

## Eggs

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 23 — (USDA) — Steady. Prices moved one cent higher on top quality mediums and one-half to one cent higher on large extras. Demand was fair to good. Sufficient supplies were available to more than meet current requirements.

Wholesale selling prices: Minimum 10 per cent AA quality; large 45-48 lb. white 37-39 cents, brown 35-36 cents; medium, white, 33-34 cents, brown 32-33 cents; extras, minimum 60 per cent A quality, large 45-50 lb., white 32-33, mixed 31-32 cents, medium white 29-30 cents, mixed 28-29 cents. Standards 30-31 cents, checks, 27-29 cents.

Receipts, Jan. 22 — 3,800 cases, all by truck.

### Reserve Champion Hampshire Gilt Brings \$160 at Farm Show

The reserve champion Hampshire gilt, owned by John F. Stuber, R1 Denver, sold to John D. Schaeffer, Kutztown for \$160 at Hampshire sale at Farm Show Thursday.

Forty animals were in the sale. They averaged \$108.44 for a total of \$4,337.50.



THE GRAND CHAMPION Shorthorn bull was shown by Irl Daffin's Warwick Farms, Lititz. A perennial winner, this will probably be the last time the Warwick name will be seen at Farm Show, due to their dispersal sale this March. (Staff Photo)

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### Florence Flory Wins Clean Stall Award

HARRISBURG — Florence Flory, 16 year old 4-H Ayrshire exhibitor from R3 Manheim, won the weekly Farm Show dairy barn good housekeeping award after taking top daily honors on three days. In addition to her daily prizes of \$10 given by breed associations she won a \$50 savings bond awarded by the Pennsylvania Association of Milk Deal-

Florence is a member of the Lancaster 4-H Ayrshire Club section exhibiting at the show and

was given the awards for the general appearance of the premises about the exhibit during the week. She was within 2 points of getting the same weekly award in 1956. This was her seventh year at the Farm Show. The awards are open to all exhibitors of dairy cattle.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abram K. Flory and attends the Manheim Central High School.

## Poultry

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 23 — Weak Supplies of most classes were in excess of the light demand. Large light type hens in slow sale at 12 cents small sizes 11 cents. Few lots White Rock Pullets 28-30 cents with cleanup sales 26-27 cents. Large White Rock Caponettes 25-27 cents, medium sizes 23 cents with bulk unsold Straight Rock Cockerel Fryers 22-23 cents mixed with pullets 24 cents, caponnetted Cross Fryers 23-24 cents, White Rocks 22½ cents, Silver Crosses 22 cents, Vantress Reds 22-23 cents without clearing. Few lots stags 13-14 cents, few lots geese 25-28 cents, China Geese offered at 20 cents were unsold. Turkeys weak. Demand light. Supplies more than adequate. Heavy type young hens 25-30 cents, few lots higher. Young toms 20-23 cents without clearing.

Total receipts Jan 22 — 94,000 lbs., included Delaware 14,000 lbs., Maryland 8,000 lbs.

Wholesale selling prices No. 1 and fancy quality. Broilers or fryers heavy type 3-4 lb., 22-24. Pullets 4½ lb. and over 26-30.

Hens heavy type 15-20, light type 11-12 Ducks Muscovy 23-26, Pekin 28-30. Turkeys, Young hens 25-30, young toms 20-23.

### PROCESSED POULTRY

Philadelphia, Jan. 23 — Processed poultry, ready-to-cook (ice packed). Young chickens — about steady. Demand good. Relatively lighter supplies were available from most producing areas.

Prices paid delivered warehouse, Philadelphia (cents per lb.)

Grade A & U. S. Grade A, 2-3 lb. 29½-31 cents, mostly 29½-30½ cents.

Hens: ready-to-cook (ice packed) about steady. Demand good. Supplies were fully ample.

Prices paid delivered warehouse, Philadelphia (cents per lb.) Grade A & U. S. Grade A 4-5½ lb 33-34 cents.

Receipts Jan. 22 included other than turkeys: Maryland 87,000 lbs., Delaware 94,000 lbs., Virginia 17,000 lbs.

### Swine Breeders O.K. Bangs Control Plan

HARRISBURG — The Pennsylvania Cooperative Swine Breeders Assn. passed a resolution at the Pennsylvania Farm Show favoring a swine brucellosis eradication and control program in Pennsylvania.

Dr. Samuel Guss, extension veterinarian, Pennsylvania State University, explained the program as proposed by the State Department of Agriculture.

"The program would be of benefit to every swine breeder in selling brucellosis-free animals, and a benefit to the general public," he said.

Out of 987 samples collected during 1956 only two reacted positively, which Guss says indicates a very small percentage of diseased animals in the State.

Guss said that the program would be voluntary. Each breeder of hogs would have to file a request for participation in the program. The State Department of Agriculture then would test each breeding hog in his herd, and pay indemnities for any diseased animals, he said.

It was the general feeling among breeders that the proposed program could be of great assistance to the swine industry.

A special swine brucellosis advisory committee has been set up by state Agriculture Secretary William L. Henning. The group

## Poultry

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River Farm (James Cummings), 1,500 Indian Rivers, 10. Victor F. Weaver, Inc., 18½ cents.

45. Quaker Oats Co. (Robert Traver), 9,000 White Vantress 9-2, Daniel K. Good, 18½ cents 46 William K. Burkholder, 3,200 White Vantress, 9, withdrawn prior to sale. 47. William K. Burkholder, 3,200 White Vantress, 9, withdrawn prior to sale.

48. George Weaver, 7,500 Indian Rivers, 9-2, Victor F. Weaver, Inc., 19 cents. 49. George Weaver, 7,000 White Vantress, 9-1, Victor F. Weaver, Inc., 19 cents. 50. Aaron S. Fisher, 1,000 White Cross, 10-1, Carl B. Risser, 19½ cents. 51. Miller & Bushong (Harry Shank), 21 Broad Breasted Bronze toms, sold to Ray W. Gible, 25½ cents.

The first sale will be held at the new Poultry Center next Thursday, Jan. 24.

prepared a preliminary program of operation which now has the endorsement of the swine breed associations.

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