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PRACTICAL ADVICE ABOUT DIVERSIFIED FARMING

The Guinea Hen.

In the line of poultry production, why should not Florida housewives pay more attention to guinea hens? Their eggs are but a trifle, if any, smaller than those of the hen, are just as good eating and for use in cooking, while the meat has a gamey flavor that closely resembles that of our natural game birds, now so rapidly disappearing from our forests and woodlands.

Our squawking friend is thought to have come originally from Africa—a country from whose dark interior we are getting a good many excellent things in the way of foods both animal and plant.

Like the turkey, they are a wandering race; like the Arab, they like to be let alone, to wander, only tentless, at will in field and garden, foraging for their daily food. If given a wide range their cost of maintenance is small, compared with the more domestic kind. The "mother" instinct is small, perhaps owing to this cause and the "hatch" comes out best, when the hen sits upon it, with the proverbial patience of Job. When young they are somewhat wild and require to be confined within close wire netted fences with a wide board

a poultry house where guineas are kept.

Guineas should not be hatched until continuous warm weather has come, say, the last of May and during June. The female guinea usually does not sit until later than this. A small flock is profitable and interesting.—W. E. P., in Florida Agriculturist.

How to Examine a Sick Animal.

First take the temperature of the animal by placing a fever thermometer into the rectum, allowing it to remain there for three to five minutes. The normal temperature of a cow is 101 degrees (Fahrenheit). The normal temperature of a horse is 100 degrees, sheep 101 degrees.

Second, take the pulse of the animal, which can be found at the angle of the lower jaw bone. The normal beats of a cow's pulse is from forty to fifty per minute and that of a horse from thirty-three to forty per minute.

Third, count the respiration of the animal, or number of times it breathes by watching the sides or flanks, or by pressing the ear to the side. The normal respiration of the cow is from fifteen to twenty per min-

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at the bottom. Once on squawking terms with their stepmothers and becoming familiar with hen talk, they are said to become very much attached to her, never leaving her day or night even after they are "grown up."

As to their laying they are quite prolific in this respect, but, like the turkey, they will hide their nests unless they have become domesticated by having the run of the house lot inclosure. If hatched by hens they are apt to do as hens do and will lay their eggs in the same nests.

The common pearl guinea has darker flesh than the white variety, which is unknown in its native country, the loss of color being an accident of domestication which has been taken advantage of to breed a new variety.

To distinguish between the sexes is easy for those familiar with this fowl, but the beginner may, for a time, be misled. The male has a bass voice—if one may be allowed the term for so unmusical a creature—while the female has a tenor one. She is the noisy one of the species, and alone "buckwhats" the air, the male never using it.

Poultry, from which the foregoing facts are condensed, says: "As night watches a few guineas are a perfect defense. They know a stranger at any time and will set up their clatter day or night, and he is a bold chicken thief who can withstand their discordant screeching when he invades

ute and that of a horse is from twelve to fifteen per minute while resting. If the temperature, pulse or respirations are found to be higher or faster than above described, you will know that the animal is ailing.—David Roberts, in Florida Agriculturist.

Take Care of Your Tools.

The value of an implement depends to some extent upon its term of usefulness, which, in turn, with its proper operation, is determined largely by the condition in which it is kept. Sufficient attention to bearings or other parts where good work and long wear depend on oil or elbow grease means economy of time, money and muscle. The best and the cheapest remedy for rust is shed-room.—W. A. B. Hearne.

The Best Breed.

The breed you fancy most is the best breed for you. A man's attention to his stock makes a large score in profit or loss in the stock business as well as other business. If the farmer is partial to a particular breed of stock of any kind he is more likely to succeed with this than with any other breed.—J. C. Stribling.

Use Hard Grit.

Grit must be hard and sharp to do the work of properly grinding up the food in the crop. Gravel, as a general thing, is not rough enough, and cracked oyster shell is too soft.

Witty Sayings.

There is one thing that should be said to the credit of the boys; they never pretend to like people they dislike.

There are but two classes of people in the world just before an election: The angels who belong to your party, and the devils on the other side.

Some men will take an awful lot of abuse to keep from paying their bills.

Pointed Paragraphs.

A pup is as friendly as an candidate two days before election.

Every man makes a different noise when he sneezes.

We used to think that big railroad men were about the smartest things that ever drew the breath of life, but lately we are catching them in a lot of fool things.

There are many occasions to say human nature should be changed, but you can't change it.

BOSTON BROWN BREAD.

There is even a new wrinkle in making Boston brown bread, and that is cake crumbs in place of wheat flour. The regular rule calls for one cup corn meal, the same amount of graham flour, ditto cake crumbs or wheat flour, the former much the better. Mix these dry ingredients together. Put into a bowl one cup sour milk, two-thirds of a cup of molasses, a pinch of salt and a teaspoonful of soda. Stir until the soda stops "purring," then stir into the dry ingredients. A cup of cut raisins may be added or not as desired. Many think them an improvement. Pour into buttered moulds and steam three hours, starting with cold water. If a larger quantity of bread is required, a teacupful of entire wheat flour is added.—New York Telegram.

Educational Conference.

Richmond, Va., Special.—Wednesday night the Southern Methodist educational conference will convene in the Broad Street Methodist church for a three days session, during which some of the most prominent educators and ministers of the Methodist church in the South will address the conference. Governor Claude A. Swanson will deliver an address of welcome at the opening, which will be responded to by Dr. Kilgo, president of Trinity College.

Military Sustains Committee.

Constantinople, By Cable.—The committee of union and progress has given convincing proof of its power and influence over the third army corps. Two military trains, each containing 800 infantry, arrived Saturday morning at Tohtataljaj, about 67 miles from the capital, and four other trains are expected to reach that point within 24 hours. Preparations also are being made at Saloniki for the despatch of a number of additional trains for Constantinople.

Crazed Negro Wounds Four.

Richmond, Special.—Everett Royster, a negro crazed by cocaine, Monday afternoon felled James B. Lacy and his son Charles in the former's wood and coal yard; fired three shots at Dr. James P. McDonough, after being wounded by the latter, armed with a shotgun; jumped into a victoria, and at the point of a pistol compelled the driver to race madly down Broad street in an effort to escape to the country. He was finally subdued.

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