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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

**Live Heavy Type Hens (7 Lb & Up)
Preliminary Negotiated Price, Cents Per Lb., Generally For Slaughter
The Week Of December 17, 2001
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) Range	Majority	(Without Freight Cost) Range	Majority
Light Type	26.00-28.50	26.50-27.00	26.00-27.50	26.50
Heavy Type	32.75-41.00	35.00-36.50	31.00-38.00	33.00-35.00

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 10, 2001**

	Hens	Range	Mostly
Central	Ice Packed (12 Head Per Box)	56-60	-
	Vacuum Pack (6-9 Head Per Box)	60-68	
S. California	Under 5 Lbs.	TFEWR	-
	Over 5 Lbs.	TFEWR	-