

Growers Resist Drop

Broiler prices at the Lancaster Poultry Center this week averaged 14.56 as 46,400 head in nine lots changed hands at prices ranging from 14.4 to 15.0. The average price at the November 8 sale was 2.67 lower than the average of 17.23 last week.

Growers expressed their displeasure at the lower price by putting the "No Sale" sign on 12 lots containing 41,000 birds at bids ranging from 13 to 14.8.

Two lots of 1,300 leghorn fowl brought 8.3 to 8.4 while 1,700 heavy fowl in two lots brought 16.6 to 16.7. Three lots of pullets sold for 23 and 24 for the 2,200 head, and 4,800 roasters in four lots brought 22.2 to 26.4.

A lot of 400 tom turkeys were withdrawn at a bid of 19.0 and a lot of 450 turkey hens did not sell at the offered 27.2.

The complete auction offered 100,750 head in 36 lots and sold 56,500 head in 20 lots.

Following is the complete sale report with lot number,

seller, grower in parentheses, amount and breed, age in weeks and days, buyer and price

CODE L-F — Leghorn Fowl, WV — White Vantress, C-Cockerels, P-Pullets, AAV — Arbor Acre Vantress, MCW — Moore's Chesty Whites, T-Toms — Turkey Toms, T-Hens — Turkey Hens, WMT-White Mountain, H-F — Heavy Fowl.

1. Carl Harnish, 500 L-F, Daniel K. Good, 8.3; 2. Daniel B. King, 1250 WVC, 12-2, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 26.4; 3. Same, 1350 WVC, 12-2, College Hill Poultry, 26.3; 4. Marvin Brubaker, 800 L-F, Carl B. Risser, 8.4; 5. Same, 300 WV, 9-0, NO SALE, 13.0 BID.

6. Mark Myer, 9000 AAV, 8-2, NO SALE, 14.5 BID; 7. Miller & Bushong (Elmer Beiler), 2300 MCW, 9-2, Daniel K. Good, 14.8; 8. Lanc. Co. Farm Bureau (B. G. Bushong), 1200 WVX, 8-6, NO SALE, 14.4 BID; 9. M&B (Benjamin Brubaker), 4800 WV, 9-0, NO

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Price Decline Continues

Prices of live broilers continued to decline slightly in Demarva during the 24 hour period ending 10:30 Friday morning.

At farm prices ranged from 14.5 to 15.4 during the period. At these prices 374,000 head of 404,100 head offered were sold Thursday at the Eastern Shore Poultry Producers Exchange in Shelbyville Del.

A fair demand took the light supply. With practically no plants operating today, Eastern Shore processors estimated slaughter at 558,000 head compared to 685,000 head last week end.

The Delmarva broiler-feed ratio for the week ending November 2 stood at 3.5 — this down one point from the 3.6 of the previous week. Broilers during the week averaged 16.7 per pound and 20% mash cost the grower \$94.94 per ton.

The ratio for the compar-

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	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy Hywts.	42 1/2-43	44	45		46
Fcy Hywts.	40 1/2	41 1/2	43		44
Fcy Med.	30	31	31		36
No. 1 Med.	28 -29	29	31		32
Pullets	24	25	26		28
Peewees	20	20	21		23
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	44	45	46		47
Fcy. Hywts.	43 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2		46 1/2
Fcy. Med.	29	31	34		36
Pullets	24	25	27		28
Peewees	20	20	21		23
MIXED					
Fcy. Hywts.	40	41 1/2	42 1/2		43 1/2
No. 1 Med.	27 1/2-28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2-30 1/2		30 1/2-31
Pullets	23	24	25		26
Standards	34 -35	35	35 -36		36 -37
Checks	27	27	29		31

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