

Poultry Markets

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, March 14 to Thursday, March 20

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	74	74	74	74	74
Ex Large	67	67	67	67	67
Large	65	65	65	65	65
Mediums	57	57	57	57	57
Pullets	44	44	44	44	44
BROWN					
Large	69	69	69	69	69
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Large	59	59	59	59	59
Checks	34	34	34	33	33

Tone: Nest run supplies wanted. Cartoned orders tempered.

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	Mar. 18 Tuesday	Mar. 20 Thursday
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs.	52	49
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs.	50	49
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs.	43	42
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs.	36	37
Breaking Stock	48 lbs.	42	40
Checks	48 lbs.	34	33



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N. E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, March 18

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.+	71-77	69-75	60-66	43-51
Mostly	72-75	70-73	61-64	44-49
HAMP.	64-68	62-66	53-57	36-40
Mostly	66	64	55	38
R.I.	75-76	73-74	64-65	47-48
VERMONT	73-82	71-80	62-72	-
Mostly	75-77	73-75	64-65	-
MAINE	64-73	62-71	53-62	43-45

+ Includes Central and Western Sections only.

Philadelphia Eggs

Wednesday, March 19

Report supplied by USDA

EGGS: Prices unchanged. Cartoning demand light and disappointing for current but beginning to improve for future delivery. Offerings fully adequate. Undertone nervously steady.

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

A Extra Large 64-67½; A Large 63-65½; A Medium 54-56½.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, March 19

Report supplied by USDA

Prices light type hens unchanged. Processor demand fair for fully adequate farm offerings. Occasional report of medium weight colored hens at 12 cents fob plant noted. Offerings of heavy type adequate for a good processor demand.

Prices paid at farm: light type hens 7-8, mostly 8.

F.O.B. Plant: 10½; mostly 10½.

Heavy Type Hens: TFEWR.

Baltimore Eggs

Wednesday, March 19

Report supplied by USDA

Demand slow to fair except where large are featured. Supplies adequate. Undertone steady.

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

Grade A Large 68-70
Grade A Medium 60-62

Delmarva Poultry

Wednesday, March 19

Report supplied by USDA

RTC movement much less than early week. Slaughter schedules fairly heavy. Today's LTL asking prices range 43-44 on Plant and 44-45 on U.S. Grade A. Advance interest past weekend mixed mostly moderate at best. Live supplies fully adequate at weights occasionally lighter than desired. Undertone nervous and unsettled.

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

RANGE U.S. Grade A 42½-45½; Plant Grade 41½-44½, Premium X U.S. Grade A 48 00

WTD AVG U.S. Grade A 43 99; Plant Grade 43 24; Premium X U.S. Grade A 48 00

X - includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc

Fogelsville Poultry

Tuesday, March 18

Report supplied by USDA

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

HENS, LIGHT TYPE: range 11½-35, mostly 20-35.

PULLETS: range 45-48, mostly 45-48.

ROASTERS: range 50, mostly 50.

DUCKS: range 61-69, mostly 61-69.

DRAKES: range 69-76, mostly 69-76.

TURKEYS, TOMS: range 36, mostly 36.

RABBITS: range 60-99, mostly 87-99.

GUINEAS: range 118, mostly 118.

PIGEONS (PER PAIR): range 210.

TOTAL COOPS SOLD: 133.

Joliet Cattle

Thursday, March 20

Report supplied by USDA

CATTLE: Friday through Wednesday's salable receipts 3,300; 5 days last week 3,503, same period a year ago 2,973. Trading slow for the week on steers and moderate on heifers. Slaughter steers closed the week 1.50 to mostly 2.00 lower than Wednesday of the previous week. Slaughter heifers ended the week mostly 1.00, instances 1.25 lower. Cows ended the week 1.00 to mostly 2.00 lower.

SLAUGHTER STEERS: Mixed High Choice and Prime 3-4 1150-1350 69.00-69.50 Monday; 66.75-67.50 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 1050-1350 67.50-69.00 Monday; 65.50-67.00 Wednesday, 1 load 67.50 Wednesday. Mixed

Good and Choice 2-3 1000-1250 66.50-67.50 Monday; 64.50-65.50 Wednesday.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Mixed Choice and Prime 3-4 950-1100 68.00, 1 load 1240 lbs. 68.25 Monday; 66.75-67.00, 1 Load 67.25 Wednesday. Choice 2-4 900-1050 66.75-67.75 Monday; 65.50-66.50 Wednesday. Mixed Good and Choice 2-3 800-1000 65.50-66.50 Monday, 64.00-65.50 Wednesday.

COWS: Utility & Commercial 1-3 46.00-48.00 Monday; 45.00-48.00 Wednesday, few Utility 1-2 51.50 Monday. Canner & Cutter 40.00-45.00 Wednesday.

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low Choice 120-240 lbs. 78.00-100.00, 90-115 lbs. 65.00-73.00, few early part of week 73.00-82.00, 60-90 lbs. 50.00-70.00.

RETURNED TO FARM: Bulk 90-125 lbs. holstein heifers 120.00-185.00, around 60 head 207.00-225.00; bulk 95-120 lbs. holstein bulls 95.00-115.00, around 60 head 116.00-122.00, few 80-100 lbs. small frame 75.00-90.00.

Belleville Auction

Wednesday, March 19

Report supplied by PDA

CATTLE 105. Compared with last Wednesday's market, slaughter cows 25-

.75 lower: Few Good slaughter steers 60.00-63.25, few Standard 57.00-59.85

Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 48.75-52.25, couple to 52.75, Cutters 49.00-51.50, Canner & Low Cutters 44.50-49.00, Shells down to 43.00 Few Yield Grade No 1, 1075-2100 lbs slaughter steers 53.85-64.60. Few Large Frame #1, 500-600 lbs. feeder steer 71.00-79.00.

CALVES 135. Vealers grading Standard and Low Good \$5-\$8 lower. Individual Prime vealer at 139.00, few Choice 110.00-134.50, few Good 100.00-118.00, Standard and Good 70-100 lbs. 55.00-67.00, Utility 50-80 lbs. 35.00-50.00 FARM CALVES: holstein bulls 85-120 lbs 75.00-100.00, couple to 107.00; few Hol Heifers 75-110 lbs 140.00-220.00.

HOGS 340. Barrows and gilts weak to 50 lower. US No. 1-2 200-250 lbs. barrows and gilts 34.85-36.10, No 1-3 200-255 lbs. 33.35-34.60 US No. 1-3 sows 300-500 lbs. 29.00-33.75, few No. 2-3 300-600 lbs 28.00-29.50 Boars 25.25-29.50

FEEDER PIGS 380. US No. 1-3 20-35 lbs feeder pigs 15.50-25.50 per head, No 1-3 40-60 lbs. 23.00-29.00 per head, Utility 35-50 lbs 18.00-22.00 per head

SHEEP 54 Few Choice 25-45 lbs spring slaughter lambs 140.00-200.00, few 70-80 lbs 87.50-92.50



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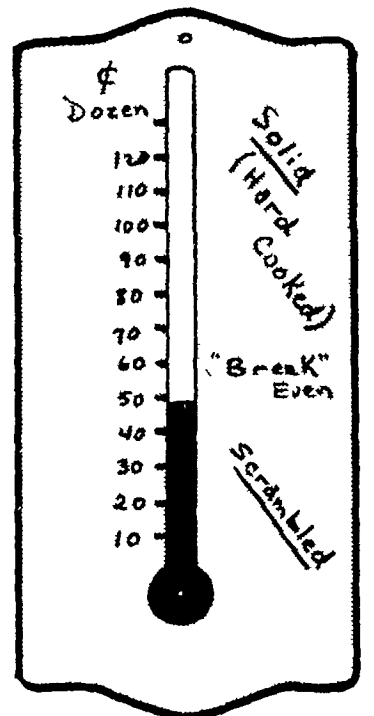
HORSE SALE HELD 3rd SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

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Sale every Monday 2 P.M.
Melvin M. Lehman (Owner)

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The DeKalb Sex Sal Link is a warm friend that's been around proving herself a profitable layer for many years. There are some new market opportunities around this year for brown egg production. If you'd like to explore the potential of this bird in your operation, contact our office or in the Lancaster area, call Harry Weber at 717-944-7885



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