

Lancaster Poultry Exchange

Broiler Mkts. Off - Again

Broiler average on Lancaster Poultry Exchange auction skidded last week's average on a 17.6-18.5, on a 17.6-18.5 top third was lit at 18.02 on 32,315

of 39 lots, with 108,530 birds were offered. There were 17 lots of broilers selling; 6,460 capettes with three lots with 3,157 heavy fowl.

is the complete sale, by lot, with seller in parentheses, and breed, age in days, buyer and

ODE W V - white WR-white rock L-fowl; IRW-indian fowls; P-pullets; C-Cap-capettes, and cross cockerels Erb, 350 WR-HF Roy E Ream, 166 grich, 550 L-F, 17- withdrawn 3 Robert L-F, 14 mo., S. 100 4. Allen E 100 WV, 10, Daniel 183 5 Edgar M. 40 WR, 9-6, Ream

17.8. 6. Martin, 1980 WR, 9 6, Victor F. Weaver, 17.6. 7. Martin, 625 WR-F, 14 1/2 mo., Davis, 163. 8. E i N Martin 8000 WV, 9-6, Weaver, 17.9. 9. Raymond N. Miller (Ralph Zimmerman), 8950 IRW, 10-2 H. W Longacre, 17.8. 10. Same, 8600 WV, 9-6, Weaver 17 8. 11. Same, 8500 WV, 9-6, Longacre, 17.8. 12 Same, 9000 WV, 10-2, C.F. Manbeck, 17 8. 13. Francis Schultz, 7200 WV, 9-2, V.F. Weaver, 17 8. 14. SAME ALL 15. Samuel Grubb, 9000 WV, 9, NO SALE, 17.8 bid. 16. Grubb, 6500 WV, 9, NO Sale, 17.8 bid. 17 Kinter & Grove (Melvin K. Barge), 3400 WV. 9-2, NO SALE, 17.8 bid. 18. Same, 3200 WV, 9-2, NO SALE, 17.9 bid 19 Same 2600 WV, 9-2, NO SALE, 17.9 bid. 20 Same, 4500 WV, 9-2 Good, 17.9. 21. Same, 4700 WV, 9-2, Good, 17.9. 22 Barge, 1250 WV-P-Cap. 13. Risser, 25 23. Barge, 250 WV-C-Cap, 13, John N. Thomas, 27 24 Hershey Hostetter, 1600 WR-C-Cap, 12-1, Mellinger, 27 2. 25 Eugene K. Metzler, 2475 WV 10 Thomas, 18.5. 26. Miller and Bushong (Turn to page 5)

Delmarva - Georgia Market Is Just So-So

Delmarva's broiler market this week opened with prices firm, offerings heavy and demand good on a mostly 18 40 - 18 80 range Tuesday trading was very light and unsettled Market weakened Wednesday to a mostly 17 50 - 18 10 range, dropping to a mostly 17 - 17 60 Thursday range; closing Friday steady to unsettled with 65 per cent purchased at 17 - 17 40.

The week's volume: Mon 764,300, incl 597,600 purch at ESPGE; Tues - 172,500; Wed - 767,400, incl 491,700 purch at ESPGE; Thurs - 749,200, incl. 575,400 purch. at ESPGE, Fri. - 736,100, incl. 491,700 purch, at 736,100, incl. 502,000 purch at ESPGE

Georgia opened with 96% of Monday's at-farm sales going at 16 Geo Poultry Exchange sold 350,900 at mostly 16 3 - 16 9 on Friday. Monday sales totaled: at farm - 16-16.8. 764,000 head; FOB plants - 17,206,000. Tuesday sales: Exch. - 311,600 offered, 123,200 sold at 15 4-15 7; Total at farm - 15 4-16.5, 872,000; FOB plants - 17, 168,000; Wed. Exch. - 349,700 offered, 218,800 sold, at mostly 15 4-15 6 Total: at farm - 639,000, 15 - 16 5; FOB plants - 183,000, 16 - 16 5.

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, April 27th to Friday, May 1st

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Nearby Whites					
Extra					
Fcy Hywts	29 -	29 -	29 -	28 1/2-29	28 -28 1/2
Medium	22 -	22 -	22 -	22 -	23 1/2-
Pullets	20 -	19 -	19 -	18 -18 1/2	18 -
Pecwces	16 -	15 -	15 -	15 -	15 -
Nearby Browns					
Extra					
Fcy Hywts	30 -	30 -	30 -	30 -	29 1/2-30
Medium	25 -	24 -	24 -	23 1/2-24	23 1/2-24
Pullets	23 -	21 -	21 -	21 -	21 -
Peewees	16 -	15 -	15 -	15 -	15 -
Midwestern Mixed					
Fcy Hywts	28 -	28 -	28 -	28 -	28 -
Medium	22 -	22 -	22 -	22 -	22 -22 1/2
Pullets	20 -	19 -	19 -	18 -18 1/2	18 -
Standards	26 1/2-	26 1/2-	26 1/2-	26 1/2-	26 1/2-
Checks	23 -	23 -	23 -	23 -	23 -
Checks	24 -	24 -	24 -	24 -	24 -
Midwestern Whites					
Fcy Hywts	28 1/2-	28 1/2-	28 1/2-	28 1/2-	29 -
Mediums	22 -	22 -	22 -	22 -	23 1/2-
Pullets	20 -	19 -	19 -	18 -18 1/2	18 -
Midwestern Browns					
Fcy Hywts	29 -	29 1/2-	29 1/2-	29 1/2-	29 1/2-

FRIDAY TREND—Market very irregular and still unsettled, with surplus Nearby Whites continuing to move this way.

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Thurs - Exch. - 410,600 Friday and Sat, 1,416,000. offered, 205,200 sold at most- Delmarva producers started 145 - 15 2. TOTAL: at ed 3,630,000 broiler chicks during the week ending April 15 4, 651,000; FOB plants - ril 25, 5% less than previous 16, 190,000 Friday: at farm- week and 12% less than same 14 1/2-16, 79% at 15, 922,000 year-ago week. Delmarva broiler-feed rat- per cent at 15 1/2, 350,000 io week ending April 25, was head. Estimated slaughter on 3 5

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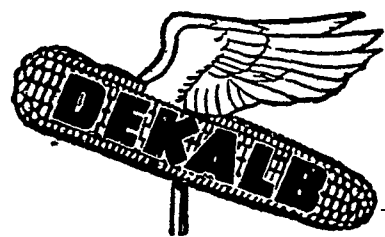


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