

# Weekly Poultry Report

## Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey WEEKLY SUMMARY

### LIVE HENS

Prices unchanged on light hens. Demand good. Offerings barely adequate but supplies increased slightly in Pa. N.J. & adjoining areas due to a sharp decline in shell egg markets. Offerings of heavy type hens barely adequate for a fair to good demand. Prices paid at farms for light hens 10-11½c, mostly 10½-11½c; heavy hens 20-21c.

### Fogelsville

May 3, 1966

Hens, light 9½-12, mostly 10-11; Hens, heavy 14-29, mostly 20-25; Pullets 34-41; Roasters 25-40½, mostly 30-38; Turkey, hens 33-37; Rabbits 40-60, mostly 50-54; Guineas 80-90; Pigeons (per pair) 75-1.60, mostly 90; Jumbo Squabs 45-87½, mostly 87½.

Total Coops Sold: 452.

## Eastern Shore Exchange WEEKLY SUMMARY

Broiler and fryer live prices on the Eastern Shore Exchange this week jumped 1¾ cents per lb. over last week to average 17.73 cents.

Prices paid ranged from a low of 16.5 cents on Monday to a high of 19.2 cents on Thursday.

Sales for the week fell off approximately ¼-million head, but remained high at 1.4 million.

### Delmarva

May 6, 1966

Delmarva broiler and fryer live, lot average prices increased more than ½ cent. Supplies adequate for needs with sizes and qualities generally in desired range.

Estimated slaughter for today and Saturday, 962,500 head, compared to 1 million head last weekend.

In the 24 hours preceding market close on Friday, prices paid at farms ranged 17.0-19.2 cents per lb. on re-

ported purchases of 1,112,400 head.

### Lancaster

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1100 lbs. \$27.50, Choice 630-775 lbs. 28.50-30.75, Mixed Good and Choice 900-1100 lbs. 26.25-27.50, Good 600-800 lbs. 25.00-26.00, Mixed Standard and Good 500-800 lbs. 24.00-25.00.

CALVES 550 — Vealers 1.00-2.00 Higher. Choice 42-00-44.00, Few Individual \$44.50-45.50, Good 39.00-41.50, Standard 36.00-39.00, Utility 31.00-36.00, Cull mainly 25.00-30.00.

HOGS 1150—Barrows and gilts 75-1.00 Higher. US 1-2 200-225 lbs. closed the week at 25.00-25.10, US 1-3 190-240 lbs. 24.00-24.75, US 2-3 230-255 lbs. 23.50-23.85.

SHEEP 300 — Spring Lambs \$1.00-2.00 Lower, Other Slaughter classes mostly steady.

SPRING LAMBS — One lot Mixed Choice and Prime 70 lbs. \$35.00, Choice 60-75 lbs. \$33.00, Choice 80-90 lbs. \$30.00-31.00.

SHORN LAMBS — Choice 70-95 lbs. with No. 2 pelts \$26.00-28.00.

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, May 7, 1966—3

## Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, May 2nd to Friday, May 6th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts. 35	34	34	34	34	34
Fcy. Hywts. 34	32½-33	33	33	33	33
Fcy. Med. 30	28-28½	28½	28	28	28
No. 1 Med. 30	28-28½	28½	28	28	28
Pullets 28	27	26-27	26	25-26	25-26
Peeweese 21	21	20	19	19	19
<b>BROWN</b>					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts. 36	36	36	36	36	36
Fcy. Hywts. 35	35	35	35	35	35
Fcy. Med. 32	30	30	30	30	30
Pullets 28	27	25-26	25½	25½	25½
Peeweese 21	20	20	19	19	19
<b>MIXED</b>					
Fcy. Hywts. 34	32½-33	33	33	33	33
Standards 33	32	32	32	32	32
Checks 30½-31½	31	31	27½-28	26-27	26-27

TREND. Supplies of all grades still ample but large are rated generally steady; extra large and jumbos clearing well.

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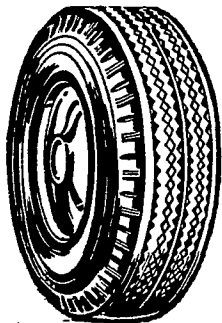
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