

Poultry Market Reports

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, January 15 to Friday, January 19

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Jumbo	77	78	78	80	80
Ex Large	73	74	74	76	76
Large	73	74	74	76	76
Mediums	69	70	71	73	73
Pullets	56	57	59	61	61
Peewees	41	42	43	45	45
BROWN					
Large	80	80	80	80	80
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	66	67	67	68	68
Checks	36	36	36	36	36
Breakers	42	43	43	44	45

Tone: Full steady to firm.

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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

January 16, 1979

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.+	82-85	80-84	76-79	56-58
Mostly				
NEW HAMP.	76-82	74-80	71-77	52-58
Mostly	77-78	75-76	72-76	53-54
R.I.	86-87	84-85	81-82	61-62
VERMONT	83-91	81-90	78-83	--
Mostly	83-87	81-85	79-83	--
MAINE	82-85	80-85	77-80	58-60

+ 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		Tuesday	Thursday
	Per Case	Weight		
Extra Large	51 lbs.			
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	65	65	
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	61	64	
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	59	59	
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	53	56	
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	43	45	
Checks	48 lbs.	37	37	

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

January 17, 1979

Prices mostly unchanged on light type hens at farm though occasionally prices trending higher delivered plants. Farm offerings short of a fairly good processor call. Farm offerings of heavy type hens often short of a fairly good interest.

Prices paid at farm: light type hens 12-13, mostly 12½-13.

FOB Plant 15-16, mostly 15½-16.

Heavy type hens TFEWR.

Baltimore Eggs

January 17, 1979

Prices unchanged to one cent higher. Demand is fairly good. Supplies adequate on all sizes except small.

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

Grade A Large 75-80
Grade A Medium 71-76

Delmarva Poultry

January 17, 1979

Ready-to-cook movement light and disappointing in some quarters while still fair at others. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy. Today's LTL asking prices ranged lower at 48-49 on Plant and 49-50 on U.S. Grade A. Live supplies fully adequate at weights generally within desired ranges. Undertone weak and unsettled.

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

RANGE: US Grade A 49-25; Plant Grade 48-50½; Premium X US Grade A 57.00; Premium X Plant Grade 55.00.

WTD. AVG.: US Grade A 49.58; Plant Grade 48.98; Premium X US Grade A 57.00; Premium X Plant Grade 55.00.

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 January 15 were not available

Hay Markets

Green Dragon

Ephrata, Pa.
January 12, 1979

Prices per ton:
24 loads hay & 8 loads straw.

Alfalfa, few 58.00-108.00; Timothy, couple 46.00 and 48.00; Mixed hay 51.00-82.00; Mulch, few 37.00-48.00; Straw 56.00-79.00, one at 86.00; Ear Corn, 5 loads 61.00-67.00.

Regional Hay

January 15, 1979

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

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

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

Vintage Hay

Thurs., January 11, 1979
Paradise, Pa.

All prices per ton.
Alfalfa 63-70; mixed hay 43-60; timothy 49-60.

Good's Hay

Leola, Pa.

Wed., January 17, 1979
Total 116 loads.

Alfalfa 55-107.50; mixed hay 45-78; timothy 41-48.50; clover 51-56; straw 54-73; corn 63-65; corn fodder, 1 load 49; stubble hay, 2 loads 29, 49; orchard grass 2 loads 48, 60; 1 load of firewood 24.50 per load.

Philadelphia Eggs

January 17, 1979

EGGS: Prices continue to trend higher. Cartoning demand fair for adequate stocks of all sizes except barely adequate on smalls. Undertone steady but cautious.

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

A Extra Large 69-76; A Large 68-74; A Medium 64-69.

New Holland Hay

January 15, 1979

New Holland Sales Stables
Total 122 loads. All prices per ton.

Straw 47-82; alfalfa 68-111; timothy 53-70; mixed hay 46-83; corn, 6 loads 60-72; corn fodder, 2 loads 36, 44; grass hay, 2 loads 45, 58.

What is "scrapple?" A favorite breakfast dish of many, scrapple is made of cooked pork and broth thickened with cornmeal, flour and sometimes cereals and pork trimmings. It's well seasoned with salt, pepper and spices. According to U.S. Department of Agriculture standards, it must contain at least 40 per cent meat.

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