

## Farm and Household.

### Late Chickens the Best Layers.

A correspondent of the Country Gentleman writes: After repeated experiments during the past twenty-five years in hatching chickens, I am fully convinced that fowls hatched in the month of July make far better layers than those born at any other season of the year. Early hatched chicks commenced laying in September, and continue until cold January weather, when they discontinue until spring. On the other hand, when hatched in July or August, they begin in February, and continue until October. I find July chickens will average 50 to 75 more eggs yearly, than those hatched in March. My method, therefore, is to hatch 100 chicks in August for my own use. As soon as the chicks can be selected from the pullets, they are converted into pots, giving the pullets, all the room. The pullets are then well fed, and are soon large enough to care for themselves.

The Light Brahmas have always been my most profitable and favorite fowls; but with great reluctance I am obliged after three years' trial to place the Partridge Cochins at the head of the list. As layers they excel any Asiatic breed I have ever known, and as market fowls they have no equal. They are very hardy, mature early, and make short-legged yellow-fleshed, heavy-breasted toms. My pullets hatched last August are laying now, as they have since February. They are superior sitters and most careful mothers. I am also breeding White Cochins for the flock, and have found, and thus far I am much pleased with them.

### Full Management of Lambs.

M. N. Russell, Jefferson Co., O., writes the Germantown Telegraph:—In order to have lambs go into winter quarters in good condition it is important that they should receive proper attention in time. Not only should they have good pasture to run on, but they should be fed a small quantity of grain at least once a day. Oats or rye is preferable to corn; and if inclined to sour, a little wheat bran is an excellent thing to give them. A small portion of salt should be put in their feed, which will give them a better relish for it. By pursuing this course they will grow very fast, and small, weak lambs will become strong and thrifty, and when winter sets in they will be so trained to eat that it will be a pleasure to tend them. They should be sheltered from the cold rains that very frequently come during the fall months, when a little nice hay should be put into the racks for them to pick at.

As a general rule it is better to have lambs in two flocks as the strong ones will crowd the small ones out if left together. An old pasture field of blue grass and timothy is better for them to run on than meadows, as there is inclination to scour. Clover pasture should always be avoided. I have found from experience that it is much easier taking lambs through the winter that were well taken care of immediately after being separated from the ewes than those that were left in a manner to shift for themselves.

### Woman and the Dairy.

From a paper on Dairying, read before the Wisconsin Agricultural Convention by Mrs. F. Putnam, of Dodge's Corners, Wis., we make the following extracts, as published in the Western Farmer:—Dairying should be promoted to a greater extent, and while I would in no wise depreciate the extensive factory enterprises, I believe they cannot supersede the necessity, nor should their existence furnish an excuse to avoid the trouble of farm dairying. If, from any pretext, our farmers should neglect the care of their dairies, producing sufficient amount of butter and cheese for the consumption of their families, a short period of time must prove the fallacy of the scheme. Farmers' daughters generally take too little interest in household matters.

A young man, of his own wealth consisting in health and vigor, is in company with a poor farmer's daughter, whom he hoped soon to make his wife, while at an agricultural exhibition, and passing by the stands loaded with household products heard some one remark: "There is some good bread" when this dairy-lipped lady, in a tone of affection and disdain replied: "I know, situated of this matter; I should be no judge of the article." Many persons are compelled by circumstances to seek new homes, and these small means will procure, and these are found in many sections, isolated from many conveniences of populous districts. In situations like these, if educated in the care of general house work and the dairy, they might still enjoy the excellent food, and the security of an income from the proceeds of their skill.

Then, ladies, why not add to your other attainments skill in the culinary arts and in the products of the dairy? that your pleasure may not be marred nor the smiles of your guests dimmed by looks of disgust while at your repast, as you produce them soft, fragrant, "edged" butter, and delicious creamy cheese. But this skill, in greatest perfection, is not acquired by a few faint hearted trials; but long, patient, persevering care and faithful practice, are necessary to accomplish the best results.

A lady remarked to the successful competitor on farm dairy products, the late State Fair, "I envy you the ease with which you gained your premiums." She did not consider that many years had been passed in almost daily practice of the dairy lesson.

### See To The Sheep.

Sheep thin in flesh should now be sorted from the flock and given the advantage of extra feed. In most flocks where there has been a natural increase, many of the ewes have been reduced in flesh by sustaining two litters, and such will be very likely to furnish a put before spring unless properly fitted for winter. The way to keep a strong, healthy flock is, to not let any member of it get poor.

In some of the Western ranges, it is said, the members are pledged never to go in law with each other, but to settle their disputes by arbitration.

An honest old farmer, on being informed of the other day that one of his neighbors owned him a grudge, growled out, "No matter, he never saw anything."

Hot vines make paper.

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New Milford, Sept. 24, 1873.

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The subscriber offers for sale the valuable farm known as the

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Said farm is one of the most desirable in the County and is situated in the village of Sumner, in the town of New Milford, Pa. There is a good stone house, 12 rooms, with a large porch, and a large barn, 20 by 40 feet. The farm is directly on the line of the P. & W. Railroad, 14 miles from the depot in New Milford, and miles from the New York & E. R. R. at the Great Bend Station. It contains 100 acres of land, 120 of which are improved, and is well watered, having a fine stream of water running through it, and a never-failing spring of water adapted to growing grain, and is well fitted for stock raising. There is a large and convenient dooryard, a large horse barn, a large carriage and tool barn, a large cattle barn with two cattle yards, ample sheds and stalls for feeding stock or stabling cows. 2 small hay barns, for horse, cow, and sheep. Corn house, and 2 orchards of fruit trees.

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R. L. SUTPHIN,

New Milford, Susquehanna County, Pa. August 26, 1873.

### FOR SALE—The farm late of Nathan Aldrich, de'd, situated about half a mile west of Montrose Depot, in Brooklyn township, containing about 111 acres of land mostly improved. Inquire of the undersigned, executor of said estate, at New Milford, Pa.

New Milford, Jan. 23, 1873.—H. F. ALDRICH.

### Miscellaneous.

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Montrose, May 14, 1873.

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CARPETS AT 20 CENTS AND UPWARDS.

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D. A. LATEROR.

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Clay, of New York, Ky. \$1,000,000  
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The undersigned has been known in this county for the past 17 years as a long-time agent. Losses estimated by his Company have always been promptly paid.

Office at Montrose, Pa. at the residence of W. B. Cooper & Co., Turnpike, Montrose, Pa.

BILLINGS STROUD, Agent.

CHARLES L. SMITH, Solicitor.

Montrose, May 27, 1873.

### STATEMENTS, BILL HEADS, LETTER HEADS, ENVELOPES, BUSINESS CARDS, VISITING CARDS, WEDDING CARDS, INVITATIONS, SLIP BILLS, PROGRAMMES, CIRCULARS, LABELS, RECEIPTS, TAGS, CATALOGUES, NOTES, PAPER BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CERTIFICATES, BONDS, PATENT DEEDS, NOTES, ETC., ETC., ETC.

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