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**Live Light Type Fowl
Cents Per Lb., Generally For Slaughter Within Next 10 Days**

	Buyer Loading	Producer Loading
Eastern Region	0-0	0-0
South Central Region	TFEWR	TFEWR
North Central Region	TFEWR	0-.25

**Live Heavy Type Hens (7 Lb & Up)
Preliminary Negotiated Price, Cents Per Lb., Generally For Slaughter
The Week Of December 18, 2000
At Farm Buyer Loading**

Southeast Region	Too Few Sales To Report Prices
South Central Region	Too Few Sales To Report Prices

**National Canner Fowl Market (Without Necks)
Cents Per Pound Delivered To First Receivers**

	(Freight Cost Included)		(Without Freight Cost)	
	Range	Majority	Range	Majority
Light Type (Line Run)	25.00-29.50	25.00	21.00-26.50	21.00-24.00
Heavy Type	32.00-37.00	33.00-36.00	31.00-35.00	32.50-34.00

Miscellaneous Poultry

**Ready-To-Cook Prices Negotiated For Delivery To First Receivers,
U.S. Grade A And Plant Grade, 5 Lbs. And Up
For Week Of December 11, 2000**

		Range	Mostly
Central	Hens		
	Ice Packed (12 Head Per Box)	58-62	-
	Vacuum Pack (6-9 Head Per Box)	60-69	
S. California	Under 5 Lbs.	TFEWR	-
	Over 5 Lbs.	81	-