

CLIMATE IS IDEAL

GREAT WEALTH ACQUIRED IN GROWING GRAIN.

Writing from Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, W. H. Ellwanger, who was formerly a resident of Green Mountain, Iowa, says: "The climate in summer is ideal for growing grain. Long, clear days of sunshine, no bad storms. We never need to guard against cyclones; I never saw a better climate in my life. We made more money during the season of 1906 than any previous five years in central Iowa—one of the best districts in the state." But Mr. Ellwanger was a resident of the town, and it might be more interesting to read what a farmer has to say about Western Canada. From hundreds of letters all filled with words of praise, recounting success in Western Canada there has been one selected. It is as follows:

Paynton, Sask., Canada, Dec. 10th, 1907.

To Whom This May Concern: I moved to this address February 3, 1907, from Montgomery, Iowa, and took a homestead 35 miles north of Paynton. It was cold when I moved here but it did not stay cold long; it broke up the 8th of February, and was not so cold after that but the spring was late on account of the heavy snow fall, but in spite of the late spring I saw better grain than I ever saw in the states, raised this year. I helped a man finish sowing out the 4th of July and they made fair oats. In a good year oats will go 100 bushels to the acre and wheat 25 to 50; all root crops do well here. I saw turnips weigh 7 and 8 pounds. I raised potatoes this year that measured 1 1/2 inches one way and 1 3/4 the other in circumference. This is a fine stock country; hay in abundance, good water, plenty of fuel, free and plenty of building material—the government gives us timber to saw into lumber and we can get it sawed for about \$6.00 per thousand. All small fruit grows wild here, then there are ducks, geese, grouse, pheasants, deer, moose, elk and fish in abundance. I was over to Turtle Lake yesterday where there is lots of fishing being done this winter. I saw about a carload of white fish in one pile. I gave 25 cents for 85 pounds of fish. What do you think of that, Brother Yankee? I think this is a fine place both to make money and to live. There was an old man up here visiting his brother-in-law. Now this man owns land close to Des Moines, Iowa, and is in good circumstances, but he took a homestead and says he will be contented if he can only put in the rest of his days in Canada. He would get up in the morning and look out of the door and say: "Well, who wouldn't live in Canada?" Now I have been in 13 different states in the United States, and I never saw the chance that there is here for a man that has a little muscle and a little brains. Three cheers for Canada! (Signed)

W. A. SPICE.

This is the temperature through November. I took it myself so I know it is right, in the shade: Morning at

Date	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
1	27	37	16
2	26	40	17
3	26	37	18
4	29	34	19
5	27	36	20
6	30	38	21
7	12	30	22
8	28	34	23
9	17	16	24
10	2	13	25
11	5	26	26
12	28	20	27
13	7	11	28
14	21	18	29
15	20	31	30

The Hottentot Test.

If a Hottentot taught a Hottentot to do it or to do it to do it, should the Hottentot be taught to do it or to do it to do it?

Or—If to do it and to do it a Hottentot to do it, should the Hottentot be taught to do it or to do it to do it?

Hen Was Above Reproach.

Lodger—This egg is stale.

Landlady—Impossible, sir. Why, I would stake my existence on that hen.

Habitual Constipation

May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, which enables one to form regular habits daily so that assistance to nature may be gradually dispensed with when no longer needed, as the best of remedies, when required, are to assist nature and not to supplant the natural functions, which must depend ultimately upon proper nourishment, proper efforts, and right living generally. To get its beneficial effects, always buy the genuine Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. ONLY SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS one size only, regular price 50¢ per bottle.

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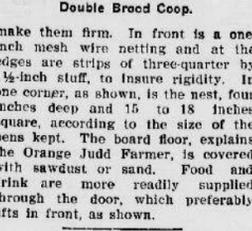
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POULTRY AND BEEES

DOUBLE BROODING COOP.

It is Not Hard to Build and Will Do Good Service.

The double brooding coop shown in the drawing is four feet square and three feet high at rear, 2 1/2 in front. It may be built of tongue and groove stuff or straight-edge boards one-half or three-fourths-inch thick. The hinged lids should have two cleats each to



Double Brood Coop.

make them firm. In front is a one-inch mesh wire netting and at the edges are strips of three-quarter by one-inch deep and 15 to 18 inches square, according to the size of the hens kept. The board floor, explains the Orange Judd Farmer, is covered with sawdust or sand. Food and drink are more readily supplied through the door, which preferably fits in front, as shown.

PROFIT IN POULTRY.

Farmer Keeps Accounts and Finds Biggest Money in the Chickens.

One farmer down east, in order to find out where the leaks and where the gains were, kept an exact account with every department of his farm. He discovered that he was losing money on his brood flocks, that sheep just paid for themselves, that hogs were good if his lamb came early, and that the poultry made the largest per cent of profit of any feature of his farm. The result was that he quit fooling with beef and hogs and put more money and time into poultry. The increased prosperity on that farm was so marked that he wrote out for publication his experience.

Because a hen is small and a steer is big is a child's reason for having contempt for the former and respect for the latter, says Farmers' Voice. One of the biggest money makers in the world is the street car business, which depends entirely upon its income for five-cent fares. A stick of chewing gum costs but a penny, yet just recently a syndicate was organized with over a million dollars capital to make "trust chewing gum." It will pay the farmer and his wife to consider the money there may be made in poultry if wisely directed. Organize the hen on a business basis; put up new, clean, airy quarters; get proper egg-making feeds; learn the value of cleanliness, light, warmth and sunshine in winter; get a good incubator and control your hatches so that you will have winter layers, broilers, etc., when they are most profitable. You will soon learn that for the money invested and labor required, the hen is the most economical and highly efficient converter of rough feeds into money you have ever tried.

POULTRY NOTES.

Breed up the flock and get uniform birds.

Shape makes the breed-color the variety.

Do not try to keep a larger flock than you can take care of.

Keep dampness out of the poultry house; that will help keep out disease.

The habit some hens have of laying five is not shared by all. If you hatch eggs from these every-day layers you will soon find you have no dross in the flock.

In running your incubator follow each and every instruction given by the manufacturers to the letter. They want to see you succeed and are not imposing tasks they consider needless.

Will Increase Under New Process.

During the five years preceding 1904-05 the total acreage annually under indigo cultivation in India was 755,900. In 1905-06 this area had decreased to 330,400 acres, or a falling off of a little less than 44 per cent. During 1906-07 the acreage decreased to 329,800. Under new methods of cultivation and more economic processes of extraction, which are claimed to have been discovered in India, it is said that natural indigo can be produced more cheaply than synthetic indigo, and therefore it is confidently predicted that the indigo crop will rapidly increase in acreage and in the quantity of indigo produced.

Neglected Fowls.

It is seldom that neglected fowls are profitable. A great many people have conceived the idea that they can start a flock and let it alone and that the results will be profits day by day. As well might a farmer plant a field to anything and expect it to produce a good crop without caring for it. The weeds would soon grow up and choke the economic plants. In the poultry house we do not have weeds, but we have lice, mites, rats, cats, hawks, diseases of many kinds and thieves. These all correspond to the weeds that choke the crop in the field. They make it impossible for the lazy person to succeed.

Care of Milk Utensils.

Milk utensils should be rinsed with cold or lukewarm water. They should then be washed thoroughly with hot water, with the aid of some cleaning preparation, other than laundry soap or inferior washing powder, as soda, then rinsed with clean water and sterilized by exposure for at least ten minutes to live steam, or water that is actually boiling.

TEN YEARS OF BACKACHE.

Thousands of Women Suffer in the Same Way.

Mrs. Thomas Dunn, 153 Vine St., Columbus, Ohio, says: "For more than ten years I was in misery with backache. The simplest household work completely exhausted me. I had no strength or ambition and suffered headache and dizzy spells. After these years of pain I was despairing of ever being cured when Doan's Kidney Pills came to my notice and their use brought quick relief and a permanent cure. I am very grateful."

Doan's Kidney Pills, 50 cents a box, Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

IN MANY LINES OF BUSINESS.

Witness Evidently Was a Man of Unusual Qualifications.

S. T. Jocelyn of Wichita was court stenographer for Judge Pancost of Oklahoma for several years. One time a case was being tried before Judge Pancost and they were endeavoring to find out through a witness whether there had been any liquor sold. "What is your business?" asked the lawyer. "My business," repeated the witness laconically. "Oh, I have lots of business." "Answer the question," insisted the witness again. "Answer the question," interposed the judge severely.

EYESIGHT WAS IN DANGER

From Terrible Eczema—Baby's Head a Mass of Itching Rash and Sores—Disease Cured by Cuticura.

"Our little girl was two months old when she got a rash on her face and within five days her face and head were all one sore. We used different remedies but it got worse instead of better and we thought she would turn blind and that her ears would fall off. She suffered terribly, and would scratch until the blood came. This went on until she was five months old, then I had her under our family doctor's care, but she continued to grow worse. He said it was eczema. When she was seven months old I started to use the Cuticura Remedies and in two months our baby was a different girl. You could not see a sign of a sore and she was as fat as a newborn baby. She has not had a sign of the eczema since. Mrs. H. F. Budke, LeSueur, Minn., Apr. 15 and May 2, '07."

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.



The Parson (during a lecture to Tommy on the evils of smoking)—How do you spell "injurious?"

Tommy—I don't spell it at all.

The Parson—What did you go to school for?

Tommy—Because I had to.

What's a Widower?

Is a widower a married or a single man? This question continually crops up and it is continually being answered both ways. Certainly a widower is married—he is not a bachelor. That is one answer. Certainly, on the other hand, no matter what the man once was, he is single now. That is the other answer. Thus in all match games of single against married men—games of hockey, football, baseball, cricket—the poor widower is tossed from one side to the other like a shuttlecock. The solution depends solely upon his skill.

MUSIC STUDENTS

Should Have Steady Nerves.

The nervous system of the musician is often very sensitive and any habit like coffee drinking may so upset the nerves as to make regular and necessary daily practice next to impossible. "I practise from seven to eight hours a day and study Harmony two hours," writes a Mich. music student. "Last September I was so nervous I could only practise a few minutes at a time, and mother said I would have to drop my music for a year."

"I couldn't bear the thought of losing a whole year of study. Becoming convinced that my nervousness was caused largely by coffee, and seeing Postum so highly spoken of, I decided I would test it for a while. "Mother followed the directions carefully and I thought I had never tasted such a delicious drink. We drank Postum every morning instead of coffee, and by November I felt more like myself than for years, and was ready to resume my music."

"I now practise as usual, do my studying and when my day's work is finished I am not any more nervous than when I began."

"I cannot too highly recommend Postum to musicians who practise half a day. My father is a physician and recommends Postum to his patients. Words cannot express my appreciation for this most valuable health beverage, and my experience has proven its superiority over all others." "There's a Reason."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in page.

HOW TO KNOW PURE PAINT.

A Way in Which It May Be Identified Before Using.

After a building has been painted long enough for a weather test, it is easy to tell if the paint used was made of pure White Lead or not. But such belated knowledge comes like locking the barn after the colt is stolen.

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Pure White Lead is made from metallic lead, and under intense heat, such as is produced by a blow-pipe, pure metallic lead. If, however, it is not genuine White Lead, or if it contains the slightest trace of adulteration, the change will not take place. Therefore the "blow-pipe" test is an absolute and final one.

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Absence of Mind.

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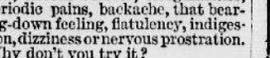
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