

IGNORANCE!



Old Gentleman—And what's your name, my boy? Kid—Sech is fame! He don't recognize de 45-pound champeen of the Thoitenth ward!

SCALP WAS BADLY AFFECTED

"I am more than gratified by the successful results I obtained by the use of the Cuticura Remedies. For several years my scalp was very badly affected with dandruff and scales. My scalp itched terribly at times and my hair fell out. My coat collar would be actually white with the dandruff that had fallen from my head. My profession being that of a barber, I was particular about having my hair in good condition, and was also in a position to try many lotions, etc., for the scalp. These had little or no effect. I had heard so much about the Cuticura Remedies that I resolved to try them. I shampooed my head with Cuticura Soap twice a week and after drying my head thoroughly, I anointed parts of my scalp with Cuticura Ointment. I was pleased from the outset, and continued to keep up this treatment. To think that only three cakes of Cuticura Soap and one and one-half boxes of Cuticura Ointment rid my head of this annoying trouble made me feel quite contented. I have now got a thick growth of hair and I am never troubled with any dandruff or itching of the scalp. There is no question but that the Cuticura Remedies cured me. I frequently recommend them to my customers, and they think a great deal of them." (Signed) John F. Williams, 307 Norfolk Street, Dorchester, Boston, Mass., July 28, 1910.

Next!

There were a couple of dandy fish liars in the Colonial lobby. We didn't have time to get their names, addresses and photographs, but we lingered long enough to hear the conversation. The poignant part thereof was as follows: "How much did your fish weigh?" "I didn't have no hay scales with me, you mut. But when I pulled him out it lowered the lake four inches." "Some fish," commented the other, without the quiver of an eyelash. "Reminds me of some good sport I had duck hunting last fall. I fired at a flock of ducks and gathered up four quarts of toes."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Time Saving.

A new version of the new long familiar "while you wait" sign is found in an uptown avenue where a barber shop and a tailoring shop stand side by side. In front of the building hangs a sign on which are displayed the name of the barber concern and the name of the tailoring shop and this announcement: "Suits cleaned and pressed while you are getting shaved."—New York Sun.

Far From Bohemia.

Bjens—How is that lean, unshorn bohemian getting on these days? Tjarks—Why, they say he is desperately in love with the girl down in the laundry and is to be married soon. Something suspicious about it, though. Bjens—I should say so. What is a true bohemian doing around a laundry, anyway?

If thou considerest what thou art in thyself thou wilt not care what men say of thee.—Thomas a Kempis.

Get the Happy Mood— Post Toasties with cream for a breakfast starter produce it.

And there's a lot in starting the day right. You're bound to hand happiness to someone as you go along, and the more you give the more you get.

Buy a package of Post Toasties and increase the happiness of the family!

"The Memory Lingers"

POSTUM CEREAL CO., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

POULTRY

GENERAL ALL-AROUND BIRD

Little Difference in Three Varieties of Family Provided They Are Equally Well Handled.

In reply to the query, "How do the white, silver-laced and golden Wyandottes compare as general all-around birds, also for laying and breeding," the following reply is made:

There is very little difference in the three varieties of the Wyandotte family named provided that they are all equally well handled. Much depends upon strain for there are good and poor egg-laying strains, in all breeds of fowls and their different varieties.

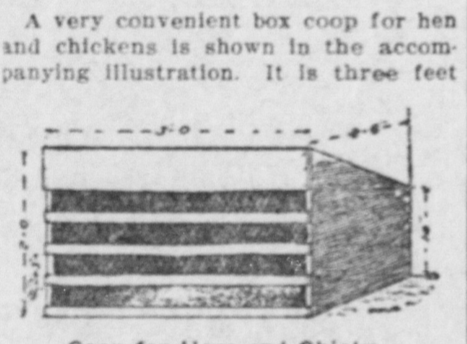


Champion White Wyandotte Hen.

The skilled poultry keeper breeds out the obstinate broodiness so characteristic of some strains. Philander Williams bred out the broody instinct in his Light Brahmas, and advertised for many years previous to his death, the "Aristocratic Strain of Non-Setting Light Brahmas." Just fancy breeding the sitting propensity out of such a determined sitter as a Light Brahma usually is. As for beauty of plumage, that is another question, which does not enter here.

COOP FOR HEN AND CHICKS

Very Convenient Pen is Shown in Illustration—One and One-half Inch Slats Used.



Coop for Hens and Chicks.

A very convenient box coop for hen and chickens is shown in the accompanying illustration. It is three feet long, two feet six inches from front to back, two feet high at the front and 14 inches high at the back, says the Homestead. One and one-half inch slats are nailed on the front three inches apart.

IMPROVE THE POULTRY FLOCK

Colorado Agricultural College Expert Suggests Practical Way to Secure Best Stock.

W. E. Vaplan of the Colorado Agricultural college, has suggested a good way to improve the poultry stock. Twenty hens in a colony house about 7x9 out in the orchard, with a yard about 50 feet square, will furnish a setting of eggs per day during the season, which is about all the average farmer will care to use. Keep two males for this pen, changing every few days. The right kind of a cock bird is too unselfish for his own good and will call the hens to eat all the good things while he goes hungry; shutting him up a few days and feeding him will keep him in better condition.

This plan also prevents fighting and will mean more fertile eggs. Weight, vigor, appearance of the flock, laying qualities, all will be greatly improved and the infertile eggs produced by the balance of the flock will keep better during warm weather, and will be much better for putting away for next winter.

Feed for Plymouth Rocks.

Twenty White Plymouth Rocks could profitably be fed one and one-half quarts of oats or wheat in the morning, all the green food they will eat at noon, and all they will eat at night of a mash made of ten pounds of wheat bran, five pounds of corn meal, five pounds of ground oats, two and one-half pounds of oil cake meal, two and one-half pounds of dry beef scraps.

Lice Among Hens.

When a spell of bad weather comes, look out for lice. They multiply fast when hens and chicks have to be confined to their coops much of the time. These pests will soon reduce the vitality of the liveliest chick ever hatched, so that it will be in good condition to take gaps or some other ailment.—Farm Journal.

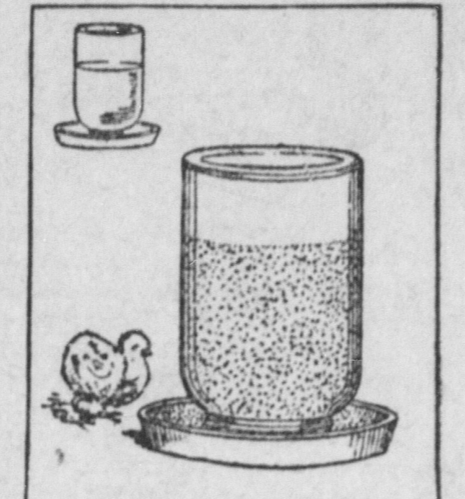
Raise Good Poultry.

Get some eggs from a reliable breeder, start right, and raise good poultry, even if it is only a few. It cooks better, sells better, tastes better, and will cost you no more to raise them.

FOUNTAIN KEEPS FEED CLEAN

Automatic Device Regulates Supply of Grain or Water as Little Chicks Clean It Up.

When the raising of chickens was haphazard, the percentage of losses from a setting was light. Now it is



Automatic Chick Feeder.

down to a science and everything in the way of sanitation counts, just as it does in the preserving of human life. An Illinois man has devised an automatic feeder and fountain which keeps the water, grain, grit, etc., that is fed to the little fowls clean and wholesome. It also regulates the supply, so that they do not gobble it all up at once. The feature of the fountain is a glass reservoir, for which purpose a fruit can can be used as well as anything else. This jar is filled with water or feed, and the pan that forms the bottom of the fountain placed on top. The jar is then inverted, bringing the pan right side up. The jar rests on raised portions of the pan, and the contents of the reservoir flow from it gradually as the chickens deplete the supply in the pan.

DEVICE FOR CATCHING FOWLS.



A handy device for catching fowls is shown in the illustration. It consists of a handle with a bent wire fastened to the end, so shaped that the leg easily slips in and the foot holds it from coming off.

Feeding for Profit.

The poultryman who can give just the right amount of the right food at all times is fortunate, indeed, for with individual hens, as with people, they require different quantities at different times. A hen that is laying an egg a day, or even every other day, will consume considerable more food than one that is not laying at all. Early maturing pullets should be extra well fed, they are making growth as well as eggs, so don't stint them, and if they don't lay quite as soon as you think they should remember that the food eaten is making flesh and bone and that they will be better size than if they are too precocious.

Kill Afflicted Birds.

If the discharges are green when fowls are afflicted with roup they are generally past all aid, and the sooner put out of their misery the better it will be for them and for the rest of the flock. Kill and burn the diseased birds in some place not frequented by the rest of the flock.

POULTRY NOTES

The duck generally lays at night. A simple egg record for the year should be kept.

Ducks do not make good sitters—use a chicken hen.

Good whole corn is one of the best feeds for the sitting hen.

No class of farm stock can utilize screenings so well as poultry.

A duck is not fully matured until it is about two and one-half years old.

Geese are very profitable, especially if one has a farm admirably located.

An essential in the hen's comfort in cold weather is a floor where no drafts are felt.

The duck house should have an earth floor, and heavily bedded with straw or leaves.

It takes a pretty good hen to stay on the job three whole weeks and bring off a nice litter of chicks.

The composition of eggs is about 65 per cent water. Hence the necessity for supplying it plentifully and pure.

Early in the season, when few hens are broody, the incubator will be found necessary to produce early chicks.

If the hen nests are supplied with fresh clean material there will be no need of washing the eggs before sending them to market.

In their wild state, guinea fowls mate in pairs, and many, particularly earlier, writers on the subject recommend mating them thus in captivity.

Even with the large addition to the plants that have been made the past ten years, the demand for squabs now is just as far in excess of the supply as it was then.

Dust young turkeys and their mother, once every two weeks, with insect powder, until they are at least six weeks old. Lice may not be discovered, but dust them, nevertheless, it is a good habit to acquire.

COMMERCIAL Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

Bradstreet's says:

"The features of the week have been a slight stimulation of retail trade by warm, bright weather North, West and East, good progress in the planting of and growth of leading cereal crops, and satisfactory developments as regards the outlook for leading fruit crops. The greater activity in retail trade in turn is reflected in a little better business by jobbers, but on the other hand, unseasonably wet and cool weather has checked farming operations in the South and also made for quiet in trade. The net result the country over has probably been a total of trade demand little different from that of the preceding week, and bank clearings are not materially different from those of last week.

"Business failures in the United States for the week ending April 27 were 240, against 233 last week, 189 in the like week of 1910, 268 in 1909, 282 in 1908 and 163 in 1907."

R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"While domestic trade moves sluggishly, export trade continues to expand and the increase in the amount of manufactured articles sold abroad is very gratifying. Commercial activity abroad is most noticeable, and is a promise of improvement on this side of the Atlantic as soon as present uncertainties, which serve to retard enterprise, pass. Another contrast is to be seen in the essentially sound fundamental conditions, such as abundance of money and comparative bareness of stocks on the shelves on the one hand and the curtailment of production, the inactivity in distribution and the virtual stagnation in speculation on the other."

Wholesale Markets

NEW YORK.—Wheat—Spot irregular; No. 2 red, 93 1/2 elevator and 95 1/2 f o b afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, 105 1/2 f o b afloat.

Corn—Spot steady; export No. 2 new, 59 1/2 nominal f o b afloat. May new, 59 1/2; July, 59 1/2.

Oats—Spot easy; standard white, 38 1/2; No. 2, 39; No. 3, 38 1/2; No. 4, 38 1/2.

Eggs barely steady; receipts, 28-523 cases; Western duck eggs, 18 @ 20c; Southern, 17 @ 23.

Poultry—Alive demoralized; no prices available. Dressed easy; Western fowls, 14 @ 16c; turkeys, 15 @ 18.

PHILADELPHIA.—Wheat—Steady; contract grade No. 2 red in export elevator, 91 @ 92c. Corn unchanged. Oats firm; No. 2 white natural, 38 1/2 @ 39.

Butter—Steady; extra Western creamery, 24c; do nearby prints 25c. Eggs weak, 15c per case lower; Pennsylvania and do other firsts f c, \$5.55 per case; do current receipts f c, \$5.25 per case; Western firsts f c, \$5.55 per case; do current receipts f c, \$5.25 per case.

Cheese—Firm; New York full cream fancy September, 13 @ 13 1/2; do fair to good, 12 @ 12 1/2.

Live Poultry—Firm; fowls, 16 @ 16 1/2c; old roosters, 11 1/2 @ 12; chickens, choice, 19 @ 20; do, stagsy, 13 @ 14; ducks, 15 @ 15; spring chickens, 35 @ 38. Dressed poultry steady; fresh killed fowls, nearby, 16 1/2 @ 17c; do Western, 14 1/2 @ 16 1/2; old roosters, 12 1/2; roasting chickens, nearby, 14 @ 17; do Western, 13 @ 17.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 red Western, 93 1/2c; contract, 93; No. 3 red, 91; steamer No. 2 red, 89; steamer No. 2 red Western, 89. The closing was firm; spot and April, 92 1/2c; May, 92 1/2c; July, 90 bid.

Corn—Contract, 57c; steamer mixed, 54 1/2c; steamer yellow, 54 1/2c; no established grade, 53 1/2c. The closing was easier; spot and April, 56 1/2c; May, 56 1/2c; June, 57c; July, 57 1/2c @ 58.

Oats—No. 2 white, 38 1/2; standard white, 37 1/2 @ 38; No. 3 white, 37 1/2 @ 37 1/2.

Rye—Western Domestic—No. 2, 1.00; No. 3, 92 @ 94; No. 4, 88 @ 90. Nearby—No. 2, 87; bag lots, as to quality, 80 @ 90.

Hay—Timothy No. 1, \$23.50 @ 24; No. 2, \$22.50 @ 23; No. 3, \$19.50 @ 21.50. Clover, mixed—Choice, \$21 @ 22; No. 1, \$20.50 @ 21; No. 2, \$19 @ 20. Clover—No. 1, \$19 @ 20; No. 2, \$18 @ 19.

Straw—Rye, straight—No. 1, \$9 @ 9.50; No. 2, \$8.50 @ 9. Rye, tangled—No. 1, \$7.50 @ 8; No. 2, \$7 @ 7.50. No. 1 wheat, \$6 @ 6.50; No. 1 oats, \$7.50 @ 8.

Butter—Creamery, fancy, 23 1/2 @ 24; Creamery, choice, 22 @ 23; Creamery, good, 20 @ 21; Creamery, imitation, 18 @ 20; Creamery, prints, 25 @ 27.

Live Stock

CHICAGO.—Close: Cattle—Beeves, \$5 @ 6.45; Texas steers, \$4.60 @ 5.50; Western steers, \$4.80 @ 5.75; stockers and feeders, \$4 @ 5.60; cows and heifers, \$2.40 @ 5.65; calves, \$4.25 @ 6.

Sheep—Market weak. Native, \$3 @ 4.60; Western, \$3.25 @ 4.60; yearlings, \$4.25 @ 5.15; lambs, native, \$4.25 @ 6.10; Western, \$4.75 @ 6.15.

His Effort. "Now, Johnny," said the teacher, "you may try your hand at writing a short story." A few minutes later Johnny handed up his slate on which was written: "Us boys all loves our teacher."—Harper's Bazar.

TO DRIVE OUT MALARIA AND BILIOUSNESS... Take the Old Standard GILBERT'S TASTEFUL CHILL TONIC. You know what you are taking. The formula is plainly printed on every bottle, showing it is simply Quinine and Iron in a Tasteless Form. The Quinine drives out the malarial and the iron builds up the system. Sold by all dealers for 30 years. Price 50 cents.

Let amusement fill in the chinks of your life, not the great spaces thereof.—Parker.

Advertisement for Castoria 900 Drops. Includes text: 'ALCOHOL—3 PER CENT. Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of INFANTS & CHILDREN. Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC. Perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.'

Advertisement for Hood's Sarsaparilla. Text: 'Hood's Sarsaparilla. Is the specific remedy for that tired feeling so common in the spring or upon the return of warm weather. It purifies and enriches the blood. Get it today in usual liquid form or chocolate tablets called Sarsatabs.'

Advertisement for Castoria. Text: 'CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of J. C. A. Fletcher. In Use For Over Thirty Years. CASTORIA THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.'

Advertisement for Headache-Micks' Capidine. Text: 'FOR HEADACHE—Micks' CAPIDINE. Whether from Cold, Heat, Stomach or Nervous Troubles, Capidine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it. 10c, 25c, and 50 cents at drug stores. Fairly Won. "Who gave ye th' black eye, Jim?" "Nobody gave it ' me. I had t' fight fer it."—Life.

Advertisement for Micks' Capidine. Text: 'The Impossible. Andrew Carnegie, at a recent dinner in New York, said of a certain labor trouble: "It is silly of employers to pretend in these troubles that they are always in the right. Employers are often in the wrong; often unreasonable. They often—like Mrs. Smith-Jones—ask impossible things." Mrs. Smith-Jones, taking a villa at Palm Beach, engaged for butler a stately old colored deacon. "Now, Clay," she said to the old fellow, "there are two things I must insist upon—truthfulness and obedience." "Yes, madam," the venerable servant answered, "and when yo' bids me tell yo' guests yo' out when yo' in, which shall it be, madam?" A Distinction. "Jim may not be a successful man," said the optimist, "but he's full of possibilities." "Perhaps," grunted the cynic, "but not of probabilities." If a dose of Hamlin's Wizard Oil taken at night will prevent your having a bad cold in the morning, isn't it a good idea to have it ready to take the moment you feel the cold coming? The sunset of your life will not be beautiful unless your home life was pleasant during your day of work.—Colonel Hunter. For COLDS and GRIP. Micks' CAPIDINE is the best remedy—relieves the aching and feverishness—cures the cold and restores normal conditions. It's liquid—effects immediately. 10c, 25c, and 50c. At drug stores. You cannot step twice into the same stream, for as you are stepping in, other, and yet other, waters flow on.—Heraclitus.

Advertisement for The President Guaranteed Work Shirt. Text: 'THE PRESIDENT GUARANTEED WORK SHIRT 2 MILLION satisfied customers is a pretty solid endorsement for a shirt. That's the backing of the 50c Regular President Work Shirt. The \$1.00 Special President is the extra special garment, made by the same good value measure, for the men who want something extraordinarily good in a working shirt. Both are the strongest, most practical work shirts for the price ever manufactured. Wide selection of attractive, fast color patterns. Guarantee Bond in pocket of each shirt. Your dealer can supply you; if not, send us his name, your collar size and the price in stamps for sample shirt and book of new patterns. REGULAR \$1.00 EXTRA SPECIAL \$1.00 THE PRESIDENT SHIRT CO. 110 W. Fayette Street BALTIMORE, MD.'