

# Poultry Market Reports

## Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, January 8 to Friday, January 12

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Jumbo	74	74	74	75	76
Ex Large	70	70	70	71	72
Large	69	69	69	70	71
Mediums	66	66	66	67	68
Pullets	54	54	54	55	55
Peewees	41	41	41	41	41
<b>BROWN</b>					
Large	78	78	78	78	79
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
<b>Off Grade</b>					
Large	63	63	63	63	64
Checks	36	36	36	36	36
Breakers	42	42	42	42	42

Tone: Pullets irregular, balance firm.

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## N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

January 9, 1979

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS. +	80-85	79-84	76-79	56-58
Mostly	81-83	80-82	77	56
NEW HAMP.	74-79	75-78	70-75	52-57
Mostly	75-76	74-75	71-72	58-59
R.I.	83-84	82-83	79-80	61-62
VERMONT	81-90	80-88	77-84	--
Mostly	83-88	82-86	79-81	--
MAINE	79-83	78-81	75-78	57-60

+ 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.	56	57
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	54	55
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	51	51
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	46	46
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	42	43
Checks	48 lbs.	37	37

## 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 January 8 were 15 at plant, 12½ to 13 at the farm.

## Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

January 10, 1979

Market steady on light type hens. Offerings moderate and not sufficient to maintain slaughter schedules. Supplies of heavy type limited but interest less aggressive also.

Prices paid at farm: light hen types 12-13, mostly 12½-13.

F.O.B. Plant: 15-16, mostly 15.

Heavy type hens TFEWR.

## Philadelphia Eggs

January 10, 1979

EGGS: Trade sentiment is generally steady with prices holding at unchanged levels. Current egg demand is about moderate. Floor stocks are usually adequate to handle current buying interest.

Prices to retailers - sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in carton delivered: store door:

A Extra Large 68-73; A Large 67-71; A Medium 63-67.

## Delmarva Poultry

January 10, 1979

The market is firm with ready-to-cook demand exceeding available supply. Slaughter is heavy. Asking prices are mostly 48-49 cents for Plant Grade, 49-50 cents for U.S. Grade A. Live supplies are adequate at desirable weights.

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

RANGE: US Grade A 48-50; Plant Grade 46-48½; Premium X US Grade A 54; Premium X Plant Grade 52. WTD. AVG.: US Grade A 48.63; Plant Grade 47.51; Premium X US Grade A 54.00; Premium X Plant Grade 52.00.

X - includes special selected competitive brands, etc.

U.S. agricultural exports in fiscal year 1979 are expected to rise about 6 per cent from last year's total of \$27.3 billion to about \$29 billion, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

# Hay Markets

## Regional Hay

January 8, 1979

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

Hay & Straw slow, steady to weak, spots \$5 to \$10 lower.

Alfalfa 55.00-75.00, few down to 45.00; Mixed hay 45.00-65.00; Timothy hay 40.00-55.00; Straw 60.00-70.00, few down to 50.00; Mulch 25.00-35.00.

## Green Dragon

Ephrata, Pa.

January 5, 1979

Prices per ton: 90 loads hay & 31 loads straw. Alfalfa 51.00-85.00; Timothy 40.00-51.00, few to 70.00; Mixed hay 45.00-68.00, one 75.00, some down to 35.00; Clover, one load 63.00; Orchard Grass hay, one load 47.00; Straw 50.00-72.00, one at 80.00; Ear Corn, 11 loads 60.00-74.00.

## Vintage Hay

Paradise, Pa.

Thurs., January 11, 1979  
Total 15 loads.  
Alfalfa 55-74; mixed hay 40-60; timothy 40-60; stubble hay 32-36; straw 51-65.

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**5000, 21**  
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## Good's Hay

Leola, Pa.

Wed., January 10, 1979

Total 129 loads.  
Straw 52-70; mixed hay 52-88; alfalfa 61-98; timothy 51-66; corn 60-68.50; clover, 1 load 70; corn fodder, 2 loads 40, 47; stubble hay 26-33.

## New Holland Hay

Mon., January 8, 1979

New Holland Sales Stables

Total 35 loads.

Mixed hay 50-84; straw 40-66; corn fodder, 1 load 45; timothy 61; corn 65-68; alfalfa 59-77; firewood 19, 20, 29.

## Baltimore Eggs

January 10, 1979

EGGS: Demand fair to good where either large or mediums are featured. Supplies are plentiful.

Cartoned eggs: prices to retailers, state graded (min. one case sale) white.

Grade A Large 73-76  
Grade A Medium 69-73

Remember to check the lint trap or filter on your clothes dryer after each load, say Extension home management specialists at Penn State. Keeping the filter clean is a good way to keep the dryer from being an "energy hog." It is a good idea to keep a close check on the outside exhaust and make sure it remains clean. If your dryer can't "breathe" it has to work harder and uses more energy.

## TOP OF THE HOG MARKET

DANVILLE LIVESTOCK MARKET

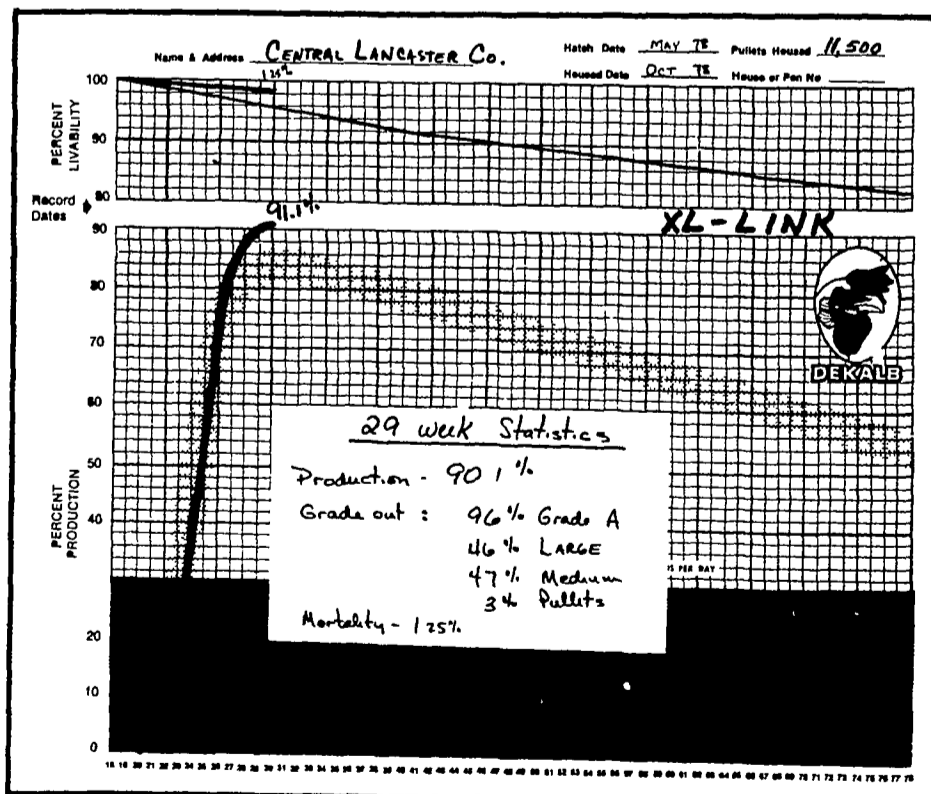
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