Poultry Market Reports

Fogelsville

September 25, 1973 (Prices paid dock weights

cents per lb.)

Hens, light type 12-22; Hens, heavy type 16-32, mostly 20-27; Pullets 25-49, mostly 44-47; Roasters 20-47, mostly 42-45; Ducks 46-49; Drakes 45-50; Rabbits 42-75, mostly 55-65; Pigeons (per pr.) 70-2.05, mostly 1.00-1.05.

Total coops sold 448.

Poultry received Monday 7 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Tuesday 7 a.m. to 12 Noon. Sale at 11:30 a.m.

Directions — Take Rt. 22 thruway. Exit at Fogelsville Exit. North on stoplight in Fogelsville. Turn left, proceed 1

Delmarva

Wednesday, Sept. 26 **Broiler-Fryer Market**

Ready to cook demand fairly good. Offerings no more than adequate with only an occasional plant not fully booked for the balance of this week. Prices trended higher in most quarters. Live supplies ample and rate of growth is advancing under ideal weather conditions.

Pool trucklot prices for Thursday arrival US Grade A 40-45, mostly 401/2-41; Plant Grade 391/2-43, mostly 40.

Omaha Cattle

Thursday, September 27

Compared with last week's close: closing prices on slaughter steers 3.00-4.00 lower with maximum decline on yield grade 4-5 1200-1350 pound. Heifers 2.00-3.00 lower. Cows steady after early decline recovered. Bulls -1.00-2.00 lower. Scattered feeder sales 2.00-3.00 lower with trade poorly tested.

Four day receipts 11.200 as compared 19,900 previous week and 15,600 a year ago. For sixth successive week, prices on slaughter steers and heifers pointed downward as one of the most severe declines in history of cattle industry continued with current prices 14.00-18.00 below August peak. Most of current downturn on opening session when more than 60 percent of four day total counted in and prices at wholesale level plunged downward. Weight and yield grade major price determining factors with yield grade 2-3 Holstein steers often selling well above high-Choice 1300-1350 pound yield grade 4-5. Price differentials in carcass trade ranged up to 15.00 between various weight and yield grade

carcasses. STEERS: Load high-Choice and Prime 1148 pounds Grade 3 40.50, moderate volume 1000-1278 3-4 39 50-40.00. Choice 975-1300 2-4 38 00-39.50, some yield grade 2-3 1000-1050 39.75-40.00, and several loads high-Choice 1325-1350 4-5 34.50-35.00. Mixed Good and Choice 950-1250 37.25-38.25. Good 36.00-37.50, yield grade 2-3 Holsteins 36.00-36.50.

Average cost slaughter steers first three days 38.33 average weight 1117 pounds as compared 44.86 and 1143 pounds previous week and 34.94 and 1123 pounds a year ago.

HEIFERS: Four loads high-Choice and Prime 980-1015 pounds 3-4 39.50-39.75, others same grade 884-1062 38.50-39.00, load 1115 pounds 4-5 36.00. Choice 850-1075 2-4 closed 37.50-39.00. Mixed Good and Choice 800-1000 36 00-37 50 Good 34.50-36.00. Standard and low-Good 33.50-34 50

Egg Market

Wednesday, Sept. 26 Philadelphia Eggs

Prices unchanged. Demand good for mediums, fair to good for large and only fair on smalls. Some feature activity building for next week. Offerings and supplies ample on large and smalls, adequate on mediums.

Prices to retailers: Sales to volume buyers, consumer grades white eggs in cartons, delivered: store door A Extra Large 72-731/2, A Large 71-721/2, A Medium 64-

Wednesday, Sept. 26 **Baltimore** Eggs

Prices unchanged to 1 cent lower. Demand fair. Supplies of large ample and mediums adequate. Cartoned eggs: Prices to retailers, state graded (min one case sale) White Grade A Large 75-82, mostly 75-78; Grade A Medium 69-75, mostly 69-71.

Eastern Pa. and N. J.

Wednesday, Sept. 26 **Live Poultry**

Undertone weak and prices are lower on new bookings. Offerings fully adequate. Much price resistance has developed on further processed items.

Prices paid at farm: Light type hens 18-29, mostly 21-211/4 in Pa., Mostly 21-23 in N. J. Heavy type hens TFEWR.

New Holland Horse Auction

Monday, September 24 Reported receipts of 495 head of

horses, mules and ponies; market steady with last weeks market.

Load New York riding horses

Load Illinois riding horses and driving horses; riding horses 160 -

375; driving horses 195 - 440. Load Kansas riding horses 140 -

Load North Carolina riding horses 195 - 345.

Local work horses 185 - 400; mules 125 - 170; driving horses 160 - 600; riding horses 135 - 225;

better horses 255 - 295. Killers: Lightweight 8 - 11; heavyweight 15 - 20.

Mare ponies 10 - 30; colts 3 - 8; geldings 10 - 20; larger ponies 40 -

COWS: Utility and Commercial 30.00-32.00, few 32.25-32.50. Canner and Cutter 26.50-30.00, mixed Cutter and low-Utility 30.25-31.00.

BULLS: Yield grade 1-2 1300-2100 pounds 34.00-38.00, few yield grade 1 39.00-40.00 early. Few Good and Choice 1100-1300 bullocks 37.00-39.00.

FEEDERS: Limited sales 2.00-3.00 lower in sympathy with sharp downward trend on slaughter cattle but supply hardly sufficient for good market test. Outshipments 1000 head compared 1600 previous week.

STEERS: Approximately eight loads Choice 599-644 pounds 51.50-52.50. Four loads Choice 966 pounds fleshy steers 39.50, part loads Choice 1010-1063 38.50, most high-Good and Choice 950-1050 fleshy 37.50-38 00.

HEIFERS: Part load Choice 286 pounds 50.00, three loads Choice 510-528 47.00-48.25.

Weekly New York Egg Market

| | Monday, S Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thurs. | Fri |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------|------------|---------|-----|
| WHITE | | | | | |
| Fcy. Ex. Large | 73 | 72 | 72 | 72 | 72 |
| Large | 69 | 67 | 67 | 67 | 67 |
| Mediums | 62 | 61 | 61 | 61 | 61 |
| Pullets | 46 | 46 | 46 | 46 | 46 |
| Peewees | 35 | 35 | 35 | 35 | 35 |
| BROWN | | | | | |
| Fcy. Large | 72 | 70 | 68 | 68 | 68 |
| Mediums | Unquote | d | | | |
| Pullets | Unquote | đ | | | |
| Peewees | Unquote | | | | |
| Off Grade Large | 62 | 61 | 61 | 61 | 61 |
| Checks | 49 | 49 | 47 | 47 | 47 |
| Long Tone - Sti | ill irregula | r. | | | |
| | vright 1973 | | rry Public | cations | |

New England Weekly Shell Egg Report

Tuesday, September 25

Prices paid per dozen Grade "A" brown eggs in cartons delivered to retail stores:

| | EX LARGE | LARGE | MEDIUM | SMALL |
|----------|----------------|-------|--------|-----------|
| MASS+ | 72-83 | 68-79 | 65-71 | 42-49 |
| Mostly | 7 4 -77 | 70-73 | 67-70 | 44-47 |
| NEW HAMP | 71-83 | 67-79 | 64-71 | 41-49 |
| Mostly | 74-75 | 70-71 | 67-68 | 44-45 |
| R. I. | 78-79 | 74-75 | 69-70 | 46-47 |
| Mostly | | | | TOO FEW |
| VERMONT | 85-88 | 81-84 | 75-80 | TO REPORT |
| MAINE | 78-80 | 74-76 | 71-73 | 48-50 |
| Mostly | | | | |

+Includes Central & Western Sections Only.

Special Feeder Sales

Ewing, VA Tuesday, September 25 430 Head Sold

Steers

Choice and Fancy: 300 - 400 pounds 60.25; 405 - 500 51.00-51.25; 505 - 600 44.50 - 47.00.

Good: 300 - 400 pounds 55.00 -60.50; 405 - 500 50.50 - 58.75; 505 -600 43.00 - 46.00.

Medium: 505 - 600 pounds 43.00 -46.00; 405 - 500 42.00 - 48.50; 505 -600 42.00.

Heifers

Choice and Fancy: 300 - 400 pounds 42.00 - 44.00; 405 - 500 44.00 45.00; 505 - 600 38.00 - 40.50. Good: 300 - 400 pounds 40.25 -

42 00; 505 - 600 37.25 - 40.00. Medium: 300 - 400 pounds 42.00; 405 - 500 38.50 - 43.25.

Abingdon, VA Tuesday, September 25 426 Head Sold Steers

Choice and Fancy: 300 - 400 pounds 56.00 - 57.50; 405 - 500 56.50 57.50; 505 - 600 50.25 - 52.00. Good: 405 - 500 pounds 56.00 -

56 25; 505 - 600 51.00. Medium: 405 - 500 pounds 55.00 -55.25: 505 - 600 46.25 - 48.50.

Heifers Choice and Fancy: 300 - 400 pounds 45.50 - 47.25; 405 - 500 45.50 47.75; 505 - 600 45.00 - 46.50.

Good: 300 - 400 pounds 44.75 -45.00; 405 - 500 43.00 - 47.75; 505 -600 43.75 - 46.00.

Medium: 300 - 400 pounds 43.50; 405 - 500 41.00 - 42.75; 505 - 600

Orange, VA Tuesday, September 25 778 Head Sold Steers

Choice and Fancy: 300 - 400 pounds 65.50 - 66.00; 405 - 500 58.50 - 67.00; 505 - 600 54.75 - 59.75.

I've Heard Everything Now! That new house I bought has six rooms and 1 and % bathrooms That fractional bathroom is really something else. it has a sink, a bowl, a tub — but no pipes! . And the furnishings! Wall-to-wall carpeting, air-conditioning and ack-to-the-wall payments!

Good: 300 - 400 pounds 57.00 -59.00; 405 - 500 58.00 - 61.75; 505 -600 54.00 - 59.50.

Medium: 300 - 400 pounds 50.00 -52.50; 405 - 500 56.00 - 58.00; 505 -600 47.00 - 52.00.

Heifers

Choice and Fancy: 300 - 400 pounds 46.50 - 51.75; 405 - 500 46.50 - 49.00; 505 - 600 45.00 - 47.50.

Good: 300 - 400 pounds 41.00 -43.00, 13 head at 53.00; 405 - 500 43.00 - 46.25; 505 - 600 40.00 - 45.00.

Medium: 505 - 600 pounds 40.00 -45.00; 300 - 400 43.00 - 45.00; 405 -500 42.00 - 45.00.

Congeniality

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and Mrs. Charles F. Hershberger.

the contestants previously were acclaimed Dairy Princesses in local contests. Two represent two-county areas, a third is from the Penn State Dairy Science Club and the other 30 have county titles. All are daughters of dairy farm families.

Not only was the 33 contestants a record number for a Pennsylvania Dairy Princess contest, seven more than previous high set just last year, but a record number also entered at the local level, 236.

Presiding at the coronation ceremony was the 1972 Dairy Princess Rose M. Winkelbauer, a sophomore at Edinboro State College in her native Erie

My Neighbors



"Stall him a minute, Hon —I'll go fetch a rope."

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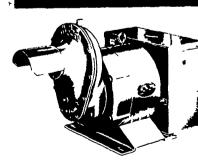
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