

Weekly Poultry Report

**Eastern Pennsylvania
And New Jersey**

LIVE HENS

Prices on light type hens unchanged but trending slightly lower within the range. Demand for light type slow. Offerings fully adequate for current needs. Ample offerings for after Easter in instances reported as being withdrawn as producers evaluate further developments in the market. Demand for heavy type hens light with movement generally prior commitments. Offerings fully adequate. Roasters, capons and other Holiday items generally short of full call Sales: TFEWR. Prices paid at Farms: Light type hens 4-6, mostly 5-5½ Heavy type hens. TFEWR.

TURKEYS

Trading activity generally light as local offerings limited Receipts from outside area adequate for a fair demand.

Fogelsville

April 9, 1968

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

Light Hens 4-9, mostly 4½-5; Heavy Hens 7½-15, mostly 10-14; Pullets 24-37, mostly 32-35; Roasters 21-41, mostly 33-35; Capons 53-56½; Ducks 26½-46, mostly 28-35; Drakes 25-41, mostly 36-40; Tom Turkeys 19-21; Hen Turkeys 29½-35; Rabbits 29-59½, mostly 52-59; Gunneas 1.07-1.12, Pigeons (per pair) 80-2.50, mostly 1.00-1.25.

Total coops sold: 608.

Many people, when they give an inch, begin to think they are rulers

**Eastern Shore
Exchange**

Broiler and fryer live prices averaged 1507 cents a pound this week. Prices paid ranged from a high of 15.6 cents a pound on Thursday to a low of 14.5 cents a pound on Monday. Sales for the week totaled 1,094,600 head, up 113,800 from last week.

● Lancaster

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COWS—Utility and high-dressing Cutter 19 25-21.10, few to \$21.60; Cutter 17.50-19.50; low-Cutter 16-17.50.

BULLS — Choice 24 50-25.25; Good 22 50-24.75; Utility and Commercial 22-24.50, couple head on Monday 25.50.

FEEDER STEERS — Load Choice 1125 lbs in Good slaughter flesh 27.25; load Choice 525 lbs \$30; load mixed Good and Choice 700 lbs. 27.50.

CALVES 425 — Vealers strong to \$1 higher

VEALERS — Choice 43-46, few 47-47.50; Good 39-44; Standard 37-40.50, Utility 32.50-37.50, Cull 90-115 lbs 28-33.50, 70-90 lbs 22-26

HOGS 1200 — Barrows & gilts 50c lower. Closing sales Barrows and gilts US 1-2 190-225 lbs 20.10-20.50; US 1, 195-225 lbs 21-21.25; US 1-3 200-250 lbs 19.60-19.85

SHEEP 1000 — Supply mainly 20-50 lb spring slaughter lambs sold to the Easter trade

WOOLED LAMBS—Choice 20-35 lbs 45-60, few head on Monday \$65, Choice 35-50 lbs 30-45; Good and Choice 50-80 lbs 25-33.

SLAUGHTER EWES—Utility and Good 4-8

Benefit Auction Slated For This Saturday.

A benefit auction was the topic of discussion at a recent meeting of the Eastern District Cabinet of Pennsylvania Church of the Brethren Youth Fellowship. The public is invited to attend the auction, which will be held this Saturday (April 13), beginning at 10 a.m. on the grounds of Root's Country Market & Auction, two miles north of East Petersburg off Rt. 72.

Items to be auctioned include farm machinery, used televisions, single and double beds, gas stoves, end tables, space heaters, washing machines, dishes, books, potted plants, a clarinet, a piano, a car, and a truck. Interested persons and business concerns have donated all the articles to be sold To add to the atmosphere of a country auction, chicken corn soup, hot dogs with sauerkraut, barbecue, cold and hot drinks, and ice cream will be sold at the refreshment stand, as well as carry-out baked goods.

The purpose of the sale is to raise money for youth hostels in India. This program provides a home environment and an education for Indian children ranging in age from the primary through high school level.

● Lancaster Auction

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ard 37.50-40.50; Utility 33.50-37.50; Cull 90-115 lbs 29.00-33.50

HOGS 244 — Barrows and gilts steady to 25c lower US 1-2 190-225 lbs 20.10-20.50 US 1 195-225 lbs 21.00-21.25 US 1-3 200-250 lbs 19.60-19.85

SHEEP 65 — Spring lambs steady to weak

SPRING LAMBS — Choice 42-51 lbs 37.50-42.00; Good and Choice 50-80 lbs. 25.00-33.00.

● Chicago

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900-1050 lbs Yield Grade 2 to 4 25.75-26.75, Mixed Good and Choice 25.25-26.00, Good 24.25-25.25, Standard and Low Good 22.00-24.25

COWS — Late Utility and Commercial 19.00-20.25, High Yielding Utility 20.25-20.75, Canner and Cutter 17.00-19.50

BULLS — Utility and Commercial 22.00-24.50, few High Yielding individuals 25.00

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

(From Monday, April 8th to Friday, April 12th)

	Mon.	Tues	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Ex. Fcy. Lg.	35½	35½	35½	35½	
Fcy. Lg.	34½	34½	34½	34½	
Fcy. Med.	28½	28½	28½	27½-28½	
No. 1 Med.	27½	27½	27½	27½	
Pullets	20	20	19	18	
Peeweese	16½	16½	16½	15	
Ex. Large	35-36	35-36	35½-36½	35½-36½	
BROWN					
Ex. Fcy. Lg.	30-30½	30-30½	30-30½	30-30½	
Fcy. Lg.	30	30	30	30	
Fcy. Med.	28	28	28	28	
Pullets	20	20	20	18	
Peeweese	16½	16½	16½	15	
MIXED					
Standards	28-28½	28-28½	28-28½	28½-29	
Checks	20	20	20	20	

TREND — Late movement into retail outlets good. Wholesale markets irregular and nervous.

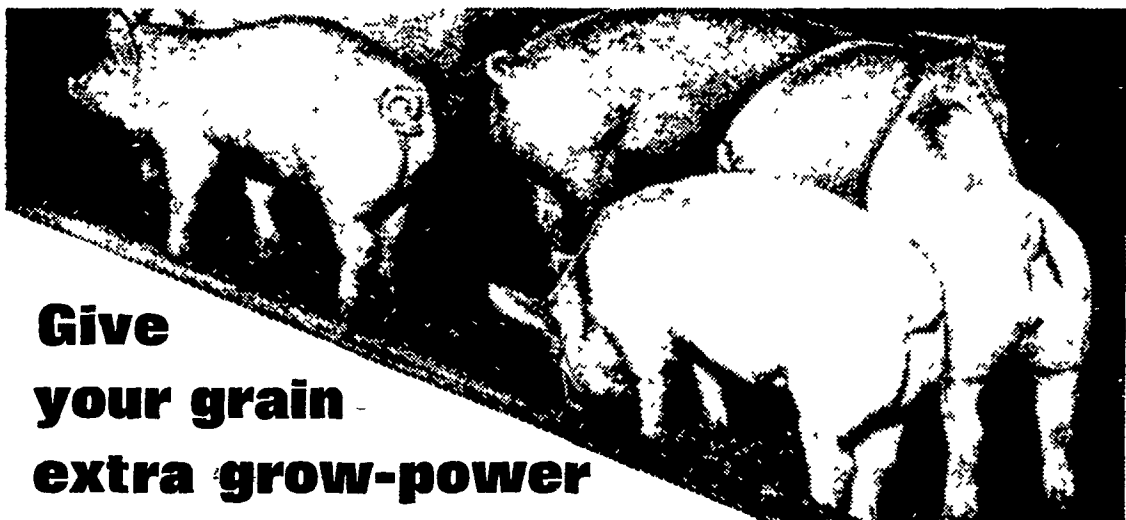
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