

Weekly Poultry Report

Eastern Pennsylvania And New Jersey

Prices of light type hens continues to hold unchanged. Demand generally good in most sections however in instances sales of dressed birds indicate somewhat less aggressive than during past several months. Offerings continue adequate for current call with offerings for pickup just ahead and after Easter generally heavy as producers obtain commitments on pickup dates. Offerings of heavy hens limited for a fair demand. Prices paid Farm Light Type Hens 8-10 1/4, M9 1/2-10c. Heavy Type Hens TFEWR.

HENS, heavy type 10 20, PULLETS 28 37 1/2 mostly 29 32 ROASTERS 14 33 mostly 27 31 DUCKS 30 33 1/2, DRACKES 15 40 mostly 36-40, GELSE 42 RABBITS 34 1/2 51 mostly 43 48 GUINEAS 39 70 mostly 60 70 PIGEONS (per pair) 90 2 10 mostly 90 1 10

TOTAL COOPS SOLD 498

Eastern Shore Exchange

Broiler and live fryer prices averaged 18 97 cents a pound this week. Prices ranged from a high of 20 2 cents a pound on Monday to a low of 16 9 cents a pound on Thursday. Total sales for the week were 308,700, down 64,000 from last week's three day reporting period.

Fogelsville

February 25, 1969

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

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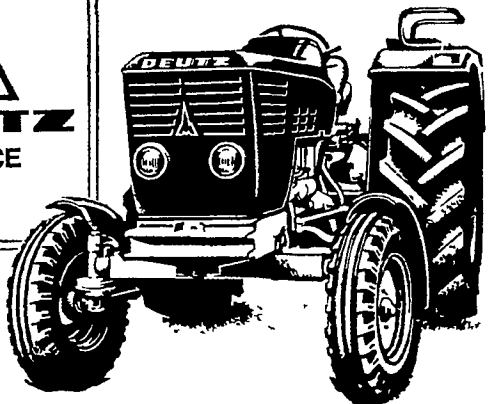


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Lancaster (Continued from Page 2)

Estimated 50 percent slaughter to Steers 20 percent cows and Bulls with the balance mainly Feeder Steers

SLAUGHTER STEERS — High Choice and Prime 1959 1959 lbs 30 22 3/85 Choice 1600 1375 lbs 23 75 30 35 head Good and low Choice 27 85 29 10. Good 25 75 28 25 Standard and low Good 23 85 25 75

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — 750 900 lbs 26 50 27 75, Good 23 75 24 60

COWS — Utility and high dressing Cutter 19 75 21 25, few 21 35 21 85, Cutter 18 50 19 75, Canner and low-Cutter 16 35-18 75

BULLS — Choice 26 00-27 25, few head 27 50 28 00, Good 24 00 26 00, Utility and Commercial 24 00 26 50 few head 26 50-27 35, with a couple 27 50 28 25

FEEDER STEERS — Choice 990 1100 lbs 26 35 28 25

CALVES 400—Vealeis steady to 1 00 higher

VEALERS — Choice 48-52 00, Good 45 00 49 00, Standard 38 00-45 00, Utility 34 00 39 50, Cull 90-120 lbs 28 50 34 50, 70-90 lbs 25 00 29 00

HOGS 1200 — Barrows and Gilts 25-50 lower, Sows scarce

CLOSING SALES, BARROWS AND GILTS — US 1-2 205-215 lbs 22 75, US 2 210-250 lbs 21 50-21 60, US 2-3 200-255 lbs 20 85 21 35

SHEEP 200 — Woolled Lambs steady to 50 lower, Ewes scarce

WOOLED LAMBS — Choice

Weekly New York Egg Mkt.

From Monday February 24th to Friday February 28th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Fev Ex. Lge	42	42 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Fev Large	41	41 11 1/2	41 1/2	42 12 1/2	42 12 1/2
Fev Mediums	39	39 29 1/2	39 29 1/2	39 39 1/2	36 1/2 37 1/2
Fev Pullets	34 1/2 35	34 1/2 35	34 1/2	34	34
Fev Peeweels	29	26	25	25	23 1/2
BROWN					
Fev Large	46	46	46	46	46
Fev Mediums	39	39 39 1/2	39 39 1/2	39 1/2	36 1/2 37 1/2
Fev Pullets	35	35	35	35	35
Fev Peeweels	29	26	25	25	23 1/2
Standards	38 1/2 39	38 1/2-39	39	38 1/2 39	38 1/2-39
Checks	29	29	29	29	-29

Trend Market showing quite irregular trading process Medium in surplus and being discounted Fancy large white in reasonably good demand but mid west has a surplus

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Chicago (Continued from Page 2)

prime and 75 percent choice last week, and 8 percent prime and 74 percent choice a year ago. Average cost and weight of slaughter steers, estimated at 29 25 and 1150 lbs, compared with 29 15 and 1149 lbs last week, and 27 59 and 1157 lbs a year ago. Heifer supply

60-100 lbs 28 00 29 50, few lots 30 00, one lot Choice 115 lbs 28 00, Good 65-100 lbs. 25 00-28 00, Utility 23 00 25 50

SLAUGHTER EWES — One lot Cull and Utility 5 50

largely average good to high choice weighing 825 1025 lbs

SLAUGHTER STEERS — On Wednesday prime 1200-1350 lbs yield grade 3 and 4 31 75-32 50, load 32 75, highest since March 1966. Mixed high choice and prime 1100 1350 lbs 30 25 31 75, choice 950 1325 lbs yield grade 2 to 4 28 50 30 50, mixed good and choice 27 75 28 75

SLAUGHTER HEIFERS — Mixed high choice and prime 925-1050 lbs yield grade 3 and 4 28 75-29 25 choice 825 1025 lbs yield grade 2 to 4 27 50-28 75, mixed good and choice 26 50-27 50.

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