

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey WEEKLY SUMMARY

LIVE HENS

Prices were unchanged to 1/2c higher on light hens. Demand ranged fair to good for the barely adequate to sufficient supplies. Offerings of heavy hens irregular but adequate in most instances. Trading spotty, slow in instances, fair & improved in others. Prices paid at farm: Light hens 8 1/2-10 1/2, mostly 9-9 1/2; Heavy hens, 14 1/2-15c.

Fogelsville

August 23, 1966

Hens, Light 9-11 1/2, mostly 9-10; Hens, Heavy 9-15 1/2, mostly 12-14; Pullets 16-34, mostly 25-30; Roasters 9-30, mostly 16-22; Rabbits 22-35, mostly 30-33; Guineas 55-62 1/2, mostly 55-60; Pigeons (per pair) 55-110, mostly 55-62 1/2; Jumbo Squabs 75, mostly 75.

Total Coops Sold: 826.

If you want it to be a short summer, just sign a 90-day note.

Eastern Shore Exchange

WEEKLY SUMMARY

Lot-average broiler and fryer prices gained more than 1/2-cent this week to average 17.40 cents per lb.

Prices paid during the week ranged from a low of 16.1 to 18.5 cents per lb.

Sales for the week totaled 1.6 million head, down about 100,000 head from last year.

Delmarva

August 26, 1966

Lot-average broiler prices declined 3/4-cent to a level of 17.00 cents. Demand fair for heavy auction offerings. Live supply adequate for needs though sizes running lighter than desired.

Ready-to-cook demand slow for current business, but active for next week. Delivered prices averaging about steady.

Estimated slaughter for Friday and Saturday, 1,042,700 head, compared to 908,000 head last weekend.

In the 24-hours preceding market close on Friday, broiler and fryer at farm prices

ranged 16.1-17.8, on reported sales totaling 1.2 million head.

● New Holland

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360. No bulls listed.

HORSES

August 22, 1966

Receipts totaling 288 head sold steady. Riding horses, 90-400; driving horses, 125-290; killers, 6 1/2-7 cents per lb. Pony mares, 30-65; geldings, 25-55. Mules, 100-220.

HOGS

August 22, 1966

Hogs averaged 25-50 cents higher as 639 head sold Retail, 27.75-28.50; wholesale (U. S. 1-3), 27.50-27.75; heavy-weights, 27-27.50. The 15 shoats offered ranged \$13-\$20 each.

CALVES

August 22, 1966

Receipts, 129 head, sold steady. Choice and Prime, 35-39.50; Good and Low Choice, 32-34.50; Standard, 30-31.50; Common, 26-29.50.

● Vintage

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SPRING LAMBS — Choice 70-105 lbs. 25.00-27.00 Good 22.00-25.00. Utility 18.00-22.00.

HOGS

August 20, 1966

Lancaster Farming, Saturday, August 27, 1966—3

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, August 22nd to Friday, August 26th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	44	44	44	44	45
Fcy. Hywts.	42	42	42	42	43
Fcy. Med.	39	39	38	36	36
No. 1 Med.	38	38	37	35	35
Pullets	26-26 1/2	26 1/2	26	26	26
Peewees	20	20	20	20	20
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Hywts.	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Fcy. Hywts.	44	44	44	44	44
Fcy. Med.	39	39	38	36	36
Pullets	26-26 1/2	26 1/2	26	26	26
Peewees	20	20	20	20	20
MIXED					
Fcy. Hywts.	42	42	42	42	43
Standards	40	40	40	40	40
Checks	32	32	32	32	32

TREND: Large eggs cleared very well after fairly active buying; smaller sizes in good balance.

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Except for heavyweights, lbs 26.75-27.60; 200-220 lbs., 245 head sold about steady 27.60-28.35; 220-240 lbs., 26.60-28.35; 240 lbs and up, 20-24.60; Lightweights, 24-26 25, 180-200 sows, 18.75-19.85

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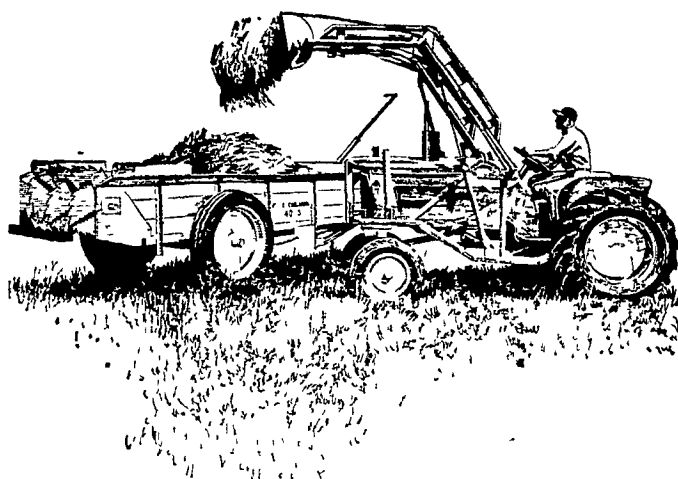
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