Poultry Market Reports

Folgelsville

Auction Report
Sale of Tuesday, March 14
(Prices paid dock weights, cents

per pound, except where noted).
Hens, heavy type 10-20, mostly
12-17; Pullets 27-31; Roasters
20½-29, mostly 26-29; Ducks 2537; Drakes 35½-47, mostly 38-40;
Turkeys, Toms 4-17½; Turkeys,
Hens 29-30; Rabbits 55-66, mostly
62-66; Guineas 52-65, mostly 5565; Pigeons (per pr.) 50-4.66,

mostly 1.00-1.10. Total coops sold 402.

Auction every Tuesday. Poultry received Monday 7 P.M. to 10:30 P.M., Tuesday 7 A.M. to 12 Noon. Sale at 11:30 A.M.

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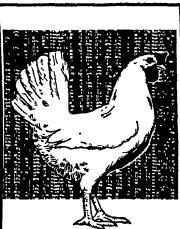
Wednesday, March 15

Ready-to-cook movement fair but less aggressive than last week. Slaughter schedules about steady overall. Less than trucklot prices unchanged on both Plant and U.S. Grade A. Advance interest slow in developing. Live supplies adequate with weights still lighter than desired at some plants. Undertone slightly unsettled to steady. Pool trucklot prices for Thursday arrival in the New York area: U.S. Grade A 29-32, M 29-29½; Plant Grade 28-30, M 28-28½.

New York Eggs

Wednesday, March 15

Wholesale prices mostly unchanged to lower on large and mediums, unchanged on cartons. Receipts moderate with increased arrivals of previously held large. Floor stocks ample and in slight excess of current call. Buying interest light to no better than fair on top grades, good on lesser quality. Carton demand fair at best on current movement, holding at good levels for later delivery.



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Weekly New York Egg Market

(From Monday, March 13th to Friday, March 17)

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.
WHITE					
Fcy Ex. Large	39	39	39	39	39
Large	38	38	38	38	38
Mediums	36	36	36	36	36
Pullets	26	26	26	26	26
Peewees	17	17	17	17	17
BROWN					
Fcy. Large	39	39	39	39	39
Mediums	Unquoted				
Pullets	Unquoted				
Peewees	Unquoted				
Standards	321/2	321/2	321/2	321/2	321/2
Checks	17	17	17	17	17

Long Tone - Improved carton orders reported. Supplies of all sizes ample.

Eastern Pa. and N. J.

Wednesday, March 15

Prices steady on light type hens. Offerings increasing in some sectors while limited in others. Demand fair but unaggressive. Offerings of heavy type hens short of a fairly good call. Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 5-7 mostly 6¾-7 in Pa. mostly 5½-6 in N.J. Heavy type hens 16½-17.

Peoria Cattle

Thursday, March 16 Cattle Weekly; receipts this week 4300; last week 4900:

receipts last year 1400.

High Choice and Prime steers steady to strong; below grades mostly 25, instances 50 higher. Slaughter heifers mostly 25, instances 50 higher. Cows mostly 1.00, instances 1.50 higher. Bulls steady. Supply mainly High Good and Choice slaughter steers and heifers with the balance mainly

Slaughter Steers: Mixed High Choice and Prime 1225-1325 pounds 3-4, 37.25-37.50. Choice 1000-1300 pounds 2-4, 35.50-37.00. Mixed Good and Choice 875-1200 pounds 34.50-35.75. Good 31.00-34.75. Standard to Good Holsteins 30.50-31.00. Load Good Holsteins 32.00

Slaughter Heifers: Mixed

Oklahoma City Thursday, March 16

Estimated Receipts 9,000 Same Day Last Week 12,029

Same Day Last Year
Fairly active, feeder steers under 600 pound and feeder heifers generally steady, some sales strong on thin fleshed 450-550 pound offerings; feeder steers over 600 pound under pressure 50c to 1.00 lower; majority receipts average Good to High Choice 450-800 pound steers and 400-650 pound heifers; offerings include numerous cattle arriving from wheat pastures; fairly large attendance buyers.

Sales as of 12:30 PM

Feeder Steers: Choice 300-400 pound 45.50-53.00, small lot 330 pound at 56.25; 400-500 42.50-49.00, two small lots 431-444 at 49.40; 500-600 39.00-44.00, few lots and part loads 511-528 pound thin fleshed 44.40-45.90; 600-700 37.75-41.00, part load 595 pound at 41.90; 700-800 37.00-38.80; 800-900 35.00-38.00; Mixed Good and Choice 385-500 39.50-43.75; 500-700 36.00-38.75; Good 500-730 34.00-37.25; Mostly Good 500-700 pound holstein steers 31.50-36.25; 600-951 30.00-33.25.

Choice with few Prime 1000-1100 pounds 35.75-36.25. Choice 825-1050 pounds 2-4, 34.00-36.00. Mixed Good and Choice 750-950 pounds 33.50-34.25. Good 29.50-33.50.

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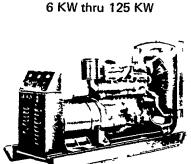
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Omaha Cattle

Thursday, March 16

Closing prices on slaughter steers were unevenly 25-75c lower as feeder buyers demand afforded some support to Good and Low-Choice 950-1050 pound shortfeds, well finished 1200-1300 pound steers often shared the full decline. Heifers closed 50-75c lower. Cows were 50-75c higher and bulls 50-1.00 higher, feeder cattle sold mostly steady with the supply predominantly fleshy two-way steers.

For the third successive week closing prices on slaughter steers and heifers were lower than at the end of the previous period. Trading was often slow as the bearish effects of a depressed carcass trade were reflected in a cautious attitude by buyers. Demand generally geared for requirements of minimum slaughter quotas. Overall finish steers and heifers not particularly attractive most days with a predominance Good to Average-Choice. Steers approximately 39 per cent including long string bought-to-arrive.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 34.91 average weight 1130 pounds as compared 34.95 and 1125 pounds previous

Feeder Heifers: Two lots Choice 391-396 pound 42.90-43.60; 400-500 35.50-40.00, small lot and part load 412-417 40.50-43.00; 500-600 34.50-36.25; small lot 519 at 37.20; 600-700 33.25-35.50; few 700-864 32.25-34.30; Mixed Good and Choice 420-625 32.50-34.75.

week and 31.57 and 1134 pounds a year ago.

Market Steers

Steers: Five loads early High-Choice and Prime U.S. 2-4 1053-1213 pounds, 36.25-36.40; 995-1299, 35.75-36.00; Choice 975-1250, 34.50-35.50; Mixed Good and Choice 950-1225 34.00-34.75; Good 31.50-34.00; Holsteins 2-3 1100-1325 31.50-32.10; Standard and Low-Good 30.25-31.50.

Heifers: Eight loads High-Choice and Prime U.S. 3-4 1000-1100 pounds 35.75-36.25; 937-1101 34.60-35.00; Choice 2-4 825-1050 34.00-36.00; Mixed Good and Choice 750-975 33.00-33.75; Good 28.50-33.00; Standard and Low-Good 27.00-28.50.

Cows: Utility and Commercial 34.00-36.00; Utility Dairybreds (few) 26.50-27.00; Canner and Cutter 21.50-24.00; Mixed Cutter and Utility 24.25-24.75; Shelly Canner 20.00-21.50.

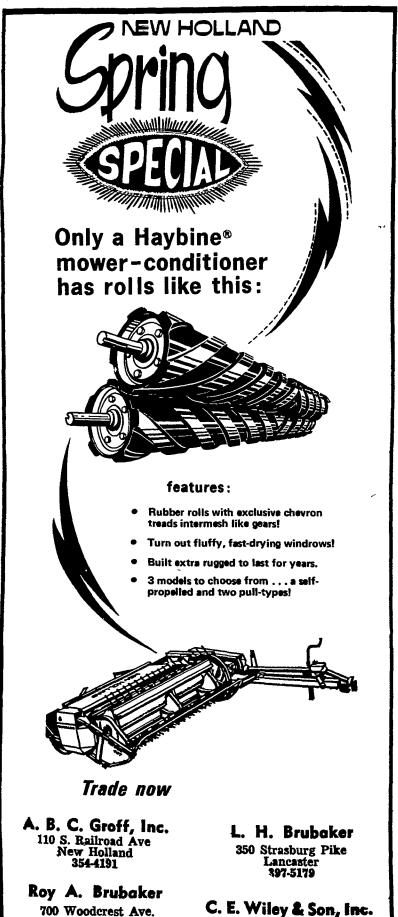
Bulls: Utility, Commercial and Good 26.50-29.00; Commercial 29.50-30.00; Cutter and Low-Utility 23.50-26.50.

Feeder Steers

Prices mostly steady with a continued good demand. Outshipments approximately 3500 compared 1500 previous week with supplies mainly High Good and Choice fleshy two-way steers aside from a long string yearling steers.

Steers: Choice 546-617 pounds 40.00-41.00; Choice 723-753 37.00-40.00; High-Good and Choice 852-1112 34.00-36.50.

Heifers: Choice 541-616 35.50-38.00; High-Good and Choice 837-961 32.50-33.50.



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