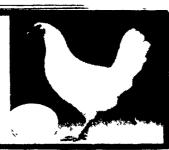
POULTRY MARKETS



N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, Feb. 5

Report Supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Smali
MASS. X	.1.00-1.02	.9597	.7 4- .76	.4951
Mostly	1.00	.95	.74	.49
N. HAMP.	.7882	.7377	.5761	.3539
Mostly	.8081	.7 5- .76	.5960	.3738
R.I.	.8380	.7884	.6066	.3642
Mostly	.8384	.7879	. 60 61	. 36 37
VERMONT	.95-1.00	.9097	.7478	_
Mostly	. 9 7	.92	.74	
MAINE	. 89 94	.8489	. 66 71	.4247.

X Includes Central and Western Sections only.

Philadelphia Eggs Thursday, February 7 Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices were trending lower under a week and unsettled market tone. Cartoned egg demand was generally fair at best; however, some interest for retail promotional activity has developed and stimulates buying in instances. Supplies are more than adequate and easily handle current buyer demand.

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

A Extra Large .58- 67; A Large .57-.66; A Medium .50-.56.

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New York Multiple **Drop Broiler Report**

Thursday, February 7 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 .50½-.57. Weighted AVG.: U.S. Grade A

Premium (X) Boxes 9,905.

(X) Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc

Heinsey's **Poultry Market**

Root's, East Petersburg Tuesday, February 5 Report supplied by auction MUSCOVY DUCKS, DRAKES:

range .90-1.02 per lb. MUSCOVY DUCKS, HENS: range .72-.84 per lb.

PEKIN DUCKS: range .30-.48 per lb RED FOWL: 4-5 lbs. range .22-

.28 per lb. RED FOWL: 5-6 lbs. range .24-.32 per lb.

CROSSBRED FOWL: 5-9 lbs.

CROSSBRED ROOSTERS: 4-6

lbs. range .32-.48 per lb. CROSSBRED ROOSTERS: 7-11

lbs. range .30-.46 per lb. GUINEA FOWL: range 1.15-1.40

per lb. **BANTY ROOSTERS: range 1.75-**2.85 ca.

BANTY HENS: range .75-1.25

LEGHORN HENS: range .15-.24 per lb.

PIGEONS: range 1.50-1.75 ea. WHITE PIGEONS: range 2.00-2.60 ea.

DOVES: 1.50-2.75 ea. RABBITS: 4-6 lbs. range .70-.82

RABBITS: 7-11 lbs. range .60-.72

BUNNIES: range 1.00-2.50 ea. GUINEA PIGS: range .10-2.50

Total Number Coops: 365.

Delmarva Poultry Thursday, February 7

Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Ready to cook whole birds and parts movement remained active and clears available offerings. Slaughter schedules were lighter as an occasional plant didn't process. Live supplies were barely adequate at light to desirable weights Undertone firm

Today's L.T L. asking prices trended higher on U.S. Grade A at 52-58 cents

Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva (000).

Estimated 2/7 1,697,000, Actual 1/31 1,565,000; Actual 2/5 1,971,000; Average Weights 2/5 4.17; Average Weights 1/29 4.16.

Weekly New York Egg Market

From Friday, Feb. 1 to Thursday, Feb. 7							
WHITE							
Jumbo	.76	.74	.72	.72	.72		
Ex. Large	.69	.67	.65	.63	.63		
Large	.65	.63	.61	.59	.59		
Medium	.57	.56	.55	.53	.53		
Pullets	.41	.41	.41	.41	.41		
Off Grade	.58	.56	.54	.52	.52		
BROWN							
Jumbo		-		m#%			
Ex. Large	.93	.93	.90	.88	.88		
Large	.89	.89	.86	.84	.84		
Mediums	.65	.65	.62	.60	.60		
Pullets Unquoted							
Peewees Unquoted							
Off Grade							
Undergrades	.33	.33	.31	.29	.29		
Checks	.31	.31	.29	.27	.27		

Breaking Stock: Friday - 11,45-12,80; Monday 11,16-11.70; Tuesday 10.80-11.10; Wednesday 10.20-10.80.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry Wednesday, February 6 Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices are firm for current and advanced trading. Offerings light early, light to adequate late but still short of full schedules this week. Next week's schedules light. Demand good for additional receipts and finished needs.

Prices Paid at Farm: Light Type Hens: 6½-9, mostly 8. F.O.B. Plant: 9-12, mostly 11-12.

Frederick Co. Hay and Straw

Buckeystown, Md. Thursday, February 7 Report supplied by auction

82 loads Market steady to strong compared to last week.

Alfalfa, 102.50-124.00, 18 lds fair some dark, 72 50-99 00, Timothy, 12 lds fair to gd., 80.00-100.00, 14 lds. fair, some dark, 50.00-76.00; Orchard Grass, 62 50-67.00.

Clover, 1 ld. good, 87.50; Brome Grass, 1 ld. dark, 57.00; Mixed Hay, 6 lds. fair to god., 75.00-117.50, 4 lds. dark, 53.00-67.50; Straw, 10 ids. bright, 85.00-107.00, 1 ld. dark, 70.00; Firewood, hard, 70.00-83.00

Lebanon Valley Livestock Fredericksburg, Pa.

Tuesday, February 5 Report Supplied by PDA CATTLE 212. Compared with last Tuesday's market, slaughter cows uneven, 50 cents lower to \$1

higher. Few Good slaughter steers 60.25-61, few Good & Choice holsteins 55.00-58, few Standard 49.50-54.75. Few Choice slaughter heifers 61.75-62.25, few Good 52.75-56.50. Breaking Utility and Commercial slaughter cows 41.75-45.25, couple 49.75, Cutter & Boning Utility 38.50-43, Canner & Low Cutter 34.00-38, Shells down to 28.50. Yield Grade No. 1 1250-1975 lbs. slaughter bulls 49.25-54.75.

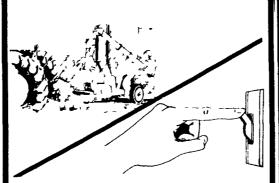
CALVES 190 Few Choice vealers 77.00-87, few Good 65 00-75, few Standard and Good 110-125 lbs 56.00-60, 70-105 lbs 45.00-55, Utility 50-85 lbs 40 00-47 FARM CALVES Holstein Bulls 90-125 lbs 60.00-84, mostly 70.00-80.

HOGS 112 Barrows and gilts mostly steady. Couple Lots US No 1-2 215 & 225 lbs. barrows and gilts at 51.00, No. 1-3 235-275 lbs. 49.25-50.75, couple at 51.50. US No. 1-3 350-600 lbs. sows 42.50-47.50. Few BOARS 30.50-35.75.

FEEDER PIGS 10. One Lot US No. 1-3 46 lbs. feeder pigs at 63.00 per hundredweight.

SHEEP. NO SALES ON OFFER.

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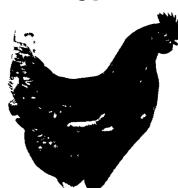


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