

Poultry Market Reports

WEEKLY NEW YORK EGG MARKET

Monday, September 16 to Friday, September 20

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Larg.	68	69	69	69	69
Large	65	66	66	66	66
Mediums	60	61	61	61	61
Pullets	46	46	46	46	46
Peepees	32	32	32	32	32
BROWN					
Large	69	70	70	70	70
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peepees	Unquoted				

Off Grade					
Large	57	58	58	59	59
Checks	43	43½	43½	43½	43½

Tone — Pullets Slow, Balance Fully Steady.

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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
Extra Large	51 lbs.	0	0
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	58	59
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	54	55
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	40	40
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	52	52
Checks	48 lbs.	44	44

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, Sept. 19
Weekly 51
CATTLE: Receipts this week: 4700. Last week: 4900. Year ago: 5200.

Compared with last weeks close, slaughter steers weak to 1.00 lower. Slaughter heifers 1.00-2.00 lower. Bulls steady. Receipts about 75 percent slaughter steers, 15 percent slaughter heifers, balance mainly cows.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Choice 905-1300 pounds 2-4 40.00-43.00, closing 41.00-43.00; couple loads 1100-1250 43.75-44.00; several loads for Canadian export 1100-1200 43.00-44.00; Choice 1250-1300 3-4 40.50-41.50; 800-950 pounds 36.00-41.00; couple loads Choice 1340-1400 pounds 4-5 40.00-41.00; Mixed Good and Choice 900-1300 39.50-41.50; Good 38.00-40.00; Standard and Good Holsteins 36.00-39.00. Late 36.00-38.50.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 800-1050 pounds 2-4 38.50-41.00; late 39.00-41.00, load 41.50-42.00; 700-800 32.00-38.00; Mixed Good and Choice 750-1050 36.00-39.00; Good 34.00-36.00.

COWS: Utility and Commercial 19.50-22.00; high-dressing Utility 22.50, up to 23.50 Monday. Cutter 18.00-20.00; Canner 16.50-18.50.

BULLS: 1-2 1100-1700 pounds 27.00-30.00.

Eastern Pa. & N. J.

Prices unchanged on light type hens. Offerings barely adequate as producers hold further production in face of advancing egg prices. Demand fair. Offerings of heavy type hens barely adequate for a good interest. Heavy roasters short of a fairly good call.

Prices paid at farm: Light Type Hens 4-6, mostly 6 in PA.; mostly 5-8 in N.J. Heavy Type Hens TFEWR.

Baltimore USDA Report

September 16, 1974

CATTLE 375. Limited sales slaughter steers and heifers steady, other classes being held for AM Auction. Supply 25 percent slaughter steers & heifers steady, 50 percent cows, 20 percent feeders, balance bulls.

STEERS: Few Choice yield grade 2-3 985-1200 lbs. 45.00; Good and Choice 1070-1260 lbs. 41.75-42.10; Good yield grade 2-4 1025-1365 lbs. 36.00-40.50; Standard & Low Good 900-1350 lbs. 30.75-34.00. **HEIFERS:** Choice yield grade 3-4 820-900 lbs. 42.00-43.50.

HOGS 650. Barrows & Gilts mostly \$1 lower. US No. 1-3 200-230 lbs. 35.25-35.50, limited sales 35.75-36.00, No. 2-3 230-250 lbs. 34.25-35.25, No. 2-4 250-270 lbs. 33.25-34.25.

SOVS: \$1 to \$2 lower. US No. 1-3 300-400 lbs. 25.00-27.50, No. 2-4 400-600 lbs. 24.00-25.00.

Fogelsville

Sale of September 17

Hens, heavy type 6-20; mostly 6-14. Pullets 37-44; mostly 31-40. Roasters 10-42; mostly 36-38. Ducks 15-50½; mostly 30-45. Drakes 15-51. Rabbits 10-52; mostly 20-30½. Guineas 90-1.10. Pigeons (Per Pair) 90-3.00. Total Coops Sold 393.

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. 2 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville exit. North on stoplight in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed 1 mile.

Delmarva

Broiler-Fryer Market

Wednesday, Sept. 18

Ready to cook movement spotty ranging light to occasionally good where a new feature involved. Slaughter schedules about steady in line with expected needs. Today's less than trucklot asking prices generally 2 cents lower on both plant and US Grade A. Live supplies fully adequate to ample with eights increasing in some quarters. Undertone unsettled.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lb. ready to cook broiler-fryers for delivery nest week: US Grade A, none; Plant Grade 35-36.

Current broiler-fryer negotiated prices for immediate delivery mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva:

Range: US Grade A 38-40, Plant Grade 37-39, Premium

NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Wednesday, September 17, 1974

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

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	74-83	72-78	70-76	43-52
Mostly	75-77	73-75	71-73	44-48
NEW HAMP	72-79	70-77	68-75	41-48
Mostly	74-75	72-73	70-71	43-44
R. I.	78-79	75-76	73-74	47-48
VERMONT	76-84	71-81	72-79	
Mostly	76-82	74-79	72-73	
MAINE	74-78	72-76	70-74	43-47

+ Includes Central and Western Sections Only.

US Grade A 42-44, Premium Plant Grade 40-42. Weighted Average: US Grade A 39.10, Plant Grade 37.26, Premium US Grade A 43.56; Premium Plant Grade 41.66.

mostly 73-75. Grade A Medium 68-73, mostly 68-70.

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, Sept. 18

Prices unchanged to higher on all sizes. Cartoning demand fair. Offerings of Extra Large adequate, other sizes fully adequate. Undertone fully steady.

Price to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades White eggs in cartons, delivered: Store door: A Extra Large 69-72½; A Large 68-71½; A Medium 61-64½.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, Sept. 18

Baltimore Eggs: Prices unchanged to 1 cent higher. Demand fair. Supplies adequate.

Cartoned Eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) White. Grade A Large 73-78,

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Wool Sewing Contest Set

The annual Make It Yourself With Wool (MIYWW) contest is now officially open in Pennsylvania with exciting new rule changes.

In 1971 the contest rules were changed to include hand knit and crocheted garments and in 1972 young men were first admitted, competing on equal basis with young women.

This year for the first time, Wool blend fabrics of no less than 70 percent wool and no more than 30 percent other fibers are being allowed. The other fibers may be man made or natural fibers such as cotton or silk.

Also for the first time, imported fabrics are being admitted.

Entry forms are now

available from district 1 director, Mrs. Robert Massing, RD1, Bluebird Hill Farm, Greenville, Pa. 16125. The contest in Pa. is divided into sub-deb (10-13 years) junior (14-16) and senior (17-21).

With stores beginning to stock new fall fabrics and fall fashion pattern books available, it's a great time, to begin planning to participate.

MIYWW in Pennsylvania is sponsored by the Pennsylvania Sheep and Wool Growers, additional award sponsors are firms interested in further developing the home-sewing and hand-crafts.

The contest in Pennsylvania involves competition in each of 11 districts, the junior and senior winners of which travel to the state contest. The top winner at the state competition will then travel directly to San Antonio, Texas in January to compete at the National Finals.

Judging by competent persons at each level is based on the contestants' skill in sewing or knitting; in making garments properly coordinated in color, design and texture for her-his own figure and coloring; in selecting fashions suitable to her-his age and activities; and on modeling the garments submitted.

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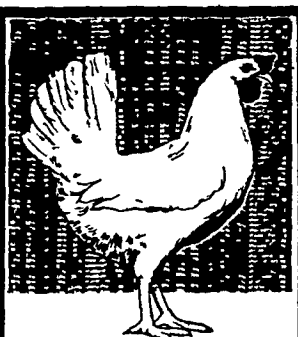
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