Poultry Market Reports

WEEKLY NEW YORK EGG MARKET

Monday, October 21 to Friday, October 25						
	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	
WHITE						
Ex. Large	64	64	64	64	64	
Large	63	63	63	63	63	
Mediums	80	60	60	61	61	
Pullets	45	47	47	47	47	
Peewees	30	32	32	32	32	
BROWN	•					
Large	67	68	68	68	69	
Mediums	Unquoted	••				
Pullets	Unquoted					
Peewees	Unquoted	ļ				
Off Grade					1	
Large	55	55	55	56	56	
Checks	36	36	36	36	35	
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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:

	New Weight	ł .	
Classification	Per Case	Wednesday	Friday
Extra Large	51 lbs.	0	0
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	54	54
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	52	52
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	39	39
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	44	44
Checks	48 lbs.	38	37
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Oklahoma City

Thursday, October 24 Estimated Receipts 12,500



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Moderately active, feeder cattle and calves grading choice, few prime, strong to 50 cents higher compared to Wednesday's low time; good and low choice offerings generally steady; majority receipts mixed good and choice and choice, end of prime, 350-750 pound steers and 350-650 pound heifers; fairly large attendance

FEEDER STEERS: Choice, end of Prime, 300-500 pound 29.25-34.50, few packages 372-440 35.00-35.25; 500-700 29,25-33.50, few 500-560 33.75-34.65; 700-982 30.50-33.10; Mixed Good and 500-700 26.50-30.00; Good 300-500 23.00-26.00; 500-800 24.00-26.50, Few Good 589-882 Holstein Steers 21.70-22.20.

FEEDER HEIFERS: Choice 300-500 23.50-26.00. Few Choice, end of Prime, 395-500 26.40-27.00; 500-737 24.00-27.00, loads and part loads 632-737 fleshy heifers 27.50-28.50; Mixed Good and Choice 300-500 21.00-23.75; 500-835 22.50-24.25; Good 390-450 21.25-21.75, few 670-802 20.75-20.80.

FOR THE WEEK: Compared to late last week, feeder steers over 700 pound fully steady; Choice offerings under 700 lb. steady to 50c lower, some good grades 1.00 lower. Slaughter cow numbers the largest for any week to date this year totaling 4,200 head with resulting trade mostly 2.00 lower, some sales 2.50 off; bulls 1.00 lower. Salable receipts near 30,500 head compared to 22,852 last week and 24,558 the comparable week a year ago. Cows comprised 14 percent cattle receipts and feeders 85 percent of the total.

Fogelsville

Sale of October 22, 1974

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

Hens, heavy type 6-16, mostly 8-12; Pullets 11-50, mostly 40-45; Roasters 48-51½; Ducks 40-50; Drakes 441/2-54; Turkeys, Toms 10-29; Turkeys - Hens 38-44; Rabbits 18-49; Pigeons (per pr.) 1.31-3.00½.

Total coops sold 505. Poultry received Monday 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday 7 a.m. to 12 Noon. Sale at 11:30

Directions - Take Rt. 222 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville exit. North to stoplight in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed one mile.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, Oct. 23 Market about steady. Demand is irregular and mostly fair. Where large are featured consumer response is good. Supplies are

adequate. Cartoned Eggs: Prices to Retailers, State Graded (min one case sale) White. Grade A Large 70-76, mostly 70-72.

Grade A Medium 67-73, mostly 67-69.

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, October 24 Weekly 51 - Cattle -Compared with last weeks close -

Slaughter steers and heifers 50-75 cents higher, as compared previous Wednesday or mostly 25 cents higher than closing trade on limited supplies. Cows 1.00-2.50 lower with utility and commercial frequently sharing in greatest decline. Bulls steady to 1.00 higher.

Four day receipts 15,600 as compared week and 18,400 a year ago. Slaughter steers approximately 30 percent weeks supply, Heifers 24 percent.

STEERS: Load average and High-Choice 1146 pounds 3 41.25 late. Fourteen loads Choice and Prime 1082-1206 3-4 40.25-41.00 during week, four loads choice and prime 1320-1376 lbs. 3-5 39.00 and load prime 1527 lbs. yield grade 5.35.00. Choice 975-1325 2-4 closed 39.50-41.00, two

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, Oct. 23 Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand no better than fair. Offerings of all sizes fully adequate. Undertone about steady.

Prices to Retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumers grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: Store Door, A Extra Large 68-69%; A Large 67-681/2; A Medium

Eastern Pa. & N. J.

Live Poultry Report Wednesday, Oct. 23 Eastern Pennsylvania and

New Jersey live poultry report: Prices unchanged. Farm offerings light and short of

processor needs as they continue to operate only part-time. Offerings of heavy type barely adequate for a fair call.

Prices paid at farm: Light Type Hens 6-8, mostly 7 in PA; mostly 6½-7 in N.J. Type Heavy Hens

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loads 1164 2-3 for Canadian shipment 41.50. Occasional loads mostly Choice 925-975 3 38,50-39.00. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1225 lbs. 38.50-39.75. Good 35.25-38.50, 1250-1424 lbs. holsteins 36.50-37.00 Standard and low-good 33.50-

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 38.85 average weight 1126 pounds as compared 39.11 and 1102 lbs. previous week and 41.46 and 1103 a year ago.

HEIFERS: Moderate volume High-Choice and Prime 836-1121 pounds 38.75-39.25 during week, load 1200 4-5 36.00. Choice 850-1050 3-4 closed 38.50-40.00. Mixed Good and choice 750-975 lbs. 37.00-38.25. Good 33.00-36.50, Small lots Standard and Good 32.00-33.50.

COWS: Utility and commercial 18.00-20.50, a few utility dairybreds 21.00. Canner and cutter 15.00-18.00, mixed cutter and lowutility 18.25-18.50. Shelly canner 13.00-14.50.

BULLS: 1 & 2 1400-1800 pounds 24.00-27.00, a few 1 28.00-29.00.

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NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Tuesday, October 22, 1974 Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons

delivered (to retail store EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL	
MASS+	72-76	70-74	66-7 0	47-56	
Mostly	73-75	71-73	67-69		
NEW HAN	IP				
Mostly		(Not Ava	(Not Available)		
R. I.	76-77	74-75	70-71	57-58	
VERMON		72-82	68-80		
Mostly	74-81	72-79	68-74		
MAINE	74-76	72-74	68-70	55-57	
+1	ncludes Centra	l and West	ern Sections (Only.	

Delmarva

Broller-Fryer Market Wednesday, Oct. 23

Ready to cook movement continues fairly good with nightly clearances satisfactory. Slaughter schedules moderate and in line with needs. Today's less than trucklot asking prices generally held unchanged on both Plant and US Grade A. Occasional early trading for next week noted at 39 cents on Plant Grade. Live supplies fully adequate for needs at weights in a wide range. Undertone fully steady to firm. Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lb. ready to cook broiler-fryers for delivery next week: US Grade A none; Plant Grade

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

Range: US Grade A 40-42: Plant Grade 39-41; Premium US Grade A 42-45; Premium Plant Grade 40-43.

Wtd. Avg: US Grade A 40.70; Plant-Grade 39.97; Premium US Grade A 44.01; Premium Plant Grade 42.59.

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Baltimore USDA October 21

Cattle 300. Slaughter steers & heifers strong to 50 cents higher; other classes being held for AM Auction. Supply 35 percent slaughter steers & heifers, 45 percent cows, 15 percent feeder cattle, balance bulls. Cows at AM Auction mostly \$1 lower; few bulls steady; feeder steady. fully cattle

STEERS: Choice yield grade 2-4 1025-1100 lbs. 42.00-43.50, Good & Choice 1000-1275 lbs. 38,50-40.00, Good 900-1300 lbs. 33.00-38.00, few Standard holsteins 24.25-27.00. HEIFERS: Good & Choice yield grade 2-4 835-900 lbs. 38.25-40.00. COWS: Utility

21.00-24.85, Commercial yield grade 3-5 18.00-20.50, Cutters 18.50-21.50, Canner & Low Cutters 16.00-18.50. BULLS: Few Yield Grade No. 1 1370-1535 lbs. 28.85-30.85; yield grade No. 2 26.85-27.25. FEEDER CATTLE: Few Good steers 550-750 lbs. 28.00-30.75, individual 1625 lbs. Choice 33.25; Good heifers 385-575 lbs. 20.50-23.25, Choice bull calves 427-545 lbs. 26.50-29.50.

HOGS 500. Barrows & Gilts uneven, averaging steady. US No. 1-3 200-230 lbs. 40.75-41.25, 25 head 41.35, No. 2-3 230-250 lbs. 40.25-41.00, No. 2-4 250-270 lbs. 39.50-40.50.

SOWS: 50 cents lower. US No. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 31.00-

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