

POULTRY

MAKING MONEY WITH DUCKS

Properly Fed on Sweet, Clean Grain and Pure Water Fowl Produces Egg That is Delicious.

Nearly all good eaters in England and on the continent relish duck eggs, even more than the hens' eggs.

Properly fed on sweet, clean grain, green stuff with pure water the duck produces eggs that are delicious.

The Indian Runner duck lays better eggs than the Pekin, although the latter is in greater favor in the United States, doubtless because of its pure white color.

Pastry cooks in hotels and restaurants prefer duck eggs and some persons who have learned how pala-



Good Egg Producers.

table they are, buy them, but there is a decided prejudice against duck eggs in the general market.

Duck raisers can remove this prejudice by judicious advertising in the local papers, setting forth the advantages of duck eggs and advising as to their palatability.

The Indian Runner is almost as large as the Pekin at ten weeks, although the latter is more heavily feathered and this gives it a larger appearance.

Runner ducks do not need water to swim in but should always be provided with clean water for drinking and if this can be running water so much the better.

PROPER HOUSE FOR POULTRY

Mistaken Idea to Think That Hens Do Not Lay in Winter Because Their Coop Is Not Warm.

Very often I hear persons say, "Our hens don't lay in the winter because our hen house is not warm enough." I have kept hens, lots of them, for 35 years, and kept them for eggs and I got the eggs, too, and I never kept them in a warm house either. I will tell you what I depend upon to keep the hens warm in winter and that is good heavy feathering (I have the Rhode Island Reds and there is no breed that has a better coat of feathers for winter than this one), says a writer in the Successful Farmer. Rich blood and active exercise keep it in circulation. Yes, I used to try to make my hen houses warm, but only succeeded in introducing a condition which, if followed up, looked to me as though they would be worse than the cold.

I don't wish to have it understood that my houses are open with cracks and knot holes, for they are not; every part is made tight except at the windows where the muslin curtain is in. The question is not how warm you can make your poultry house, but how dry you can make it. There is no danger in having it too dry. When you have built a hen house with two thicknesses of boards and paper between, tight doors and windows and a good roof and lots of glass on the south side, you have what some call a warm house, but you have what I call a damp one, that is if you have very many hens in it, and it will be damp just as long as you keep it tight and close and allow no ventilation. A hen will stand a lot of cold and long, too, if she is in a dry house.

EXCELLENT FEED FOR HENS

Turnips Nailed to Board With Cut Side Up Affords Fowls Green Truck Needed in Winter.

Turnips make an excellent green food for laying hens during winter. The best way to feed them is to cut



Turnips for Hens.

them in halves, nail them on a board with cut side up, and place where the hens can have free access. Turnips take the place of grass and other greens which cannot be had in winter. The object in cutting and feeding in this way is to prevent the hens from scratching them through dirt and litter. Potatoes and apples can also be fed in the same manner.

New Poultry Roast.

A new poultry roast is made of perforated iron tubing which has been soaked with a solution deadly to insect life.

WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

The returns from the Wayne April Examination were received Sunday and mailed out Monday. There were 86 applicants at Fort Gay and 59 at Wayne. At Fort Gay there were 18 certificates issued: J. B. Artrip No. 1 second renewal, Henry F. Kinstler, No. 2 and 16 No. 3's and 48 failures.

The second Uniform Examination of the year will be held on Thursday and Friday, June 12th and 13th at Fort Gay, Ceredo and Wayne.

A telephone line between mouth of Trace and Fort Gay has been connected with the Echo telephone line, which gives a direct line to Fort Gay and intermediate stations.

Wheeling, May 23.—The special committee of the state senate appointed to investigate alleged bribery in connection with the recent United States senatorial campaign, began its work here this morning.

A large bundle of affidavits containing over one thousand pages of testimony taken from a score of witnesses, was taken up by the committee to-day.

It is expected the committee will finish its work in time to be able to make a report to Governor Hatfield on Monday.

Boyd Davis was found guilty in the circuit court at Wayne last week of voluntary manslaughter. He shot and killed Aaron Asbury on Camp creek, near East Lynn, Dec. 28th last. The penalty is from one to five years in the penitentiary. Motion for a new trial was made by Davis' attorney.

John A. Sheppard, formerly of Williamson, and for years prominent in county and state politics, has resigned his position as a member of the State Board of Control.

Huntington, W. Va., May 22.—Claiming the right to say what sort of a monument is to occupy the site on the Capitol grounds at Charleston, designated by the State Board of Public Works for a soldiers and sailors' monument, in accordance with a joint resolution of the Legislature, the veterans of the Department of West Virginia, of the Grand Army of the Republic, at the conclusion of their annual encampment here to-day, adopted a resolution to request William Seymour Edwards, of Charleston, to remove the "Home Guard" statue which he presented to the state, and which was recently unveiled with great ceremony.

The objection is that the statue, which represents the mountaineer type as a home guard, is not representative of the soldier of 1861 to 1865.

Mingo county is on the verge of the biggest coal and gas boom ever known in the history of the county, according to definite information received this morning from men who are interested in the deal.

Over fifty thousand acres of rich coal and gas land on both sides of the river in the lower part of the county are being prepared for opening within the next six months, which will mean more to this county and to the city of Williamson than any single development known to the history of the county, with the exception of the locating of the great Norfolk and Western shops at Williamson.

While intoxicated, Jeter Johnson, a one-armed umbrella mender, was struck in the head by a freight train at Clarkesburg Friday, and had apparently been killed instantly. He was taken to the morgue and the coroner summoned. Johnson created terror in the morgue and staggered outside. His only injury was a hole in the head. Coroner Mason was unable to find his man when he arrived.

STIDHAM.

Church at Green Bottom Sunday was largely attended.

Thomas Estep visited Miss Larney Parsley Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Porter was visiting at the home of her father, Clay Williamson, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Gertrude and Goldie Williamson, of Whitehouse, were calling on friends and relatives at Stidham this week.

John Stevenson and family were visiting friends at Inez Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Wiley was a caller at the home of Mrs. Jock Cline recently.

Bascom Williamson was calling on Miss Lucy Meek Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Hinkle was visiting at the home of Mrs. Rose Parsley Sunday.

Rev. Ira Estep, of this place attended church at Green Bottom Sunday.

J. W. Runyon, Carl Williamson, A. L. Porter and Ambrose Williamson left here recently for the head of Sandy, where they are employed by the Yellow Poplar Lumber Co.

Miss Beulah Lewis, who has been visiting home folks at this place, has returned to Van Lear.

Farming at this place is progressing nicely. TWO CHEMS.

Advertising Talks

ADVERTISING WILL PAY SMALL SHOP

By WM. C. FREEMAN.

Chicago newspapers are making a steadily increasing showing of small advertisers—small announcements of merchants who conduct small shops in Chicago.

According to a statement made recently, these stores, collectively, have used 50 pages more of space this year than they did last year. Clearly indicating that their advertising paid them.

The increased space alone represents as much as some very big stores use in the whole year, not only in Chicago, but in many other of the big cities of the United States.

This is proof conclusive that the merchant with a small shop and good merchandise can use small space profitably in newspapers, even in a big city, and if he can do that in a big city, how much more effectively can it be done in smaller communities?

A great many beginners at advertising, and a great many merchants who advertise spasmodically, hesitate to undertake an advertising campaign because of the feeling that they stand a very poor chance of getting adequate returns because of their inability to buy big space in the newspapers.

But so much interest is taken in advertising in newspapers today—it is so thoroughly read by all of the people (because the people realize that advertisements are real news and tell them something they should know) that even limited space regularly used, involving a small expenditure of money, brings splendid returns.

The results in Chicago demonstrate that small merchants can advertise in local newspapers in accordance with their means, basing their expenditure on a small percentage of their gross business, and profit by it.

And in every community there are many stores whose business can be materially increased by the same method.

The essential thing to work for is response—whether in an advertisement or anything else.

CHURCH SHOULD ADVERTISE

Must Warm Up and Stand on Same Footing if They Are to Attract the People.

Jerome D. Barnum gave the members of the Syracuse Ministerial association some sound ideas on church advertising at a recent meeting of that body, when he said:

"The church today must come down from above and stand on the same footing, the same foundation, as the business man. The church must reach out and tell its story to those thousands who won't answer its call.

"Why is it that the theater attracts so many thousands where the church falls? Because it tells its story, it interests the public, it awakens curiosity and a desire to see and listen. The church today, my friends, from an advertising man's opinion, from the outside, is too cold. It must be made to bustle with human interest, its music, so sweet and beautiful, must be sung in advance just as the advance agent of the theater awakens the spirit of the multitude for his wonderful troupe.

"I believe if the churches would devote one-half the amount of money to advertising which they give yearly to the cause of missions they would bring into their buildings twice the number of converts that the missionaries enroll. Use the newspapers to tell your story and tell it well."

Advertising of the Future.

The advertising of the future, I believe, will be what the best advertising of the present is—a simple, direct, plainly worded but readably written description of the goods, with possibly a word or two of explanation of the low price, if low price there happens to be. That power which was for years, and in some stores still is, devoted purely to literary expression, to the skillful turn of a phrase and the careful balancing of a sentence, will now be given to a study of the goods and the development of "talking points."—George H. Perry.

Want "Ad" as a Reformer.

This advertisement, from the pen of the Rev. Marvin M. Culpepper, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church, appears in a Junction City (Kan.) paper:

WANTED.—A few city officers who can see at night; also one mayor with unimpaired olfactory nerves; a lot of citizens to go after the bootleggers, but no one as some have been going; mothers of the young girls that walk the streets at night and are seen in the company of young men of doubtful character.

Size Not Essential.

An advertisement is like a person's mouth—it isn't the size, but what it says, that counts.—Rusty Mike's Diary.

KENTUCKY NEIGHBORS.

Work is being rushed on the new Jennies creek railroad and those who are in authority to know say the road will be completed within the next 60 days. The track has been laid for a distance of two miles and all the switches at the junction have been put in.

The road will run to Green Rock, where a large boundary of timber is awaiting its arrival. It is rumored that the road will be extended on through Magoffin into Breathitt county in a short while.—Paintsville Herald.

The Millers creek railroad is to be extended further up Millers creek. This road operates both freight and passenger service, making connection with the C. and O. at Van Lear Junction.

New mines are to be opened up further up the creek from the present operations which necessitates the extension of the road.

It is said a shaft mine, the only one on the creek is to be put down.

Work is good at Van Lear and indications for a busy season are very bright.—Paintsville Herald.

There is not a murder on the court dockets of Johnson or Martin counties. These counties compose the 24th Judicial district. With one exception there is not a felony case on the dockets of either of these counties.

The people are law abiding and at peace within their neighbors. Crime in Eastern Kentucky is greatly on the decrease.—Paintsville Herald.

Winchester, Ky., May 21.—Policeman Dykes to-day arrested C. D. Bundy, a white man about 30 years of age, and married, under indictment in Rowan-co., on a charge of assault. The arrest was made at Austerlitz in the county and the man was taken to Morehead to-day by the arresting officer. Bundy, who is a railroad engineer, was indicted on the charge some time ago, but had never been arrested.

The town is having Lucrétia-st. west from Market ballasted with mussel shells from the pearl bottom factory. These shells so far as tried make a good macadam for streets, and they give a fine appearance to the streets—white and clean after a rain. Dover now has not "streets of gold and gates of pearl," but streets of pearl and gates wide open to welcome all comers.—Dover News.

Rev. K. S. Hoskins, who was a resident of Olive Hill for the past eight months pastor of the M. E. Church, was struck by a local freight car at the crossing near the Harbeson-Walker switch. He sustained concussion of the brain and had one foot cut off at the instep. He died of his injuries about two hours afterwards. His remains were taken to Salyersville on the 26th for interment.

Whiteburg, Ky., May 23.—The Pond Creek Coal Company, recently organized by William Leckie, E. T. Sprinkle, B. L. Draper and James French Strother, of Welch, W. Va., and W. R. Graham, of Bluefield, W. Va., will begin at once development of a large area of fine coal lands on Pond creek, near McVeigh, in Pike-co. The tract is on the new Pond creek railroad out from Williamson.

The Lynn Hollow Coal Company, recently organized at Lynn Hollow, on the new Wasisto & Black Mountain railroad in Harlan-co., is starting development work on a large scale.

Olive Hill, Ky., May 22.—Dr. W. S. Jarvis, 36, was found dead today in a field on Lou-James' farm, about two miles from town. The body did not show any marks of violence. Dr. Jarvis is said to have been drinking heavily of late and it is supposed he wandered there and died of exposure. He was a graduate from the Hospital College of Medicine in Louisville in 1905. He was unmarried.

Washington, May 21.—Compassion for a prisoner, said to be in the last stages of tuberculosis, and fear that his presence in the Magoffin county jail might injure the health of other inmates, caused President Wilson to commute the sentence imposed on Bryant Combs, of six months, at Covington, Ky., for working an illicit distillery.

Lewis White shot Kessie Osborn with a shot gun Sunday, causing instant death. Nothing said as to the cause, but the sheriff of Greenup county where this was done, phoned the sheriff and Commonwealth Attorney here that White had escaped and they had offered \$100 for his arrest. Both Osborn and White were from Floyd county.

The voters in the coming August primary in Rowan-co., are liable to get mixed up with the Caudill family, two of that name being candidates for Democratic nominations for county offices, W. B. Caudill, for Sheriff, and T. H. Caudill, for Assessor, while one, W. T. Caudill

A WOMAN'S PROBLEM

In the looking-glass a woman often sees wrinkles, hollow circles under eyes, "crow's feet,"—all because she did not turn to the right remedy when worn down with those troubles which are distinctly feminine. Backache, headache, pains, lassitude, nervousness and drains upon vitality—bring untold suffering to womanhood and the face shows it. The nervous system and the entire womanly make-up feels the tonic effect of

DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION.

It allays and subdues nervous excitability, irritability, nervous exhaustion, and other distressing symptoms commonly attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the feminine organs. It induces refreshing sleep and relieves mental anxiety and despondency. Known everywhere and for over 40 years as the standard remedy for the diseases of woman. Your dealer in medicines sells it in liquid or sugar-coated tablet form; or you can send 50 one-cent stamps for a trial box of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription tablets. Address Dr. K. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y.

DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS REGULATE AND INVIGORATE STOMACH, LIVER AND BOWELS. SUGAR-COATED TINY GRANULES.

seeks the Republican nomination for County Clerk. There are also two of the Hodge family seeking Democratic nominations in Rowan-co., at the August primary, E. Hodge, for County Attorney, and A. Hodge, for Sheriff.

Mayville, Ky., May 21.—At Cottageville, Lewis county, Mrs. Sudie Franklin, aged 40, shot Geo. Garrett, aged 35, through the heart killing him instantly. They quarreled over chickens being in a pen.

Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these Tablets. Sold by Louisa Drug Co.

TORCHLIGHT.

Death has again visited our community and took from us our beloved mother, Mrs. Mary Thompson. She leaves a husband and eight children and a host of friends to mourn her loss. She bore her suffering patiently and murmured not, and waited for the Savior's call. She has lived a bright sunshine Christian from a child. Weep not, but prepare to meet dear mother in Heaven. A FRIEND.

A Good 400 Acre Farm For Sale.

100 acre of good level land cleared, 300 acres in fine timber, six room house, a large barn and other out buildings, a good orchard. This farm lays 7 miles northeast of Ports mouth on a good pike one mile from railroad station one half mile from church and school house. This farm is located on the Little Scioto Valley, but none of it overflows. Telephone line and Rural mail route at the door. There is more than enough timber on this farm to pay for it. I desire to go into other business is the reason it is for sale can give possession any time.

N. ADAMS, Wheelersburg, Ohio.

COME TO THE OZARKS.

Thousands of acres of fine farming, fruit and timber land for sale at \$3.00 per acre and up. Delightful climate, pure water, no cyclones, no floods, no saloons, no negroes, no mosquitoes. Short warm winters and long summers. Write to HODGES and WEBB, Mammoth Spring, Arkansas.

Things We Sell

MANY OF THE READERS OF THE NEWS MAY WANT TO KNOW WHERE THEY CAN GET CERTAIN ARTICLES WE SELL—ALWAYS AT REASONABLE PRICES—SO WE MENTION A LOT OF THEM HERE.

JEWELRY—There is no item in this line that we can not supply you with. Diamonds, Watches, Solid Gold goods, Gold-filled and plated, and we tell you exactly the quality you are getting.

SILVERWARE, CUT GLASS, REAL CHINA.

BOOKS.—Well supply of any book published, except those sold only by subscription. Bibles of all kinds.

STATIONERY.—Everything in this line, including office supplies of all descriptions, Blank Books, etc.

KODAKS.—We have them from \$1 up. Films and supplies of all kinds.

TALKING MACHINES: We sell Victor Victrolas, \$15, \$25, \$40, and on up. Records, needles, etc.

BASE BALL GOODS:—Spaulding's line of balls, bats, mits, masks, etc., at same prices as charged everywhere.

GAMES:—Checkers, cards, Dominoes, Flinch, Authors, Marbles, etc.

MUSICAL GOODS:—Guitars, Banjos, Violins, Accordions, French Harp, Strings and supplies.

SHEET MUSIC:—We have a line of good sheet music, vocal and instrumental, 15c up. Can furnish any piece you desire.

CLOCKS, PICTURES, POCKET BOOKS, DOLLS,

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS, FOUNTAIN PENS, PERIODICALS, SPECTACLES.

CONLEY'S STORE

LOUISA, KENTUCKY