

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF CHICKEN RAISING ARE GIVEN

The Ten Commandments of chicken raising—as essential to the poultryman's success as Moses' original laws—are offered in the 1931 edition of the Purina Poultry Book—a handy hip-pocket volume of 100 pages, devoted entirely to the feeding, care, management, diseases, and cures of poultry.

In brief form this outline gives a simple plan of what the poultryman should do to raise a high percentage of his chicks—to care for them properly—to give them what they need for life, health, and growth—to cure their ailments—to guard against infection and disease.

Numbers one and two of these commandments lay the foundation for chicken raising: "Move the brooder house to new ground," and "Thoroughly clean and disinfect all equipment." These precautions are deemed necessary to prevent any chance of disease being carried over from last year and give this year's chicks the chance to start without handicaps of any kind.

The third commandment advises that brooder houses and stoves be carefully regulated for several days before the chicks arrive to insure even, steady temperature conditions, proper ventilations, and the elimination of drafts.

Doctors Disagree

When children are irritable and peevish, grind their teeth and sleep restlessly, have digestive pains and disturbances, lack of appetite, and have itching eyes, nose and fingers, doctors will not always agree that they are suffering from worms. Many mothers, too, will not believe that their carefully brought up children can have worms. The fact remains that these symptoms will yield, in a great majority of cases, to a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, the sure expellant of round and pin worms. If your child has any of these symptoms, try this harmless, old fashioned medicine which you can get at 35c per bottle from

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A sound piece of advice is offered next. "Start with early-hatched, vigorous chicks," with the explanation given that early-hatched chicks mean pullets laying early in the fall at the beginning of high prices, and broilers ready before the market is glutted.

Not more than 360 chicks should be placed in a 10x12 brooder house, the next law declares, since more than this number will mean crowding, with the consequences of poorly developed, stunted, and possibly diseased birds.

Commandment No. 6 explains that a drinking fountain and a two-foot Starline feeder should be provided for each 50 chicks to allow each individual chick all the room it needs to get feed and water—upon which life and health depend.

Frightening or stampeding chicks by sudden movements is advised against in No. 7 since, if done only a few times, it will mean highly temperamental chicks which are thrown off feed by slight disturbances, resulting in poor development. Chicks should be taught to roost early, says No. 8, usually beginning about the third or fourth week.

The ninth commandment advises the adoption of a plan of feeding which will give the chicks the right start and the best chances for growth throughout.

Finally it is recommended that every poultryman remove the cockerel, fatten them in a separate pen, which are usually about half his and market them as broilers as soon as possible.

The complete set of commandments is contained in the Purina Poultry Book together with a full explanation and detailed information on poultry raising. A copy may be obtained from B and B Feed and Seed company, the local Purina dealer, at the store with Checkerboard sign.

A SON

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Martin announce the birth of a son, on Friday, February 20.

FARMERS TO SWAP SURPLUS FOR NEEDS

Asheville, Feb. 25.—Western North Carolina farmers who have a surplus of live stock, of produce, of farming implements, of machinery, of articles of seed, or miscellaneous articles which they would like to trade for desirable articles possessed by other farmers of this section will be given an opportunity to make the trade on March 27 and 28, as a result of the recently announced plan of the Asheville Chamber of Commerce to establish a Farmers' Exchange on those dates. The swapping will be done in Asheville at and about the tobacco warehouse of the Western Carolina Tobacco Corporation and the exchange will be free of charge to all citizens of this section. Any live stock can be cared for in the open spaces about the warehouse.

The Exchange days are being established as a result of suggestions from agricultural agents in this section who state that they are often approached by farmers who wish to trade articles which they do not need for other articles which will be useful to them. The establishment of the exchange at the warehouse in Asheville on March 27 and 28, creates a time and place at which these farmers may meet and trade their possessions. Every farmer is invited to attend and to participate.

In preparation for the Exchange days the Asheville Chamber of Commerce will act as a clearing house for the event. Farmers who have articles which they would like to exchange for other articles more desirable should write to the Chamber of Commerce listing the article to be traded and the article or material desired. These various items will be compiled by the Chamber of Commerce and the list published in daily newspapers in advance of the Exchange dates, in order that farmers may know at least a part of the items which will be offered on the trading days or get a line on what things are wanted so they can take stock and see what they may have to dispose of.

Mules, cattle, feed, wagons, farm machinery, produce, poultry and in fact all manner of articles or animals are expected to be offered for exchange. The Exchange days will probably be enlivened by the music of string bands and dancing. This part of the program is up to those who attend to do as they please.

Farmers who attend will be under no obligation to trade but the opportunity will be offered for the exchange of any goods or possessions. It is expected that the Exchange will be made a regular event for Western North Carolina farmers and it will also be an interesting social gathering for farmers of the section.

Glade Creek News

Miss Nettie Orr entertained with a community singing at her home Sunday night. A large number of folks were present.

Mrs. Mac Drake had as her guests Thursday afternoon, Mrs. S. V. Brown and daughter Blanche, Mrs. Azalea Slatten and Mrs. J. R. Brown.

Jerry and Charlie Orr, who have been employed near East LaPorte, are at their home here now.

Mrs. Mitchell Fowler was called to Pickens, S. C., last week on account of the death of her brother, Mr. McNeely.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown and children, Lucile and Freeman, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Surrette, on Sunday.

Clyde Brown left Sunday for Statesville, where he will spend two weeks.

Mrs. Herman Brown had as her visitor recently, her father, Mr. Metcalf, of Weaverville.

Jim Cox is working at Blantyre this week.

Rev. Mr. West of English Chapel, was a pleasant caller at the home of S. J. Brown, Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Bragg was called to Spartanburg last Thursday on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. H. Brown had as her guest recently, Miss Ruth Clayton.

B. J. Brown is visiting relatives at Edneyville.

Mrs. Azalea Slatten and son, C. H. spent the week-end at Horse Shoe, with Mrs. Ralph Galloway.

Mrs. Guy Newton recently visited Mrs. Clarence Orr.

Pisgah Forest News

Generally speaking, we get about what we expect, therefore let us expect something worthwhile, then we can more fully realize the fact that there is a comfortable living in this world for everybody that will persevere and strive to make good.

Mrs. Holland Stophel of Rosman spent the week-end with Mrs. Emma Colburn and daughters.

Mrs. J. Lyday of Penrose, was a recent guest of her father, J. E. Orr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wolf and daughter, Rose, were Asheville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Marcum and daughter, Lucile, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. Campfield.

G. T. Frady made a business trip to Selma Monday.

Allen Cody and Oliver Buckner made a business trip to Asheville Saturday.

Mrs. C. Allison spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Barton at North Brevard.

Mrs. G. Parker returned to her home in Rutherfordton Sunday, after

spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Jim Allison.

Frank and Francis Allen were Mills River visitors Sunday.

Mr. Sifton of Blantyre, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Will Lyday.

D. H. Orrand family have been on the sick list.

Several people from this section attended singing and preaching at Balfour Sunday night.

Miss Dollie Allison was able to resume her work in Brevard on Tuesday after having been confined to her

home with flu for the past two weeks.

C. L. Corn has purchased the Allen Campbell car.

Mrs. G. Corn and daughter of Forest City, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Parker.

Lewis Townsend of Penrose, was a recent guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Orr, who is on the sick list.

Messrs Sifton and Hogsd of Selma, spent Sunday with G. T. Frady.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Grey and children spent Sunday with the former's father, at Pleasant Grove.



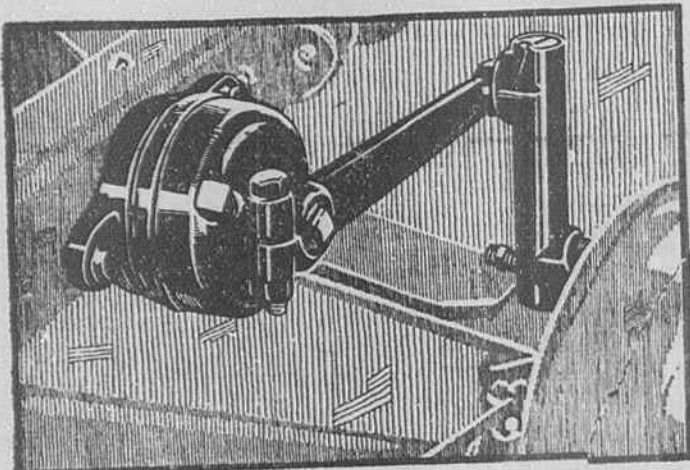
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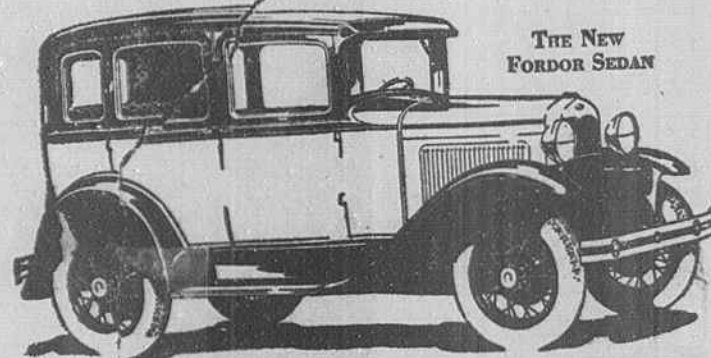
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Lake Toxaway News

Mrs. Cope Lee and children, Albert and Arline, spent last Saturday with Mrs. Lee's sister, Mrs. Crate McCall, at Cashiers.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Johnson and children were Brevard visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Raines and grand daughter, Freda Jean Hall, Mrs. Pauline Moses and daughter, Hazel, attended the funeral of Mr. Bob Glazener on Sunday, Feb. 15.

Noland McCoy and Cope Lee made a business trip to Franklin, last Saturday.

Mrs. I. S. Fisher spent Tuesday night with her daughter, Mrs. W. W. McNeely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Reid and Mrs. S. E. Alexander of Oakland were Toxaway visitors last Monday.

Mrs. Henry McCall was sick last week.

Cope Lee and Noland McCoy went to Greenville last Thursday.

Mrs. Granville Fisher and Mrs. L. Owen spent last week with their father, E. D. Owen, who is seriously ill at his home in Brevard.

Lyle Henderson of West Asheville, spent last Thursday and Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henderson, at Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon O'Shields moved from the Hall cottage to the Ira Galloway place last Friday.

Miss Marjorie Henderson of Enka, spent two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Henderson, at Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Reid and children of Sapphire spent last Sunday with Mrs. Reid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Raines.

Lucy Hall spent the week-end with little Freda Jean Hall at the home of her grandparents.

Mrs. Wesley Reid spent last Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Sam Sanders.

Mr. and Mrs. Arrowood Lee spent last Sunday with Mrs. Lee's mother, Mrs. Fannie McCoy.

Miss Inez Owen spent last Friday night with her aunt, Mrs. Coleman Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ray, Miss Louise Williams and Mrs. D. C. Scruggs spent last Friday in Brevard.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. McNeely and Miss Mabel McNeely of Brevard, were in Toxaway last Saturday.

Born on Feb. 13, at West Asheville, a daughter of Mrs. D. T. Gillespie.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhardt, who have been stopping at the Gillespie House, have returned to Asheville.

D. C. Scruggs made a business trip to Brevard last Friday.

H. G. Rogers left last Sunday for Asheville.

Miss Mary Gillespie of East Fork, spent last week with her sister, Miss Kate Gillespie.

Miss Elsie Morgan of Calvert, who is teaching school at Quebec, is staying with Mrs. C. W. Henderson.

Mrs. I. S. Fisher spent last Friday with her daughter, Mrs. L. C. Case.

Mrs. H. C. Rogers was a Brevard visitor last Thursday.

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