

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey

LIVE HENS

Prices of light hens unchanged to 1/2c higher in instances. Offerings of light hens light and generally short of needs with processors working short schedules or closed entirely for the week. Heavy hens short of a fair demand with too few sales to quote prices. Prices paid at farm: Hens—Light 4-6, mostly 5-5 1/2c.

TURKEYS

Open market trading very limited as most volume processors well supplied with contractual offerings. Limited trading noted on young hens at 22 1/2c. Trade advices indicate growth rates will above normal, due in part to cool weather during spring growing season, thus increasing total weight of crop processed to date.

Fogelsville

July 25, 1967

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

Hens, Light 4 1/2-10 1/2, mostly 5-5 1/2; Hens, Heavy 9-21, mostly 11-14; Pullets 14-35 1/2, mostly 27-35; Roasters 9 1/2-30, mostly 26-29; Turkeys—Hens 27-29 1/2; Rabbits 15-50, mostly 25-33; Guineas 1.00-1.05; Pigeons (per pair) 40-1.90; Jumbo Squab 85-87 1/2.

Total Coops Sold: 391.

Eastern Shore Exchange

WEEKLY SUMMARY

Lot-average broiler and fryer live prices averaged 1/4-cent lower this week at 14.47 cents per lb.

Prices paid during the week trended downward slightly from a high of 15.1 cents per lb. on Monday to a low of 13.8 cents on Thursday.

Sales for the week were steady at 1.2 million head.

• Vintage

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BULLS — Choice 24.75-26.10; Good 24-25. Utility 24-25.85, few Cutter 22.50-24.

CALVES 531—Vealers mostly steady.

VEALERS — Choice 37.50-40.50; few 41; Good 35-38. Standard 32-36. Utility 30-34. Cull 27-31, some 70-90 lbs. 23-27.

HOGS 162 — Barrows and gilts \$1.25-\$1.75 lower. Barrows and gilts US 1-2 195-230 lbs. 23.25-23.75; 182-190 lbs. 22.50-22.85; US 1-3 190-237 lbs. 22.50-23.25; US 2-3 230-240 lbs. 21.85-22.50.

SOWS — About steady. US 1-3 340-520 lbs. 14.35-16.85.

SHEEP — Spring lambs generally steady. Few Choice 65-105 lbs. 25-28. Utility and Good 55-105 lbs. 19-24.

• Lancaster Auction

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Canner 15.50-17.75, few Shelly Canner 13-15.50.

BULLS — Few Choice 25-25.50, Good 24-25, Utility and Commercial 23.75-25; Cutter and Low Utility 21.50-23.75.

• FFA Hog Show

(Continued from Page 1) members tally the most points. In the contest's first three years, Cloister retained possession of that honor, but Fisher's performance last year won the plaque for Grasslands. The award is sponsored by three Elizabethtown meat firms: Baum's Bologna; Hershey's Quality Meats; and Groff's Meat Market.

SALE

At 2 p.m., all animals will be sold at auction by the Lancaster Livestock Exchange.

At last year's sale, the average price brought by the 197 head was \$28.24, with weights averaging 213 pounds. The champion brought 71 cents a pound, and the reserve champion 41 cents.

• Lancaster

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HOGS 1114 — Barrows and gilts 50 lower. US 1-2 195-230 lbs. 24-24.50; Few lots 182-190 lbs. 22-23; US 1-3 195-240 lbs. 23-24; US 2-3 210-245 lbs. 22-23. Sows too few for price comparison.

Tomorrow will indeed be a better day—if you begin this morning to improve it.

CALVES — 139 head. Vealers generally steady.

VEALERS — Choice 39-41. Good 36.50-40. Standard 34-37.50. Utility 32-35. Cull 29-32. Some 70-90 lbs. 25-29.

HOGS 232 — Barrows and gilts mostly 50 lower. US 1-2 195-230 lbs. 24-24.50; few lots 182-190 lbs. 22-23; US 1-3 195-240 lbs. 23-24; US 2-3 210-245 lbs. 22-23.

SHEEP 82 — Spring slaughter Lambs about steady; few lots 70-87 lbs. 22-24.25.

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday, July 24th to Friday, July 28th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy. Lg.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35-35 1/2
Fcy. Lg.	35	35	35	35	34 1/2-35
Fcy. Med.	26 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2-26 3/4	26-26 1/2
No. 1 Med.	26	26	27	26 1/2	26
Pullets	15 1/2	15-15 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Peewees	11	11	10	10	10
Ex. Lg.	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2-39	38 1/2-39 1/2
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Lg.	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Fcy. Lg.	35	35	35	35	35
Fcy. Med.	24	24	24	24	24
Pullets	15 1/2	15 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Peewees	11	11	10	10	10
MIXED					
Standards	30	30	30	30	29-30
Checks	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2

Trend: Very irregular with further selling pressure in some quarters on large and medium despite increase in government paying price for school lunch dried eggs.

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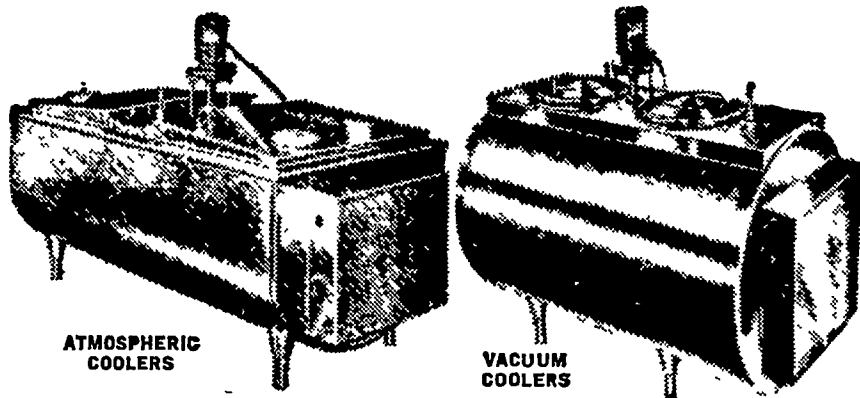
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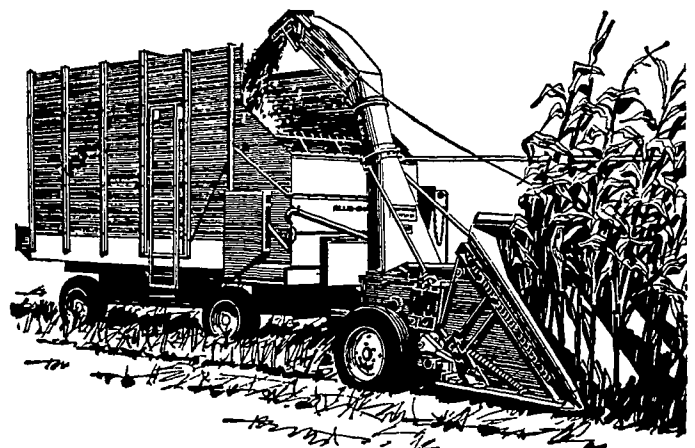


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