

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, August 21 to Friday, August 25

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Jumbo	72	72	72	74	74
Ex Large	66	66	66	68	68
Large	62	62	62	64	64
Mediums	56	56	56	55	54
Pullets	40	40	40	39	39
Peeweese	29	29	29	28	28

BROWN					
Large	68	68	69	69	69
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeweese	Unquoted				

Off Grade					
Large	58	58	58	58	58
Checks	33	33	33	33	33

Tone: Mediums easy, balance steady.
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Philadelphia Eggs

August 23, 1978

Eggs:
Prices unchanged—cartoning demand light to fair at best. Offerings in fairly good balance with current needs. Undertone steady.

Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: Store door.

A Extra Large 61-65½; A Large 60-63½; A Medium 53-56.

Baltimore Eggs

August 23, 1978

Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand fair but unaggressive. Offerings in fairly good balance with needs.

Cartoned eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (min 1 case sale). Grade A Large 70-74; Grade A Medium 63-68.

Fogelsville Poultry

August 22, 1978

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

Hens, heavy type 8-35, mostly 30; pullets 25-54, mostly 44-48; roasters 20-26; ducks 42-61, mostly 50-61; drakes 56; rabbits 25-41, mostly 40-41; pigeons, per pair 75-2.05, mostly 1.00-1.25. Total coops sold 169.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

August 23, 1978

Prices light type hens tending higher within unchanged range. Offerings fully adequate for a fair but unaggressive interest. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a fair demand.

Prices Paid at farm: Light type hens 8-10½ mostly 10; FOB plant 12-12½ mostly 12½; Heavy type hens TFEWR.

Delmarva Poultry

August 23, 1978

Ready-to-cook movement very slow with prices forced for clearance in many quarters. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy at several plants. Today's LTL asking prices ranged 40-14 on plant and 41-42 on U.S. Grade A. Advance interest very slow in developing. Live supplies ample at WTS. often heavier than desired. Undertone weak and unsettled.

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

Range: US Grade A 41-45; Plant Grade 40-43½; Premium X US Grade A 49.00; Premium X Plant Grade 47.00.

WTD AVG. US Grade A 42.07; Plant Grade 41.50; Premium X US Grade A 49.00; Premium X Plant Grade 47.00.

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

PACMA Fowl

PACMA-FACTS

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 August 21 were 12½ plant, 10½ farm.

Regional Hay

August 21, 1978

(All hay No. 2 and better, prices paid by dealers at the farm & per ton.) Hay slow, steady to weak, spots \$10 lower on Alfalfa; Straw steady.

Alfalfa 50.00-60.00, Mixed hay 50.00-55.00, Timothy hay 40.00-50.00, Straw 50.00-60.00, Mulch 20.00-35.00.

New Holland

New Holland Sales Stables

Monday, August 21

Most Destructive
The most common rat species in the United States—the Norway rat—is considered by many experts to be the most destructive mammal on earth.

First cutting alfalfa hay 55-90, second cutting 57-78, third cutting 52-59; timothy hay 46-76; mixed hay 51-72; straw 63-108; corn 66-78; oats, per bushel 1.11-1.60; timothy seed, per bushel 25-27.

Green Dragon Hay

Ephrata, Pa.
August 18, 1978

PRICES PER TON:
32 loads hay & 20 loads straw.

Alfalfa 70.00-81.00, one at 108.00; Timothy, couple 72.00 and 81.00; Mixed hay 50.00-74.00, one at 84.00, few down to 39.00; Clover, couple 53.00 and 62.00; Straw 65.00-87.00; Ear Corn, 15 loads 67.00-78.00, few down to 62.00.

Vintage Hay

Thursday, August 24
Timothy hay 73-81; mixed hay 44-67; straw 65.

N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

August 22, 1978

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. +	70-75	68-74	64-72	41-54
Mostly	71-73	69-72	65-70	42-47
NEW HAMP.	64-70	62-68	58-64	35-41
Mostly	65-66	63-64	59-60	36-37
R.I.	73-74	72-73	68-69	45-46
VERMONT	72-83	70-80	66-73	--
Mostly	74-78	72-75	68-71	--
MAINE	69-73	68-71	64-67	41-44

+ 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.	50	54
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	45	46
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	43	42
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	32	31
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	41	42
Checks	48 lbs.	33	34



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FORECAST:

"Highs in the low to mid 90's with not much letup in sight!"

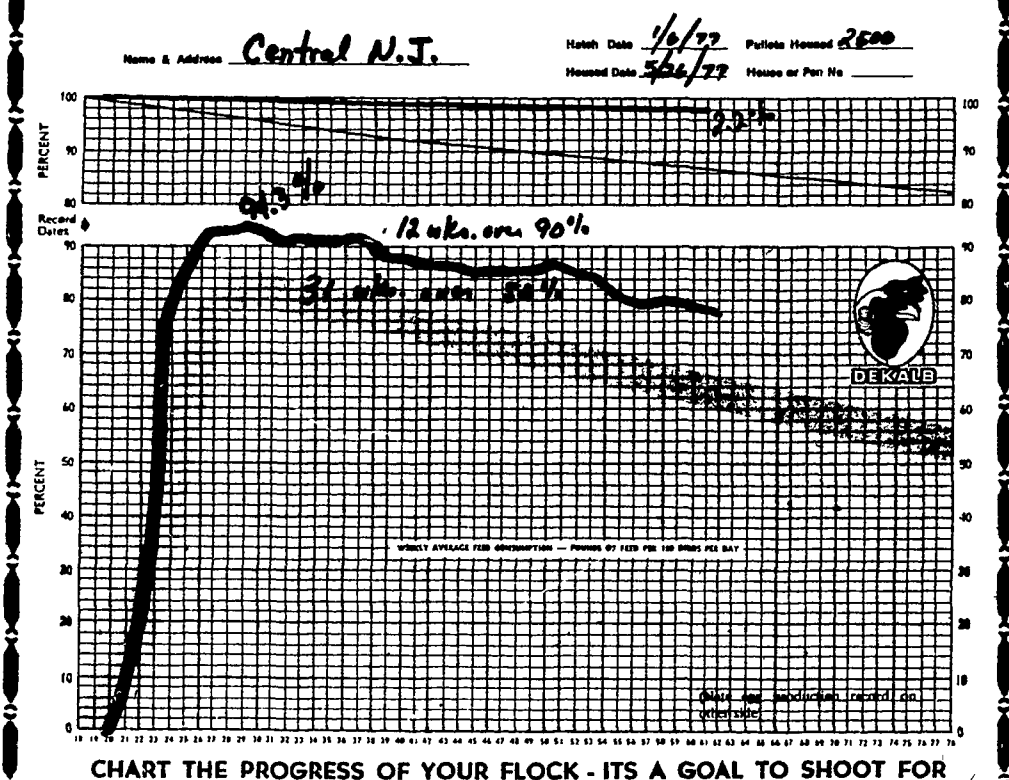


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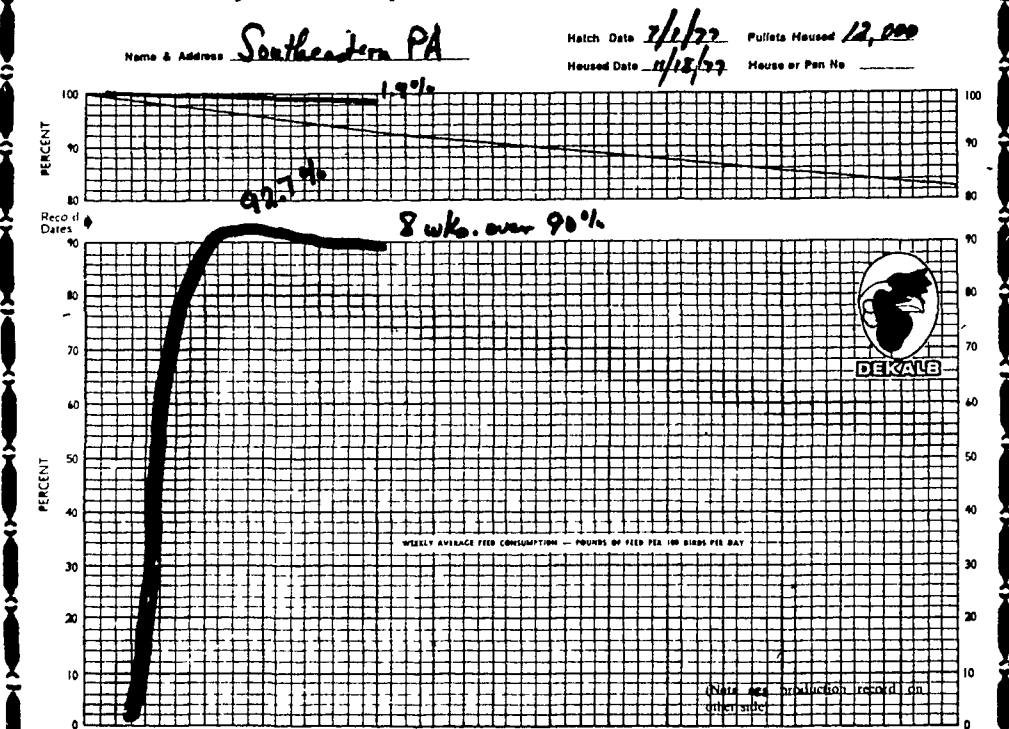


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