

# Poultry Market Reports

## Egg Market

Wednesday, Nov. 28

### Baltimore

Prices unchanged. Trading stocks adequate for a slow, unaggressive demand. Scattered retail promotions noted in local news media.

Cartoned Eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale)

White Grade A Large 81-86, mostly 81-84.

White Grade A Medium 79-84, mostly 79-82.

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### Philadelphia

Prices steady. Cartoning demand light to good, mostly fair. Offerings of larger sizes fully adequate, mediums barely adequate to short. Undertone steady.

Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons.

Delivered Store Door

A Extra		
Large	76	77½
A Large	75	76½
A Medium	71	72½

### Delmarva

Wednesday, Nov. 28

#### Broiler-Fryer Market

Ready to cook movement fair at best as a lack of aggressiveness prevails in most quarters for immediate needs. Slaughter schedules increased slightly. Advance interest developing well at higher than this week's levels. Less than trucklot prices unchanged to 1 cent higher. Mostly unchanged on both plant and US Grade A. Live supplies ample at often heavier than desired weights. Undertone firm.

Pool trucklot prices for Thursday arrival US Grade A 36-42, mostly 36; Plant Grade 35-40, mostly 35.

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## New England Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, November 27

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

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	73-79	72-78	71-77	56-61
Mostly	74-76	73-75	72-74	57-59
NEW HAMP	73-80	71-78	69-76	55-62
Mostly	75-76	73-74	71-72	57-58
R. I.	76-77	75-76	74-75	59-60
Mostly				
VERMONT	74-84	73-82	72-79	TFEWR
Mostly				
MAINE	74-76	73-75	72-74	57-59
Mostly				

+ Includes Central & Western Sections Only.

## Nest Run Eggs

Prices are from Egg Clearinghouse, Inc., (ECI) Durham, N.H. and reflect trading prices for gradeable nest run eggs (GNR) on ECI, a nationwide trading center for producers, packers and marketers. GNR eggs are classified by weight in 30-dozen cases, and traded in lots of either 300 or 750 cases. Prices are FOB buyers dock, and are computed Tuesday and Thursday of each week. This week's prices for each classification were:

Classification	New Weight Per Case	Tuesday		Thursday	
		Per Case	Per Case	Per Case	Per Case
Extra Large	51 lbs.	0	0	0	0
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	65	65	65	65
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	62	62	63	63
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	54	54	55	55
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	55	55	55	55
Checks	48 lbs.	43	43	43	43

## Farm Trends

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World production of feed grains in 1973-74 is a record 582 million metric tons, 7 percent above a year earlier and 3 percent above the previous peak 2 years earlier. But depleted carryover stocks in major grain exporting nations make supplies barely adequate for 1973-74 requirements and carryover stocks at the end of the season will be down to the lowest level in more than 15 years.

During 1968-72, world feed grain consumption rose at a rate of 19 million tons yearly; U.S. consumption rose about 6 million annually. In the past 5 years, world feed grain production has lagged increasing world demand, reflected in rising exports and prices.

Larger feed grain crops in 1974-75 would soften prices, help keep countries with limited purchasing power in world grain markets, and provide increased assurance of food security. The 1974 U.S. feed grain crop is projected to increase by 20 million short tons mainly because of increased acreage in prospect. Domestic needs may be up as much as 9 million, but exports may decline 3 million.



David Yoder, right, general manager of Atlantic Breeders Cooperative in Lancaster, was among the officials present for dedication ceremonies at the new building for the National Association of Animal Breeders in Columbia, Missouri. Yoder is vice-president of the NAAB and a member of the executive committee. Other members of the NAAB executive committee pictured above are, from left: Erton Sipher, Gouverneur, N.H., William Durfey, Columbia, Mo., and Dr. R. E. Walton, De Forst, Wisc.

## Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, November 26th to Friday, November 30th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Fcy. Ex. Large	72	72	72	72	72
Large	71	71	71	71	71
Mediums	69	69	69	69	69
Pullets	60	60	60	60	60
Peewees	45	45	45	45	45

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
BROWN					
Fcy. Large	71	71	71	71	71
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				

Off Grade Large	65	65	65	65	65
Checks	42	42	42	42	42

Long Tone — Steady.

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### Eastern Pa. & N.J.

Wednesday, Nov. 28

#### Live Poultry

Prices slightly lower on light type hens. Demand fair for adequate offerings with plants operating near full time. Offerings of heavy type hens adequate for a limited call.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 12-15½, mostly 15-15½ in Pa., mostly 14-51 in N. J.

Heavy type hens TFEWR.

### Fogelsville

November 27, 1973

(Prices paid dock weights cents per lb.)

Hens, light type 10-17; Hens, heavy type 10-29, mostly 18-25; Pullets 26-38; Roasters 22-41, mostly 38-39; Ducks 48-50, Drakes 55-71, mostly 55; Geese 58; Rabbits 50-79, mostly 75-76; Guineas 85-90, mostly 85; Pigeons (per pr.) 70-3.00, mostly 1.19-1.21; Total Coops Sold 364

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 Rt. 22

thruway. Exit at Fogelsville exit.

North on stoplight in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed 1 mile.

## Oklahoma City

Friday, November 30

Estimated Receipts 9,700  
Same Day Last Week Holiday  
Same Day Last Year 8,935

Moderately active, feeder cattle and calves generally steady. Majority receipts Choice 400-700 pound steers and Good and Choice 350-600 heifers: Only moderate attendance buyers.

FEEDER STEERS: Choice 300-400 pound 61.00-67.50; 400-500 58.75-64.50; 500-600 52.70-59.50; 600-700 51.00-56.00; 700-800 49.00-53.00; 800-875 carrying moderate flesh 44.00-49.00, Part load 815 50.90. Mixed Good and Choice 700-800 pound 48.55-52.00. Few 700-800 43.00-46.75.

HOLSTEIN STEERS: Good 600-700 pound 43.00-44.25; 764-885 40.10-42.70, load 1074 38.70.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 300-400 pound 50.00-55.60; 400-500 49.20-52.70; 500-600 44.60-48.70; 600-700 42.00-45.00, load 750 39.00; Mixed Good and Choice 300-500 42.75-47.10.

For the week: Feeder cattle and calves steady to 2.00 higher with most advance on 600-750 pound steers and 400-600 pound heifers, fleshy steers over 750 pound weak to 1.00 lower; Slaughter cows closed 1.00-3.00 higher, mostly 2.00 higher; Bulls

fully Steady. Salable receipts this week near 19,000 compared with the holiday shortened period last week 4,044 and 16,703 the same week a year ago;

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