

Poultry Market Reports

WEEKLY NEW YORK EGG MARKET

	Monday, March 17	Tuesday, March 18	Wednesday, March 19	Thursday, March 20	Friday, March 21
	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Large	64	64	64	64	64
Large	63	63	63	63	63
Mediums	57	57	57	57	57
Pullets	41	40	40	39	39
Peeweese	28	27	27	27	27
BROWN					
Large	66	66	66	66	66
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeweese	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	53	53	53	53	53
Checks	30	30	30	30	30

Tone — Retail Orders Improving.
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NEW ENGLAND WEEKLY SHELL EGG REPORT

Tuesday, March 18, 1975
Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	71-79	68-77	61-71	36-51
Mostly	72-74	69-71	62-64	37-39
NEW HAMP	69-76	66-73	59-66	34-41
Mostly	71-72	68-69	61-62	36-37
R. I.	75-76	72-73	65-66	41-42
VERMONT	73-81	70-78	63-72	
Mostly	73-80	70-77	63-70	
MAINE	73-75	70-72	63-65	38-40

+Includes Central and Western Sections Only.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, March 19
Marked unsettled. Cartoned orders very irregular but loose egg business steady. Supplies ample. Cartoned eggs: prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) white: Grade A Large 70-76, mostly 70-72; Grade A Medium 64-70, mostly 64-65.

New York Dressed Meats

March 20
Daily Distributive - less than carlot meat trade. Compared with Wednesday: Price structure for most fresh meats lacking stability and meat wholesalers encountering price resistance in all divisions. Beef loins and tenders excepted and oversold in instances. Quotations unchanged throughout the list aside from beef chucks mostly \$1.00 lower.

Steer Beef
Prime 600-900 lbs. 61.00-63.00; Choice 600-700 61.00-62.50, 700-800 60.00-62.00, 800-900 58.50-60.00; Good 500-800 56.50-57.50.

Heifer Beef
Choice 500-700 lbs. 59.50-61.50.

Calf (Skin Off)
Choice 150-350 lbs. 57.00-62.00; Good 150-350 47.00-52.00; Standard 150-350 44.00-47.00.

Veal (Skin Off)
Choice 90-150 lbs. 81.00-87.00; Good 60-90 72.00-76.00; Standard 60-120 60.00-65.00.

Lamb
Choice and Prime 30-55 92.00-94.00, 55-65 91.00-93.00.

Choice Beef Cuts
Hinds (Steer) 145-190 lbs. 72.00-74.00; Arm Chucks 90-105 45.00-50.00; Ribs (7-Rib) 34-40 77.00-82.00; Loins (Trmd) 50-70 90.00-95.00; Rounds (Steer) 70-95 70.00-72.00; Full Plates 35.00-36.00;

Fogelsville

Sale of March 18
(Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted.)

Hens, heavy type 8-33, mostly 12-23; Pullets 47-51; Roasters 10-50, mostly 40-47; Ducks 55½-58½; Drakes 50½-53; Geese 35-36; Turkeys, Hens 46-47; Rabbits 40-72, mostly 50-65; Guineas 95-1.11; Pigeons (per pair) 1.69-5.01.

Total Coops Sold - 472.
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. 222 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville exit. North to stoplight in Fogelsville, turn left, proceed one mile.

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, March 19
Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand light and disappointing for pre-holiday needs. Offerings ample to burdensome and occasionally freely made. Undertone very unsettled. Prices to retailers: sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: Store door A Extra Large 67-69½; A Large 66-68½; A Medium 58-60½.

Hinds (Heifer) 120-170 72.00-74.00.

Pork Cuts (Fresh)
Loins (Regular) 8-14 79.50-82.00, 14-17 75.00-78.00; Picnics (Regular) 4-8 43.00-45.00; Boston Butts 4-8 71.00-74.00; Spareribs 3 lbs. down 85.00-87.00; Hams (Skinned) 14-17 73.00-76.00, 17-20 68.00-71.00.

Kosher Steer Beef
Choice & Prime Forequarters 53.00-56.00.

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.	54	52
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	48	46
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	33	31
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	40	40
Checks	48 lbs.	32	32

Delmarva

Broiler-Fryer Market
Wednesday, March 19
Ready to cook movement light and disappointing. Slaughter schedules reduced in many quarters. Today's less than trucklot asking prices 1 - 2 cents lower on both Plant and US Grade A. Advance interest light at 39 cents. Live supplies ample with weights in a wide range. Undertone unsettled.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lb. ready to cook broiler-fryers for delivery next week: Plant Grade 39.

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

Range: US Grade A 40½-42; Plant Grade 39½-41; Premium US Grade A 42-46; Premium Plant Grade 41-44. Wtd. Avg.: US Grade A 41.15; Plant Grade 39.89; Premium US Grade A 45.09; Premium Plant Grade 43.19.

Eastern Pa. & N. J.

Live Poultry Report
Wednesday, March 19
Prices continue unchanged on light type hens. Offerings light as producer hold for additional production prior to the holiday. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a fair demand.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 4-5½, mostly 5-5½ in PA; mostly 5-5½ in NJ. Heavy type hens TFEWR.

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