

# Poultry Market Reports

## Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, December 21 to Thursday, December 28

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Jumbo	87	87	H	85	81
Ex Large	80	80	O	78	74
Large	79	79	L	77	73
Mediums	74	74	I	72	69
Pullets	59	59	D	56	53
<b>BROWN</b>					
Large	82	82	A	82	82
Mediums	Unquoted		Y		
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peeweese	Unquoted				
<b>Off Grade</b>					
Large	72	72		70	66
Checks	39	39		39	39

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NOTE: Last week's prices from Friday through Thursday were unchanged. The Friday quotation ran through the week.

## 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	Wednesday
Extra Large	51 lbs.	
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	58
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	57
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	55
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	46
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	48
Checks	48 lbs.	40

Note: No Tuesday or Thursday report due to holiday.

## Delmarva Poultry

December 26, 1979

RTC movement often light and disappointing as occasional product forced for clearance. Slaughter schedules generally curtailed over all. Today's LTL asking prices mostly 48 cents on Plant and 50 cents on U.S. Grade A. Live supplies ample at mostly desirable weights. Undertone barely steady for current deliveries, though firm for post-holiday.

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

RANGE: U.S. Grade A 44.50-51.00; Plant Grade 43.50-41.00; Premium X U.S. Grade A 52.00.

WTD. AVG.: U.S. Grade A 48.14; Plant Grade 47.26; Premium X U.S. Grade A 52.00.

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

## Baltimore Eggs

December 26, 1979

Demand fair to good at very competitive prices. Supplies are adequate. Nest runs are freely offered from nearby producing areas.

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

Grade A Large 82-84  
Grade A Medium 77-79

## Philadelphia Eggs

December 26, 1979

EGGS: Prices unchanged. Demand good on all sizes. Offerings fully adequate to ample though occasionally irregularly distributed. Undertone steady but cautions.

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

A Extra Large 78-81; A Large 77-79; A Medium 71-73.

## Fogelsville Poultry

December 18, 1979

(Prices paid dock weights cents per lb. except where noted).

HENS, HEAVY TYPE: range 15-30, mostly 15-28.

PULLETS: range 32-47, mostly 43-45.

ROASTERS: range 16-38, mostly 25-30.

CAPONS: range 50-87, mostly 55-70.

DUCKS: range 41-58, mostly 48-53.

DRAKES: range 48-69, mostly 55-65.

GEESE: range 42-72, mostly 62-68.

TURKEYS, TOM: range 40-65.

RABBITS: range 75-89.

GUINEAS: range 90-1.15, 1.00-1.10.

PIGEONS, (PER PAIR): range 1.80-1.90.

## N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

December 25, 1979

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.+	84-87	82-85	75-77	59-61
Mostly	85-	83	75	59
HAMP.	77-81	75-79	71-75	52-56
Mostly	79	77	73	54
R.I.	88-89	86-87	82-83	63-64
VERMONT	86-94	84-92	80-86	-
Mostly	88-89	85-86	79-82	-
MAINE	not available			

+ Includes Central and Western Sections only.

## Joliet Cattle

December 27, 1979

CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 2,900; 5 days last week 5,977; same period a year ago 5,885. Trading slow on Monday; moderately active on Wednesday. Slaughter steers ended the week 1.00 to 1.50 higher than Wednesday of last week. Slaughter heifers ended the week 1.00 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed high Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1300 lbs. 68.00, 1 load 68.25; 2 loads 68.50 Monday; 69.50-70.00; 2 loads 70.00 Wednesday; load Yield Grade 4-5 1460 lbs. 60.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 67.50-68.00 Monday; 68.25-69.50 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1250 lbs. 67.00-68.00 Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1050 lbs. 1 load 66.75; 1 load 67.25 Monday; 3 loads 68.00 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 900-1275 lbs. 65.50-66.50 Monday; 66.50-67.25 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 lbs. 1 load 64.75 Monday; 65.50-66.50 Wednesday.

COWS: Utility & Commercial 1-3 47.00-49.00; 48.00-51.00 Thursday.

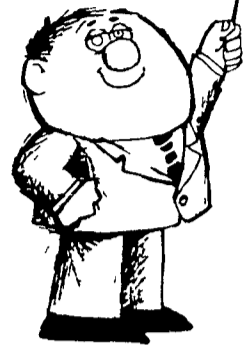
## Peoria Cattle

December 27, 1979

Receipts this week: 2300; last week: 5200; year ago: 3600.

Compared with last week's close, slaughter steers and heifers .50-1.00 higher. Cows 1.00-2.00 higher. Bulls steady. Receipts about 65 per cent slaughter steers 30

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