

**Poultry Center**

**Broilers Edge Upward**

Broilers sold stronger this week at the Lancaster Poultry Center as 77,925 head of the auction block at prices ranging from 18.7 to

lots of 7,250 roasters bid 21 to 24.8 while seven of 8,575 leghorn fowl bid 13.1 to 14.8. One lot of heavy fowl including 800 made 19.2. Seventy sold at 9 cents.

the entire July 21 sale of 98,545 birds in 45 lots sold 94,620 head in 43. Of the two lots not sold, was a lot of 2,725 broilers bid to 18.8, while the other was 1,200 roasters bid to

Following is the complete with lot number, seller in parenthesis, amount and breed, age in weeks, days, buyer and price: WV-White Vantress Indian Rivers, L-F-Y-Leghorns, Fowl Yearlings, C-Cockers, P-Pullets, W Mts-White Mountains, XC-Cross Cocker-

Daniel B King, 1500 W-101, Carl B Risser, 20 2; Same, John N Thomas, 3 Same, 1450 WV, 10-1 E Ream, 20.1; 4. Same, Daniel K Good, 20.4; 5. El-W Weaver, 1450 WV, 9-Daniel K Good, Same, 7 Irvin B Ging-2,500 WV, 9-2, H. W. Maguire, Inc, 19.0; 8. J. J. S II, (Elmer L Fisher) 2,-WV, 9-2, Carl B. Risser, 1; 9 John B. Kurtz (John Kurtz), 1000 L-F-Y, Harry

H. Weaver, Jr, 14 2, 10 Jno. B Kurtz, (Willis Sensenig) 2000 WV, 9-3, Daniel K. Good, 18.8;

11. Levi L Stoltzfus, 800 L-F-Y, Harry H. Weaver, Jr., 14.5, 12. Miller & Bushong, (Kenneth M. Funk), 1200 W-VP, 14, NO SALE, 18.5 bid; 13. Same, 1200 IRP, 14, W. C Mellinger & Son, 23.0; 14. M&B, (Mrs Dorothy Miller), 3000 IR, 9-2, W. C Mellinger & Son, 19.0; 15. M&B, (John L. Herr), 650 WVC, 13-2, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 22.5;

16. Same, 22.6; 17. M&B, (Daniel Ebersole) 4300 WV, 9, Starr Poultry, 18.9; 18. Same; 19. M&B, (Cool Creek Farm), 4900 WV, 9-2, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 19.4; 20. Same, 2725 WV, 9-2, NO SALE, 18.8 bid;

21. Same, 3000 WV, 9-2, Roy E. Ream, 19.3; 22. Same 2375 WV, 9-2, Daniel Good, 19.3; 23. Amos K. King, 800 WRF, 16 Mo, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 19.2; 24. Wm. R. Myer, 12,000 WV, 8-4, Meader's Poultry, 19.0; 25. M&B, (Robert Kauffman), 4000 WV 9, Starr Poultry, 18.8;

26. Same; Allen Clark, 18-9; 27. Same, 6000 WV, 9, Starr Poultry, 18.7; 28. Russell F. Taylor, 5500 WV, 8-3, Starr Poultry, 18.9; 29. Glenn H. Herr, 800 L-F, Walter B. Lehman, 14.5; 30. Robt Long 750 L-F, Walter B. Lehman, 13.1;

31. Raymond H Miller, 625 L-F-Y, Walter B. Lehman

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**Delmarva-Georgia Slaughter Needs Up Slightly**

Delmarva reported purchases of 756,300 head at prices ranging from 17.30 to 19 during the 24 hour period ending at 10:30 Friday morning.

Estimated slaughter by Eastern Shore Processors for the weekend is 670,000 head compared to 652,000 head last weekend.

The Delmarva broiler-feed ratio for the week ending on July 15 was down two points from the previous week at 4.2 Broilers averaged 19.41 and mash cost \$91.80 per ton.

Georgia reported prices of 17 to 17.5 at farms for 862,000 head for the 24 hour period ending 10.30 Friday morning. Estimated slaughter in Georgia for the weekend is 1,806,000 head.

**Fluid Milk Production Still Trends Down**

Production in general continued its downward trend in the Northeast but at a reduced rate in most sections. In the Southeastern section of the country recent rains improved pasture conditions resulting in occasional surpluses being channeled into cheese manufacturing.

Bottling demand was spotty, being noticeably improved in New York but only fair in other areas.

**Weekly New York Egg Mkt.**

From Monday, July 18th to Friday, July 22nd

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri
<b>Nearby Whites</b>					
Ext. Fcy					
Hywts	38 1/2-	40 -	40 -	40 1/2-	41 1/2-
Med	34 1/2-	35 1/2-	35 1/2-	35 1/2-	36 1/2-
Pullets	26 -	26 3/4-27	26 3/4-27	26 -27	26 -
P-wees	19 -	19 -	19 -	19 -	19 -
<b>Nearby Browns</b>					
Ext. Fcy					
Hywts	38 1/2-	39 1/2-	39 1/2-	40 -	41 1/2-
Med	34 1/2-	35 1/2-	35 1/2-	35 1/2-	36 1/2-
Pullets	28 1/2-	29 -	29 -	29 -	29 -
P-wees	18 1/2-	18 1/2-	18 1/2-	17 1/2-18 1/2	18 1/2-
<b>Midwestern Mixed</b>					
Ext. Fcy					
Hywts	35 -	36 1/2-	36 1/2-	37 -	38 -
Med.	31 -	32 -	32 -	32 -	33 -
Pullets		NOT QUOTED			
Stds	30 -	31 -	31 -	31 1/2-	32 -
Checks	27 1/2-28	27 1/2-28	27 1/2-28	27 1/2-28	27 1/2-28
<b>Midwestern Browns</b>					
Ext. Fancy					
Hywts	35 1/2-	37 -	37 -	37 -	38 1/2-
<b>Midwestern Whites</b>					
Ext. Fcy					
Hywts	35 1/2-	37 -	37 -	37 -	38 -38 1/2
Med.	32 -	33 -	33 -	33 -	34 -
Pullets	26 -	26 3/4-27	26 3/4-27	26 -27	26 -

TREND. Shell egg market continues decidedly firm under a close clearance. Lighter offerings of fancy fresh.

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