

Broiler Prices Drop 1.28 Cents At Lancaster Exchange Thursday

ROHRERSTOWN — (Lancaster Poultry Exchange, sales report, sale 195) Jan. 3. — Sales were up by 20,000 birds from the preceding week at Thursday's sale, but the average price for broilers dropped 1.28 cents from the preceding week.

Prices paid Thursday were Broilers, 18 1/4 to 19 cents, average 18.58 cents for 22 lots (89,760 birds); capettes, 23 1/2 cents, for two lots (574 birds); Leghorns, 13 1/2 cents for a lot of 3,000 birds; and 20 1/2 cents for one lot of 750 pullets.

A year ago 11 lots totaling 19,450 birds sold at the Tuesday auction at prices ranging from 21 1/4 to 23 cents, averaging 22 1/4 cents on nine lots totaling 18,950 broilers. One lot, 400 heavy fowl, sold at 26 cents, and one lot of 100 heavy cockerels brought 22 1/2 cents.

Fifteen lots of 46,150 birds were listed, 41,650 offered Tuesday a year ago.

There was no auction at Rohrerstown last Tuesday.

Here are the Thursday, Jan. 3 1957, sales listed by lot number (each preceded by 3-) seller, with grower shown in parentheses, amount and breed, age by weeks and days, buyer and price.

1. R. B. Ludwig, 3,000 Leghorn fowl, S. E. Davis, 13 1/2 cents. 2. Samuel Kolb, 5,000 White Vantress, 9-3, H. W. Longacre, Inc., 18 1/2 cents. 3. Samuel Kolb, 7,500 White Vantress, 9-3, H. W. Longacre, Inc., 18 1/2 cents. 4. Samuel Kolb, 7,500 White Vantress, 9-3, Harry H. Weaver, Jr., 18 1/2 cents. 5. Enos Buckwalter, 4,100 CX & WR, 10-6, Mandata Poultry, 18 1/2 cents. 6. Enos R. Buckwalter, 2,500 White Vantress, 10-6, Roy E. Ream, 18 1/2 cents. 7. Philhaven Farm, 1,000 White Vantress, 10-2, Daniel K. Good, 18 cents. 8. Harold Folkman, 6,900 Indian River, 9-2, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid.

9. L. J. Denlinger (Jason M.

Eggs

Philadelphia, Jan. 9—(USDA) Steady. Prices moved 1/2 to one cent higher on top quality large. Lighter volume of arrivals was readily absorbed by the slightly improved demand.

Wholesale selling prices: minimum 10 per cent AA quality. Large 45-48 lb white 34-36, brown 33-35, medium white 30-31, brown 29-30. Extras, minimum 60 per cent A quality. Large 45-50 lb white 33-34, mixed 32 1/2-33, medium white 29-30, mixed 29-29 1/2. Standard 30-31, checks 27-29.

Receipts Jan. 8, 3,700 cases all by truck.

Eby), 3,000 White Vantress, 9-6, Roy E. Ream, 18 1/2 cents. 10. Pennsylvania Farm Bureau (James McDowell, Jr.), 10,000 White Vantress, 9-2, Mandata Poultry, 18 1/2 cents. 11. Miller & Bushong (Moses Zimmerman), 3,000 White Vantress, 9-5, Walter C. Melinger, 18 1/2 cents.

12. Miller & Bushong (Harry L. Temple), 2,000 White Vantress, 9, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 13. Miller & Bushong (Roy B. Martin), 3,400 White Vantress, 9-5, College Hill Poultry, 18 1/2 cents. 14. Benjamin F. Lapp, Jr., 200 capettes, 14-6, Roy E. Ream, 23 1/2 cents.

15. Benjamin F. Lapp, Jr., 375 capettes, 14-6, Carl B. Riser, 23 1/2 cents. 16. Daniel G. Forry, 3,200 White Vantress, 9-5, Mandata Poultry, 18 1/2 cents. 17. Daniel G. Forry, 3,850 White Vantress, 9-5, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 18. Daniel G. Forry, 3,475 White Vantress, 9-5, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid.

19. Daniel G. Forry, 1,660 White Vantress, 10-6, Ray W. Gibble, 19 cents. 20. Noah D. Zook, 2,000 White Vantress, 10, H. W. Longacre, 18 1/2 cents. 21. William Skethway, 5,600 White Vantress, 10-2, Harry H. Weaver, Jr., 18 1/2 cents.

22. William Skethway, 1,000 White Vantress, 13-2, Daniel K. Good, 18 1/2 cents. 23. William Skethway, 2,800 White Vantress, 10-2, Harry H. Weaver, Jr., 18 1/2 cents. 24. William Skethway, 750 White Vantress pullets, 13-2, Daniel K. Good, 20 1/2 cents.

25. Levi M. Weaver, 6,100 White Vantress, 10-2, C. F. Manbeck, Inc., 18 1/2 cents. 26. Lloyd Foltz, 3,000 AAWRX, 11-2, no sale, 18 cents bid. 27. John V. Erb, 5,000 Indian River, 9-2, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 28. John V. Erb, 5,000 Indian River, 9-2, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 29. John V. Erb, 5,000 Indian River, 9-2, no sale, 18 cents bid. 30. John V. Erb, 5,000 Indian River, 9-2, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 31. Stegemerten's Farm, 1,000 Indian River, 12, no sale, 14 1/2 cents bid.

32. Raymond N. Miller, 12,000 White Vantress, 9-6, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 33. Raymond N. Miller, 10,000 White Vantress, 9-6, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 34. Farmers Supply Co. (Walter B. Groff), 2,400 White Vantress, 11-3, H. W. Longacre, Inc., 18 1/2 cents. 35. Clinton F. Rohrer, 600 WX, 10, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid.

36. Philip F. Foster, 8,500 White Vantress, 9, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 37. Glenn H. Herr, (J. Floyd Dreider), 5,500 White Vantress, 10, no sale, 18 1/2 cents bid. 38. Glenn H. Herr (H. Raymond Charles), 2,200 Indian River, 9-3, Meader's Poultry, 18 1/2 cents. 39. Miller & Bushong, (Richard Thompson), 10,000 White Vantress, 9-5, Tilley's Poultry, 18 1/2 cents.

40. Miller & Bushong (Fred F. Frey), 2,900 White Vantress, 9-2, Mandata Poultry, 18 1/2 cents. 41. Miller & Bushong (Fred F. Frey), 2,900 White Vantress, 9-5, S. E. Davis, 18 1/2 cents.

AR Record Completed By Stumpf Holstein

Brattleboro, Vt. — Among registered Holstein-Friesian cows in Pennsylvania whose recently completed production records were recorded by the Advanced Registry department of the Holstein-Friesian Assn., of America are the following:

Owned by John G. Stumpf, Lancaster — Rag Apple Ida Ollie 3014906, 592 lbs. of butterfat, 14,362 lbs. milk 365 days, three milking daily, six years 11 months of age.

Testing was supervised by Pennsylvania State University, in cooperation with the Holstein-Friesian Assn., of America.

Lancaster Livestock: Steer Trade Active, Price Drops \$.50 Again

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WEDNESDAY REVIEW
LANCASTER, Jan. 10 (USDA)

CATTLE: 2,758, week ago including holiday, 1,826. Although trading on slaughter steers was more active than the previous weeks prices were weak to 50 cents lower than last Wednesday, heifers also steady to 50 cents lower. Cows mostly steady except some top cutter, utility and commercial grades around 25 cents lower. Bulls mostly steady. Stocker and feeder trading was slow with prices mostly steady. The three-day supply comprised around 55 per cent stockers and feeders and 12 per cent cows. Heifers and bulls in moderate supply.

Bulk of the slaughter steers graded good to average choice. Most choice fed steers 1,000-1,200 lbs \$20.50-22, with some choice 1,250-1,378 lb. steers \$19.50-21.50. At least one load 1,175 lb. high choice steers \$23.25, load 1,370 lb fed steers high choice \$22.50. Good steers mostly \$18.25-19.50. A few small lots standard and good heifers \$15.18, apart load choice 946 lb. heifers \$19.25. Utility and commercial cows \$11.75-13.50.

Canners and cutters \$9.50-12.75. Utility and commercial bulls

\$14.75-18, good fed bulls to \$20.50, cutters down to \$13.50. Bulk medium and good 525-925 lb stocker and feeder steer \$15.50-18, individual lots good fleshy steers \$19. Common stockers and feeders \$12-14.50.

CALVES: 874, week ago 799. Vealers mostly steady with last Wednesday. Bulk good and choice \$23-28, high choice and prime \$28.50-34, a few at \$35. Utility and standard \$15-22.

HOGS: 1528, week ago 1260. Compared with last Wednesday barrows and gilts mostly steady. Sows in small supply steady to weak. Bulk barrow and gilts U.S. mixed 1-3, 190-230 lbs. in Wednesday's trade \$18.50-18.75, a few lots mostly No. 1 and 2 to \$19 and only a few head to \$19.50. Weights 230-270 lbs. \$17.18-50, some around 160 lbs down to \$17.50. Sows in small steady to weak. Bulk barrows and gilts U.S. mixed 1-3, 190-230 lbs in Wednesday's trade \$18.50-18.75, a few lots mostly No. 1 and 2 to \$19 and only a few head to \$19.50. Weights 230-270 lbs. \$17.18-50, some around 160 lbs. down to \$17.50. Sows U.S. mixed 1-3, 270-550 lbs \$13.50-15.50.

SHEEP: 546, week ago 172. Quality of the slaughter lambs offered remained on the plain side. Prices weak to 50 cents lower last Wednesday. Bulk good and choice slaughter lambs \$17.50-22, utility and low good \$14.17, culls as low as \$7.

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