

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey WEEKLY SUMMARY

LIVE HENS

Prices were generally unchanged on light hens. Demand fair. Offerings less freely available and no more than adequate. Area movement lighter, but some increased supplemental shipments from Southeastern U.S. points noted. Trading activity on heavy hens was too limited to report prices. Buying interest light for limited offerings. Some supplemental supplies being shipped in from outside areas. Prices paid at farm: Hens, Light 5-6¼, mostly 5-6¼; Heavy, too few sales to report.

Fogelsville

April 25, 1967

(Prices paid dock weights, cents per pound, except where noted.)

Hens, Light 6-10, mostly 6-6½; Hens, Heavy 11-22, mostly 15-17; Pullets 19½-36, mostly 28-32; Roasters 16½-33, mostly 30-33; Rabbits 30-65, mostly 52-57; Guineas 77½-37½, mostly 82½-87½; Pigeons (per pair) 95-160, mostly 55-100, Jumbo Squab 90

Total coops sold. 591.

Eastern Shore Exchange

WEEKLY SUMMARY

Lot-average broiler and fryer live prices continued to decline, dropping more than ½-cent to an average of 14.72 cents per lb

Prices paid during the week ranged from a high of 15.5 cents per lb on Tuesday to a low of 13.8 cents on Wednesday. Sales for the week totaled slightly over one million head, an increase of ¼-million head over last week's totals

● Lancaster Auction

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BULLS — Good and Choice 23-24.85. Utility and Commercial 22-24.50.

CALVES 121—Vealers mostly steady

VEALERS — Choice 40-42.50; Good 37-40. Standard 34-38; Utility 32-36; Cull 24-30.

HOGS 170 — Barrows and gilts steady to weak.

BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1-2 200-250 lbs. 19-19.75; few US 1, \$20-20.25; US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 18.50-19; 2-3 240-265 lbs. 18-18.50

● Lancaster

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Good 60-90 lbs 30-32. Choice 25-45 lbs sold to Greek Easter trade \$40-50. few 40 60 lbs 36-39.50

SLAUGHTER EWES — Utility and Good \$4.8

Degrees Conferred At Fulton Grange Meeting

Fulton Grange #66 held its regular meeting April 24 and conferred First and Second Degrees upon twenty-six people. The membership contest, having ended in a tie, was extended until June 26

The Grange went on record opposing House Bill 333 in the State Legislature which would permit Sunday sales to anyone

observing the Sabbath on any other day. This bill has passed the House but has not been acted upon by the Senate

Everyone was also urged to vote against the revision of the State Constitution on the grounds that it represents a loss of local control of government

Degree rehearsal was set for May 2, at 8 p.m. Third and Fourth Degrees will be conferred at the next meeting, May 8, and a scrap drive will be conducted for the benefit of Boy Scout Troop 330

NFU Blasts "Instant Credit"

"Deceptive consumer credit practices have contributed to the high interest rates" said Ed Smith, chairman of the board of National Farmers Union, before a Senate Banking and Currency Subcommittee today. Smith called upon Senator Proxmire and the committee to report out the Truth in Lending Bill quickly as a part of the effort to reduce interest rates. Smith, who has headed the farmers Stop Buying Campaign, said that part of the \$25 billion of interest paid by farmers last year was due to this "deceptive usury" under the label of installment buying, revolving credit cards, car and farm implement loans and other forms of "instant credit"

"Farmers can't get farm loans at 6 or 7% if the banks can lend that money at higher interest rates to finance companies, car and implement dealers, department stores, or other consumer loan sources who lend it out for 18 or 24% or more", said Smith. "Each year an additional \$7

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, April 24th To Friday, April 28th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
EX. Fcy Hywts	28½	28½	28½	28½	29
Fcy Hywts	27½	27½	27½	27½	28
Fcy Med	22	22	21½	21½-22	21¾
No 1 Med	22	22	21½	21½	21½
Pullets	17½	16½	17½	17½	17½
Peewees	14	14	14	14	14
BROWN					
EX. Fcy Hywts	29	29	29	29	29
Fcy Hywts	28	28	28	28	28
Fcy Med	23	23	22	22	22
Pullets	19	19	17½	17½	17½
Peewees	14	14	14	14	14
MIXED					
Standards	27	27	27	26½-27	26½-27
Checks	21-22	22	22	22	21

TREND — Market showing a little better movement of large white, other grades irregular and mediums locally in ample supply

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billion is diverted from conventional lending institutions into the higher priced consumer loans. This tends to increase the interest on school bonds and government bonds, too," he said. "Smith, who is also the President of the North Dakota Farmers Union, told the committee that "unless something is done to improve farm income and cut interest rates and farm costs, there will continue to be rebellion in the countryside"



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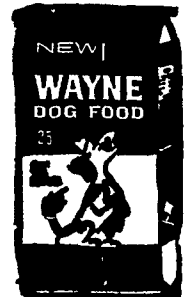
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