

POULTRY MARKETS



Weekly New York Egg Market National Quotes

From Friday, Dec. 20 to Thursday, Dec. 26

	Fri.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.
WHITE					
Jumbo	.79	.79	.79	—	.79
Ex. Large	.78	.78	.78	—	.78
Large	.78	.78	.78	—	.78
Medium	.72	.72	.72	—	.72
Pullets	.52	.52	.52	—	.52
Off Grade	.65	.65	.65	—	.65

BROWN

Jumbo	—	—	—	—	—
Ex. Large	.92	.92	.92	—	.92
Large	.89	.89	.89	—	.89
Mediums	.73	.73	.73	—	.73
Pullets Unquoted					
Peewees Unquoted					
Off Grade					
Undergrades	.34	.34	.34	—	.34
Checks	.32	.32	.32	—	.32

Northeast Breaking Stocks

Friday 40.00-43.00.

N.E. Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, Dec. 24

Report supplied by USDA

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

	Ex. Large	Large	Medium	Small
N. HAMP.	.88-.92	.86-.90	.78-.82	.49-.53
Mostly	.90-.91	.88-.89	.80-.81	.51-.52
R.I.	.87-.96	.85-.94	.77-.86	.48-.57
Mostly	.87-.88	.85-.86	.77-.78	.48-.49
VERMONT	.95-1.00	.89-.98	.77-.92	
Mostly	1.00	.98	.90	
MAINE	.95-1.02	.93-1.00	.85-.92	.56-.58

X Includes Central and Western Sections only

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, Dec. 17

Report supplied by Auction

Heavy Fowl: .10-.35.
 Leghorn Fowl: .02-.10.
 Roasters: .50-.65.
 Bantams: .10-.55.
 Geese: .20-.45.
 Roosters: .20-.75.
 Ducks: .25-.60.
 Rabbits: .50-1.50.
 Pigeons: 1.00-1.80.
 Guineas: .60-1.25.

Eggs

Grade A: White Jumbo X Lge. .64-.83, Brown .86-.98.
 Grade A: White Large .50-.78, Brown .45-.87.
 Grade A: White Medium .44-.68, Brown .40-.48.
 Grade A: White Small .38-.44, Brown .22-.35.

Philadelphia Eggs

Thursday, Dec. 26

Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices were unchanged. Trade sentiment fully steady. Cartoned egg orders ranged good to very good throughout the area. Floor stocks are in close balance at most points. Nest run pickups at the farm level are more frequent than normal as graders attempt to keep pace with the heavy call from retail outlets. In some instances packers are scheduling overtime on both Saturday and Sunday.

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

A Extra Large .75-.77; A Large .74-.76; A Medium .67-.69.

New York Multiple Drop Broiler Report

Thursday, Dec. 26

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 .45-.51.
 Weighted AVG.: U.S. Grade A .49-.76.

Premium (X) Boxes 7,445.
 (X) Includes special services, selected competitive brands, etc.

Hackettstown Poultry & Egg

Hackettstown, N.J.

Tuesday, Dec. 23

Report supplied by Auction

Heavy Fowl: .05-.50.
 Geese: .45-.65.
 Roosters: .05.
 Ducks: .60-1.30.
 Rabbits: 1.25-1.80.
 Guineas: 1.35-1.40.

Eggs

Grade A: White Jumbo X Lge. 60-.85, Brown .90-1.02.
 Grade A: White Large .50-.78, Brown .53-.90.
 Grade A: White Medium .37-.65, Brown .32-.60.
 Grade A: White Small .25-.35, Brown .27-.37.
 Grade A: Brown Fee Wees .16.

Eastern Pa. & N.J. Poultry

Wednesday, Dec. 25

Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Prices trended two to three cents lower. Buying interest is only fair as most processors have reduced the slaughter schedules during the year end holiday period. Producer offerings continued ample. Interest for further processed products was fair.

Light Type Hens: .09-.11, mostly .09-.10.

F.O.B. Plant: .11-.12, mostly .12.

Delmarva Poultry

Thursday, Dec. 26

Report supplied by USDA

Market Comment: Buying interest continued good for whole birds and parts with breast and wing items in best call. Processor offerings were light, and some demand for prompt shipment were on a back-order basis. Demand for the week of Jan. 5 was spotty but also good due to promotional activity.

Today's processing schedules were heavy. Light weights were light in some instances, desirable in others and were occasionally on the heavy side.

Today's L.T.L. asking prices ranged .47-.53 cents.

Estimated slaughter of broiler fryers in Delmarva (000).

Estimated 12/26 2,004,000; Actual 12/19 1,585,000.

Actual 12/24 672,000; Average Weights 12/24 4.58; Avg. Wgts 12/17 4.36

Heinsey's Poultry Market

Root's, East Petersburg

Tuesday, Dec. 24

Report supplied by auction

No sale held due to Christmas holiday. There will be a sale Tuesday, Dec. 31.

New Holland Hay

New Holland Sales Stables

Monday, Dec. 23

Report supplied by auction

220 loads. Prices were fully steady.

Alfalfa, 14 loads, at 100.00-151.00, 19 at 80.00-100.00, 21 at 60.00-80.00 and 2 with mold, 42.00-54.00.

Mixed Hay, 1 load Timothy & Alfalfa, 160.00, 9 loads, 90.00-142.00, 22 at 75.00-90.00, 13 at 60.00-75.00, a few for mulch, 50.00-60.00.

Timothy, 11 at 80.00-100.00, 5 loads, 70.00-80.00, 6 at 60.00-70.00; Mixed Grass & Stubble Hay, 6 loads at 52.00-78.00; Clover, 3 at 67.00, 70.00 and 77.00.

Straw, 13 at 80.00-86.00, 14 at 70.00-80.00, 8 at 60.00-70.00.

Ear Corn, 9 loads at 67.00-79.00; Shelled Corn, 1 at 2.70 bu.; Corn Fodder, 35.00 and 48.00; Oats, bulk 1.45 bu., 1.64-1.80 bu. bag.

Rye Seed, 1.60-1.90 bu., Firewood, 39.00-58.00, sm. pick-up load.

Good's Auction

Leola, Pa.

Wednesday, Dec. 18, 1985

65 Loads Hay & 19 Loads Straw & 9 Ear Corn.

Alfalfa 67.00-145.00 mostly 79.00-106.00; Mixed Hay 49.00-125.00 mostly 57.00-90.00; Timothy Hay 61.00-98.00; Orchard Grass One load 63.00; Straw 55.00-96.00 mostly 60.00-91.00; Ear Corn 66.00-73.00 one load 81.00; Corn Fodder one Load 40.00; Oats 2 loads 1.10 & 1.40 per bushel.

Vintage Hay And Straw

Vintage Sales Stables

Thursday, Dec. 26

Report supplied by auction

Straw, 71.00-84.00; Timothy, 60.00-79.00; Mixed Hay, 60.00; Alfalfa, 89.00.

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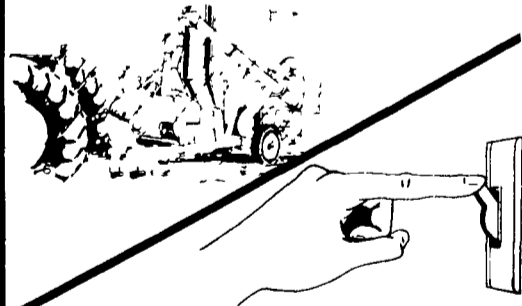
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