



POULTRY MARKETS

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, March 9 to Thursday, March 15

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	.91	.91	.91	.91	.91
Ex Large	.90	.90	.90	.90	.90
Large	.89	.89	.89	.89	.89
Mediums	.86	.86	.86	.86	.86
Pullets	.73	.73	.73	.73	.73
Off Grade	.79	.79	.79	.79	.79
BROWN					
Jumbo	—	—	—	—	—
Ex Large	.99	.99	.99	.99	.99
Large	.97	.97	.97	.97	.97
Mediums	.91	.91	.91	.91	.91
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Off Grade					
Undergrades	.56	.55	.55	.55	.56
Checks	.54	.53	.53	.53	.54

Breaking Stock: Friday - 18.30-18.90, 18.60-19.20; Monday - 18.00-18.60, 18.30-18.90; Wednesday - 18.00-18.90, Thursday - 18.30-18.90, 18.60-19.20.

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, March 13
Report supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
MASS.X	1.07-1.09	1.06-1.08	1.04-1.06	.81-.83
Mostly	1.07	1.06	1.04	.81
N. HAMP.	.95-.99	.94-.98	.92-.96	.69-.73
Mostly	.97-.98	.96-.97	.94-.95	.71-.72
R.I.	1.02-1.08	.95-1.01	.93-.99	.70-.76
Mostly	1.03-1.08	.95-.97	.93-.95	.70-.72
VERMONT	1.08-1.10	1.05-1.07	.99-1.02	
Mostly	1.10	1.06	1.00	
MAINE	1.02-1.07	1.01-1.06	.99-1.04	.76-.81

X Includes Central and Western Sections only.

Heinsey's Poultry Market

Root's, East Petersburg
Tuesday, March 13
Report supplied by auction
RABBITS: 4-6 lbs. range 1.00-1.32 per lb.
RABBITS: 7-11 lbs. range .90-1.18 per lb.
BUNNIES: range 1.50-4.00 ea.
GUINEA PIGS: range 1.00-3.25 ea.
GOATS: range 37.50-50.00 ea.
TOTAL NUMBER COOPS: 165.

Delmarva Poultry

Thursday, March 15
Report supplied by USDA
Market Comment: Movement on ready to cook whole birds was a little better today but still remains fair in most quarters. While current production is clearing, there remains some additional products available for sale. Cutlets are irregular as some plants are short while others have an adequate supply. The balance of items is clearing reasonably well under a fair demand.
Slaughter schedules are moderately heavy. Live supplies are adequate. Weights are desirable in most quarters. Undertone is generally steady.
Today's L.T.L. asking prices are unchanged on U.S. Grade A at 62-67 cents.

Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva (000).
Estimated 3/15 1,862; Actual 3/8 1,861; Actual 3/13 1,870; Average Weights 3/13 4.23; Average Weights 3/6 4.37.



Lancaster Feeder Cattle

Friday, March 9
Report supplied by USDA

Today 125
Last Friday 54
Last Year 126
TREND: Trend not fully tested. Supply included 80 head in graded sale sold in lots of 10 or more, balance sold mainly in lots of three or less.

FEEDER STEERS
MEDIUM FRAME 1: Couple lots 740-900 lb. 62.00-63.00.

MEDIUM AND LARGE FRAME 1: One lot 780 lb. 64.00 and one lot 950 lb. 62.50.

FEEDER BULLS
MEDIUM FRAME 1: One lot 665 lb. 57.50.

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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	DATE	DATE
	Tuesday	Thursday
Class 1 - Large	48 lbs. .71	.79
Class 2 - Large	45 lbs. .71	.76
Class 3 - Medium	42 lbs. .68	.73
Class 4 - Small	39 lbs. .62½	.64
Breaking Stock	48 lbs. .63	.65
Checks	48 lbs. .57	.59

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, March 14
Report supplied by USDA
Market Comment: Pricing is irregular, but 27 cents delivered into the plant is now the most being paid for next week's shipment. Offerings have increased and this allows plants to run heavier but not full schedules. Live offerings are spotty and expected to tighten up again as Easter approaches.
Prices Paid at Farm:
Light Type Hens: 23-26.
F.O.B. Plant: 27-28, mostly 27.

New York Multiple Drop Broiler Report

Thursday, March 15
Report supplied by USDA
Current broiler/fryer negotiated prices for immediate delivery includes mostly multiple-drop shipments to New York City from Delmarva.
RANGE: U.S. Grade A .61-.67; Weighted AVG.: U.S. Grade A 65.67; Premium (X) Boxes 9,895. (X) Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, March 15
Report supplied by USDA
MARKET COMMENT: Prices unchanged. Cartoned egg movement was fair to generally good with traders reporting that not only promotions but regular business was much improved. Locally floor stocks are adequate for immediate needs, but the interest to take on additional stocks has increased. Offerings are available and dealers can still get covered, but the discounting has all but disappeared. Undertone fully steady.

Prices to retailers: sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons delivered store door:
A Extra Large .86-.91; A Large .85-.90; A Medium .81-.86.

Vintage Hay

Vintage Sales Stables
Thursday, March 15
Report supplied by auction 45 loads.
Alfalfa 121.00-146.00; Mixed Hay 100.00-116.00; Timothy Hay 92.00-120.00; Clover 92.00-110.00; Straw 95.00-118.00; Corn 120.00-122.00.



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