inty of Lancaster, have ismake public proclamation throut my balliwick, that a Court of Oyer and Terminer and a General Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Jail Delivery, will commence in the Court House in the City of Lancaster, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, ON THE THIRD MONDAY IN

JANUARY (the 15th) 1917 In pursuance of which preces Public Notice is hereby given to the Mayor and Alderman of the City of Lancaster, in the said county, and all the Justices of the Peace, the Coroner and Constables of said City and County of Lancaster, that they be then and there in their own proper persons with thier rolls, records and examinations, and in-quisitions, and their other rememberances, to do those things which to their offices appertain in their behalf to be done, and also those who will prosecute against the prisoners who are or then shall be, in the jail of the said county of Lancaster, are to be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be

Dated at Lancaster, the 26th day of February, A. D., 1916. C. G. GARBER, Sheriff.

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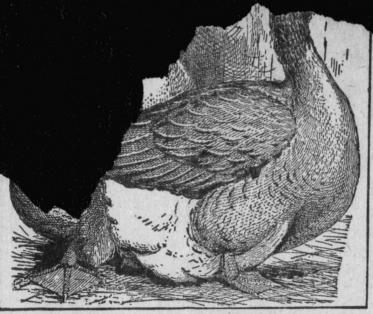
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It is said by those who have had has different characteristics from the experience with this breed that young others mentioned. The birds stand geese during the first year lay from more erect and have longer and slen-15 to 25 eggs, when older they may derer necks than the others. The lay from 25 to 40. Brown Chinese have at the base of

The Embden is a popular breed in the bill a peculiar dark-colored knob. some places. The body of the birds The Brown is considered the most is snowy white, the legs and bills prolific of all the geese. The standyellow. They have good type and con- ard weight for the gander is 15 formation. In size it is the same as pounds, geese 12 pounds. The female standard for the Toulouse, though it is said to lay from 40 to 50 eggs, someis said a smaller number of Embden times more. A large per cent of the seach this standard than of Toulouse. eggs are generally fertile.

FEEDING WILL DOUBLE EGGS SELECT HENS WITH RECORDS

Average Hen In Missouri Lays Sixty-Three Eggs Annually-Scantily Fed Hen Is Poor Investment.

By H. L. Kempster, Missouri College

According to the United States cenis true, the average hen lays about 63 half fed. It is false economy to expect them to pick their living from the leavings of other stock. farmers admit that they feed their means common hens nothing during the summer. In so doing, they are saving feed but losing money.

gets only 40 to 50 pounds, she will flock of high producers. simply satisfy her body requirements. She will not lay eggs. The scantily of eggs is to select pullets or hens only the liberally fed hen that yields cockerels

> uld keep dry ground hoppers before the Either sour milk or or oyster shell hens all the time,

Mate Them With Cockerels of Good Laying Strains and Hatch From Them-Progress Slow.

The hen as we have her today has been developed very rapidly as an egg producer. The jungle fowl from which sus, Missouri's 21,000,000 hens lay 111,- our laying hens have been developed 000,000 dozen eggs annually. If this probably laid about two dozen eggs a year at most. Perhaps many only eggs a year. This is a poor record. raised one brood. Hens of anything One reason why hens are not more like good type and breeding today productive is because usually they are may average 140 eggs a year. There are, of course, 200-egg hens and a few that have made records much higher. Many But these high records are by no

It is said that a high average for a pullet is 150 eggs a year, for a hen 140. But we must remember that A productive hen requires from 70 hens, like cows, have their own indito 80 pounds of feed a year. If she viduality and it is not easy to find a

The way to increase the production fed hen is a poor investment. It is with high records, mate them with progress must be slow, for there is apt to be a large per cent that will be poor producers. But this is the only safe way to raise hens that lay a large be given as a drink. number of eggs a year.

SELECTION OF BEST LAYERS

Look for Full, Weil-Developed Breast and Crop-This Gives Assurance of Strength.

The selection of the best-laying hens may be made in several ways. If you know that the mother hens were good egg producers and the pullets have the same formation of the body it may be easonable to expect that the pullets will also be fine egg producers. There is, however, one almost certain sign that may be used in selecting laying hens. Look for a full, well-developed breast and crop, showing a large pocket in which to carry the food supply. This gives assurance of strength and gor, and the ability to consume a cient amount of food to sustain body and produce the eggs.

must have the ability to cona large amount of food and the nd abdominal proportions to and transfer it into the general of the body and the egg proLots of Heifers.

In an experiment at the Wisconsin experiment station three lots of heifers weighing about 350 pounds were fed equal amounts of nutrients. For one lot the nutrients were wholly from the wheat plant, another from oats and the third from corn. All lots grew at about a normal rate, but after a few months it became easily observable that the wheat lot was not so well nourished as the others. This was evident from the appearance of the coat. The corn and oat-fed lots bred earlier than the wheat fed one, showing that the latter were depressed in some degree. The corn-fed lot produced calves which were of normal size and full of vigor. The oat-fed lot produced calves, which were of about normal size but with very low vigor, while those from the wheat lot were about half as large as the normal calf at birth and were dead or ready to die when born. When half of the roughage of the wheat lot was replaced with alfalfa hay the calves were normal.

No reasons have yet been worked out as to why these foods should act so differently but it is important to know how they affect animals

TREATING AN IRRITATED EXE

Bathe Affected Organ With Ten Per Cent Solution of Boric Acid-Slightly Darken Barn.

When the eye of an animal is irritated and watery bathe it with a ten per cent solution of boric acid twice using a new swab of absorbent cotton each time. Slightly darken the stable. Wet all feed to prevent dust, and as far as possible keep the animal out of dust.

It may be that the tear ducts are obstructed, and if so they should be cleaned by a competent veterinarian

FEEDING HORSES AND MULES

As Result of Experiment It Has Been Found That Silage Can Be Used as Hay Substitute.

During an experiment which began December 1914 and ended March 1915, which 20 horses and mules were used in the effort to find out the effects of silage as food, the following results were obtained. The results indicate that silage can be successfully substituted for a part of the hay in the ration of horses at the rate of two pounds of silage for one pound of hav The animals studied included draft



Well-Built Mule horses and mules, saddle mares, draft

and saddle foals, two-year-old fillies and three-year-old geldings divided into pairs. Each animal received the same grain ration consisting of corn two parts, oats two parts, bran one part. One of the animals in each pair of the growing and idle horses received alfalfa hay as its roughage, part of which was fed at night and part in the morning. The other animal in each pair received alfalfa hay in the morning and corn silage at night. The draft animals at work were fed the same except that timothy hay was used instead of alfalfa. Some difficulty was experienced in getting the animals that had been on dry feed previous to the test to eat the silage. With two exceptions the animals receiving silage were in a more thrifty condition at the end of the trial. The silage-fed mule was kept in better condition as shown by the hair, skin and general appearance, and yet cost less to feed than a mule which

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