Weekly Broiler Report

pennsylvania Crop Reporting hens 7-9¢ mostly 8-81/2¢. Service. The set was up 2 percent from the previous week and 4 percent above a year ago.

Placement of broiler chicks per lb. except where noted) during the week totaled 906, year ago.

her and 9 percent above a year tal Coops sold 904. ago. Eggs set were the same as the previous week but 1 percent above a year earlier.

EASTERN PA. & N.J.

Offerings of heavy type hens limited but adequate for a fair demand. Some lot of heavy type 5-6# size purchased from New England.

Hatcherymen in the Key- Light type, hens offerings stone State set 1,237,000 eggs sufficient for a fair demand. for broiler production during Prices paid at farms for heavy the week, according to the type hens 15-19¢, light type

FOGELSVILLE, PA. AUCTION REPORT

(Prices for dock weights, ¢

HENS-light 7½-13 M 8-9, 000 — the same as a week heavy type 9½-23½ M 15earlier but 21 percent above a 191/2, PULLETS 20-35 M 26-34, ROASTERS 10-30 1/2 M 21-Inshipments of broiler-type 261/2, CAPONS 33-36; DUCKS thicks for the past 10 weeks 25-34 1/2 M 25-32; DRAKES totaling 406,000 were the same 25-39 1/2 M 33-37; TURKEYSas a year ago. Outshipments of Toms 23; hens 29-36 M 33-1,740,000 were down 9 percent. 36, RABBITS 19-44 M 331/2-Broiler chicks placed in the 41; GUINEAS 35-55 M 371/2-22 major producing states were 42 1/2; PIGEONS (per pair) 40up 3 percent from a week ear-- 80 M 62½-80¢ Jumbo 90, To-

> If you buy chilled ready-tocook poultry, and don't plan to use it at once, keep it refrigerated at 38 degrees and use within one or two days Wrap loosely in foil or moisture-proof paper or puncture the tight transparent film covering the package.

Delmarva

Prices Decline; Demand Fair

Live broiler prices declined slightly during the 24 hour period ending 10 30 Finday morning

Demand was fair for the moderate auction offerings

Ready to cook demand was sluggish and unaggressive with only limited interest in delivery next week Practically no Eastern Shore processing plants planned operation today. Processors noted resistance to higher dressed prices ranging up to a half cent

Estimated slaughter for the week end by eastern shore processors was 630,000 head compared to the 942,000 head last week end.

Prices at farms ranged 14.7 to 16.6 on 1.019.200 head reported purchased during the period. Prices include 494,600 head purchased of 504,100 head offered at Thursday's auction in Selbyville, Del Nearly 40 per cent of the auction sales were between 160

The Delmarva broiler-feed ratio for the week ending March 6 was up one point from the previous week at 30. Broilers during the week averaged 15.17 per pound and parable week a year ago was \$30-85 Killers continued at 6-3.4 when broilers averaged 16. 61/2 cents 97 and mash cost \$99 03.

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, March 14, 1904

' From Monday, March 9th to Friday, March 13th

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š	Standards	32	33	33	33	3314	
	Checks	30	30	30	30	30	

TREND Market steady but demand for top grades still on the dull side All smaller sizes well cleared

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New Holland

(Continued from Page 2) mash cost the grower \$100.17 ses \$125-210 Pony mares per ton. The ratio for the com- brought \$40-80 and geldings

The 523 head of market

hogs were steady to weak at the March 9 auction. Retail hogs to local butchers brought 16 75-17 75 while grades 1 to 3 went to the packers at 16-16.75, and heavyweight hogs brought 15-16 The 10 shoats brought \$8 50 to \$10 per head.

The 128 calves sold steady at the March 9 sale. Choice and prime vealers brought 36-38, good and low choice 34-36, standard 30-34, and cull and common 18-25.

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