



FAVOR INDIAN RUNNER DUCKS

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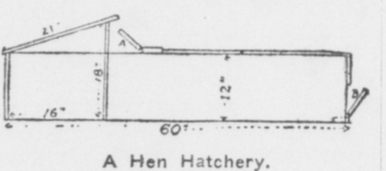
Indian Runner ducks are the hardest of all domestic fowls. As they do equally well in confinement or on free range, they may be profitably kept by persons in town or city as well as by farmers. They do not require pond or running water—just water to drink in, something deep enough so the whole head can be immersed, says the Interstate Poultryman. They may be kept more cheaply on free range, as they will find many things of little or no value, such as bugs, worms, grasshoppers, grass, etc. These they convert into large white eggs, which if not sold for hatching will command several cents above the market price of hen eggs and at Easter will bring twice as much. They do not differ in flavor from hen eggs, but are superior for all kinds of cooking. As a table fowl the Indian Runner duck is excellent. The meat is tender, juicy and fine-grained. Thus far the demand for breeding stock and eggs for hatching has been so great that the duck has not been raised to a great extent as market stock; but wherever it has become known as a table fowl it is wanted.

As egg-producers the Indian Runner females are too valuable to sell on the market until from three to nine years old. A flock from a good-laying strain will average from 240 to 250 eggs per layer per year, if properly managed. I find by actual test that the feed that will keep a Plymouth Rock hen in good shape will keep a Runner duck plump, so I think it safe to say that they can be kept as cheaply as any of the large breeds of hens in winter and cheaper in summer if on free range, as they will forage farther into the fields. We like them much better than hens, as they do not destroy crops, neither are they so much of a nuisance around the buildings as hens. The ducklings of this breed can be raised to a marketable size cheaper and more quickly than those of any other breed. As the ducks never set, the ducklings must be hatched by incubators or hens. Hens give the best results, often hatching every egg given them. The eggs are very fertile and may, if desired, be hatched any month in the year. Ducklings hatched in June or July often lay all winter, while, if hatched in March, they will lay in time to hatch ducklings from them by the 1st of October.

PLAN FOR A HEN HATCHERY

Door Placed in Front of Each Nest Hinged With Leather and Held by Wooden Cleats.

Here is my plan for a successful hen hatchery: I take 18-foot lumber and make stalls for 12 hens which makes the nest boxes a little over 14



A Hen Hatchery.

Inches wide, writes J. A. Crandall of Norwich, Kan., in the Farmers' Mail and Breeze. Mats and thin lumber may be used for the 11 partitions. Floor the nest department. Chicken wire is used to cover the top of runs except for the doors A, each of which is 28 inches long, enough to cover two runs. The doors B are the same length. There is also a door C by 10 inches in the front of each nest box and all doors are hinged with leather and held with cleats. The roof board is not hinged or nailed but held in place with cleats and may be lifted off.



DOULTRY NOTES

Rape makes a good crop for late green food. Poultry is extremely profitable if properly handled.

Poultry, fruit and bees form a combination hard to beat. Fowls have no sense of smell. They have nostrils, but not noses.

A cement floor in the laying pen and roosting closet is advisable. Don't let lice "get away" with your chicks, while you wonder what ails them.

Keep the males separated from the growing pullets. Both will develop better. Ducklings generally begin molting when eleven weeks old and continue for about six weeks.

Don't forget that wet and leaky coops do not tend to produce healthy chickens, but early death. It is a good plan to let all the breeding stock out of the yards to enjoy free range during the summer.

Don't try to breed from poor stock. It takes too long and good stock is cheap enough for you to start right. Free range for the flock greatly simplifies the feeding problem, because the fowls can balance their ration, to a large extent, with the food they pick up.

An Oklahoma man is under arrest for kidnapping a servant girl. We do not believe in getting servants that way, but we have often heard that necessity knows no law.

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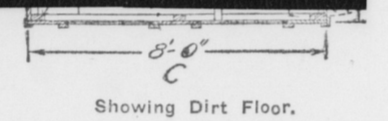
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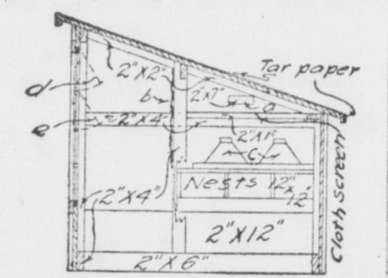
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Showing Dirt Floor.

ed as to be removed any time for cleaning. A cloth screen extends the full length over the dropping boards, roosts, and floored portion. The frame work being shown at c1, c2, in C. A drop curtain of canvas is in front to be used on cold nights; this is shown at a in C and at b in D. An opening is made in each end of the house above the screen and is shown at a in B, also at a in D. A cloth screen is hinged above the window in A and is shown open at d in D. The small



Keeps Straw in Place.

three-light glass sash above the six-light sash is also hinged and is shown open at e in D. The roof, side wall and ends are covered with tar paper inside in the half which is devoted to the roosts, nests and part of the floored space. The boarding of this house is nailed up and down.

ECONOMY IN THE BEST FEED

Nothing Gained by Purchasing Supplies for the Poultry Because They Are Called Cheap.

(By A. G. SYMONDS) No matter what food is given the fowls be sure it is the very best that can be procured. It does not pay to buy poor grain or poultry food of any kind. Some people think it is economical to buy poultry supplies because they are cheap.

The best is none too good, is a rule as applicable here as anywhere else. Only the very best grains should be sanctioned. Only the choicest brand of beef scraps, fine cut clover, alfalfa, and other foods of this sort should be used. There is nothing that will repay one better for good care and food given them than a flock of hens. See to it that in the matter of foods given them only the best be procured and only the best be fed

Value of Charcoal. For all kinds of digestive troubles, charcoal is one of the best remedies

Senator Bailey says that five hours is as long as a man can stay in the Senate Chamber without getting a headache, but sometimes mere spectators can't stand it that long.

There was really but one political news item all of last week, and that was when the Iowa Progressives demanded the election of postmasters by their constituents.

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