steers: Few small lots Choice 400-500 pounds 44.00-44.60; Choice, few Prime 500-600 39.40-43.65; 600-700 37.35-39.70, small lot 611 pound 42.60; 700-800 36.70-38.40; 800-950 35.40-37.00; few small lots Mixed Good and Choice 300-430 40.75-47.00; 500-700 36.75-38.75; 700-960 34.25-37.25; Good 500-775 34.25-36.75, small lot 966 pound at 32.10; two small lots at

35.90; few part loads and load 710-959 Holstein steers 30.30-32.80.

Feeder Heifers: Few small lots 325-400 pound choice 38.00-39.00; 400-500 36.00-38.00; 500-600 34.65-36.50, two part loads 540-547 36.80-36.95; 600-700 34.40-36.00, few 725-856 34.35-34.90; mixed Good and Choice 400-500 35.20-35.80; 500-627 32.00-34.50; Good 500-700 29.00-33.25.



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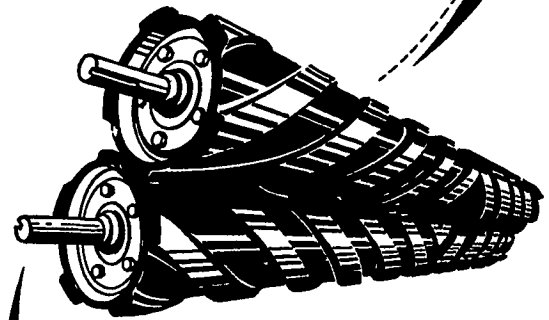
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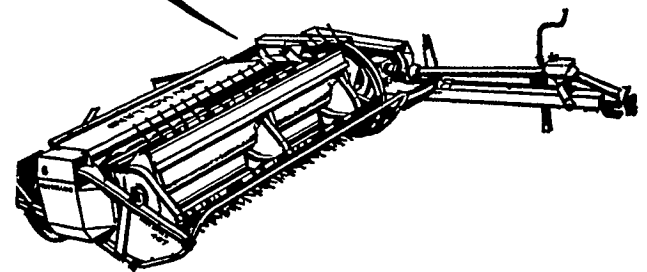
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