

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, April 4 to Friday, April 8

	Mon	Tues	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE.					
Ex Large	67	67	67	65	H
Large	67	67	67	65	()
Mediums	58	58	58	56	L
Pullets	48	48	48	44	I
Peewees	33	33	33	30	D
BROWN					
Large	67	67	67	67	A
Mediums	Unquoted				Y
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				

Off Grade

Large	59	59	59	57
Checks	37	37	36	36

Tone - Eastern Points Well Cleared, Central Area Fully Adequate.

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New England Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, April 5

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

	EX LARGE	LARGE	MEDIUM	SMALL
MASS+	70-80	69-78	60-75	45-64
Mostly	71-72	70-71	61-62	46-47
NEW HAMP	65-72	64-71	55-62	40-47
Mostly	69-70	68-69	59-60	44-45
R.I.	74-75	73-74	64-65	49-50
VERMONT	72-80	71-78	62-74	-
Mostly	74-77	73-75	64-69	-
MAINE	72-74	71-73	62-64	47-49

(+) Includes Central and Western Section 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	Thurs.
Extra Large	51 lbs.		
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	50	50
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	48	48
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	43	42
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	35	35
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	42	42
Checks	48 lbs.	37	37

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, April 6
Demand good for Large and Mediums. Supplies are adequate with inventories

worked down to satisfactory levels.

Cartoned eggs prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) White
Grade A Large 71-73
Grade A Medium 61-63

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, April 6, 1977

Prices lower on light type hens Offerings ample for a fair steady buying interest. Offering of heavy type generally adequate for a fair call

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 8-10, mostly 9½-10½; Heavy type Hens: TFEWR.

Delmarva Poultry

Wednesday, April 6, 1977

Ready-to-cook movement fairly good for current needs. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy in some quarters. Today's LTL asking prices generally 2 cents higher at 43 on plant and 44 on US Grade A. Advance interest active. Live supplies adequate at desirable wts. Undertone very firm.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lb. ready to cook broiler/fryers for delivery next week: Plant grade 42-43.

Current broiler/fryer negotiated prices for immediate includes mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva: Range: US Grade A 41-42; Plant Grade 40-41; Premium X US Grade A 43-48; Premium X Plant Grade 42-46; WTD Avg.: US Grade A 41.90; Plant Grade 40.89; Premium X US Grade A 45.55; Premium X Plant Grade 46.10.

X includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, April 6

Prices steady Cartoning demand good. Offerings fully adequate on all sizes despite widespread feature activity Undertone unsettled to weak

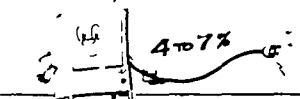
Prices to retailers sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered store door

A1 Extra Large	67-68
A1 Large	66-68
A1 Medium	56-58

CONSUMER GUIDELINES

Appliances

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Hay Markets

Harvey Z. Martin

April 6
135 loads

Alfalfa 45 to 75, better 84 to 96 6 top loads 100 to 109. Clover 48 to 94, Timothy 40 to 77, Mixed Hay 45 to 60, better 61 to 101; Grass Hay (2 loads) 45 and 49; Half Hay 56, Straw 71 to 94, (corn fodder 59 to 72; 1 ar (orn 60 to 73; Shelled (orn (1 load) 1 70 per bushel (Oats (1 load) 2 30 per bushel

Green Dragon

April 1, 1977

PRICES PER TON

.4 loads hay & 18 lds. straw
Alfalfa 78.00-105.00; Timothy, few 47.00-66.00; Mixed hay 54.00-70.00, few to 92.00, some down to 40.00; Clover, couple 62.00-69.00; Straw 61.00-73.00, couple to 81.00; Ear (orn, 2 lds. 65.00-67.50 one down to 58.00; Oats, one load \$2.00 per bu.

Vintage Hay

THURSDAY, APRIL 7

Second crop alfalfa 75.00-88.50; first crop alfalfa 65.00-72.00; mixed hay 65.00-75.00; timothy 58.00-62.00; soybean stalks 45.00; mulch hay 47.00-50.00; straw 69.00-75.00.

Regional Hay

April 4, 1977

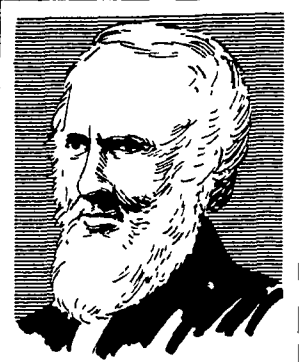
(All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealers at the farm, price per ton.)

Hay & Straw steady to weak.

Alfalfa 75.00-85.00; Mixed hay 55.00-70.00; Timothy hay 50.00-65.00; Straw 50.00-60.00; Mulch 20.00-35.00.



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And Truth, at His requiring
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He quickens into deeds
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