

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Large	71	71	71	72	72
Large	69	69	69	71	71
Mediums	68	67	67	69	69
Pullets	60	61	61	61	61
Peeeweas	39	39	39	39	39
BROWN					
Large	71	71	71	71	71
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeeweas	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	64	64	64	65	65
Checks	40	40	40	40	40

Tone — Full Steady to Firm.
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New England Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, December 2, 1975
Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

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Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, Dec. 3
No Market Report Available at Press Time

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, Dec. 3
No Market Report Available at Press Time

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.	61	61
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	58	58
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	47	50
Breaking Stock	43 lbs.	47	48
Checks	48 lbs.	40	41

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Fogelsville

Sale of
Tuesday, December 2

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

Hens, light type 8-10; Hens, heavy type 10-28½, mostly 10-21; Pullets 25-50, mostly 50; Roasters 17-46, mostly 46; Ducks 49-59; Drakes 49-60; Geese 41-55½; Rabbits 66-77½, mostly 72-77½; Guineas 92½-1.05; mostly 1.00; Pigeons (per pr.) 1.50-4.30.

Total coops sold 277.
Directions — Take Rt. 22 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville Exit, North to stop lite in

Delmarva

Broiler-Fryer Market
Wednesday, Dec. 3
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Eastern PA & NJ

Live Hen Report
Wednesday, Dec. 3
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Fogelsville, turn left, proceed one block, turn left again at Cracker Barrel Restaurant. Auction right side 100 feet from your last left turn.

Hay & grain prices active

By Dieter Krieg
LANCASTER - Demand for hay is beginning to grow like a bunch of bad weeds, and the prices paid for good quality hay are beginning to come close to record-high prices paid earlier this year.

Area farmers predicted last summer that "good quality hay would be scarce," and their forecast has come true as buyers from as far away as New England cast their bids and load their trucks at Lancaster County hay outlets.

While current prices are high - good alfalfa hay is bringing just over \$100 per ton - it went for as high as

\$139 per ton at the New Holland Sales Stable last April. But compared to this time last year, prices for hay are up 30 to 50 per cent per ton.

With the running start hay and straw prices have now, as the indoor feeding season is just beginning, it's a good bet that last year's record prices will be broken.

Trade on the Chicago Board of Trade has been so active during the last couple of days that some television news shows decided to cover it.

Most of the activity centers around the fact that

HAY MARKETS

Regional

Hay Prices For Southeastern — So, Central Pennsylvania (All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealers at the farm, price per ton.)
Hay & Straw steady.
Alfalfa 60.00-80.00; Mixed hay 50.00-55.00, few to 65.00; Timothy hay 45.00-55.00; Straw 35.00-42.00; Mulch 15.00-30.00.

New Holland

Dec. 1, 1975
25 loads of hay.
13 loads of straw.
Alfalfa 64-118; Timothy 56-73; Mixed Hay 50-65; Straw 41-53; Corn 93 (one load); New Ear Corn 60-66; Old Ear Corn 82; Corn Fodder 31-40.

Guernsey recognized

PETERBOROUGH, N.H. - Burkes Taverns Emorys Dottie a twelve year old, registered Guernsey cow, owned by Raymond F. & Louise A. Witmer, (Penn-Del Farm), has completed an official DHIR actual production record of 17,230 pounds of milk and 682 pounds of butterfat, in 305 days, two times a day milking, according to The American Guernsey Cattle Club.

Russia's agriculture has come up with a crop which is approximately 25 per cent short of goals. The poor showing has prompted the Soviet government to announce the severest austerity measures since the end of World War II and it is believed that the U.S. alone will not be able to supply enough grain to meet needs in the Soviet Union.

If you want to compare this year's hay and grain prices with those of last year, here's a quick run-down of the prices that were quoted a year ago:

Alfalfa: 55.00-70.00; mixed hay: 40.00-45.00, a few to 55.00; Timothy: 35.00-40.00; Straw: 30.00-38.00; corn: 3.00-3.40; wheat: 3.50-4.23; barley: 2.10-2.50; oats: 1.75-1.95; soybeans: 5.80-7.00; and ear corn 60.00-73.00.

TRY A CLASSIFIED

Paul Z. Martin

Wednesday, Dec. 3
43 loads of hay, straw and ear corn sold as follows:
Alfalfa 77-103; Timothy 70-82; Clover, 2 loads, 62-78; Mixed Hay 50-90; Straw 46-66; 1 load Soybean Straw 36; Couple loads Corn Fodder 34 & 38; New Corn 65; Old Corn 85.

Green Dragon

November 23, 1975
Prices Per Ton:
61 loads hay & 25 loads straw.
Alfalfa 64.00-102.00; Timothy 51.00-68.00; Mixed hay 50.00-70.00, few 81.00-95.00; Clover, couple loads 51.00 and 60.00; Straw 41.00-56.00; Corn, 8 loads 61.00-65.00; Corn Screening, one load at 46.00; Corn Fodder, 4 loads 23.00-42.00; Oats, one load \$1.75 per bushel.

Picky Eater

Then there's the person who orders two eggs. "Don't fry them a second after the white is cooked. Don't turn them over. Not too much grease, just a pinch of salt, no pepper. Well, waitress, what are you waiting for?"

The waitress could only reply "The hen's name is Gertrude, if that's alright with you!"

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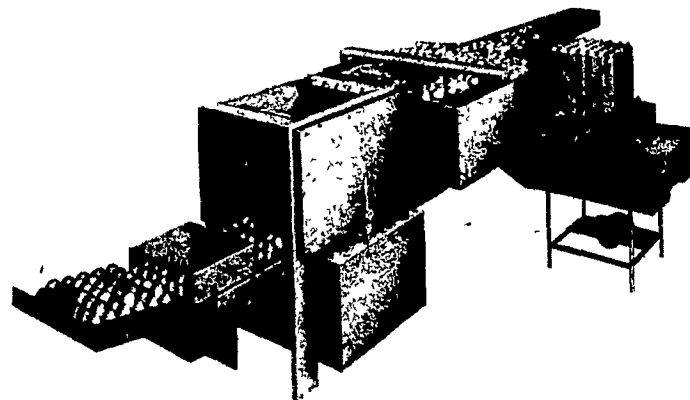
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