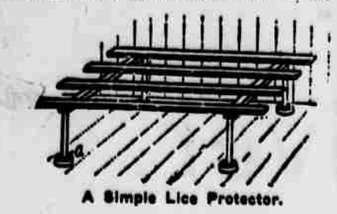
POULTRY AND BEES

CATCH THE LICE.

How You Can Make the Roosts Lice Proof.

Lice that hide by day and come out to feed on the fowls by night sometimes get quite numerous before the owner suspects, then it takes time to clear them out of the house. If the



A Simple Lice Protector.

supports of the roost are set in little cans of oil, or water coatetd with oil, as shown at a, the hens will be safe, and the lice can be kept in check by ordinary care, says Farm and Home. Low, level roosts with large, round or flat slats are best.

BEES AND GRAPES.

A Mistaken Idea That the Little Insect Punctures the Fruit.

An Illinois reader wants to know if there is any way to prevent the bees from sucking the juice out of grapes.

It is commonly supposed that the bees break the skin of the fruit and then remove the juices of the pulp. This is a mistake. If there is no rupture of the skin of the grape, the bees will not bother the fruit. Since they attack only those berries which are broken and which will, doubtless spoil, they do no material harm to the fruit.

If the vineyard is a small one, one of the best remedies is to go through it and examine the bunches and remove all fruit on which the skin is broken. This fruit can be used in making butters, jellies and wines and at the same time the temptation is removed from the bees.

In some small vineyards the growers resort to what is called "bagging." This is done about the time the berries are the size of small peas. Two-pound paper bags are used, slipping the bunch into the bag, which is slit for an inch on opposite sides of the sack, near the top. Draw the top of the bag up to the lateral to which the bunch is attached so that it passes through the two slits made in the bag. Then bend the paper over on either side so no opening is left, and wrap a little fine wire around the lateral at either side of the sack. Leave this till the fruit ripens. This not only prevents bees and ants from getting to the fruit, but also protects it from birds.

Just what causes the fruit to crack open, is not quite plain to our station experimenters. The writer has noticed, however, that fruit grown on rich soils has a greater tendency to break open than that grown on poor soils. If the soil is very dark colored, the probabilities are that it contains a great deal of nitrogen, which may cause the fruit to crack in the way mentioned. Manures should not be applied to the vineyard, especially fresh manure, says Journal of Agriculture. If the soil is naturally rich, it should receive a liberal application of hard wood ashes to which has been added a little ground bone or pulverized rock phosphate. These materials should be worked into the surface layer of the soil a few feet surrounding the vine.

WOMEN AS POULTRY RAISERS.

Why They Are Specially Adapted to the Business.

Poultry raising is one kind of stock raising that is adapted especially to women. Brains count for more than muscles in this department of the farm, and every expense of brain force is rewarded by increased revenues. The women on the farm have it in their power to make as great a success of poultry raising as their husbands make of the raising of horses, cattle, hogs or sheep. There are thousands of women engaged in the raising of poultry on a commercial scale and there are thousands of women on the farms that have brought the science of poultry raising to such a perfection that the business is every year paying them a large income.

The education of most women has been in the direction of cleanliness in the house and tidiness about the premises. This same kind of education is what is most needed in the poultry establishment, says the Farmers' Review. It has often been solely the lack of this that has caused losses in the poultry yards. The women on the farm have all the advantage of the woman in the village in the way of poultry keeping, for they have the raw material for the feeding of the poultry, all of which the village poultry keeper has to buy.

POULTRY POINTS.

Oats are manifestly an egg-producing food.

Cripples and stunted specimens spoil the appearance of a flock, besides taking up much needed room. Weed them out.—Farm Journal.

It does not pay to keep any except strong, vigorous chicks. Any that appear weak after receiving proper care and food should be disposed of.

If the fowls are confined in yards where the ground is bare of grass, the earth should be turned over frequently, either with a spade or a hand cultivator, if the yard is small, or with a plow, harrow or horse cultivator if the yard is large.

Milk, whole or skim, sweet or sour, is an excellent food for fowls and may be fed by itself or used to mix the mash provided a mash is a part of the ration. Milk, however, will not take the place of water as a drink and the latter must be furnished also.

LAYING HABITS OF DUCKS.

If Handled Right They Will Lay Early in the Morning.

Never keep ducks shut up to lay; they will sometimes lay their eggs upon the ground or drop them in the water, which gives trouble in collecting, and if there are any carrion crows or even rooks in the neighborhood, they will be there before you, and the eggs will be destroyed, which certainly is a loss, says William Pygott, an English duck raiser. But breeding ducks hate confinement, and if let out regularly from six to seven a. m. you will find their eggs, as a rule, laid on the floor of the house about that time, and a far greater quantity of eggs will be secured during the season by adopting this plan rather than keeping the birds confined until late hours. I may also add here that if you can safely leave the ducks out until dusk in the evening it is better to do so, as the birds find more natural food—worms, etc., which are quite a necessity to breeding ducks—during the early mornings and late evenings than any other part of the day. An experienced attendant can tell in a moment by handling each duck any that are carrying an egg, and the bird can be watched, or the first feed could be left until later, when they would return for the meal, and be confined for awhile. Sometimes ducks get egg-bound, and have been known to carry the eggs for several days, and eventually die. If taken in the first stages, a pinch of Epsom salts in a small pellet given to the bird will reduce the inflammation of the ovaries, and the egg can be laid; occasionally a second and even a third, dose will have to be administered (given once a day) before the egg is laid. In fact, I once had a duck lay three eggs in one day, the last being a soft-shelled egg, and the first like cement, having been carried four days. As a rule, it is during the early stages that ducks lay their eggs carelessly about and drop them in water. Later on in the season they will make a nest in the hedge row, or among nettles, sometimes in the stable or duck house, and it is quite safe to leave the bird to nature, removing the eggs at leisure.

COMBS OF FOWLS.

They Are a Good Index to the Health of the Bird.

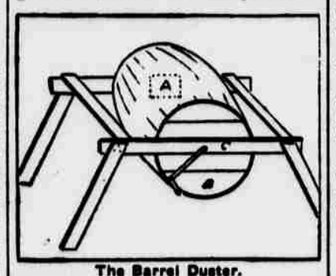
The comb of the fowl may count for much or it may count for little. In a cold country it is of more consequence than it is in a warm country, because if too much exposed it freezes. For this reason fowls having large thin combs are not so well suited to the cold north as are those fowls that have thick, compact combs, which we generally designate as "rose combs." Some fowls, like the Polish, have head gears that seem to fit them for life in a cold climate. The man that in the west cannot give his fowls much protect'on from the weather will do well to choose those that have naturally protected combs.

The combs of the fowls are receptacles for blood, and this does not seem to be in motion. Consequently it freezes easily, and it is the common impression among poultry raisers that a fowl that has had her comb frozen is of no value for egg laying operations. When fowls get ready to lay their condition is always shown by their combs. When a bird is being bled to death by mites the comb shows the loss of blood by becoming pale. The comb is therefore quite a good index of the health of the fowl.

DUSTING THE LOUSY HENS.

Barrel Contrivance Makes the Operation an Easy One.

Take any fair-sized barrel and make a frame for it, as in the illustration which tells the whole story. Use a good lice powder. Put the powder in



The Barrel Duster.

the barrel with the fowls and turn the crank, says the Missouri Valley Farmer. The dust will go through the feathers thoroughly, killing the lice. Do it in the morning and turn the fowls loose.

The Growing Chick.

A growing chick represents an investment. If it is well cared for and develops into a profitable fowl, the investment will be profitable. If through neglect or bad judgment it does not develop into a healthy, vigorous specimen, the investment is a failure.

Have Two Poultry Yards.

If the same flock can have the use of two yards, one may be cultivated and sown with rye while the fowls occupy the others; then when the rye gets a good start the transfer can be made and the fowls will enjoy the new green yard while the other is being treated in the same manner.

Poison for Mice.

A reader sends the following: One part flour, one part sugar and one part arsenic mixed well, makes an ideal poison for mice. They eat it readily and do not produce a disgusting smell when they die.

Trout in the Spring.

Engage a trout to keep your spring free from bugs and worms. He will work for his board if given a little liver or other cheap meat during fall and winter.

Separate Them.

Separate the cockerels from the pullets at once for both will make better growth if they are on separate range, or in separate yards.

A MISSOURI WOMAN

Tells a Story of Awful Suffering and Wonderful Relief.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson, of 603 West Hickman St., Columbia, Mo., says:

"Following an operation two years ago, dropsy set in, and my left side was so swollen the doctor said he would have to tap out the water. There was constant pain and a gurgling sensation around my heart, and I could not raise my arm above my head. The kidney action was disordered and passages of the secretions too frequent. On the advice of my husband I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Since using two boxes my trouble has not reappeared. This is wonderful, after suffering two years."

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NO PLACE FOR HIM HERE.

Alabama Judge Did Not Think Deceased Would Miss Much.

"Your honor," said a prosecuting attorney in an Alabama backwoods court, "the prisoner at the bar is charged with killing ono of the most exemplary citizens of this county. Thomas Jones, your honor, was in every respect a model man. He was a member of the church; he was never known to bet on horses, play poker, drink whisky or use tobacco. He—"

"Hold on a minute," said the judge. "You say he never bet on a horse?"

"That's what I said, your honor."

"Never was known to play a game?"

"Never your honor."

"And he never drank liquor?"

"Never drank a drop, your honor."

"And he didn't chew tobacco?"

"Never took a chew in his life."

"Well, then," said the judge, "I don't see what he wanted to live for. There wasn't anything in life for him, and I don't see why he ain't about as well off dead as alive. Release the prisoner, Mr. Sheriff, and call the next case."

KNEW VALUE OF AN OATH.

Colored Witness at Least Was Aware of Its Pecuniary Worth.

Clarence S. Darrow, the well known lawyer and essayist, discussing the Haywood trial, in which he played so prominent a part, said the other day:

"Some of the evidence in that trial was so transparently false that it reminds me of a case that came off in Alabama a few years back. One of the witnesses in this case was an extremely ignorant man. As his testimony progressed, his ignorance became so shockingly evident that the judge, looking sternly down at him said:

"'Look here, sir, are you acquainted with the value of an oath?'

"The witness answered anxiously:

"'Jedge, I hope I am. That thar lawyer on yer left hand gimme six dollars to sw'ar agin the other side. Thet's the correck value of an oath, ain't it, jedge?'"

Kismet.

Kismet is an Arabic word meaning "fate," or "it is fated." A belief in predestination is one of the fundamental principles in the Mohammedan faith. Not only a man's fortune, but his deeds, and consequently his future reward or punishment are, according to this faith, irrevocably, and thus unavoidably, pre-ordained—a doctrine which has contributed largely to the success of Islam by inspiring its champions with the greatest contempt for the dangers of warfare. When a Mohammedan meets with any disaster or misfortune, no matter how great, he accepts the situation calmly, merely saying, "Kismet"—"it is fated."

No Trouble at All.

Mrs. Peppery—The rector of that fashionable church of yours certainly has an easy thing of it.

Mrs. Swellman—But he is a good shepherd, and—

Mrs. Peppery—Oh, it's easy to be a good shepherd when the sheep are all fat and prosperous.—Philadelphia Press.

Perhaps the reason a woman is continually looking in a mirror is because she wants to see herself as others see her.

PUTS THE "GINGER" IN.

The Kind of Food Used by Athletes.

A former college athlete, one of the ong distance runners, began to lose his power of endurance. His experience with a change in food is interesting.

"While I was in training on the track athletic team, my daily 'jogs' became a task, until after I was put on Grape-Nuts food for two meals a day. After using the Food for two weeks I felt like a new man. My digestion was perfect, nerves steady and I was full of energy.

"I trained for the mile and the half mile runs (those events which require so much endurance) and then the long daily 'jogs,' which before had been such a task, were clipped off with ease. I won both events.

"The Grape-Nuts food put me in perfect condition and gave me my 'ginger.' Not only was my physical condition made perfect, and my weight increased, but my mind was made clear and vigorous so that I could get out my studies in about half the time formerly required. Now most all of the University men use Grape-Nuts for they have learned its value, but I think my testimony will not be amiss and may perhaps help some one to learn how the best results can be obtained."

There's a reason for the effect of Grape-Nuts food on the human body and brain. The certain elements in wheat and barley are selected with special reference to their power for rebuilding the brain and nerve centres. The product is then carefully and scientifically prepared so as to make it easy of digestion. The physical and mental results are so apparent after two or three week's use as to produce a profound impression. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

TEA FROM THE FLOWERS.

This Product Little Known in the United States.

Tea, not from leaves, but from the flowers alone of the plant, is rarely encountered in commerce. The petals, stamens, etc., are sun dried, and the resulting tea is of a rich, deep brown hue of peculiarly delicate odor, and gives a pale amber colored infusion rather more astringent in taste than that from the average fair grade leaf. The taste for it is an acquired one, and even if this tea could be made commercially possible, it is doubtful if it would ever become popular.

The American tea trade could advantageously take a suggestion from the brick tea of the far east. In our country, the tea dust, some of which is good quality, is not properly utilized. In Europe it is a regular article of trade, and it is advertised and sold as tea dust. In America it is sold to thousands of cheap restaurants, who make from it the mixture of tanic acid, sugar and boiled milk which they sell as "tea." If, as in the orient, this dust was compressed into bricks, good tea could be made from it.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Terrible Itching Prevented Sleep—Hands, Arms and Legs Affected—Cuticura Cured in 6 Days.

"I had eczema nearly fifteen years. The affected parts were my hands, arms and legs. They were the worst in the winter time, and were always itchy, and I could not keep from scratching them. I had to keep both hands bandaged all the time, and at night I would have to scratch through the bandages as the itching was so severe, and at times I would have to tear everything off my hands to scratch the skin. I could not rest or sleep. I had several physicians treat me but they could not give me a permanent cure nor even could they stop the itching. After using the Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent for about six days the itching had ceased, and now the sores have disappeared, and I never felt better in my life than I do now. Edward Worell, Band 30th U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska."

The Real Burden Bearer.

"The late Senator Pettus," said a Selma man, "came to view with a little alarm, in his later years, the immense and unrestricted immigration to our shores.

"Walking one evening with him, I pointed to a foreigner marching along at the head of his family. The man was tall, erect, robust, a superbly handsome fellow.

"'There,' I said, 'is a fine figure of an immigrant. See how he carries himself.'

"Senator Pettus laughed bitterly.

"'Yes,' he said, 'and see how he lets his wife carry everything else.'"

Sheer white goods, in fact, any fine wash goods when new, owe much of their attractiveness to the way they are laundered, this being done in a manner to enhance their textile beauty. Home laundering would be equally satisfactory if proper attention was given to starching, the first essential being good Starch, which has sufficient strength to stiffen, without thickening the goods. Try Defiance Starch and you will be pleasantly surprised at the improved appearance of your work.

Dugald's Explanation.

Staying at an inn in Scotland a shooting party found their sport much interfered with by rain. Still, wet or fine, the old-fashioned barometer that hung in the hall persistently pointed to "set fair." At length one of the party drew the landlord's attention to the glass, saying: "Don't you think now, Dugald, there's something the matter with your glass?" "No, sir," replied Dugald, with dignity; "she's a gude glass and a powerful glass, but she's no' moved wi' trifles."

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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"I learned something from the porter on our train this morning," said a hotel guest. "I noticed him pick up the coat to a pair of pajamas while he was making up one of the berths. Whoever had occupied the berth had got off the train, evidently, and left the garment behind. 'Forgot part of his nightie, eh?' says I to the porter. The porter grinned broadly. 'Wasn't any his about it, boss,' he says. 'It war a lady that was in that berth las' night. Yes, sah. Lots of 'em seems to like them to weah on the cahs. I guess they thinks they's better in case of a wreck or sump'n like that.'"

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Porter—Yessir!"

Traveler—Well, I'll give you half a dollar to leave the dust on him and not brush it off on to me.

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Mrs. E. F. Hayes, of 26 Ruggles St., Boston, Mass., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I have been under different doctors' treatment for a long time without relief. They told me I had a fibroid tumor, my abdomen was swollen and I suffered with great pain. I wrote to you for advice, you replied and I followed your directions carefully and today I am a well women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system."

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I was told by my physician that I had a fibroid tumor and that I would have to be operated upon. I wrote to you for advice, which I followed carefully and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am not only cured of the tumor but other female troubles and can do all my own work after eigh years of suffering."

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

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