

Prices Drop Fractionally

Broiler prices slipped a fraction of a cent this week at the Lancaster Poultry Center as live prices averaged 14.95.

A total of 123,100 broilers in 15 lots ranged in price from 14.9 to 15.1. A lot of Leghorn fowl including 750 head brought 912, and two lots of 950 heavy fowl sold at 14.9. Ninety males brought 70. All birds on offer were sold.

The complete September 19 sale offered and sold 124,890 birds in 18 lots.

Following is the complete sale report with lot number, seller, grower in parenthesis, amount and breed, age in weeks and days, buyer and price.

CODE: MCX - Moore's Chesty Cross, L-F Leghorn Fowl, H-F - Heavy Fowl, WV - White Vantress, WMT - White Mountain H & G - Hubbard & Greider, GWX - Greider White Cross.

1. Miller & Bushong (Jonas Meyer), 12,000 MCX, 8-6, Starr Poultry Co., 15.0; 2. Gideon King, 750 L-F, Daniel K. Good, 9.2; 3. Christ J. Stoltzfus, 550 H-F, 18 mo., Marvin Sweigart, 14.9; 50, Marvin Sweigart, 7.0; 4. Samuel F. Wiker, 400 H-F, 15 mo., Marvin Sweigart, 14.9; 40, Marvin Sweigart, 7.0; 5. D. E. Horn & Co. (Richard Baker), 15,500 WV, 9-1, H. W. Longacre, Inc., 14.9.

6. Same (Amos Funk), 10,000 WMT, 9-6, Daniel K. Good, 15.1; 7. Same (Gladys Fitz), 8000 WV, 9-6, Daniel K. Good, 14.9; 8. Same, 6900 WV, 9-6, Daniel K. Good, 14.9; 9. Same, 11,000 WV, 9-6, Starr

Poultry Co., 14.9; 10. Same (James McDowell), 7000 WV, 9-2, Daniel K. Good, 15.0.

11. Same, 7000 WV, 9-2, Starr Poultry Co., 15.0; 12. Richard Buckwalter, 1200 WMT, 9-0, WITHDRAWN PRIOR TO SALE; 13. Miller & Bushong (Verling Wolfe), 6000 WV, 8-4, Carl Risser, 15.0; 14. Same (John McMichael), 4800 WV, 8-3, Carl Risser, 15.1; 15. Same (Harold Ghck), 3900 IR, 8-6, Daniel K. Good, 14.9.

16. Same (Robert Kerstetter), 9000 H&G, 8-2, Starr Poultry Co., 14.9; 17. Same (Chares Morris), 8000 WV, 8-2, Starr Poultry Co., 14.9, 18. Same, 10,000 WMT, 8-2, Starr Poultry Co., 14.9; 19. Same (James Carr), 4000 GWX, 8-2, Starr Poultry Co., 14.9.

4-H Wildlife Goes Fishing

Fishing in a farm pond preceded the Thursday night meeting of the Lancaster County 4-H Wildlife club.

Members met at the farm pond of Graybill Gible, Mannheim R3, but "didn't catch anything worth mentioning", according to Eric Stoner, reporter for the club.

The meeting was opened by members reporting on the kinds of wildlife they have seen during the last month.

Next meeting of the club will be on October 17 at the home of Marlene Gentzler, New Holland Pike.

Delmarva

Prices Decline Demand Fair

Live broiler prices declined slightly in Delmarva during the 24 hour period ending 10.30 Friday morning. Demand was fair for light offerings.

Prices ranged 14.0 to 15.5 on reported purchases of 1,156, 200 head at farms during the period. Purchases include 445, 700 head purchased at Thursday's auction in Selbyville, Del.

With practically no plants operating today, estimated slaughter by eastern shore processors for the weekend was 831,000 head compared to the 820,000 head last weekend.

The Delmarva broiler feed ratio for the week ending Sept. 9 was steady at 3.0. Broilers averaged 15.38 per pound and mash cost the grower \$102.23 per ton.

Chicago

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Slaughter steers: Near ten loads Prime 1125-1282 lbs. 25.00, Bulk High Choice and Prime 1050-1300 lbs. 24.25-24.75, including number loads Prime 1225-1300 lbs. at 24.75, and Mixed High Choice and Prime 1050-1250 lbs. at 24.75. Bulk High Choice and Prime 1350-1475 lbs. 22.00-23.25. Bulk Choice 925-1250 lbs. 23.75-24.50. Bulk Choice 1350-1500 lbs. 21.00-22.25, Good 900-1250 lbs. 22.25-23.25, Standard and Low Good 2050-22.25.

Slaughter Heifers: Choice and Prime 950-1060 lbs. 24.00-24.50, Bulk Choice 825-1100 lbs. 22.75-23.75. Good

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, Sept 16th to Friday, Sept. 20th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex Fcy.					
Hywts. 45	45	45	45	45	45
Fcy.					
Hywts. 42	42	40 -42	40	-42	40 -42
Fcy.					
Med. 37	37	36 -37	37		37
No. 1					
Med 35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Pullets 21 1/2-22	21 1/2-22	21 1/2-22	21 1/2-22	21 1/2-22	21 1/2-22
P-wees 16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy.					
Hywts. 48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Fcy.					
Hywts. 44	44	44	44	44	44
Fcy.					
Med. 37	37	37	37	37	37
Pullets 21 1/2-22 1/2	21 1/2-22 1/2	21 1/2-22 1/2	21 1/2-22 1/2	21 1/2-22 1/2	21 1/2-22 1/2
P-wees 16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2	16 -16 1/2
MIXED					
Fcy.					
Hywts. 41	41	40 -41	40	-41	40 -41
No. 1					
Med. 35 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Pullets 21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Std. 34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Checks 26 1/2	27 1/2	27	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2

TREND: Trade here still curtailed. Overall position generally steady but undertone showing some nervousness.

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21.50-22.50.. 00-12.00.
Cows: Utility and Commercial closed at 14.50-16.25, few 17.00-19.00, few fat Commercial 16.50, Canner and Cutter 15.00-15.50, individual 12.00-14.50, Shelly Canner 11.- wasty fat Commercial 14.00.



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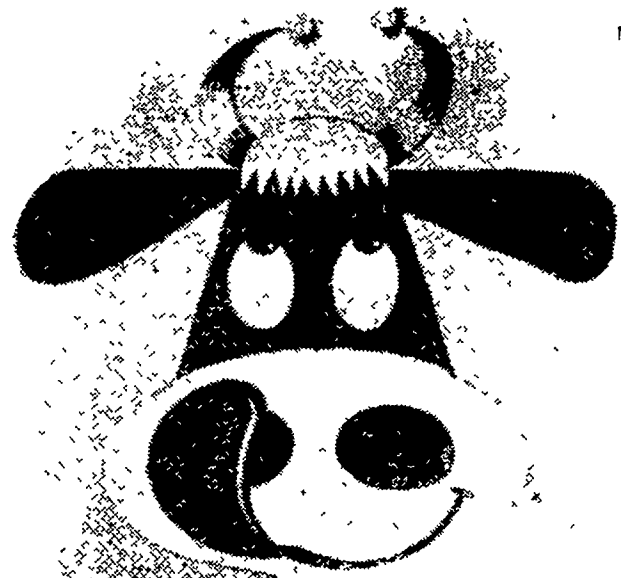
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