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tion of the foundation and floor it will make a rat and water-proof floor that is sanitary and easily cleaned. The rest of the house should be built of wood, as the forms for concrete would cost nearly as much as the siding itself. The frame is 2x4-inch mateof yellow pine surfaced both sides. dia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound If the sides are covered with roofing with some good roofing laid accordtight as possible. Shingles are not cape untold pain and misery at this time suitable for a building of this kind, as the roof is apt to be damp most of Mill St., Circleville, Ohio. the time. The curtain front house is the driest and most easily regulated critical periods of a woman's existence. in accordance with the weather. It is cheaper to build, is more easily cleaned and the floor space is more fully utilized than in the scratching-shed type. This house should be built tight so that the ventilation is from the south. therefore no drafts. With the scratch. Several States Have Passed Laws ing-shed house the roosting room is almost always sure to be damp. But by removing the partition this is eliminated and healthier hens are the result. If any one doubts that a flock of hens stir up much dust just let him stand on the front side of a curtain front house when they are fed. Open the curtain and when he sees he will think fowls need more venti-

A shed roof is best, as it is easier to build, provides greater volume of sunwith cobwebs. The pens should be deep rather than long and shallow. This places the sunlight on the floor instead of on the back wall, therefore a dried floor and happier hens. The pens should be large enough to accommodate 50 hens and two or more cocks. One 20 feet deep and 12 feet wide will furnish the required floor

The accompanying plans of side and front elevations and floor arrangement illustrate what I think is the best house. This contains pens 12x20 feet, the front being 81/2 feet and the back 5 feet high. This is as high as is necessary to build and as low as is to each pen, one double sash window with the upper sash hinged at the top, stormy to raise the curtain. A frame and transportation offices. 5x5 feet, with the top hinged to swing in, is covered with muslin or cheese cloth. On the outside of this opening is tacked woven wire to keep the fowls in while curtain is open during the day, except during a hard storm tactics were sometimes temporarily in and in very cold weather.

The platform under the roost is 21/2 feet from the floor, and the nests are the same height, being entered from the platform. This leaves nearly all floor space available to the hens, and every nook and corner is cleaned with ease. The roosts are 2x2-inch material rounded at the top. For a



Side Elevation Mr. Sponenbergh's House.

breeding house I would make the pens 12 feet deep and 8 feet wide, which would hold as many hens as are desired with one cock, but for a laying house the larger size is the better and more economical.

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WORKING HOURS OF WOMEN

Limiting Them to Sixty Hours or Less a Week.

During their last session the legislatures of several states passed new laws regulating the number of working hours for women. South Carolina passed a law limiting them to 60 per week in mercantile houses and the the cloud of dust they raise I believe textile mills, of which there are so many in the state.

hour bill has been enacted. The Ohio bill applies to everything excepting hotels and mercantile establishments Utah and Missouri have also passed nine-hour laws, says Health Culture. The ten-hour law which the legislature of Illinois enacted in 1909 is enlarged so as to include practically every kind of establishment where women are employed.

Wisconsin has established a 55hour week, excepting night work, which is less. Minnesota has strengthened its ten-hour law by extending the penalty for violation so as to include manufacturing and mechanical establishments. The states of Washington and California have passed eight-hour day laws for women. The law of Washington applies to the usual mereasy to work in. The front contains, cantile and mechanical establishments, restaurants, hotels and laundries, but the California act applies This is opened when too cold or also to telegraph, telephone, express

Critical Moment.

At the beginning of the Civil war men who knew little about military command of small bodies of the troops which flocked into Washington, and it is said that Senator Henry Wilson of Massachusetts, afterward vice-president of the United States, was for a time assigned to the captaincy of a company of recruits from his native state. He assisted in drilling them to the best of his ability, but one afternoon, as he marched at their head up Pennsylvania avenue, he met his Wa terloo. He had been getting along very well and was beginning to feel quite proud of the proficiency of his men, when he suddenly realized that the coping and fence extending south from the treasury building was right in his forward patch. He could not think of the order which would swing his command into Fifteenth street, and thereby avoid the obstacle. Nearer and nearer the company approached; the men were almost upon his heels, when in desperation he shouted: "Come round like a gate!" and the situation was saved.

Didn't Mean It.

Charles D. Hilles, secretary to the president, tells this on Gus J. Karger, the Washington newspaper man. Karger is a Hebrew, and a wit, so Hilles is safe in circulating this slander. It appears that when the presidential party visited the home town of Mai Archie Butt, the president's aide, they attended church where Butt, as a youth, was a worshiper. The president and Karger sat in a pew near the front, and when the stirring hymn, "Onward Christian Soldiers! was given out, the president, as usual, lifted up his voice in song. The boys looked at Karger, and to their astonishment noted that he was caroling away cheerfully alongside the president. "But I looked over," says Hilles, "and saw that Karger had his hands on the top of the pew in front of him, with his fingers crossed."

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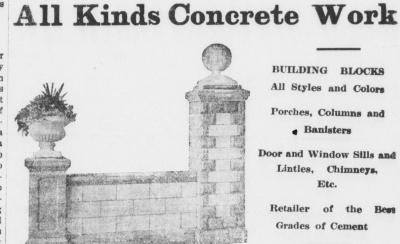
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