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Milk is undoubtedly the best feed for young stock of all kinds, but some care is needed in feeding it to get the best results. When taken in the natural way from the teat, the milk is always warm, comes very slowly, and is always mixed with some saliva...

GRAIN FOR POULTRY.

Bulletin 106 (new series) of the Geneva (N. Y.) station gives results of some experimental tests of the relative value of whole grain and the same ground, for poultry.

It was thought best to use both large and small breeds in parallel experiments; hence two pens of Buff Cochins and two White Leghorns were used.

The experiment extended over a period of two years. The pen of Leghorns having good grain laid more eggs the second year than the first; while the other three pens fell off in egg production for the second year.

From the following records it will be seen that for the Cochins, whole grain was best, and for Leghorns, ground grain was the best.

The Cochins having ground grain consumed an average of 3.4-10 ounces of water-free food each per day, at a cost of \$102.15 per hen per year, and averaged 43 eggs weighing 95.4-10 ounces.

The Leghorns having ground grain, ate an average of 2.8-10 ounces food per day and laid 93 eggs each, weighing 194 1-07 ounces. For every pound of eggs produced they ate 5.1-3 pounds of food costing seven cents—nearly 11 cents per dozen.

Cost of feeding each hen a year, 84 cents; value of eggs laid, \$1.33; net profit per hen, 49 cents.

The Leghorns fed on whole grain, ate an average of 3 ounces of food per day, and produced 77 eggs each, weighing 165 8-10 ounces. For one pound of eggs produced they ate 6-12 pounds of food costing 8-1-12 cents—13-1-3 cents per dozen.

Cost of food for each hen a year, 95 cents; value of eggs laid, \$1.11; net profit per hen per year, 26 cents.

Allowing for the cost of hatching and growing the pullets for these experiments, those having whole grain returned an average profit the first year of 48 per cent., and those fed ground grain gave a profit of 68 per cent.

HANDLING STABLE MANURE. In a recent issue, a contributor gives a number of rules for handling stable manure, writes S. Thomas, of Indiana, to the American Agriculturist.

His first rule is never pile in the field, but scatter from the wagon. If he refers to putting the manure in small heaps to be scattered or spread just before plowing, I agree with him, but if he advises never to compost a manure, just on the edge of the city, I have been able to get large quantities of manure.

I have tried every conceivable experiment in applying manure, and after years of careful study and observation of the different tests made by myself and others, I have come to the conclusion that to get the best results from stable manure it must be composted either in the field or barn lot.

As I haul hundreds of loads of manure from the city, my rule is to make one or more heaps in different fields, so that when it comes to spreading I can get it where I want it without having to haul more than twenty rods from the heap.

I spread from the wagon and plow under as soon after spreading as possible. Your contributor says he hauls and spreads his manure while the ground is yet frozen, and the spring rains wash it into the soil.

Now if the spring rains come, as they frequently do, before the frost is out of the ground,

HOUSEHOLD AFFAIRS.

HOW TO MEND CHINA. Take a very thick solution of gum arabic and water and stir it into plaster of paris until the mixture becomes a viscous paste. Apply it with a brush to the fractured edges and stick them together. In three days the article cannot be broken at the same place.

USES OF SULPHUR. Sulphur is one of the best preventives of mould. Mould is a plant that should be killed as soon as possible, and when it is observed in pantry, kitchen or closet, shut the door tightly, put an iron pan or small pot in a large vessel of water, so there will be no chance of fire, and place them in the centre of the room.

KEEP IN THE PANTRY. A few cans of good soup for emergency dinners. Fresh celery seed for salads, when celery is scarce. Canned mushrooms for sauces and meat dressings.

A nice sandwich mixture that can be better prepared with gravy stock or butter for hasty luncheons. Canned lobster for salads and canned tongue for serving cold, and potted chicken for slicing or making sandwiches.

A good supply of jelly and chocolate mixtures, etc., for the hasty preparation of layer cakes and pudding sauces.

AN ODD BUT PRETTY FORTIERE. A dainty but simply prepared hanging for a small doorway was recently devised by an ingenious woman. In the first place she sent to a large seed house and purchased a quantity of the seeds known as Job's tears.

The seeds in India and resemble small, pearly gray shells. These seeds she threaded upon gray linen spool thread, cut in lengths to reach from the floor to the small brass rod which extended across the upper part of the doorway.

The seeds were put on with spaces about one and a half inches left between them. The needle must not be too coarse, because if too large an opening is made through the seed for the thread to fill, the seed will afterward slip.

After a sufficient number of threads had been finished to fill two-thirds of the doorway, several shorter threads were strung and tied along the middle space. A pair of horns was then placed above the middle of the doorway and these shorter threads were caught up in a careless shower, over the horns.

The strings did not tangle readily, as might be supposed they would; the labor of preparing is light and pleasant, and the result attained is in every way desirable.—New England Homestead.

RECIPIES. Glaze—One teaspoonful sugar mixed with the juice of one orange; first grate of the yellow part of the orange and add to the sugar. Boil until it will harden in cold water.

Stewed Chestnuts, Cream Sauce—Remove the shells from a quart of large chestnuts blanch as almonds and cook in salted water until soft. Drain and pour over a white sauce made as for the boiled cod, but minus the oysters.

German Cakes—Cream half pound of sugar and the same of butter together; add the yolks of six eggs well beaten; three-quarters of a pound of flour, and a tablespoonful of rose flavoring; roll out, cut in fancy shapes and bake in a quick oven. Frost if desired.

Plum Pudding Sauce—Cream together a cup of powdered sugar and half a cup of butter; add two well-beaten eggs and the juice and grated peel of a lemon. In a double boiler have a cup of boiling water, thickened with a teaspoonful of cornstarch. Add the other ingredients and heat, but do not boil.

Duck Terrapin—Chop enough cold duck to fill two cups; add one cold-boiled sweetbread if convenient. Blend a quarter of a cup of butter with two teaspoonfuls of cornstarch, and pour over it one cup of hot cream; add saltspoonful of salt and dust of pepper; add the duck and sweetbread, and heat five minutes. Just before serving add the beaten yolks of two eggs.

Orange Wafers—Two eggs, beaten, with one cup sugar; add one-half cup butter, stirred to a cream, one-half cup milk, the grated rind of half an orange and one and one-half cups flour, through which one tablespoonful of baking powder has been sifted. Drop small spoonfuls on buttered paper and bake in a quick oven. When cold dip in the following glaze and lay on buttered paper.

Indian Pound Cake—Sift half a pint of fine yellow meal and one-fourth pint of flour with a teaspoonful of baking powder. Mix with it one-quarter of a grated nutmeg and a teaspoonful of cinnamon. Stir to a cream one-fourth pound butter with one-fourth pound sugar, add one-fourth teaspoonful milk. Beat four eggs very light, stir them into the butter and sugar, a little at a time in turn with the meal. Bake one hour and a half. Excellent if eaten fresh.

A Church for Each Person. The man who bravely abandons all forms of faith and creates a church all for himself, without any proselytes, adherents, followers or disciples, is surely worthy of admiration, writes Sir Walter Besant in the Queen.

A church all for himself; if a Christian church all for himself, the more admirably is his courage. Well! the thing has been done; it has been done, not by one man only, but by two or three, each one of whom has created his own church for himself.

Now Zealand is the place. There they have recently held a religious census. Out of the whole there is one "Esoteric Christian," one "Salvation Catholic," one "Nativist," and one "Trinitist."

It is a long way to New Zealand, but in imagination one can see these four profound thinkers standing each at the door of his own church, ringing the bell for himself, the congregation. At the service of the "Nativist" one cannot assist even in imagination. The mystery of that form of faith cannot be so much as guessed. All by himself! Think of the dreariness of it!

Heaven itself designed for him by himself! Think of the loneliness! Zimmermann, who wrote on Solitude, is the only man who could adequately tackle the situation. And he has gone and now presumably sits among a crowd.

Skeleton in a Tree. In cutting up a giant oak tree on a farm near Hicksville, Ohio, a human skeleton was found imbedded in the tree, about thirty feet from the base. The wood had grown around the bones, and the timber had to be carefully sawed away.

The tree was solid and gave no appearance of ever having been hollow.—Chicago Chronicle.

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The Corpse Fled the Autopsy.

Dr. Crawford, of Baltimore, is reported to have advised a patient, who fancied he was dying of liver disease, to travel. On returning he appeared to be quite well, but upon receiving information of the death of a twin brother, he had actually died of a scirrhous liver, he immediately staggered, and falling down, cried out that he was dead, and had, as he always expected, died of a liver complaint.

Never Ate Solid Food. Tommy Horton is one of San Francisco's freaks. Though 28 years old he has the faculties and physical appearance of a boy early in his teens.

Consequently, for lack of phosphates, his brain hasn't developed. He is left in a lamentable condition of naive honesty. His skin is as smooth and innocent of hair as that of a baby.

Copied the Name from His Grip. Mr. Smith, an English traveler, arrived one evening at a hotel in Austria. On the way he had picked up a smart German and hired him as a servant.

"I have already registered, milor," said Fritz, "as an Englishman of independent means."

"Why, it isn't on my portmanteau," cried Mr. Smith, "bring the book and let me see what you have put down."

The book was brought and Mr. Smith, to his amusement, discovered that his clever servant had described him as: "Monsieur Warranted Sole Leatherer!"—The Grip-sack.

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One of Mrs. Pinkham's Talks

Concerning a Mother's Duty to Her Young Daughter. Together with a Chat with Miss Marie Johnson.

The balance wheel of a woman's life is menstruation. On the proper performance of this function depends her health. Irregularity lays the foundation of many diseases, and is in itself a symptom of disease.



Disturbance of the menstrual function poisons the blood. In young girls suppression develops latent inherited tendencies to scrofula or consumption, and no time must be lost in restoring regularity.

Mother, when you see your daughter languid and indifferent to things that usually interest a young girl, when you note that flush on her cheek, that glassy appearance in her eyes; when your daughter tells you that even the weight of her dress waist oppresses her, and that she has terrible pains in her stomach shortly after eating, don't ignore these signs!

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I was also troubled with irregularity of menses. I was very weak, and lost so much flesh that my friends became alarmed. My mother, who is a firm believer in your remedies from experience, thought perhaps they might benefit me, and wrote you for advice. I followed the advice you gave, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills as you directed, and am now as well as I ever was. I have gained flesh and have a good color. I am completely cured of irregularity.

Words cannot express my gratitude, and I cannot thank you enough for your kind advice and medicine.—Miss MARIE F. JOHNSON, Centralia, Pa.

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