

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania
And New Jersey

WEEKLY SUMMARY

LIVE HENS

Prices were unchanged on light type hens. Offerings limited throughout the area due in part to increased egg prices. Demand good. Trading limited on heavy type hens. Supplies generally sufficient. Prices paid at farms: Light type hens 6½-8c, mostly 7-7½c; heavy type hens 15½-16c.

TURKEYS

A few lots of mixed hens & toms, heavy type sold at 22-23c.

Fogelsville

August 10, 1965

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

Hens, light type 7½-9½. 7½-8½; Hens, heavy type 8-18½, 12-16; Pullets 16½-26½, 23-26; Roasters 10-25½, 20-25; Turkeys, hens 28-31; Rabbits 10-32, 22-30; Guineas 57½-72½, 57½-65; Pigeons (per pair) 35-75, 50-62½; Jumbo Squab 62½-70. Total coops sold 798.

Eastern Shore
Exchange

WEEKLY SUMMARY

Broilers and fryers live prices on the Eastern Shore Exchange averaged 16.58 cent per pound this week, up .10 cent from last week's average. Prices paid ranged from a high of 17.6 cents on Tuesday to a low of 15.8 cents on Thursday.

Sales for the week totaled 1,950,000 head, an increase of 67,900 head over last week's sales.

Delmarva

August 13, 1965

Delmarva live broiler and fryer prices continued to decline slightly with moderate auction offerings. Available supplies of live birds remain adequate with weights well distributed.

Estimated slaughter for this weekend, 922,000 head compared to 842,500 head last weekend.

In the 24 hours preceding market close on Friday, broilers and fryers live prices ranged 15.8-16.9 cents per lb. on sales of 1,278,600 head.

Vintage

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18.35. Feeder steers: (130 head sold private treaty) Three loads Choice 950-1000 lb. carrying Good to low Choice slaughter flesh \$26.00. Good and Choice 650-1000 lb. \$23.75-25.00, lot Standard 800 lb. \$17.75.

Calves 629: Vealers mostly steady although some sales Choice \$1.00 lower. Choice \$29.50-32.50, Good \$27.50-29.50, Standard \$25.50-28.50, Utility \$22.00-25.50, Cull mainly \$18.00-22.00, with Cull 60-80 lb. \$14.00-18.00.

Hogs 177: Barrows and gilts steady to 50 higher. US 1-2 200-210 lb. \$25.75-25.85, 1-3 185-240 lb. \$25.00-25.50, 2-3 210-250 lb. \$24.25-25.00. US 3 250-275 lb. \$22.50-24.00.

Sheep 40 Spring slaughter lambs 1-\$3 higher. Choice 65-100 lb. \$24.50-27.00, mixed Choice and Prime \$27.00-29.00, Good \$24.00-25.50.

HOGS

August 7, 1965

With only 87 head offered at last Saturday's sale, demand pushed prices an average of \$1 higher than for the preceding week. Lightweights sold for 24.35-24.60; 180-200 lbs. 24.75-26.75; 200-220 lbs., 25-26.60; 220-240 lbs., 25-26.10; 240 lbs. and up, 23-24.25. Sows brought 18.60-20.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, August 14, 1965—3

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, August 9th to Friday, August 13th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy Hywts.	38	39	40	40	41
Fcy. Hytws.	35½	35½	35½	37	37
Fcy. Med.	30	30½	31½	32½	33½
No. 1 Med.	28	28	29	31	31½
Pullets	22	21	22	22	22
Peewees	16½	15½	15	15	15
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	42½	42½	42½	42½	42½
Fcy. Hywts.	41	41	41	41	41
Fcy. Med.	33	33	31½	32½	33½
Pullets	22	21	21	22	23
Peewees	16½	15½	15	15	15
MIXED					
Fcy. Hywts.	35	35	35	37	37
Standards	31	31	33	33	33
Checks	21	21	23	22½	22½

TREND: Market firm on large and medium; balance full steady.

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Chicago

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7 loads High Choice and Prime, 1400-1450 lbs. 28-28.75; numerous loads High Choice and Prime 1135-1400 lbs. 27.75-28.75, High Choice and Prime 1050-1150 lbs. 27-28; Choice 1100-1400 lbs. 26.50-27.75; Mixed Good and Choice 24.75-26.25; Good 23.50-25.

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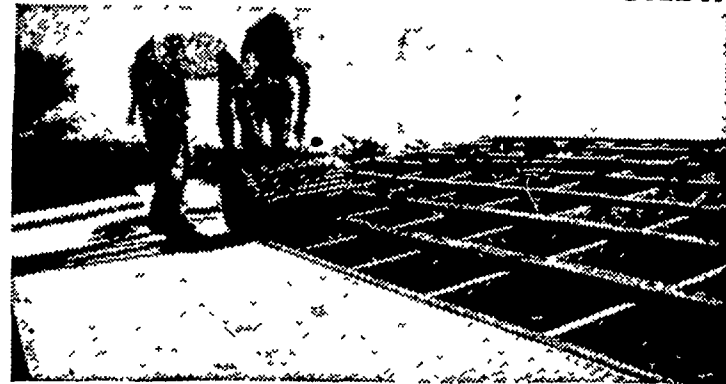
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