

Broilers Gain Strength

Live broilers were up about a quarter of a cent a pound from the previous week at the November 7 auction at the Lancaster Poultry Center.

A total of 124,200 broilers in 22 lots changed hands at prices ranging 16.5 to 7.0 for a sale average of 16.62. Only one lot of broilers failed to sell; this, a lot of 1,800 White Vantress at 8 weeks five days, was bid to 16.4.

Three lots of roasters containing 1,700 head sold 22-23.9, and 8,800 leghorn fowl in four lots brought 8.9 to 9.3. One lot of 1,500 pullets at 8 weeks five days sold for 17.4.

The complete sale offered 140,000 head in 34 lots and sold 136,200 head in 30 lots.

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

CODE: WMtC - White Mountain Cockerels, L-F - Leghorn Fowl, WV - White Vantress, IR - Indian Rivers, WVP - White Vantress Pullets, WVC - White Vantress Cockerels.

1. Miller & Bushong (Kenneth M. Funk), 400 WMtC, 13-0, Marvin Sweigart, 23.3.
2. Same, 500 WMtC, 13-0, Daniel K. Good, 23.9; 3. David G. Musselman, 6500 L-F, V. J. Koser Co. Inc., 9.3; 4. Daniel R. Myer, 4500 WV, 8-3, H. W. Longacre, Inc., 16.6; 5. Same, 4500 IR, 8-4, H. W. Longacre, Inc., 16.6.

6. Helen Thomas, 600 L-F, V. J. Koser Co. Inc., 8.9; 7. M & B (Earl Newcomer), 800 WVC, 14-2, Daniel K. Good, 22.0; 8. Same (Charles

Nissley), 2500 WV, 8-5, Carl B. Risser, 16.5; 9. Same (George Enders), 3000 WV, 8-5, Daniel K. Good, 16.5; 10. Same (Elvin Siegrist), 1800 WV, 8-5, NO SALE, 16.4 BID.

11. Same, 1500 WVP, 8-5, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 17.4; 12. Same (Carl Harnish), 3000 WV, 8-6, Daniel K. Good, 16.5; 13. Same (John L. Herr), 1400 WVP, 14-2, NO SALE, 17.0 BID; 14. Same (Paul Sealover), 10,200 WV, 8-1, Starr Poultry, 16.5; 15. Same (Ralph Haag), 15,000 IR, 8-2, Starr Poultry, 16.6.

16. Same (Clyde Hepner), 4000 IR, 8-6, Starr Poultry, 16.6; 17. Jonathan Z. Lapp, 700 L-F, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 8.9; 18. M & B (Abram N. Miller), 3700 IR, 8-3, Daniel K. Good, 16.5; 19. D. E. Horn & Co. (Clarence M. Shuey), 10,000 WV, 9-6, College Hill Poultry, 16.5, 20. Same (Melvin Barge), 3400 WV, 9-1, Daniel K. Good, 16.6.

21. Same, 3000 WV, 9-1, Daniel K. Good, 16.6; 22. Same, 3500 WV, 9-1, Daniel K. Good, 16.6, 23. Same, 3900 WV, 9-1, Starr Poultry, 16.6; 24. Same, 5600 WV, 9-1, Carl B. Risser, 16.8; 25. Same, 5600 WV, 9-1, W. C. Mellinger & Son, 16.8.

26. Same (Richard Myers), 6000 WV, 9-6, College Hill Poultry, 16.7; 27. Same, 6000 WV, 9-6, College Hill Poultry, 16.7; 28. Same, 7000 WV, 9-6, Starr Poultry, 16.6; 29. Same, 7000 WV, 9-6, Daniel K. Good, 16.7; 30. Same, 3800 WV, 10-2, John N. Thomas, 17.0.

31. M & B (Albert Schock), 225 Capons, 23 wks., NO

Delmarva

Prices Advance A Quarter Cent

Live broiler prices advanced approximately a quarter cent in Delmarva during the 24 hour period ending 10:30 Friday morning.

Prices ranged 15.9 to 16.8 813,300 head at farms during the period including 439,000 head sold at Thursday's auction in Selbyville, Del. Demand was good for the light auction offerings. Thirty-four per cent of the sales ranged 16.5 to 16.8.

Estimated slaughter for the week end by eastern shore processors was 638,000 head compared to the 704,000 head last week end.

The Delmarva broiler-feed ratio for the week ending November 1 was steady with the previous week at 3.3. Broilers averaged 16.39 per pound and mash cost the grower \$100.80 per ton. The ratio for the comparable week a year ago was 3.5 when broilers averaged 16.70 and mash cost the grower \$94.94 per ton.

Chicago

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lbs. 21.25-22.50 with loadlots Mixed Good and Choice largely 1000-1250 lbs 22.25-23.00, Standard and Low Good largely 19.00-21.50, few loads Utility and Low Standard 18.50-19.00.

SALE, 34.0 BID, 32. Same, 300 Capons, 23 wks, NO SALE, 34.6 BID; 33. D. E. Horn & Co. (Richard Baker), 9000 WV, 8-6, Starr Poultry, 16.6, 34. James Rebman, 1000 L-F, V. J. Koser Co. Inc., 9.2.

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, November 4 to Friday, November 8

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex.					
Fcy. Hywts	39		39	39	40 1/2
Fcy. Hywts	37		37	37	39
Fcy. Med.	27		27	27	27
No. 1 Med.	26 1/2		26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Pullets	23		23	23	23
Peewees	20		20	20	20
BROWN					
Ex.					
Fcy. Hywts	38 1/2		38 1/2	38 1/2	40
Fcy. Hywts	38		38	38	39
Fcy. Med.	27 1/2		27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Pullets	24		24	24	24
Peewees	20		20	20	20
MIXED					
Fcy Hywts.	36 1/2		36 1/2	36 1/2	37-37 1/2
No 1 Med.	26 1/2		26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Pullets	23		23	23	23
Standards	33 1/2		31 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Checks	28		29	29	29

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Vintage

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Cows: Utility and Commercial closed at 13.00-15.00, few were on sale Choice vealers head grain fed Commercial 15.50, Canner and Cutter 11.00-13.00, Shelly Canner 10.00-11.00
were on sale Choice vealers were 33-35, good and low choice 29-33, standard 25-29, and cull and common 12 to 22.

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