

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey WEEKLY SUMMARY

LIVE HENS

Prices for light hens unchanged to 1/4c higher. Few small volume flocks sold at 8-8 1/2c. Demand good. Offerings limited in N.J. but increased slightly & adequate in Pa. section. Inquiry good on heavy hens. Offerings scant with too few sales to report prices. Occasional lot of 7 1/2c cockerels, straight run, negotiated @25c. Prices paid at farms: Light Hens 8 1/2-9 3/4, mostly 9-9 1/2c; Heavy Hens, too few to report.

Fogelsville

February 22, 1966

Hens, Light 8-10, mostly 8-9; Hens, Heavy 12-22, mostly 18-21; Pullets 17-37 1/2, mostly 32-37; Roasters 33-37 1/2; Ducks 25-30; Drakes

23-48, mostly 36-38; Geese 30-36 1/2; Turkeys, Toms 30-34; Turkeys, Hens 34-39; Rabbits 40-52, mostly 47-52; Guineas 32-44, mostly 35-40; Pigeons (per pair) 85-160, mostly 85-90; Jumbo Squabs 85.

Total coops sold: 593.

Eastern Shore Exchange WEEKLY SUMMARY

Broiler and fryer live prices on the Eastern Shore Exchange averaged 18.98 cents per lb. this week, a gain of 2 1/4-cents over last week's average.

The market hit a high of 20.2 cents on Tuesday and again on Thursday. The low point in the price range was 17.2 cents, and that occurred on Monday.

Sales for the week again totaled over the million-head mark at 1,075,900, down about 200,000 head from the preceding week.

Delmarva

No Report Available On Friday's Market

New Holland

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25.75-27.25. Standard and Good 450-700 lbs. \$21.25-25.00.

CALVES 325 — Vealers strong to \$2.00 Higher, with least advance on Choice. Choice vealers \$38.50-40.00, few to \$42.00, Good 34.50-38.00, Standard 32.50-34.50, Utility 28.00-33.50, Cull 26.50-28.50, 70-90 lbs. 22.50-26.50.

COWS

February 23, 1966

The sale was steady with 74 cows, 3 bulls, and 6 heifers sold. Fresh Holsteins, 275-420; Guernseys, 150-185; other breeds, 150-225. Bulls, 140-215; heifers, 120-185.

HORSES

February 21, 1966

A slow to steady trend prevailed as 298 head sold. Riding horses, 110-440; driving horses, 110-285; killers, 6-6 1/4 cents per lb. Mules in pairs, 250-550; singly, 130-210. Pony mares, 20-70; geldings, 15-70.

HOGS

February 21, 1966

Hogs averaged about 75 cents lower with 694 head offered. Retail, 29-25-30-50, wholesale (U.S. 1-3), 28-50-29-25, heavyweights, 27-50-28-50; sows, 23-25-50. The 15 shoats offered brought 16-50-24 each.

CALVES

February 21, 1966

One-hundred head sold steady; although none rated prime, Choice brought 35-39; Good and Low Choice, 30-35; Standard, 28-30; Common, 18-27.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, February 26, 1966—3

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, February 21st to Friday, February 25th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	43		43	43	45
Fcy. Hywts.	41		41	41	43
Fcy. Med.	40 1/2		40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
No. 1 Med.	39 1/2		39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Pullets	36		36	36	36
Peewees	28		28	28	28
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	43		43	43	44
Fcy. Hywts.	41		41	41	43
Fcy. Med.	40 1/2		39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Pullets	36		36	36	36
Peewees	28		28	28	28
MIXED					
Fcy. Hywts.	40-41		41	41	43
Standards	40		40	40	36
Checks	33		34	34	41

TREND: Market firmer on large under lighter offerings of midwesterns; mediums are freely available, but rated steady.

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steady to 50 higher.

SLAUGHTER STEERS — Loadlots Prime 1150-1400 lbs 30 00-31 50, late 31 00-31 50 with 11 loads at 31 50 on Wednesday and load Prime 1190 lbs 31 75, highest since December 1962, High Choice and Prime 1100-1400 lbs 29 00-31 00, late 30 00-31 00, Choice 900-1400 lbs. 28 00-30 00, Bulk 28 50-29 50, several loads Choice 1400-1475 lbs. 28 50-29 50, Mixed Good and Choice 900-1300 lbs 27 00-28 50, 25 00-27 25, Standard and Low Good 23 00-25 50.

HESS SALE REPORTED

Diller and Kreider, Auctioneers, reported the following prices at the Chester B. Hess Sale held Wednesday, February 23. Corn \$39 75 a ton, hay \$43 50 a ton, International generator, \$655; IH forage harvester, \$1080; ensilage wagon, \$1225, NH 68 baler, \$1200, IH bale elevator, \$535, hay crimper, \$570, heavy wheel disc, \$505; manure spreader, \$470 IH 340 tractor \$1870; loader, \$405, Farmall 400 tractor \$2300, Farmall 706 tractor, \$4870, 4 bottom IH plow, \$570 An antique copper kettle brought \$26; dinner bells, \$32 and \$39; sleigh \$80

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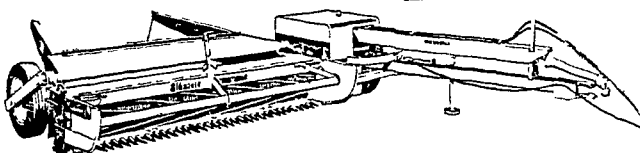
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