

WHY DO YOU HURRY SO?

Oh man with eager eyes
Why do you hurry so?
In your haste to gain the prize
You miss much as you go;

Oh maiden with deep eyes
Why do you hurry so?
A world of sorrow lies
Out where you long to go;

Mrs. Lator's Tea.

RESCUED in the depths of
her big arm-chair, a smile
lighting up her fine old face
that her white hair framed

day, aunt, or do you, too, give
your friends tea at five o'clock?"
"You are impatient, nephew. At
my age a woman does not give five

"Well, Andrew, do you find my clock
very interesting?"
In some confusion the young man
stammered an excuse, but she went
on:

It has been frequently stated that
the editor of a country newspaper
works harder for less pay than any
man of similar ability in his community.

"Not at all, aunt. Your guess is quite
wrong, for I haven't the slightest
intention of going yet. But why do you
keep a regular sun-dial like that in
your drawing room?"

Several pure breeds run together
soon develop mongrels; possibly no
doubt they are superior to the old-time
barren fowls, but mongrels just the
same.

five minutes later Andrew entered the
drawing room.
But contrary to all expectations, the
conversation did not become a war of

Presented Himself to Be Hanged.
Lord Wolsley tells an amusing
story of his experience with Abel
Erasmus, the Boer, who has just come
into the British lines in South Africa.

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this care, the door is simply taken off
at noon and replaced at night. Almost
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The woodpeckers, which are supposed
to destroy trees by drilling, really
destroy the insects in the trees,

What It Indicates.
Any woman who will flatter a man
to his face is either in love with him
or else is perfectly willing to be.—New
York Press.

A Demand for Good Horses.
The excessive drain upon the supply
of horses for military purposes in the
last few years has practically de-

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It is much easier and much better
in every way to keep only one breed
of fowls. It may, perhaps, cost a

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argument in favor of good
roads,

Prepared for Summer.
In the late spring after the ground
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Good Roads a Necessity.
With many expressions of appreciation
for the warm hospitality extended
by the business men of Philadelphia,

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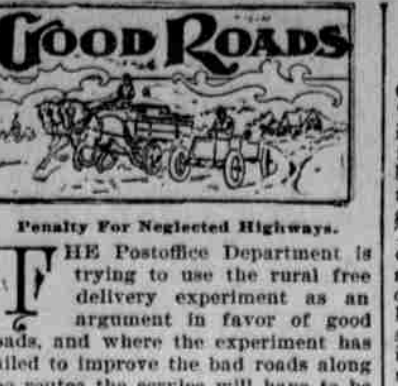
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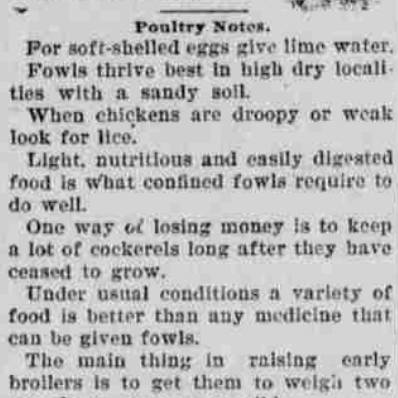


FIG. 1—COW LOT CLOSED.

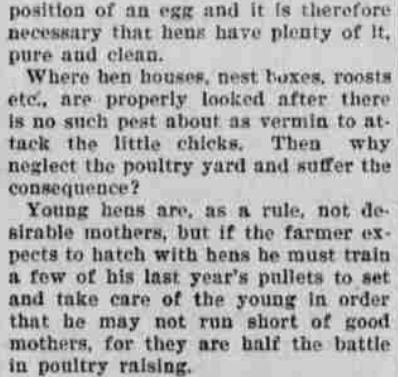
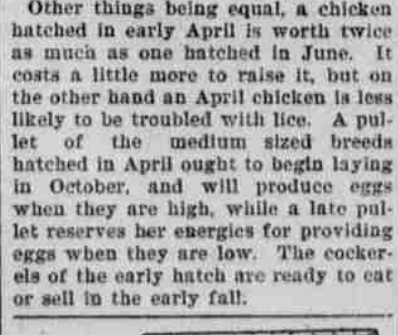


FIG. 2—GATE LATCH.



NEST FOR SITTING HENS.

The only place for hens or chickens
at my command is an ordinary
henhouse in which I keep twelve hens.

When a hen shows a strong inclination
to sit I make a nest in the box,
put in two or three china eggs and
shut the hen in. The next afternoon
I open the door and lift her off to feed.