

# Poultry Market Reports

## Eastern Pa. and N. J.

Wednesday, April 11  
LIVE POULTRY

Prices steady to occasionally weaker for future pickups of light type hens. Offerings adequate to barely adequate for current needs at processing plants, ample for next couple of weeks.

Demand Good. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a fairly good call. Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 8-12, mostly 11½-12 in Pa., mostly 11-12 in N.J. Heavy type hens TFEWR.

## Delmarva

Wednesday, April 11  
Broiler-Fryer Market

Ready to cook movement fair to occasionally good, though as a whole, tending to slow down as other holiday items commanding buyer interest. Slaughter schedules generally reduced however occasional plant still heavy that will be closed on Thursday and Friday for machinery change-over. Less than trucklot prices steady. Advance interest quiet. Live supplies adequate at desirable weights. Undertone steady Pool

trucklot prices for Thursday arrival: US Grade A 46-49½, mostly 46; Plant Grade 45-47½, mostly 45.

## Fogelsville

Tuesday, April 3  
No market report available at press time.  
Auction every Tuesday Poultry received Monday 7 p.m. to 10.30 p.m., Tuesday 7 a.m. to 12 Noon, Sale at 11.30 a.m.  
Directions - Take Rt22 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville Exit. North on stoplight in Fogelsville. Turn left, proceed 1 mile.

## Egg Market

Wednesday, April 11  
Baltimore Eggs  
Market steady to firm. Prices ranged unchanged to 2 cents higher. Demand fair. Supplies adequate. Carton Egg Prices: Large 60-64, Medium 57-61.

Wednesday, April 11  
Philadelphia Eggs  
Prices steady. Cartoning demand continues active on large, fair on extra large, light on mediums. Offerings adequate on

## Weekly New York Egg Market

(From Monday, April 9th to Friday April 13th)

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Fcy. Ex. Large	51	53	53	54	54
Large	51	53	53	54	54
Mediums	48	50	50	50	50
Pullets	35	37	37	37	37
Peeweese	25	25	25	25	25
<b>BROWN</b>					
Fcy. Large	51	52	52	52	52
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeweese	Unquoted				
Standards	45	46	46	47	47
Checks	32	32	32	32	32
Long Tone	Steady.				

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## New England Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, April

Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:-

	EXLARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS X	56-63	55-61	51-57	32-40
Mostly	57-61	56-59	52-55	33-36
NEW HAMP	58-66	56-64	52-60	33-41
Mostly	60-61	58-59	54-55-	35-36
R.I.	58½-60½	58½-59½	54½-55½	35½-36½
Mostly				
VERMONT	61-66	59-65	59-61	TOO FEW
Mostly				
MAINE	61-63	60-62	56-58	37-39
Mostly				

Includes Central & Western Sections Only.

extra large, barely adequate to short on large and fully adequate to ample on mediums. Undertone fully steady. Prices to Retailers: A Extra Large 58-59½, A Large 57-58½, A Medium 52½-54.

pounds 3-4, 45.50, Monday. Choice 800-1025 2-4, 43.50-45.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-950 42.25-43.50. Good 40.00-42.25.

COWS: Commercial 28.75 - 34.00. Utility 34.00-35.50. High yielding Utility 35.50 -36.50. Individual 37.25. Cutter 28.75 -34.00. Canner 24.50 -29.00.

BULLS: Utility and Commercial 33.50-40.00. High yielding Utility 40.00-42.00.

## Peoria Cattle

Thursday, April 12

Receipts This Week 2,354, Last Week 2,290, and Last Year 4,654.

As compared to last weeks close. Slaughter steers ended 75-\$1.00, instances 1.50 lower; most decline on Choice to Prime steers. Slaughter heifers closed strong to 25 higher. Cows were 25 to mostly 50 higher. Few bulls fully steady. Supply mainly Choice slaughter steers and heifers with limited volume Choice to Prime. Receipts 70 percent steers, 25 percent heifers and the balance mostly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: High Choice and Prime 1175 - 1275 pounds 3-4, 47.00. Load on Monday at 47.25. Choice 950-1275 2-4, 45.00 - 46.50. Mixed Good and Choice 950 - 1200 44.00-45.25. Good 41.50-44.00. Few Holsteins 42.50. Standard Holsteins 40.00

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS; Load high Choice and Prime 920

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## New York Dressed

Thursday, April 12  
Compared with Wednesday prices holding weak for heifer beef, veal and lamb \$1 lower, pork lower, picnics steady, spareribs \$2 lower, hams \$5 lower.

Demand for beef a moderately broad this outlet beef otherwise under hard pressure picnics and loins wholesalers adjusting in line with replacement but with light supply declines less sharp than prices of loins and national pricing policies small for all fresh meats

Steer Beef  
Prime 600-900 pound 73.50; Choice 600-700 72.00-73.00; 700-800 72.00 - 73.00; 800-900 72.50; Good 500 - 800 68.00

Heifer Beef  
Choice 500 - 700 pound 72.50.

Calf (Skin Off) 150-250 Pound  
Choice 86.00 - 92.00; Standard 79.00 - 89.00

Veal (Skin Off)  
Choice 90 - 150 pound 118.00; Good 60 - 90 111.00; Standard 60 - 120 93.00

Lamb  
Choice 30 - 55 pound 74.00; 55 - 65 69.00 - 72.00

Choice Beef Cuts  
Hinds (Steer) 145 - 180 81.00 - 83.00; Arm Chucks 66.00 - 69.00; Ribs (7-rib) 88.00 - 92.00; Loins (Tri) 103.00 - 106; Rounds (Steer) 74.00 - 76.00; Full Plate 52.50; Hinds (Heifer) 80.00 - 82.00

Fresh Pork Cuts  
Loins (Regular) 8 - 10 70.00 - 72.00; 14 - 17 65.00; Picnics (Regular) 4 - 6 50.50; Boston Butta (p) 68.00; Spareribs 3 pound 76.00 - 79.00; Hams (Skin) 17 68.00 - 71.00; 17 - 20 64.00

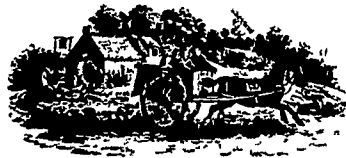


APRIL 16-22

Cheepers are peeping in the marsh.

No more killing frosts... Ernie Pyle died April 18, 1945... Full Moon April 17... Paul Revere's night ride April 18, 1775... Average length of days for week, 13 hours, 35 minutes... Maple sap run about over... First day of Passover April 17... Howard Hughes' coast-to-coast flight April 17, 1944... Easter Sunday April 22... American Red Cross founded April 21, 1881... If you cannot obey, you cannot command.

Old Farmer's Riddle: What has no beginning and no end, but has a center? (Answer below.)



Ask the Old Farmer: A friend recently received a cut glass "pitcher". It's about 6" high, 4½" in diameter, and has a sterling silver rim. As there is no spout, it isn't really a pitcher. However, it does have three handles. Do you have any idea of its use? M.C.D., Chicago.

We may be way off base on this, but it sounds like an old-time "toddy glass," which came in various styles. They hauled it out when the minister called, and everyone present took a swig.

Home Hints To avoid discoloration of cauliflower from boiling, add a little lemon juice or vinegar to the water... To reheat baked potatoes, dunk them in hot water before cooking in a moderate oven... Riddle answer A circle.

## OLD FARMER'S WEATHER FORECASTS

New England: Clear and mild to start, then light showers; heavy rain latter part.

Greater New York-New Jersey: Light rain at first, then cooler; heavy rain by week's end.

Middle Atlantic Coastal: Warm to start, then intermittent light rain; rainy and warm through end of week.

Southeast Coastal-Piedmont: Most of week clear and very warm; rain latter part, then clear and cool.

Florida: Clear and warm at first, then scattered showers; rain end of week, then clear and cool.

Upstate & Western N.Y.-Toronto & Montreal: Week begins clear and unseasonably warm, then light rain continuing through end of week.

Greater Ohio Valley: Clear and warm to start, then rain; heavy rain latter part, then light rain continuing.

Deep South: Cloudy and very warm at first, then rain; partially clear and cold latter part

Chicago and Southern Great Lakes: Rain, heavy at first, continuing all week.

Northern Great Plains-Great Lakes: Light snow and cold to start, then warmer with showers; end of week clear and warm.

Central Great Plains: Mixed rain and snow, heavy at first, then much colder; light rain and snow latter part, then clear and warm.

Texas-Oklahoma: Rain, heavy to start, through most of week; clear and warm for weekend.

Rocky Mountain Region: Light rain at first, then clear and warm; heavy rain, latter part, 15-20" snow in mountains.

Southwest Desert: Week begins cloudy and cool, then heavy rain; clear and warm through end of week.

Pacific Northwest: Cloudy to start with highs in 60s, then light rain; rain and cool for weekend.

California: Cloudy and cool at first, then rain, heavy in south; clear and warm for weekend.

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