

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey

LIVE HENS

Prices on light type hens unchanged to 1/2c higher. Offerings about adequate for the fair to occasionally good demand. Supplies of heavy type hens adequate for a light buying interest. Few lots sold at 16 & 17c. Occasional lot of 7# roasters sold at 22c subject to grade discounts. Prices paid at farms: Light type Hens 6 1/2-7 1/2c mostly 7-7 1/2; Heavy type Hens, too few to report.

TURKEYS

Trading limited. Occasional intra company flocks being moved for processing. Some area breeder type hens unsold with asking prices at 20c.

Fogelsville

July 6, 1965

(Prices for dock weights, c per lb, except where noted.)

Hens, Light Type 6-10, 6-7 1/2; Hens, Heavy Type 13 1/2-23, 17-22; Pullets 24 1/2-31, 27 1/2-30; Roasters 23 1/2-29 1/2, 26 1/2-28 1/2; Ducks 17 1/2-19 1/2; Turkeys 26-37 1/2, 35-36 1/2; Rabbits 37-49, 45-49; Guineas 80-95, 87 1/2-92 1/2; Pigeons (per pair) 25-1 17 1/2, 60-87 1/2; Jumbo Squab 72 1/2. Total Coops Sold. 422.

Eastern Shore Exchange

WEEKLY SUMMARY

Broilers and fryers sold at the Eastern Shore Exchange this week averaged 16.21 cents per pound, live weight. This figure is based on daily lot averages for the three-day week (no market report available for Monday because of holiday).

Prices paid ranged from a low of 15.3 cents on Tuesday to a high of 17.1 cents on Wednesday. Sales for the week totaled 1,532,000 head.

Delmarva

Delmarva broiler and fryer live prices declined nearly 1/4 cent. Demand was fair for heavy auction offerings.

Ready-to-cook demand very good with all plants running at capacity. Majority of plants operating Saturday. Ice shortage a problem in instances.

Estimated slaughter for Friday and Saturday, 1,133,000 head compared to 1,295,000 head last weekend.

In the 24-hours preceding market close on Friday, broilers and fryers live prices ranged from 15.6-16.8 cents per lb. on sales of 1,197,700 head

New Holland

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head were sold. Riding horses brought 150-315; driving horses, 125-225; killers (including all mules), 5 1/2-6 1/2 cents per lb. Pony mares brought 35-75; geldings, 30-210.

HOGS

July 5, 1965

Prices continued to climb

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, July 10, 1965—3

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, July 5th to Friday, July 9th.

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
Holiday					
WHITE					
Ex. Fc. Hywts.		32	32	33	34
Fcy. Hywts.		30	30	31	32
Fcy. Med.		27	27	27	28
No. 1 Med.		27	27	27	27
Pullets		20	20	22	21
Peewees		13	13	15	15
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.		36	36	36 1/2	37 1/2
Fcy. Hywts		34 1/2	34 1/2	35	36
Fcy. Med.		27	27	27	28
Pullets		20	20	22	21
Peewees		13	13	15	15
MIXED					
Fcy. Hywts		30	30	31	32
Standards		26 1/2-27	26 1/2-27	27-28	28-29
Checks		20	20	20-21	21

Trend: Market showing good clearance on fine quality Large. Extra Large and Jumbos short of the demand. Smaller sizes a bit irregular.

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at Monday's sale, averaging 75 cents to \$1 higher on the 315 head sold. Market hogs retailed for 27-28 50, wholesale (U.S. 1-3), 26-26 75; heavyweights, 25-25-26. Sows brought 18-20 50. No shoats were offered

CALVES

July 5, 1965

Calves sold \$1 lower with 102 head offered at Monday's sale. There was an absence of Prime quality. Choice brought 30-32, Good and Low Choice, 28-30; Standard, 26-28, Common, 18-25.50.

Rural Youths To Compete In 1st. Pa. Soil Contest

Rural youths who compete in Pennsylvania's first statewide soil judging program August 27 at Hershey will be making a contribution to the Commonwealth's soils program in addition to winning championships and cash awards for themselves, according to

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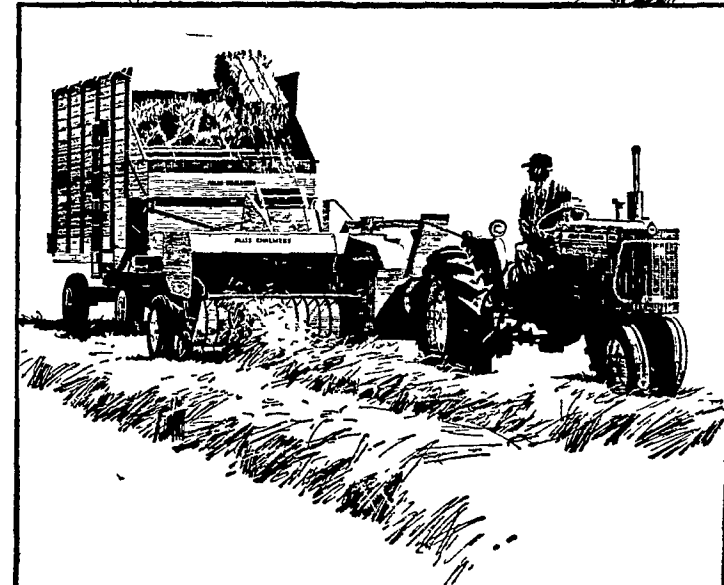
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