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All Druggists

FARM POULTRY

PURPOSE OF A SMALL FLOCK

It is primarily for Eggs and Therefore Fowls Should Be Fed With This End in View.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The actual purpose of keeping a small flock of fowls is primarily for egg production. Consequently they should be fed with this end in view. Practically every housewife has a quantity of table scraps, vegetable peelings and "leftovers" that can be utilized by feeding to hens. Supplementary to such feed, however, a grain and dry mash should be provided in order to produce the best results. By



Purebred Fowls of General-Purpose Type Are Best Adapted for Back-Yard Flocks.

supplying the fowls with all available table scraps it will usually cost from 50 to 75 cents a year per fowl for grain and other feeds. A good egg laying ration should consist of the following: Three parts corn meal and one part beef scrap mixed together and fed in a dry-mash hopper at all times. In addition to this a scratch ration consisting of equal parts cracked corn and oats should be fed twice daily. When no table scraps are available it will take about one quart of scratch grain daily for twelve to fourteen fowls. However, this can be reduced when table scraps are fed and a certain amount of natural green feed, such as grass, is available.

In providing the fowls with a suitable house it should be remembered that the essentials of such a building are fresh air, dryness, sunlight and sufficient space so that the fowls will not be crowded. Usually each fowl should be allowed four square feet of floor space. If available, scrap lumber from dry-goods boxes, etc., can be utilized to construct such a house. The cost will be considerably less than when lumber is purchased. If sufficient lumber is not available for the entire house a rough framework will covered with ordinary roofing or tar paper will answer the immediate needs.

When the heavier fowls (Plymouth Rocks, Wyandottes, Rhode Island Reds, etc.) are kept all females should be disposed of at the end of their second year, inasmuch as in most cases they will cease to be profitable at the end of that time. The lighter breeds (Leghorns, etc.), however, can be profitably kept as long as three years. By disposing of the hens in this way a part of the flock must be renewed each year. Consequently, considering that the percentage of cockerels and pullets is usually about the same, and that a certain percentage will die before reaching maturity, it is customary to hatch more chicks each year than there are hens in the flock.

AWFUL CHANGE IS SEEN IN PETROGRAD

STATE OF TERROR EXISTS IN FATED CITY AMONG PEOPLE OF ALL CLASSES.

NO LONGER ANY SOCIAL LIFE

Recent Executions No Longer Consist of Ones and Twos But of Whole Groups by Machine Guns.

Helsingfors.—It is hardly possible to recognize Petrograd owing to the terrible change within a month. Terror has so increased that nobody speaks in the street, trains or public places. People only regard one another suspiciously, fearing informers. Soldiers especially avoid prevalence of provocateurs of the red army.

Social life to all intents has ceased. In every house there is only one entry, either the front or back door being silently shut or at whichever is open a communist sentry is posted. He demands of all incomers first-place identity papers; also their right to walk in the street, and then questions as to whom they are going to see, who lives in the family, what they do, what is the business of the visitors. If the answer is satisfactory, they pass in; if unsatisfactory, they are arrested, taken to the commissariat and thence to the fortress of Peter and Paul where they generally are shot without question.

The recent executions carried out at Peter and Paul are no longer in one's and two's but in whole groups by a special machine gun detachment. The bodies are mostly thrown in the Neva.

BEER QUESTION NOT NOW ONE OF LAW BUT MATTER OF FACT.

Washington.—Contending that no court may say, as a matter of law, what percentage of alcohol in liquor makes it intoxicating, the judiciary committee, in a report to the house on prohibition enforcement legislation declared this was a question of fact and not law, and as such was clearly within the province of Congress.

The committee held that the right of Congress to define "intoxicating liquor" as a beverage containing more than one-half of one percent alcohol was in full accord with its constitutional powers, and that every state, in dealing with alcoholic liquors, had named products of that percentage as intoxicating and had either prohibited use of such liquors or subjected them to heavy tax.

"To define what is intoxicating does not trespass on the province of the court," said the majority report prepared by Chairman Volstead.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK CAUSED CONSIDERABLE LOSS OF LIFE.

Rome.—Earthquake shocks in Tuscany Sunday caused the deaths of 127 persons and injured to several thousand, according to the latest advices from Florence. The center of the seismic movement apparently was Vichio, a town of 11,000 inhabitants, 15 miles northeast of Florence.

Among the victims at Vichio, which suffered severely were the local doctors. The railway station, Lorenzo, north of Vichio, churches and factories at San Borgo were destroyed.

Airplanes have been sent in all directions along the Apennine mountains seeking information. It is feared some regions may have been isolated by destruction of all means of communication.

HOLLAND WARNED NOT TO LET KAISER GET AWAY.

London.—The allied governments have represented to the government of Holland the necessity of taking steps to prevent the departure of the former German emperor from Holland. C. B. Harmsworth, under-secretary of state for foreign affairs, announced in the house of commons.

Overfeeding kills more chicks than underfeeding.

Little and often is a good feeding rule for newly hatched chicks.

Eggs for incubator hatching should be fresh, the fresher the better.

This is the time of year when poultry quarters need to be made safe from rats.

Ducklings should be ready for the green duck market at from ten to fourteen weeks of age.

A good, well-regulated incubator will hatch eggs with far more certainty and do it more cheaply than can be done with hens.

Much of the trouble often found in brooding chicks is due alone to feeding too early or in excess during the first few days.

Scales on chicken's legs are caused by a mite. This mite can best be controlled and disposed of by the use of heavy black crude oil.

In the location of the poultry house, if it is, in any way, to be made dry by thorough underdrainage.

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SAVINGS MADE SAFE FOR SMALL INVESTOR

Uncle Sam Provides Protection for Thrifty Citizen Who Wishes to Lay Aside Part of Earnings.

This is the day of the small investor. The war opened the eyes of some 50,000,000 Americans to the benefits of investing in government securities; it minimized to the same extent the menace of fraudulent promotions in which many life's savings have been sunk. War Savings Stamps are making investing safe for the small saver.

Every small investor should realize that a dollar saved while money is in the cheapest commodity offered will purchase twice as much of almost any other commodity within four or five years, so that, in addition to the interest that War Savings or other government securities yield, the investor really has earned 108 per cent in the purchasing power of the dollar saved.

Small sums certainly are worth saving. Amounts that seem insignificant soon pile up into figures that are impressive.

A great French banker was once asked the secret of French thrift, and he replied, "Compound interest." Just as constant waste, even in little things, may change one's life from success to failure, so the steady saving of money will eventually bring independence, if not actual wealth.

There are very few persons who cannot, without inconvenience, lay aside 10 cents a day. Within ten years one's daily savings of this insignificant sum will amount to \$365. In addition to \$80.36 compound interest, making a total of \$445.36.

By saving 15 cents a day for ten years, with interest compounded at 4 per cent, one will have the comfortable sum of \$653.13; 20 cents a day will net \$859.84. Save 50 cents a day for ten years and there is \$2,277.76. A dollar a day will make a total of \$4,455.74 for the ten-year period.

All these figures are based on the savings being put out at 4 per cent compound interest. War Savings Stamps yield more than 4 per cent.

LESSONS WILL TEACH THRIFT IN SCHOOLS

Pamphlets Giving Outline Course May Be Had by Writing War Loan Organization.

The War Loan Organization of the Fifth Federal Reserve District at Richmond, Va., has just issued an outline of a course of thrift for elementary schools. It is designed especially to meet the needs of teachers, beginning with chapters for the smallest youngsters and continuing to those for pupils up to the eighth grade.

"Thrift in the Schools" contains fascinating suggestions for the teaching of thrift to the little ones at the "Mother Goose" age. Then for the older children there are many other ways of bringing the lesson home. Geography, hygiene, English reading, budget making and problems in arithmetic adapt themselves to the teaching of thrift.

Besides these items the pamphlet contains suggestions for morning talks for all grades; tentative reading lists, with the names of the publishers of books included; and, in each chapter, a paragraph on the practice of thrift.

The summary of the aims of the leaflet will probably give the best idea of the outline.

- To give the child a broad understanding of the specific facts and underlying principles of thrift.
- To train the child in the habits of conservation and the wise use of all his resources.
- To create through the schools a public sentiment in favor of thrift and economy, and through this sentiment, to cultivate the national habit of thrift.

The War Loan Organization at Richmond will furnish these leaflets in any quantity, free of charge.

If the frog hadn't slid back he would have gotten out of the well. Don't be a frog. Keep on buying War Savings Stamps.

Do you want to take a real vacation? Buy W. S. S.

Best bet certain and not guess. You can save through W. S. S.

MUCH JUNK FOUND BY VIRGINIA COMMUNITY

Thrift and junk business are booming at Emporia, Va. "It keeps me busy running to the post office to get Thrift Stamps to pay for all the salvage that is coming in now," said the proprietor of one of the junk shops. "Where all the junk comes from is a constant wonder. No one would have believed that so much stuff could have been hidden away in a town of this size."

Under the voluntary organization of Mrs. W. B. Goodery, of Emporia all the housewives of the town have been conducting an organized salvage campaign, in accordance with the plans outlined by the War Loan Organization of the Fifth Federal Reserve District.

Salvage so collected is sold to the local junk dealer for its actual value in Thrift Stamps. According to arrangements already made with most dealers in waste materials in the Fifth District, wagons will call for junk wherever a "Salvage" card is displayed. These cards have been distributed all over the State.

Not only has Emporia found that this organized campaign is resulting in a highly beneficial "clean-up," but a source of economic welfare hardly known before has thus come to light.

The salvage campaign has proved so satisfactory in Emporia that junk wagons are now being run out to the surrounding towns.

BOMBARD IRISH TOWNS, CHARGE AGAINST BRITISH

Paris.—Irish American delegates here in the interest of the Irish independence movement, sent a new note to Premier Clemenceau in which they charged the British with bombing Irish towns from airplanes, "wantonly murdering women and children." They said also the British are issuing frequent orders of banishment.

They asked the appointment of a special investigation commission.

DRS. MUELLER AND BELL ARE BACK AT BERLIN.

Berlin.—Hermann Mueller and Dr. Johannes Bell, the German peace treaty authorities, have arrived here.

Members of the party said that just before arriving at Compigne occupants of the dining car were started by a stone or a piece of fireworks thrown into the car.

Both the peace delegation which conducted the negotiations at Versailles and the dramatic commission at Spa will be dissolved.

LIVE STOCK

SHEEP CLUB BOY'S PROFITS

Investment Paying 200 Per Cent Induced Farmers to Take Renewed Interest in Industry.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Late in the fall of 1917, George Irwin of Henry county, Indiana, and nine other boys in his neighborhood organized a sheep club. A few interested stockmen and the local bank made it possible for the club boys to secure one pure-bred ewe apiece. Each boy gave his note to the bank for the purchase price of his sheep.

In the summer of 1918 George Irwin presented the following statement of his work and investment:

Disbursements:

Cost of 1 ewe	\$18.00
Feed	6.25
Interest on note	.72
Total cost	\$24.97

Receipts:

1 ewe (inventory)	\$18.00
1 lamb (sold)	25.00
1 lamb (sold)	25.00
Wool (sold)	6.50
Total receipts	\$74.50
Total cost	\$24.97
Profit	\$49.53

Investments paying 200 per cent were worth looking into decided the farmers who lived in the locality of this club, and interest in sheep raising increased.

Another boy in the Henry County club has developed a flock of 30 ewes, and plans to have more. His father has become so interested in his son's work that, although the boy is rather young, he is allowed to go to sales and to do his own bidding on prospects for his flock. Practically all the

NEW QUEEN AT BELTSVILLE

Calamity Wayne Pauline II Completes Year Test, Producing Eleven Tons of Milk.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

A new queen reigns in the herd of Holsteins on the government experiment farm at Beltsville, Md. She is as unassuming and peace loving as any of her subjects, although she bears the name Calamity Wayne Pauline II, and has just completed a test in which she produced in a year more than 11 tons of milk. In 365 days she produced 22,547.8 pounds of milk which averaged 8.805 per cent butter fat, the total fat being 855.4 pounds.

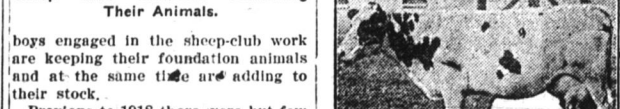
This animal was selected by dairy specialists of the United States department of agriculture from a Michigan herd in July, 1917. She was brought to the Beltsville farm, where she produced a heifer calf, and was started on her test December 7, 1917, at the age of eight years. The test was run through the coldest winter that section had experienced in 40



Sheep Club Members Exhibiting Their Animals.

boys engaged in the sheep-club work are keeping their foundation animals and at the same time are adding to their stock.

Previous to 1918 there were but few boys and girls organized into sheep clubs under the supervision of the department of agriculture and the state agricultural colleges. With the high price of wool and mutton, the sheep project, however, has become increasingly popular. Last year 257 such



Calamity Wayne Pauline II, years, and a summer that was extreme-

DEMONSTRATION AGAINST GOVERNMENT IN ROME.

Rome.—Serious disorders marked anti-government demonstration in Rome. The demonstrators attempted to reach the residence of Premier Nitti, but were driven back by large forces of military police. Order finally was restored after midnight.

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Foreign Minister Bauer of Austria gives us the startling information that the people of Tyrol love liberty above life. Did this fondness for liberty develop after the fall of the Hapsburgs?

Public opinion seems to view the proposed peace treaty with increasing favor despite Republican "Knox."

Ebert is a harness maker, but he couldn't make a check rein that would hold back the peace sentiment in Germany.

The Carranza-Villa controversy has been prolonged to a point that has become positively tiresome.

How will we know the German signatures are genuine now that the study of German has been banned in the schools?