

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, June 26 to Friday, June 30

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex Large	58	60	60	61	61
Large	54	56	56	57	57
Mediums	45	45	45	46	46
Pullets	33	33	33	33	33
Peeeweese	24	24	24	24	24
BROWN					
Large	57	60	61	63	63
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeeweese	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	47	48	48	49	49
Checks	26	27	27	27	27

Tone: Steady.

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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

June 27, 1978

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. +	65-68	63-67	50-56	36-42
Mostly	66-68	64-66	51-53	37-39
NEW HAMP.	59-65	57-63	44-50	30-36
Mostly	60-61	58-59	45-46	31-32
R.I.	66-67	65-66	54-55	40-41
VERMONT	67-72	65-69	52-61	--
Mostly	69	67	54-55	--
MAINE	67-73	55-71	52-58	38-44

+ Includes Central and Western Sections Only.

Nest Run Eggs

Prices are from Egg Clearinghouse, Inc., (ECI) Durham, N.H. and reflect trading prices for gradable 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.		
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	46	46
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	41	42
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	35	37
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	27	27
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	36	36
Checks	48 lbs.	28	28

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The following market is supplied by PACMA-FACTS, a direct marketing organization affiliated with the Pennsylvania Farmers' Association. Participating poultrymen are members of PACMA, which employs a fowl marketing agent, The Farmers' Agricultural Cooperative Trading Society (FACT) - to sell members' fowl. PACMA works directly with the PFA poultrymen in the program.

Farm point prices prevailing for fowl to be marketed by members during the week of June 26 were 11½ plant, and 9½ farm.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

June 28, 1978

Prices mostly unchanged on light type hens. Farm offerings heavy for a good processor demand. Offerings of heavy type hens ample for only a fair call.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens: 7-9½, mostly 9-9½. FOB Plant 11-12, mostly 11 Heavy type hens: TFEWR.

Philadelphia Eggs

June 28, 1978

Prices unchanged to higher on extra large and large, unchanged on mediums. Cartoning demand fair though occasional disappointing. Offerings of larger size adequate to barely adequate while medium and smaller ample. Undertone steady but cautious. Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: Store door. A Extra Large 51½-58; A Large 50½-56; A Medium 41-44.

Baltimore Eggs

June 28, 1978

Prices unchanged to higher on large, unchanged on mediums. Cartoning demand fair. Offerings ample on mediums, barely adequate to adequate on extra large, in fair balance on large. Undertone fully steady.

Cartoned Eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (Min 1 case sale) Grade A Large 62-68; Grade A Medium 52-57.

New Holland Dairy

Wednesday, June 28, 1978
New Holland Sales Stables
Reported receipts of 113 cows, 87 heifers, and 4 bulls. Market steady with last week's market.

Load of Pa. fresh 720-850; load of N.Y. fresh 750-1200, springers 775-1225; load of Pa. fresh 660-880; load of N.Y. fresh 700-850, springers 670-885; local cows 500-900; springing heifers 550-825; open heifers 275-445; bulls 370-530; herd dispersal of 14 head in all stages of lactation, purebred and grade 530-1200.

Hay Markets

Green Dragon

June 23, 1978

Prices Per Ton: 26 loads hay.

Alfalfa, few loads 54.00-70.00; Timothy, few loads 60.00-99.00; Mixed hay 59.00-81.00, few to 98.00; Meadow Grass, couple 55.00 and 57.00; Orchard Grass Hay, one load 90.00; Straw, 5 loads 83.00-101.00, one 65.00; Ear Corn, 19 -loads 78.00-87.00, one 64.00; Corn Fodder, 3 loads 61.00-79.00; Oats, one load at \$1.80 per bushel.

Delmarva Poultry

June 28, 1978

Ready-to-cook movement very good on whole birds but sluggish on parts except fair on wings. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy. Today LTL asking prices mostly 53 on plant grade and 54 on US grade A. Live supplies barely adequate to short at weights lighter than desired. Undertone very firm.

Current broiler/fryer negotiated prices for immediate included mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva. Range: US Grade A 51-54; Plant Grade 51-53; Premium X US Grade A 59.00; Premium X Plant Grade 57.00. WTD. Avg.: US Grade A 52.31; Plant Grade 52.02; Premium X US Grade A 59.00; Premium X Plant Grade 57%.

X-Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Regional Hay

June 26, 1978

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

Hay steady to \$10 lower; Straw steady.
Alfalfa 50.00-65.00; Mixed hay 50.00-60.00; Timothy hay 40.00-60.00; Straw 50.00-70.00; Mulch 30.00-40.00.

Harvey Z. Martin Hay Market

Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, June 28, 1978

56 Loads

Alfalfa 72 to 90, timothy 57 to 90, mixed hay 44 to 77 & 80 to 97; straw 75 to 88, 2 loads 93 & 95, ear corn 74.50 to 87, 1 load 68.

New Holland Hay

New Holland Sales Stables
Monday, June 26, 1978

Total 51 loads.
Alfalfa hay 50-70; timothy 60-83; mixed hay 54-100; clover, 2 loads, 60, 50; straw 93-94; corn 65-89; oat seed, 2 loads, 1.65, 1.75, per bushel.

Changing Milks?

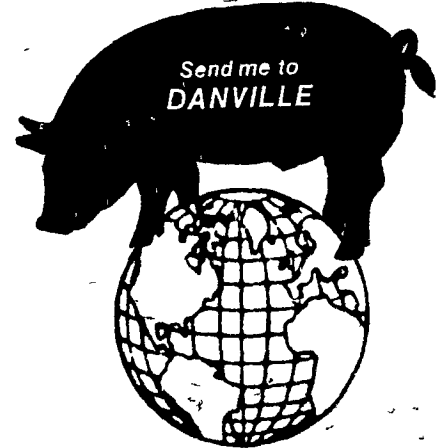
Fluid skim milk made from nonfat dry milk can be used in the recipes that call for milk

Peanut Whirl

Peanuts, the crop product President Carter has made famous, actually took a long route to North America. Spanish explorers discovered peanuts in Peru and took some back to Spain for planting. The Spaniards subsequently traded peanut with Africans — who ultimately brought them to the new world.

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