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### Actor's Easy Way Out of Dilemma

Munden, the actor, was once, at a dinner party, placed before a haunch of venison and requested to carve it. "Really, gentlemen," said he, "I do declare I know very little about table anatomy. I dare say now there is some particular cut in the haunch—some tit-bit—I dare say there is—but I assure you I am quite ignorant where to pick for it."

A dozen knives instantly started from the cloth, and Munden was instructed where the rich meat lay. He uttered a long string of thanks, worked out a prime slice, loaded it with sauce and jelly, and then, with the plate in his hand, looked through his glasses round the table. Every hand was ready, and every mouth prepared.

"Really, gentlemen," said the comedian, "I wish I could please you; but if I give a tit-bit to one, I shall offend the rest; so, ergo," he added, "I'll keep it myself, and let every gentleman help himself to what he likes."

Dr. Peery's "Dead Shot" is powerful, but safe. One dose will expel Worms or Tapeworms; no castor oil needed. Adv.

**Overcoming Tuberculosis**  
Tuberculosis in the Irish Free State is gradually lessening, statistics show. In 1919 one in about every seventy of the population was affected by some form of the disease, while in 1923 the proportion had diminished to about one in every ninety. The decrease in deaths from all forms of tuberculosis in five years was 1,371. In 1923 the tuberculosis death rate was 1.41 a 1,000.



### Vireos Are Fond of Caterpillars

Scale Insects and Other Tree Pests Are Relished by Birds.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)  
During the summer almost anywhere in the United States at least one species of vireo, and usually more than one, is to be found flitting about in the trees or shrubbery. In the East and Central regions the common species is the red-eyed vireo, but the white-eyed, warbling, and yellow-throated vireos also are abundant. The Philadelphia, blue-headed, button, and Bell vireos are more or less widely distributed.

**Are Vireos Beneficial?**  
As with other common species of birds, the question as to whether or not vireos are beneficial is legitimately raised, and to answer it, the biological survey of the United States Department of Agriculture has made a study of their food habits, by examining the stomach contents of a great many of these birds.

The conclusions reached are set forth in a recent report (Department Bulletin, 1355), "Food Habits of the Vireos: A Family of Insectivorous Birds." The food of the several vireos is shown to be very similar though sometimes varying in proportions. Most of the insects eaten are either neutral or definitely injurious in their economic relations, and may be placed on the credit side of the account of these birds.

**Fond of Caterpillars.**  
All vireos are especially fond of caterpillars. Scale insects are a notable item of vireo food, and other tree pests are freely eaten. Many destructive weevils were found in the stomachs examined, including such forms as the clover-leaf, clover-root, cotton-boll, and nut weevils, the plum curculio and bark beetles. Vireos also destroy ants and grasshoppers. Useful insects taken by the vireos include some of the hymenopterans, predaceous bugs and beetles, among which are ladybird beetles, which are almost uniformly beneficial. Although it is regretted that vireos consume as many ladybirds as the evidence indicates, yet they also devour many of the pests attacked by the ladybirds, which must, in part excuse them. As fruit eaters the vireos are practically harmless.

Those interested in the bulletin may obtain a copy, while the supply lasts, by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.

### American Turken Found to Be Extremely Hardy

Have you ever heard of the turken? It is not a new bird but it is new to America. It has been bred for centuries in Russia, where it was the favored and protected bird of the royal family. Three of these birds were brought to California by George P. Schaefer, proprietor of "Halo Sacredo" breeding farm, Menlo Park, Cal. Mr. Schaefer crossed these birds with Rhode Island Reds, the resultant issue being the much-talked-of fowl, the American turken. The economical value of the fowl is said to be very considerable, it being the producer of a high average of large white eggs, while its abundant flesh is juicy and white. The breed is extremely hardy and the chicks mature quickly. The writer has personal knowledge of a 50 per cent hatch of eggs shipped from California. The chicks were hardy and strong and easily raised, the mortality being far below that of ordinary chicks. At present the supply is limited, but for the future this may become a widely-raised breed.—Seed World

### Egg-Producing Pullets Need Good Protein Feed

For egg production pullets should have access to protein feed. The best method of supplying the protein feed is by feeding dry mash from a self-feeder.

The following dry mash is recommended for your attention:  
One part by weight of wheat bran.  
One part by weight of middlings.  
One part by weight of ground corn or corn meal.  
One part by weight of heavy oats.  
One part by weight of meat scrap.  
Another dry mash used with success is:

Equal parts of ground wheat, oats, corn and meat scrap. The amount of meat scrap used can be somewhat reduced if milk is fed. A good scratch feed of home-grown feeds and as good as can be had is:  
Five parts wheat, three parts corn, and two part oats.

### Dairy Cows Need Plenty of Water During Winter

Lots of farmers who milk a few cows during the winter months, have the idea that because the water is cold, it cuts down on the milk flow. This is hardly the correct way of putting it, for you will find that the real reason dairy cows don't give full milk production when given ice water, is because they don't drink enough of it.

Professor Weaver of the Iowa experiment station has found that it takes about four pounds of water for every pound of milk a cow gives, no matter what temperature the water is. When the water is so cold that the cows drink less, they give less milk. Try heating the water for them, and see if it doesn't make a difference.

### Treating Potatoes Destroys Diseases

Corrosive Sublimate Kills Germs of Spores.

Treating seed potatoes with corrosive sublimate before planting kills the germs or spores that cause scab, Rhizoctonia, and blackleg diseases. Although the tubers appear free from disease it is safest to treat all seed, says Paul E. Tilford, potato disease specialist at the Ohio experiment station, as even a small amount of disease in the seed with a favorable season for its development is likely to produce a loss of marketable tubers.

Seed potatoes are treated by soaking them in a corrosive sublimate solution for an hour and a half. Corrosive sublimate may be bought at a drug store. A stock solution is made up by dissolving the powder in hot water at the rate of four ounces per gallon. A gallon of the solution is diluted to 50 gallons with water. The strength of the solution deprecates with use so that three-eighths to one-half ounce of the powder or a little less than a pint of the stock solution should be added after each batch of potatoes is treated. Even with this precaution the solution should not be used more than four or five times until it is discarded and a fresh supply made up.

As corrosive sublimate reacts in metals, it must be handled in wooden vessels, such as canny buckets or barrels. A convenient way to handle the potatoes is to place them in bags, which may be lowered into and lifted from the barrel of solution by an overhead rope and pulley. After treatment the potatoes may be left in the bags or spread on a floor to green if greening is done before late planting.

### Fertilizer Experiments Conducted in Wisconsin

Some very interesting data are to be found in research bulletin No. 65, "Fertilizer Experiments," issued by the agricultural experiment station, Madison, Wis. For example, it was found that much greater results are to be obtained when the commercial fertilizer is applied one-half inch above the planted corn. Fertilizer mixed with the seed often retards or eliminates germination. For this reason many users of commercial fertilizer have been disappointed in the results secured. They got the fertilizer too close to the seed.

Oats, as a rule, do not need applications of commercial fertilizer. Some fields were benefited, though not many.

In the case of a peat soil, 300 pounds per acre of 0-10-10 fertilizer applied in the row increased the yield of cabbage more than when 1,200 pounds was applied broadcast. Application in the row thus seems to be more economical than broadcast application for cabbage.

Potato sprouts are very tender and are easily injured if they come in contact with high concentrations of fertilizers as occurs with applications directly above the seed.

**Fall or Spring Plowing for Improved Corn Crop**

Whether fall or spring plowing is better for corn depends on soil conditions to a large extent. Soils that are heavy and approximating the gumbo types are better plowed in the fall so the elements will act on them in the winter. On the other hand soils which have but little humus in them and which run together badly before spring will do better when plowed in the spring. One purpose of plowing is to aerate the soil so as to let air in to hasten the decomposition of humus for the liberation of plant food, but when this aeration is given too far ahead of a growing crop the aeration may lose its action before the crops begin to grow.

There are not many soils of this type, however, so as a rule it is better to plow in the fall when the soil contains a fair amount of humus or when it is dark in color; or when a good amount of fresh organic matter, such as clover or manure, is to be plowed under. The action of the organic matter or humus is to keep the soil from running together. Fall plowing also serves to spread a large part of heavy work over a longer period of the year instead of having so much just at planting time.

### Farm Hints

It's weather, not wear, that destroys machinery.

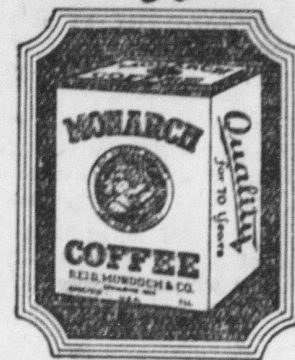
Heavy-weight hens will usually bring more on the market than they produce in eggs.

The time to prune fruit trees is here. This work can best be done during open weather.

Just as water cannot rise higher than its source, so no farmer is ever richer than his land.

Two or three days spent in building a dropping board for the poultry house, more convenient roosts, and a poultry self-feeder will soon be repaid in time saved and production increased.

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### Solitary Life Led by Aged Anchorite

In the center of a forest not far from Czernovitz in the Bukovinian province of Rumania lives an old hermit whose real name nobody knows, but who is called "Metro." At least eighty years old, he has led a solitary existence since 1910. It is said that he then met financial misfortune and decided to cut himself off from the world. He has built two primitive huts, one for winter and one for summer, and he never strays more than a few hundred yards from them. He keeps a leaf fire burning always and is an ardent sun worshiper. His food consists chiefly of acorns and other nuts. Invariably he refuses to accept food or other gifts from visitors. His clothes are of the simplest, and are tied together by cords. When he bathes he strips himself and lets the rain do the rest. He is held in great respect by the natives of the locality, but he dislikes and resents the presence of strangers.

### Ice Cream Anniversary

The year 1926 marks the seventy-fifth anniversary of the manufacture of ice cream as a commercial industry. It was in 1851 that ice cream was first manufactured and sold in Baltimore by Jacob Fussell, who is known as the father of the ice cream industry.

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### Bird of the Arctic

The snow goose is an Arctic goose seen in the United States during its migration, sometimes in vast numbers. It is pure white except in the black wing quills, washed on the head with reddish; the beak, which is strongly toothed, is pink and the feet reddish. An adult male measures 27 inches long and weighs 5 1/2 pounds. Ross' snow goose is a miniature of the other and is known all over Hudson Bay country as the "horned wavy."

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