

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, November 20 to Friday, November 24

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Jumbo	78	78	78		78
Ex Large	74	74	74	N	74
Large	72	72	72	M	72
Mediums	67	68	68	A	68
Pullets	53	53	53	R	53
Peewees	41	41	41	K	41
BROWN					
Large	78	78	78	H	78
Mediums	Unquoted			O	
Pullets	Unquoted			L	
Peewees	Unquoted			D	
Off Grade					
Large	68	68	68		68
Checks	43	43	43		43
Breakers	51	51	51		51

Tone: Trading cautious, market steady.
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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

November 21, 1978

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.+	79-81	75-77	73-75	52-54
Mostly	79	75	73	52
NEW HAMP.	75-80	74-79	69-74	48-53
Mostly	76-77	75-76	70-71	49-50
R.I.	84-85	80-84	78-79	57-58
VERMONT	82-90	81-88	76-84	--
Mostly	84-88	83-85	78-79	--
MAINE	80-83	79-82	74-77	55-56

+ 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	Friday
Extra Large	51 lbs.		
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	60	60
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	58	58
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	58	57
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	47	47
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	51	51
Checks	48 lbs.	43	43

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 November 20 were not available.

Delmarva Poultry

November 22, 1978

Ready-to-cook movement is light and disappointing in most quarters. Slaughter schedules moderate overall. Today's LTL asking prices held unchanged at 39-40 on plant and 40-41 on U.S. Grade A. Advanced interest light to occasionally fair. Live supplies ample with weights heavier than desired. Undertone steady.

Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 lbs. ready to cook broiler fryers for delivery next week:

U.S. Grade A-Plant Grade 39-40.

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

RANGE: U.S. Grade A 40-42; Plant Grade 38-40½; Premium X U.S. Grade A 48; Premium X Plant Grade 46.

WTD. AVG.: U.S. Grade A 40.70; Plant Grade 39.77; Premium X U.S. Grade A 48.00; Premium X Plant Grade 46.00.

(x) - Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Baltimore Eggs

November 22, 1978

Prices of mediums unchanged to one cent higher. Demand good. Supplies adequate.

CARTONED EGGS: Prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) white. Grade A Large 76-80. Grade A Medium 70-75.

Philadelphia Eggs

November 22, 1978

Prices unchanged to higher on medium, balance unchanged. Cartoning demand fair to good for late fillin needs prior to the holiday. Offerings of larger sizes about adequate while smaller sizes ample. Undertone steady but cautious.

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

A Extra Large 69-74, A Large 68-72, A Medium 62 1/2-67.

Hay Markets

Harvey Z. Martin Hay

Harvey Z. Martin Hay and Straw Sale - Gap, Pa.

Wed. Nov. 22, 1978 6 Loads

Mixed hay (2 Loads) 70 & 75; Timothy hay 50 & 69; Straw 63 & 80.

New Holland Hay

Monday, November 20, 1978 New Holland Sales Stables Total 100 loads.

Alfalfa 51-112; timothy 41-82; mixed hay 38-87; straw 36-96; corn 54-87.

Green Dragon

Ephrata, Pa. November 17, 1978

Prices per ton: 21 loads hay. Alfalfa, few 90.00-92.00; Timothy, one at 46.00; Mixed hay 50.00-71.00, few down to 43.00; Orchard Grass hay, one at 45.00; Straw, one at 95.00; Ear Corn, 17 loads 50.00-74.50; Corn Fodder, 2 loads 37.00 and 39.00.

Regional Hay

November 20, 1978

Prices per ton:

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

Hay & Straw slow & steady.

Alfalfa 55.00-75.00; Mixed hay 50.00-65.00; Timothy hay 45.00-60.00; Straw 60.00-70.00; Mulch 25.00-35.00.

Good's Hay

Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, November 22.

Total 40 loads. Alfalfa 59-97; timothy 45-84; mixed hay 53-74; straw 86-90; old corn, 1 load 81; new corn 61-64.50; corn fodder 41-45.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. poultry

November 22, 1978

Prices higher on light type hens. Farm receipts generally short of a fairly aggressive processor demand. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a good call.

Prices paid at farm: light type hens 9-11, mostly 10-10 1/2.

FOB plant 12-13, mostly 12 1/2-12 3/4.

Valley Livestock

Valley Stockyards Athens, Pa.

Monday, November 20, 1978

Reported receipts of 402 calves, 148 cows, 45 hogs, 43 heifers, 5 sheep, 13 lambs, 22 bulls, and 8 steers. Cattle market very good and calf market steady.

Holstein heifer calves to 96.00; veals 80.00-94.50; bobs, 90 to 110 lbs. 78.00-86.00; bobs, 80 lbs. and down 63.00-72.00; grassers and feeders 45.00-63.00; lambs 50.00-59.25; sheep 18.00-20.00; hogs, 200 to 250 lbs. 46.00-52.50; sows 38.00-42.00; boars 30.00-35.00; pigs 20.00-44.25; heifers 45.00-61.50; steers, feeder 42.50-61.50; steers, common 38.00-40.00; bulls 44.00-52.75; cows, good 42.00-44.25; cows, medium 38.75-41.00; cows, poor or small 32.50-36.00; horses 175.00-322.50; ponies 25.00-40.00; goats 15.00-40.00.



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