

# Poultry Market Reports

## Delmarva

Wednesday, Oct. 13

Ready-to-cook movement very good with many unfilled orders indicated. Slaughter schedules near capacity at all plants in an effort to fill needs. Live supplies fully adequate though weights continue heavy as a result of ideal growing weather. Advance interest developing at generally 1 cent higher than this week's trucklot levels. Less than trucklot prices continued to range higher within unchanged ranges. Undertone fully steady. Negotiated trucklot prices 2-3 pound ready-to-cook broilers and fryers for delivery next week: U.S. Grade A, Plant Grade 26-26½.

Pool trucklot prices for Thursday arrival in the New York area: U.S. Grade A 27-29 M 27½-28½, Plant Grade 26-27½ M 27.

Special packs including 1¾-2, 3½ pound sizes TFEWR:

## Eastern Pa. and N. J.

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Prices continue to hold steady on light type hens. Demand fair to occasionally good though processors report slower movement of dressed product. Farm offerings spotty though generally adequate overall as processors working near capacity. Offerings of heavy type hens barely adequate to short of full needs with prices often ½ cent higher. Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 4½-7 mostly 6½-7 in Pennsylvania mostly 6 in New Jersey. Heavy type hens 12-13.

## Good Wins at Vintage Show

Daniel K. Good, Columbia RD1, showed all three top pens at the annual Charolais Show and Sale at the Vintage Sales Stables last Friday.

Good and his son, Lester, received \$100 and \$50 U.S. Savings Bonds from John Moore, vice president of the Colonial Charolais Association. Vintage Sales Stables awarded trophies.

Loren Canner, manager, Mal Allen Farms, Rahns, Pa., judge of the 15-pen competition, said

## OMAHA CATTLE

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some 20 lbs. over past five week period.

## Market Steers

Steers — Two loads High Choice and Prime U.S. 3-4, 1228 pounds, 33.50; 2-4 1025-1325, 32-75-33.25; Choice 2-4, 975-1300, 31.50-32.50; Mixed Good and Choice, 950-1250, 28.50-31.00; Good, 28.50-31.00; Holsteins, 2-3, 28.50-29.00; Standard and Good, 27.00-28.50.

Heifers — Four loads High Choice and Prime U.S. 3-4, 982-1082 pounds, 31.85-32.00; 869-1121, 31.60-31.75; 2-4, 825-1025, 30.50-31.50; Choice 2-4, 825-1025, 30.50-31.50; Mixed Good and Choice, 775-975, 29.50-30.50; Good, 26.00-29.25; Standard and Good, 24.50-26.00.

## Feeder Steers

Trading rather slow at weak prices as harvest operations claimed first attention and early week attendance of farmer feeder buyers limited.

Steers — Choice and Prime, 572-770 pounds, 35.00-37.00; Choice, 550-824, 33.50-35.50; Good and Choice, 473-475, 37.00; 905-1074, 30.50-31.50.

Heifers — Two loads Choice and Prime, 591-653 pounds, 34.75; Choice, 435-680, 32.25-34.35.

## Weekly New York Egg Market

From Monday, October 11th to Friday, October 15th

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
<b>WHITE</b>					
Fcy. Ex. Large	HOLIDAY	36	36	36	36
Large	HOLIDAY	32	32	32	33
Mediums	HOLIDAY	28	28	28	29
Pullets	HOLIDAY	19	19	19	19
Peevees	HOLIDAY	13	13	13	13
<b>BROWN</b>					
Fcy. Large	HOLIDAY	37	37	37	37
Mediums	HOLIDAY	Unquoted			
Pullets	HOLIDAY	Unquoted			
Peevees	HOLIDAY	Unquoted			
Standards		28	28	28	28
Checks		17	17	17	17

Long tone — Large Whites held a bit more confidential, but overall supply ample for all needs. Mediums continue well cleared.

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## New York Eggs

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Wholesale prices trended lower, carton prices unchanged. Values are deteriorating on mediums, despite a supply that is not burdensome, due to the close proximity price wise with large. Receipts are light to moderate. Trading stocks of extra large and large are burdensome and freely offered without attracting much interest. Demand for mediums is still fair to good but unaggressive while smalls, inadequate supply, are in highly irregular demand. Carton orders fair to good with occasional feature activity noted as low as 29 cents a dozen on mediums.

## Fogelsville

Tuesday, October 12

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

HENS, heavy type 5-14½, mostly 7-12; PULLETS 10-34, mostly 26-31; ROASTERS 8-35, mostly 25-29; DUCKS 8-35, mostly 30-35; GEESE 29½-40½; RABBITS 5-35, mostly 25-33; GUINEAS 40½-55, mostly 48-55; PIGEONS (per pair) 41-1.69, mostly 50-80.

Total coops sold 709.

## Pomona Grange 71 Will Meet Tonight

Lancaster County Pomona Grange 71 will hold its quarterly meeting at Fulton Grange Hall, Oakryn, at 8 p.m. Saturday, October 16.

Gyles H. Brown, Pomona Master, will conduct the business session when officers will be elected for a two year term.

Loran Brinton, Mrs. Thomas Bradley, Mrs. Thomas Galbreath and Charles McSparran will be in charge of conferring the Fifth Degree upon a class of candidates.

## Foundation Will Meet

The Farm and Home Foundation board of directors will hold its regular monthly meeting at the Farm and Home Center at 8 p.m. Tuesday, October 19.

The meeting will include discussion of the Foundation's tax exempt status, fund raising events, educational activities and fall and winter activities at the center.

## Poultry Assn. Holds

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Tangier Island; conducted a county queen contest culminating in the selection of Miss Linda Kaye Hess, who was present at the banquet; distributed 111,000 place mats promoting eggs to restaurants throughout Lancaster County, and increased membership by 60 members.

Homer Bicksler, executive director of the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation, spoke briefly, praising the work of the Lancaster Association as by far the best of any poultry association in the state; he added that good work is expected, however, since the county group represents 20 per cent of poultry production in the state.

Bicksler also noted that bills are being considered both in Washington and Harrisburg to develop some type of farm bargaining system. While the present indication is that neither of the present will be adopted in their present form, some type of bargaining legislation is expected "sooner or later."

On the cholesterol issue, Bicksler said representatives of some of the leading egg sales firms informed him that sales have dropped 10 per cent following adverse publicity on cholesterol. He reported that the PENB is conducting a fund raising drive to counteract the adverse publicity; the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation contributed \$1,500 and the

Pennsylvania Egg Marketing Association \$1,000 to help the PENB.

Enos Heisey of Agway, Inc., presented a color slide review of his "People to People" goodwill tour. He emphasized "Agriculture in Africa."

Heisey also warned farmers of a pesticide bill being considered in Harrisburg which he said "could put you out business."

Stanley Musselman of National Central Bank was master of ceremonies. Vernon Leininger, president of the Lancaster County Poultry Association, conducted the organization's business meeting.

His wife, Mrs. Allegra Leininger, led some group singing, assisted at the piano by Miss Irene Fashnacht.

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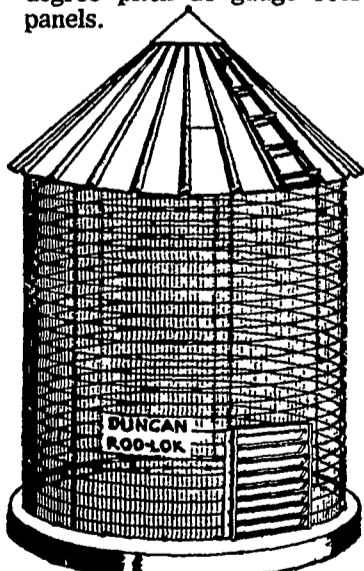
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