

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey WEEKLY SUMMARY

LIVE HENS

Prices on light hens unchanged to ¼c higher. Demand good. Offerings barely adequate and lighter than anticipated in some areas. Interest good for limited offerings of heavy type hens. Isolated at-farm purchases noted at 21c. However, increased shipments from North Carolina noted in instances. Prices paid at farms: Light hens 8½-8¾c; Heavy hens, too few to report.

TURKEYS

Supplies well cleared. Occasional lots of heavy toms nov ed at 25-25½c. Most seasonal processing and trading activity completed. However, some flocks continue to be moved from Delmarva and Ohio at undetermined prices where contractual growing arrangements are in effect.

Fogelsville

January 11, 1966

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

Hens, light type, range 7½-9, mostly 7½-8½; Hens, heavy type, 8½-22, mostly 14-20; Pullets, 20-32, mostly 27-31; Roasters, 9½-28½, mostly 20-28; Ducks, 24½-28½; Drakes, 13-36, mostly 28½-34½; Geese,

29-34; Turkeys, toms, 15-23, mostly 20-23; Turkeys, hens, 24½-30; Rabbits, 36-51, mostly 44-50; Guinea, 31-55; Pigeons (per pair), 65-1.50, mostly 65-75; Jumbo Squab, 75-85, mostly 85; Total Coops Sold: 822.

Eastern Shore Exchange

WEEKLY SUMMARY

Broiler and fryer live prices on the Eastern Shore Exchange this week averaged 18.67 cents per lb., up 2.68 cents from last week's average.

Prices paid ranged from a low of 16.4 cents on Monday to a high of 20.7 cents on Thursday.

Sales for the week totaled 1,165,400 head, a loss of more than 200,000 head from last week's totals.

Delmarva

January 14, 1966

Prices Jump

Delmarva broiler and fryer live prices advanced more than 1 cent to levels comparable with January 29 and February 27, 1962.

Demand very good for moderate auction offerings. Live supplies short of needs.

Ready-to-cook demand very good. Commitments for next week light, but over-all interest good.

Delivered prices continue to

advance in response to increased live costs.

Estimated slaughter for Friday and Saturday, 988,000 head, compared to 1.7 million head last weekend.

In the 24 hours preceding market close on Friday, prices paid at farms for broilers and fryers ranged 18.5-20.7 cents per lb. and reported purchases totaled 897,000 head.

● Lancaster

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Load Choice 550 lbs. \$28.00, Good and Choice 525-675 lbs. \$25.45-26.00, Two loads Choice with End Good 750 lbs. \$25.50, Load Standard 735 lbs. \$20.50.

CALVES 675 — Vealers \$1.00-3.00 Higher. Choice \$39.00-44.50, Individual Prime \$48.00, Good 36.50-39.50, Standard 32.50-37.00, Utility 27.00-32.00, Cull 95-115 lbs. \$23.50-27.00, 70-90 lbs. \$21.50-25.00.

HOGS 775 — Barrows and gilts steady to 25c lower, with decline mainly on US 1-2 Sows steady to strong.

BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1-2 200-245 lbs \$30.00-30.50, US 1, 30.50-31.00, Few on Monday \$31.50, 1-3 190-255 lbs 29.50-30.00, 2-3 220-260 lbs. 29.00-29.50, 260-280 lbs. 28.50-29.00, Couple Late Medium 1-2 190-210 lbs 28.50-29.00.

SOWS — US 2-3 400-600 lbs \$22.50-23.50.

SHEEP 425 — Slaughter lambs \$1.00 Higher. Ewes scarce.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, January 15, 1966—3

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, January 10th To Friday, January 14th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	40	40	40	40	40½
Fcy. Hywts.	39	39	39	39	39
Fcy. Med.	35-35½	35-35½	35-35½	35-35½	35½
No. 1 Med.	34½	34½	34½	34½	34½
Pullets	32-32½	32½	32½	32½	33
Peewees	28	28	28	28	28
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	39½	39½	39½	40	40½
Fcy. Hywts.	39	39	39	39	39
Fcy. Med.	35-35½	35-35½	35½	35½	35½
Pullets	33	33	33	33	33
Peewees	28	28	28	28	28
MIXED					
Fcy. Hywts.	39	39	39	39	39
Standards	37	37	37	37	37
Checks	33	33	33	33	33

TREND: Market clearing well on large; mediums still generally in ample supply; over-all position full steady.

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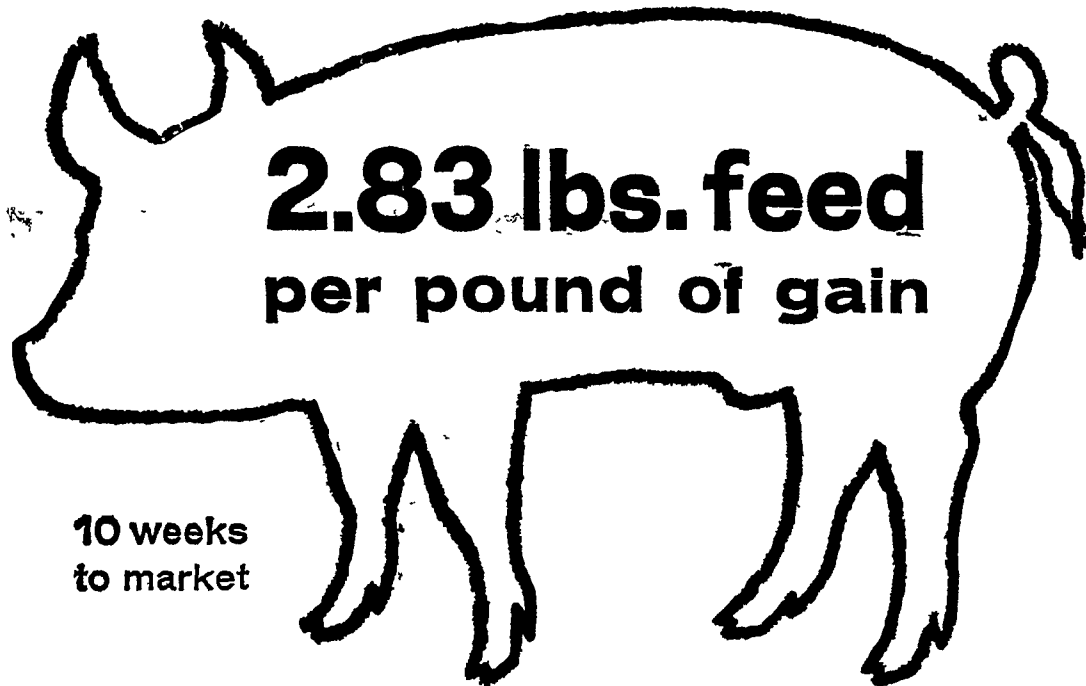
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