Agricultural Department

Fancy Fowls for Farmers.

A correspondent of the Buffalo Live Stock Journal, very much doubts the profitableness of beeding fancy poultry by farmers. He says:

"The majority of farmers believe that keeping hens is a branch of their business in which profit and loss are so nearly balanced as to make it extremely uncertain upon which side of the ledger the largest figures will stand. Their hens just about pay expenses, and that is all that can justly be said of them. Still, very few farmers keep pure-blooded fowls, and the query arises: Would they find it more profitable to keep fancy stock?

If the ordinary barnyard fowls (the half-breeds and the various mixtures of good, poor and indifferent) which are generally kept, fail to return to their owners an appreciable profit, will thoroughbreds do any better? It seems to me that this will depend very much upon the care which the owner takes of them and the circumstances by which they are surrounded. If they are to be wholly neglected in regard to food, shelter, &c., it will make but little difference with the profits of the business wether the best breeds are kept or no breeds at all. But if they are provided with suitable food and protection, there is no doubt that some breeds will return a larger profit than others.

Very much will also depend upon what the owner wants of his hens. If he wants to obtain large numbers of eggs and does not care to raise chickens, he will want a different breed from what he would if his main object was to obtain poultry. But wether in either case, there is any necessity for getting fancy, high priced stock, is a question to which many breeders return an affirmative reply, but which I should answer in the negative. There is no need of paying from ten to seventy-five dollars each for fowls to keep on the farm; nor is it absolutely necessary to keep pure-bred hens in order to obtain the highest rate of profit which those creatures can be made to furnish. But it is best to secure thrifty and well formed fowls, and to select them with special reference to the object in view.

Any disinterested person will readily admit that the Brahmas are better for poultry than the Black Spanish, and that a mixture of Brahmas and Leghorns and Dorkings might, where fat chickens are wanted for the market early in the season, be better than the pure-bred fowls. An impartial judge would decide that good fowls are not all of them thoroughbred. Many years ago, my father kept a lot of hens in which the White Dorking blood predominated, although they were far from being pure-breed. They were fine layers and nice for poultry.

For some time I have been keeping, on the same farm my father occupied, some Brown Leghorn hens, for the original stock of which I paid $10 each. Part of the original stock are still in my yards. They are very handsome, good layers, and I have no fault whatever to find with them. But to keep on a farm, I do not believe they are any better than my father's hens, which were valued at only a dollar each. It does not pay for farmers to buy fancy fowls, or even to purchase their eggs. I think they can get good stock much cheaper. If the hens which a farmer has do not suit him, he can generally obtain eggs of some neighboring farmer from which he can grow better stock. The cost will be slight, and if proper care is used in making the selection, great improvement can thus be made. The majority of farmers will agree that ten dollars each is altogether too a high a price for hens to keep on the farm. Good hens can be bought for a much lower price, and I can see no necessity for paying from three to five dollars for eggs enough to set one hen, and then paying from one to three or four dollars to the express company for their transportation. Even if the eggs would all hatch it would make the cost of the hens altogether too high, and no one who has ever had experience in the business expects more than half or two-thirds of the eggs obtained in this way to produce chickens. I do not advocate keeping or breeding from poor stock, but I believe that good hens for farm purposes are more common, and can be had at a much lower price, than dealers in fancy fowls are willing to admit.

RECEIPT BOOKS.—Allow me to suggest to all thrifty housekeepers that they make their own receipt books. A blank book having its pages numbered can be obtained for a small sum of any dealer in stationery. Do not write any receipts save those that have been tried by yourself or friends. Have it arranged systematically, by being divided into different departments, as one for meats, another for vegetables, breads, pies, puddings, &c. Have an index, and allow space at the end of every different department, both there and in the body of the book, in which to make entries at future times. Any obliging housekeeper will be not only willing but glad to give you receipts and rules for making different dishes; then write them out *definitely*, for it is of fully as much importance that a dish be properly mixed and cooked, as that the proper proportions be used. It may, at first thought, look like a hard task, but have it lying handy and write in it at odd moments, and you will be surprised at the progress you will make, and then, when made, you will have such a feeling of reliability about it, for you *know* what it is: no experimenting there. I have one which I commenced fifteen years ago, and I would not give it for any one I have ever seen published. And what a treasure such a book would be to a daughter commencing housekeeping all written in mother's hand-writing, and tested by her good judgment and mature wisdom!

GRAPE JELLY.—Noticing in your paper an inquiry with regard to making grape jelly, I thought I would send my receipt therefor, which has never failed:

Pick the grapes carefully from the stems, and putting them carefully into a stone jar, place it into a pot of hot water upon the stove, stirring and mashing occasionally to facilitate their heating. When hot, express the juice by pressure through a firm cotton bag; then, by measure, to two parts of juice add one of good white sugar, and boil quickly until done. I should judge the time required to be about fifteen minutes. A drop upon a cold plate will determine the matter; and with a little experience one can always tell from the manner in which it boils, when the finishing point is reached. We consider it one of the nicest, as well as most easily made of jellies. J. N. M.

Educational Department

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Committee of Associate Editors.

Communications may be sent to either of the above editors, as may be preferred, and will appear in the issue of which he has charge.

A. A. KEENEY, Editor, present week.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Examinations of teachers for the public schools, will be held as follows:

Oct. 23, Standing Stone, at Stevens' School House; Oct. 24, Orwell, at Orwell Hill School House; Oct. 25, Warren, at Bowen Hollow School House; Oct 28, Windham, at Kuykendall School House; Oct. 29 Litchfield, at Centre School House; Oct. 30, Athens Boro' School House; November 1, Sheshequin, Centre School House; Nov. 2, Ulster, at village School House; Nov. 3, Burlington and West Burlington, Boro' School House; Nov. 4, Smithfield, East Smithfield School House; Nov. 5, Springfield, at Centre School House; Nov. 6, Ridgbury and South Creek, at Doty Hill School House; Nov. 8, Wells, Beckwith School House; Nov. 9, Columbia, at Austinville School House; Nov. 10, Troy, Boro' School House; Nov. 11, Canton, Boro' School House; Nov. 15, LeRoy Corners' School House; Nov. 16, Granville Centre; Nov. 17, Franklin, Varney School House; Nov. 18, Monroe, Monroeton School House; Nov 19, Albany and Overton, at Bahr School House; Nov. 20, Terry and Wilmot, Sugar Run School House; Nov. 22, Pike, LeRaysville School House; Nov 23, Herrick, Camp School House; Nov. 24, Wyalusing, at Camptown School House; Nov 25, Tuscarora, at Keeney School House; Nov 26, Asylum, Centre School House; Nov 27, Towanda Boro' School House; Nov 29, Wysox, East Towanda School House.

Applicants will please come provided with pen, ink, lead pencil, foolscap, and sixth reader. Examination to begin at 9 o'clock A. M.

A. A. KEENEY, County Superintendent.

Towanda, Pa., Oct. 4, 1875.

For the Educational Department.

PRACTICAL KNOWLEDGE BY PEDESTRIANISM.

BY A. J. KIRSCHNER.

We may venture to say that in no other country where institutions of learning exist, is harder work done by teachers and students than in our own. The steady and long application to hard study, so often prevalent, is injurious to a degree that often endangers the health and vigor of the student. Many able physicians have remonstrated against such folly, and advised different means for its prevention.

Some of our schools that are foremost in the good work, occasionally organize excursion parties, while studying the physicial sciences, and thus relieve the monotony of their daily work. But there are many that hardly ever undertake such a trip, and are satisfied with studying nature from books, and their immediate surroundings. It is not uncommon to find persons well drilled in the description and analysis of flowers, who have a very inaccurate knowledge of their peculiar places of growth, viz: whether they are mostly found along the summer or winter side of a hill, or in the valley; thriving best in a stony or sandy soil, or one of clay. All these peculiarities are interesting to the student of nature.

We can study the insects of the earth, the animals of the land and sea, the rocks and metals in their various hues and forms, and the works of art, in the same manner as we do the trees and plants. The time and labor required are amply repaid by the knowledge and recreation attained. If these excursions, so limited in time and extent, are productive of much good, then longer ones, extending over a far greater portion of the surrounding country, must be eminently so.

In Switzerland, the practice of making pedestrian excursions has for a long time been prevalent. The students in a school are divided into classes, each class and teacher having the privilege of making a certain number of excursions a year. The time required for these trips varies from one to fourteen days, according to the age of the students. They are an incentive to study, from the fact that only those who *try to do* well are allowed to go. These excursions are for the most part accomplished on foot.

With a moderate allowance, these parties are enabled to travel through their country, and even adjoining ones. The knowledge thus gained is of inestimable value. They become acquainted with the cities and towns, the mountains and valleys of their country, and a thousand other beauties of nature and art. It is thus that the patriotism of the Switzer "swells high in his bosom," making his fatherland dearer to him than any other on earth. Such travels are a source of joy to the participant in after years.

If our higher institutions would take a deeper interest in this respect, a great deal of permanent good could be accomplished. The prizes awarded to the most successful students would be better invested if made to defray the expenses of such excursions. This would encourage that class of students noted for hard work, and possessing only average talents.

The inhabitants of Switzerland, Germany, and others, are known to be versed well in what is called "knowledge of earth," and, still better, in "knowledge of fatherland." The former is well taught in the school, but the marked degree of proficiency in the latter is principally the result of frequent pedestrian excursions in youth.

The journeymen of some countries of Europe are great pedestrians. It is the custom of a man of trade to visit a great many leading cities, in order to improve himself in his work. There are journeymen who have, in the course of three or four years, worked in Paris, Amsterdam, Hamburg, Bremen, and besides visited such distant cities as Riga and St. Petersburg.

In consideration of the above, we hold that excursions of this kind are more important to students than journeymen. Schools where teachers are educated should be especially interested in this matter. It not only engenders a love for nature studies—an important trait of a true teacher—but also stimulates to a study of nature in the future.

OBITUARY.—Flora T. Parsons, late a member of the Faculty of the Cumberland Valley State Normal School, and formerly teacher of drawing at Oswego, N. Y., died in the city of Baltimore, June 30. Miss Parsons was an estimable lady, beloved by all who knew her. While attending many of our institutes in this State, she formed a large number of acquaintances, who will be pained to learn, in these few lines, the sad news of her early departure. She has fallen a victim to her professional zeal, and, we trust, will now reap the rich reward of her toils and cares.

MR. ISAAC S. CRAWFORD, of Herrick, at present in charge of a select school in Sheshequin, is to teach in Rome borough this winter.

—Miss M. A. Demarest, of the last class of graduates of Mansfield, has been conducting a very successful select school at Windham Centre this Fall.

—The next session of the County Teachers' Association is to be held at Canton the second Friday and Saturday in November.

—The veteran educator, H. E. Pitcher, is teaching at Ulster, and expects to remain during the winter.

—Mr. E. P. Seely, of Rome, is teaching in Castle Creek, Broome county, N. Y., this fall.

—Mr. Fred Frisbie is teaching at Orwell.

—The Rev. J. H. Nason is in charge of the Graded School at East Smithfield. We understand the attendance the present term is very large.

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Towanda, July 1, 1875.

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