

## Lancaster Broiler Market Recovers With 17.41 Average For October 23

A light market of 31 offerings Oct 23 at Lancaster Poultry Exchange resulted in a rebound of broiler prices, with only four NO SALES as the broiler average reached 17.41

Compared with the previous weeks low 15.73 this shows a 1.68 per pound improvement coming up to within 0.84 of last year's broiler price

For ease of reading the week's listings, the following abbreviations will be used WV — White Ventress IRW — Indian River Whites, C — Cockerels Cap — Capettes, and W Mt — White Mountains

Here is the complete Oct 23 sale by lot number, seller with grower in parenthesis, amount and breed, age in weeks and days, and price

1 Landis Sangrey Jr., 600 WV, 11-3 Daniel K Good 177 2 Emer F Folly, 3950 WV, 9-2, College Hill Poultry, 176 3 Melvin E Hess 3600 W Mt & IRW, 9-2, Walter C Mellinger, 178 4 Mrs Jacob Cramer, 800 IRW, 10, Martin M Biendle, 172 5 David S Hoover, 1200 WV, 10, College Hill, 169 6 Neff Bros 1350 IRW, 9, Good, 176 7 Wenger's Mill (Jacob N Eshelman), 12,000 WV, 9-4, NO SALE, 168 bid 8 Daniel E King, 3200 WV, 10-2, Roy E Ream, 176 9 King 3200 WV, 10-2, Good, 175 10 Elvin H Nolt 5100 WV, 11-2, Meader's Poultry 11 Mari-

time Milling Co (Kenneth Dibley), 2500 WV, 10, Meader's, 175 12 Miller & Bushong (John H Buckwalter), 3000 IRW, 9, Mellinger, 17,8 13 M&B (Clairence Hilsher) 4000 WV, 9, Victor Weaver, 165 14 M&B (Frank Weidman), 375 WV-Pullet-Cap, 13-2 John Thomas, 178 15 Same, 475 WV-Cap, 13-2, Carl B Rissel, 218

16 Harvey M Zimmerman, 400 WV-Cap, 14, Thomas, 216 17 Same, C F Manbeck Inc, 211 18 M&H Weaver Poultry (James S Auker), 1200 WV-Cap, 13-2, NO SALE, 161 bid 19 Same, 1900 WV-Cap, 136 Col Hill, 171 20 Same, 675 WV-Cap, 13 1, Good, 176

21 Elam Z Ginder, 1350 Leghorn Fowl, 1 yr, Rissel, 12,4 22 John E Fisher, 600 JB 1, 15 n.c., S E Davis, 157 23 Roy B Erb, 800 JB # 1, 1 yr, Mellinger, 156 24 J J Hess II (Warren Fohleman), 785 WV, 9-6, Col Hill, 175 25 Same, 975 WV, 9-6, Thomas, 176

26 Glenn H Herr, 250 IRW-Cap, 14-6, V F Weaver, 211 27 William R. Myer, 1000 Leghorn Fowl, 14 mo, Ream, 124 28 Myer, 900 Leghorn Fowl, Ream, 122 29 M&H Weaver Poultry (James S Auker), 675 WV-Cap, 13 1, Good, 181. 30 Same, 1900 WV-Cap, 13-6, NO SALE, 178 bid 31 Same, 1200 WV-Cap 14-2, NO SALE, 171 bid

## Lighter Classes Active at Chicago

CHICAGO, Oct 29 — CATTLE — 1500 — Receipts exceeded morning estimate by 500 head Slaughter steers 1050 lb and down active, steady to 25 higher, 1050-1150 lb fairly active, steady to 25 lower, over 1150 lb slow, steady to 25, instances 50 lower Heifers gen steady to 25 higher, but few sales weights over 1,000 lb, barely steady late Canner and cutter cows 25 50 lower, utility and better mostly steady Bulls steady to 50 lower Vealers fully steady. Stockers and feeders steady. Several loads prime 1100 1300 lb steers 28 25 and 28 50, two loads 1150 and 1225 lb, 28 50 Load mixed high choice and prime 1040 lb 28 25, most choice and prime 1100 lb and down 26 50-28 Comparable grade heavier weights 24 50-28 Load high-choice 951 lb 28 Load choice and prime 1425 lb 25 50, good steers 24-26 25, lot cutter 750 lb steers 18

Several loads mostly prime 900 1050 lb heifers 27 35-27 50, high choice and prime 26 75-27 25, good to average-choice 25-26 50, utility and standard 20-24 50 Utility and common cows 17 50-20 50, few standard to 21 50, canners and cutters largely 15-18 Few heavy Holsten cutters 18 25-18 50 and part load 700 lb Missouri canner cows including some shells, 14 Utility and cmml bulls largely 22-24 50 individual high yielding cmml 25, good vealers 30-33, few choice to 34, utility and standard 20 29, culls 15-19 Medium 572 lb stock steers 26 75

HOGS — 9500 — Active, 25-50 (Continued on page 10)

## Feeders Dominate Lancaster Yards With Heavy Run and Strong Prices

James E. O'Hara, In Charge, Market News Branch WEDNESDAY TO WEDNESDAY REVIEW

Receipts Week to date Cattle, 2850, Calves, 675, Hogs, 1300, Sheep, 350

CATTLE Trading active Slaughter steers steady, cows, bulls steady Stockers and feeders steady to 25 cents higher. Supply about 20 per cent slaughter steers and 70 per cent stockers and feeders Choice and prime 950-1160 lb slaughter steers \$28 75-29, lot prime 1132 lb \$29 50-Bulk choice steers \$26 50-28 50 Good to low choice \$24 50-26 75

Utility and commercial bulls \$22-25 25 Cutter and utility cows \$16 75-20 50 few up to \$20 75, commercial \$20 50-21 50, canners and low cutters \$15 25-16 75

Good and choice 800-1050 lb feeder steers \$24 50-27 50, lot 806 lb choice \$28 50, medium and

good \$23 25 Good and choice 600-800 lb stock steers \$25 75-29, lot choice 564 lb \$30 25, load choice 540 lb \$32, load choice and fancy 541 lb \$34, medium an good \$24 75-26 25 Good and choice stock calves 350-500 lb \$29 33

CALVES Trading active Vealers steady Good and choice vealers \$30 35, high choice and prime \$35-39, standard and low good \$25 30 utility and low good \$19.

HOGS Trading active Barrows and gilts 25-50 lower than last Wednesday Sows fully 50 lower. US 13, 180 240 lb barrows and gilts \$20 25-21, few No 3 down to \$20

Hogs more uniform for weight and grade including 1-2 grade weighing 190-220 lb \$21-21 50, few lots No 1 same weight \$21 75-22 300-600 lb sows \$15 18 50

SHEEP Trading active Woolled slaughter lambs 25 lower. Good and choice slaughter lambs \$23 25-24 50, utility and low good \$19 75-23 25

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