



POULTRY AND BEES

THE PLYMOUTH ROCKS.

For Early Broilers, Roasting Fowls or Capons They Are One of the Very Best Breeds.



WELL-BRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS. The bright yellow legs and skin gives them a very attractive appearance in market.

Bees Do Not Injure Fruit. Because honey-bees sting people who don't like them and are disliked by them, they are often accused of sundry misdoings.

Profit in Large Flocks. If a man can make a reasonable profit out of ten hens, and there can be no question but what he can, there is no reason why he cannot make 100 times as much out of a thousand hens.

The Horse and His Feet. Each time the horse comes into the stable the feet should be lifted and cleaned out with a hook.

Warm Water for Poultry. A good way to give the poultry water in the winter is to get a five-gallon can with a faucet near the bottom.

BROWNLOW ROAD BILL.

It Provides for Government and State Aid Toward Building of Sound Highways.

Representative Brownlow, of Tennessee, is taking an active interest in his bill which appropriates \$20,000,000 for the improvement of the public roads of the country.

The bill provides for the appropriation of \$20,000,000 for the improvement of the roads, the plan being for the state and county, where the improvement is made, to furnish half the cost.

There is no reason why the bill should not pass, said Representative Brownlow, recently, "although I realize that the matter must be worked up gradually."

If congress can appropriate money for the improvement of rivers and harbors, there is no reason why appropriation should not be made for the improvement of the public highways, which are just as useful to the people.

A HANDY FARM GATE.

Of Especial Value on Farms Where It is Desirable to Separate Stock from Time to Time.

A good boat or skipper for sledding logs can be made by using natural crooks for runners, bolting on a wide plank for nose piece and pinning or bolting a bunk to the runners.

Uncle Sam Protects Horses. The United States government has taken measures to protect the horses used on the rural delivery routes and other government work.

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THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson for March 15, 1903—The Riot at Ephesus.

THE LESSON TEXT. (Acts 19:23-40.)

23. And the whole city was filled with confusion; and having caught Gaius and Aristarchus, men of Macedonia, Paul's companions in travel, they rushed with one accord into the theater.

24. And when Paul would have entered in unto the people, the disciples suffered him not.

25. And certain of the chief of Asia, which were his friends, sent unto him, desiring him that he would not adventure himself into the theater.

26. Some therefore cried one thing, and some another; for the assembly was confused, and the more part knew not wherefore they were come together.

27. And they drew Alexander out of the multitude, the Jews putting him forward. And Alexander beckoned with the hand, and would have made his defense unto the people.

28. But when they knew that he was a Jew, all with one voice about the space of two hours cried out, Great is Diana of the Ephesians!

29. For ye have brought hither these men, which are neither robbers of churches, nor yet blasphemers of our goddesses.

30. Wheretore if Demetrius, and the craftsmen which are with him, have a matter against any man, let him appear one against another.

31. But if ye enquire anything concerning other matters, it shall be determined in a lawful assembly.

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Grip Shattered My Nervous System. Stomach Deranged, Liver Dormant. Dr. Miles' Nervine Cured Me Completely.

A slight cold in the winter with fever, headache, backache; when the nose runs and the eyes water and a soreness seems to permeate the marrow of the bones; this is the beginning of Grip's deadly grasp.

The last week in January I contracted LaGrippe and was confined to my bed for five weeks. My nervous system was completely shattered, stomach badly deranged and liver in an almost dormant condition.

All druggists sell and guarantee first botte Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

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Mascagni says Chicago women are warmer than those of Boston. Well, as a Milwaukeean was heard to say, that only puts them a degree or two above zero.

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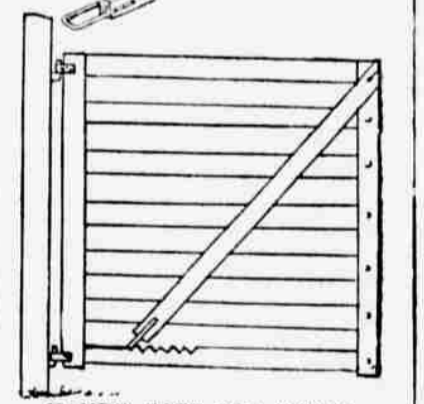
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