

# Weekly Poultry Report

## Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey WEEKLY SUMMARY

### LIVE HENS

Prices generally unchanged on light hens. Demand very good. Offerings light & substantially short of full requirements. Demand fair on heavy hens. Offerings adequate. Prices paid at farms for light hens: 10-11½c, mostly 10½-11½c. Heavy hens: 19½-21, mostly 19½-20c

### Fogelsville

April 26, 1966

Hens, Light 10-11; Hens, Heavy 12-23, mostly 17-23; Pullets 27½-42, mostly 32-36; Roasters 22-39½, mostly 28-33; Ducks 29-32; Turkeys, Hens 28-34½, mostly 31-34½; Rabbits 16-56, mostly 48-54; Gunneas 72½-82½, mostly 80-82½; Pigeons (per pair) 30-95, mostly 80; Jumbo Squabs 65-87½, mostly 87½.

Total Coops Sold: 511.

## Eastern Shore Exchange WEEKLY SUMMARY

Broiler and fryer live prices on the Eastern Shore Exchange this week averaged 15.94 cents per lb. practically unchanged from last week's average.

Prices paid ranged from a low of 15.0 cents on Monday to a high of 16.8 cents per lb on Wednesday.

Sales continued at a high level as totals reached 1,667,800 head for the week.

### Delmarva

April 29, 1966

Delmarva broiler and fryer live lot average prices declined approximately .1-cent. Demand good for moderate auction offerings. Live supplies adequate for needs.

Ready-to-cook demand very good with several plants operating Saturday Processors continued to cope with labor shortages. Prior commitments light for next week, with

many processors taking "wait and see" attitude.

Delivered prices slightly stronger and competitive.

Estimated slaughter for today and Saturday, 1,016,000 head, compared to 865,000 head last weekend.

In the 24 hours preceding market close on Friday, prices reported paid at farms ranged 15.5 to 16.6 cents per lb on sales totaling 995,400 head.

### ● New Holland

(Continued from Page 2)

lb.; draft horses 140-300. Mules, pairs, 230-450, singly, 125-160. Pony mares, 20-80; geldings, 20-90.

### HOGS

April 25, 1966

The 822 head sold averaged 25 cents lower. Retail, 24-25 25; wholesale (U S 1-3), 23 75-24-25. heavyweights, 22 50-23 75. sows, 18-19 No shoats were offered.

### CALVES

April 25, 1966

Prices on 83 head averaged lower in the absence of Prime animals Choice, 38-40; Good and Low Choice, 32-37 50; Standard, 29-31; Common, 22-28

### ● Lancaster Auction

(Continued from Page 2)

245 lbs 23 00-23 25, 245-275 lbs 21 75-22 50

SHEEP 33—Wooled lambs fully steady

WOOLED LAMBS — Good and Choice 83-97 lbs 27 50-29 00, One Lot 60 lbs \$32.

### SOIL SAMPLES ANALYZED

Each sample sent to the testing laboratory at Penn State University is carefully analyzed for pH and lime requirements, for phosphorus, potassium and organic matter content Upon special request some are analyzed for calcium and magnesium content After being tested, results are studied, and lime and fertilizer recommendations are mailed to Pennsylvania residents

This prompt and accurate soil testing program is available to all Pennsylvanians A small fee is charged for the service Contact your county agent to obtain a soil test kit

# Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, April 25th to Friday, April 29th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Ex Fcy. Hywts.	41	38½	38½	37	37
Fcy. Hywts.	40	37½	37½	36	36
Fcy. Med.	38	36½	36½	35	34
No. 1 Med.	37½	36	34½-35½	34½	34
Pullets	31	31	31	31	31
Peeweets	24	24	23	23	23
<b>BROWN</b>					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts	40	38½	38½	37	37
Fcy. Hywts.	40	37½	37½	36	36
Fcy. Med.	37½	36½	36½	35	34
Pullets	31	31	31	31	31
Peeweets	24	24	23	23	23
<b>MIXED</b>					
Fcy. Hywts.	40	37½	37½	36	36
Standards	38-39	36	36	35	35
Checks	32½-33	32	32	32	32

TREND Buyers extremely cautious, and overall position still unsettled.

Copyright 1966 by Urner Barry Publications

### ● Vintage

(Continued from Page 2)

SHEEP 76—Spring Lambs and Slaughter Ewes fully steady Choice and Prime 30-65 lb Spring Lambs \$33 00-39 00. Utility and Good Slaughter Ewes \$8 00-13 00

### HOGS

April 23, 1966

Prices averaged lower as 171 head were sold, 180-200 lbs, 20 35-23 50, 200-220 lbs, 23 10-24 50, 220-240 lbs, 22 75-24 25, 240 lbs and up, 19 00-22 36. Sows, 17 75-19 00

### ● Chicago

(Continued from Page 2)

50, on Monday four loads reached 30 00, High Choice and Prime 1050-1400 lbs 27-00-29 50, late 27 00-28 50, Choice 900-1375 lbs 25 25-28-00, late 25 25-27 25, Good and Choice 24 75-26 50, late 24 75-25 75 Good 23 75-25 50, late 23-75-25 00 and Standard and Low Good 22 00-24 50, late 22 00-24-00.

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — High Choice and Prime 925-1075 lbs 25 75-27 00, late 25 75-26 75 and Choice 800-1050 lbs. 24 25-26 50, late 24 25-26 00. Good and Choice 23 50-25 25, late 23 50-24 50 with Good 22-00-24 00 and Standard and Good 20 00-23 00, late 20 00-22-25

COWS — Utility and Commercial 18 50-20 50, Canner and Cutter 17 50-20 50

BULLS — Utility and Commercial 20 50-24 00, late 20 00-23 00

Now Is The Time To Order



Ivan M. Martin, Inc.  
Blue Bell, Pa.

New Holland 354-2112  
Terre Hill 445-3455  
Gap 442-4148

Corn Growers . . .

GET HIGHER YIELDS

with



20-10-10 CORN PLOW DOWN FERTILIZER

(Contains DuPont "NuGreen" Urea Fertilizer)

PLOWING DOWN ADDITIONAL NITROGEN

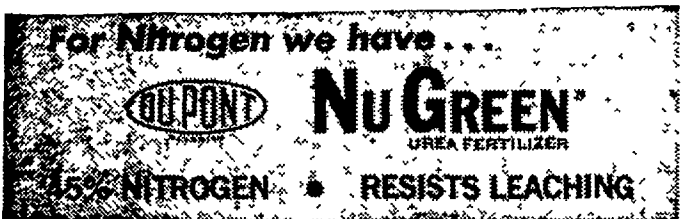
- Aids in decomposition of previous crop
- Allows for increased plant population
- Increases yield

Bags or Bulk Pickup — Bulk Spreading Service

See Us Today

Miller Chemical and Fertilizer Corp.

Steinmetz Rd., Ephrata, Pa. Ph. 733-6525



More Farmers Plant DeKalb than any Other Brand.



- 1 PLANT EARLY AND THICK.
- 2 APPLY MORE FERTILIZER.
- 3 CONTROL WEEDS.
- 4 CONTROL INSECTS.
- 5 PLANT ALL DEKALB!

"DEKALB" is a Registered Brand Name

P. L. ROHRER & BRO., INC.

Smoketown, Pa.

Ph. 397-3539



for the best in seed and friendly service

SEE

Your Hoffman Seed Man

or Call

A. H. HOFFMAN SEEDS, INC.

898-2261

Landisville, Pa.

