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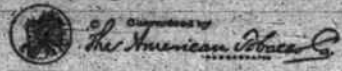
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### AN APPEAL TO THE EX-SERVICE MEN OF PERSON COUNTY

I wish to urge all the ex-service men of Person County, to join the Legion Blackwell Post of the American Legion at Roxboro. This fact that this post bears the name of the soldier who received the highest military honor bestowed by the United States also, the fact that this soldier a Person County boy, was the only North Carolinian to receive so high an honor should make every ex-service man proud to be a member of this post.

Since November 11th last this post has grown from a bunch of enthusiastic hoisters with a lot of ideas into a well organized post with a club room of their own, in which to hold their meetings.

We contend that a patriots service to his country does not begin with a declaration of war, or end with the signing of a treaty of peace.

We believe that by joining the Legion and sticking to it we will be in better condition to be of service to each other and also, to our country.

Members of the Legion receive free of charge The American Legion Weekly, a paper which alone is worth about as much as it costs you to join.

Come on boys, join with us, lets be buddies again.

I have been appointed by our local post to get up a brief history or record of the soldiers of Person Co. Will all you ex-service men please send me the following information?

Your full name.  
When did you enter the service?  
In which camp was you trained?  
What are the names of the Military organizations in which you served, Co., reg., div. etc.?

Did you serve overseas? How long?  
If you had a stationary assignment overseas name your organization and the place stationed.

Give the names of the front on which you served, also name the battles that you were in.

Were you wounded? Did you receive any citations or medals if you did, please name them?

When did you leave The U. S.?  
When did you return?

If you were stationed in the D. S. throughout your service, give the name of the place where you were stationed.

When and where were you discharged?

Some fellows with I've met seem to be backward about giving their history because some other fellow did a little more than he did. That is the wrong view to take of the matter. It is well known that very few of us had any choice as to how or where we served. We all did our best as it was assigned to us and were all glad when it was over; so lets hear from you all.

Will the relatives of deceased soldiers please send the information requested?

All colored people should sign this abbreviation (Col) before their name. When writing if you have any information not covered by these questions, I will thank you to send it also.

Respectfully,  
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## HEALTHFUL HOME FOR THE POULTRY

Proper Housing Is Secret of Success With Chickens.

### GOOD HOUSE FOR 200 HENS

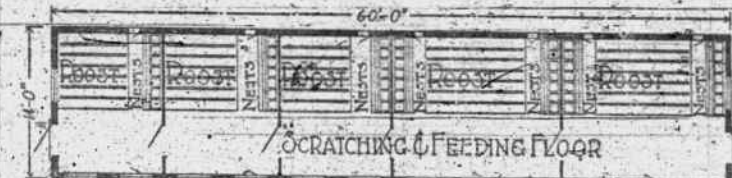
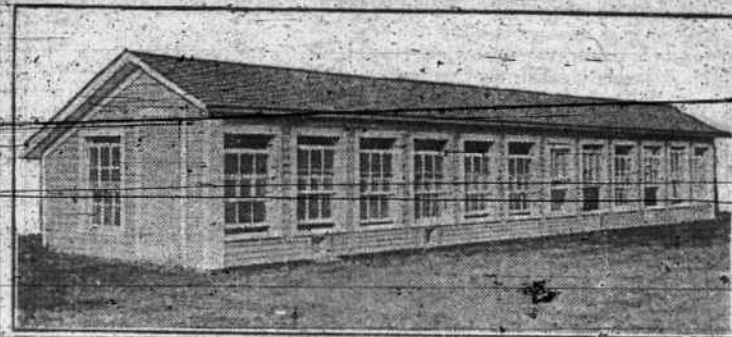
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By WILLIAM A. RADFORD  
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 182 Prairie Avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

If the adult reader lived on a farm in his or her youth and daily "hunted" the eggs, "hunted" was the right name for this youthful farm chore. For it was not until comparatively a few years ago that the importance of the farm poultry flock and its housing came to be realized. Chickens usually had the run of the place, the yard about the farmhouse and other farm buildings and the fields; they went to roost in trees, or wherever their inclinations suggested and made their nests in the stable mangers, hay loft and other desirable places.

But with the help of the state agricultural colleges farmers have been brought to realize that there is a good profit from poultry. The hens daily produce a crop of eggs that brings in a continuous flow of cash; also they furnish the farm home with healthful food, both eggs and meat. Properly cared for and housed, the farm poultry flock is most profitable.

Records of costs, production and receipts were carefully kept on the flocks of fifty-two West Virginia farms last year and the results astonished even the most optimistic poultry adherents. The average cash income above the cost of feeding was \$318.05 while one farmer with 100 hens had cash receipts of \$1,515, while the costs for feed were \$240, leaving a net return for labor, etc. of \$1,270. Successful poultry raisers and farmers now bend their energies to



ward one point—production of eggs when prices are highest, which is during the last three months of the year. To do this they practice scientific feeding, close culling of the flocks so as to retain the layers and to quickly market the non-layers and maintain the flock during the cold weather in a well-constructed poultry house. In fact, management of a poultry flock is a science in itself.

Shown in the accompanying illustration is a good, but not expensive poultry house that will furnish adequate quarters for a flock of 200 chickens. This house is 14 feet wide and 60 feet long, which gives each hen slightly more than four square feet of space. The house is divided into five sections, each of which may be closed to the next one. Thus the pullets, when they are about to lay, should not be allowed to run with old hens, may be kept separate, and the flock can be divided so that none of the diseased hens are subject to will sweep through the whole house should they get a start.

This house is of frame construction, set on a concrete foundation. It should be located on a well-drained site, preferably a piece of ground that slopes toward the south. One side has many windows, and this side should face the south so as to get the full benefit of the sun on the short winter days. The concrete floor should be covered with litter and the feed scattered in it, thus forcing the hens to exercise in order to get their feed. The feeding should be done regularly at stated hours, and should be a continued ration, composed of such food as the hens get in summer when they are allowed range over the farm. The windows provide ventilation, which is essential for the health of the flock. However, care should be taken on cold and windy days not to allow the outdoor air to come in so as to hit the chickens directly. A cold draught sweeping through the house causes roup, or influenza, which in a short time will kill many of the birds.

The floor plan that accompanies the

exterior view of the building shows how and where the equipment should be placed. The roosts are located at the back of the house, where there is less light. Plenty of room should be provided on the roosts so the hens will not be crowded. Beneath the roosts are removable dropping boards so that the manure may be removed frequently. Cleanliness is important in a poultry house. The walls should be kept well whitewashed, and the litter on the floor changed frequently. The nests should be a foot square, with about the same amount of head room. They should be filled with hay or straw that is as soft as possible, so that the hens will be comfortable.

Greater egg production is secured in the winter time by installing electric lights in the house. The poultry on the American farm originated in tropical and semi-tropical countries and to be normal should not be kept in the dark more than six or seven hours. Many farmers have installed electric lights, which are automatically turned on early in the morning—about 4 o'clock—by an alarm clock, which throws a switch. A feed of grain has been scattered in the litter after dark the evening before, and as the lights flash on, the hens will fly from the roosts and go to work gathering their breakfast. It is exercise that keeps them lively—exercise coupled with proper feed. An inactive hen gets fat and does not lay as well as a hen that is kept on the move by her desire for food.

As was stated, there is a good profit in a farm poultry flock, which on the average farm should number at least 200 hens and roosters. But in order to reap this profit adequate quarters must be provided.

### MYSTERY WANTS SOLUTION

Why Are the Haberdasheries in the Big Cities Constantly on the Verge of Trouble?

Among the curiosities of our urban landscape are the haberdasheries which are just about to move away, or fall, or go out of business. As long as the memory of man runneth, from their windows, blossoming with shirts of all colors, has flashed that same categorical imperative: "Must Move Out at Once—Must Raise Money at Once"—"It's All Over, Our Loss Your Gain"—and so on.

And yet they persist, and nothing seems more permanent! You go away—to Europe, the Andes, the South pole. Wars rage, empires rise and fall. You return to find friends disappeared, old bachelors married, the old house replaced by some towering



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