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MORNING.

When the sun is rising over
The green meadow kissed with dew
And glows golden on the clover
And the apple blossoms too.

It is then old robin calls me,
And I hear his summons sweet
From the tree beside my window,
And I rise the morn to greet.

At the door the roses meet me
With their fragrance fresh with dew,
And the lilacs from the garden
Breathe a welcome round me too.

Oh, 'tis then that beauteous Nature
Wears her most entrancing smile!
And the lovely world around me
Seems like Eden free from guile.

Oh, the glory of the morning
Pure and sweet with thought sublime!
Emblem of that brighter morning
Filled with ecstasy divine.

C. M. BARNITZ.

CARING FOR THE PULLETS.

When neighbor calls "your pullets slow as 'lasses in January at layin'" and chuckles round about his "phenoms" that beat the band layin' at four months, let him rattle away.

Just remember, if that red splashed egg comes much before Sept. 1, that premature bonanza is bound to burst, for such pullets lay a few little eggs and then lay off their feathers to lay them on again. Early maturity is a razzle dazzle. Fowls that lay so early are generally pushed to it. All poultry have a natural breeding season and must have a period for perfect development, and the bigger the breed the longer to properly mature. Turkey breeders are seeing this, and many



Photo by C. M. Barnitz.

PRETTY PULLETS.

now will allow only three-year gobblers and two-year hens in their breeding pens, claiming they are not developed till that age.

Pullets must have time to grow organs, build frames and cover them with flesh and feathers.

There must be constitution and stamina behind a pullet or those early eggs are a drain and she becomes dwarfed and weak.

Hence practical egg farmers try to hold back birds that show signs of precociousness, changing them from place to place and keeping them from food that stimulates the egg organs. To be a prime continuous layer a pullet must be well nourished as a chick, be provided with mineral for frame, protein for organs, muscles, feathers, enough carbohydrates for heat and energy, with plenty of greens, fresh air and water. The life a la nature makes the big, rangy, fluffy cackler. When such birds are brought from range, feed them on mixed grains in litter, and for a fine mash, moist or dry, use the following:

	Pounds.
Ground oats	25
Wheat bran	25
Cornmeal	25
Wheat middlings	13
Meat scrap	25
Cut clover	10
Charcoal	2
Salt	1¼

DON'TS.

Don't be purse proud. Pride founded on a pile of cash oft tumbles with tremendous crash.

Don't feed mangels with the idea that they have much food value. They are 91 per cent water.

Don't forget that oats and buckwheat are 9 per cent fiber and the hulls must be counted out when measuring the ration.

Don't feed ground dry bone with the idea that it is anything but old dead lime and that oyster shell is not better at half the price.

The Spectroscope.

Originally the spectroscope was applied only to chemistry and in that limited field proved itself an invaluable aid in accurate analysis. By holding in a Bunsen flame a platinum wire moistened by contact with the skin the presence of a few grains of salt swallowed a few minutes previously can be detected with the spectroscope. Indeed, so wonderfully refined is the work of the spectroscope chemist that he can discover in a substance the presence of one three-millionths of a grain of metal.

REGULAR RATIONS FOR MEN AND HEN.

Don't some fellows make Rome howl when dinner's late?

"Yes," cries Mariar, "but they are a hundred times oftener late for dinner than the meal's late."

That's true. Give our good cooks their due. They stay awake nights to invent epicurean delights; they know our strength will fail on a slim dinner pail and our stomachs won't run steady if our eats aren't ready.

This is digestible doctrine for men and hen. To bring results Biddy must be fed a good variety of all she can digest for waste, growth, eggs, heat,



Photo by C. M. Barnitz.

READY FOR BREAKFAST (5 A. M.).

energy, and this must be fed regularly. A man's digester is supposed to rest three times a day. A hen in daylight is nearly always picking and feeding her gizzard, and at night her full crop keeps her gizzard going. Does any animal scratch harder, produce as many pounds in proportion to its size or its much profit for the outlay? Nit.

The normal hen as a digester, assimilator and producer is a perpetual motion machine. She is a manufacturer of a finished product, done up in an unadulterated, original package, and her food fuel must be plentiful and continuous, or out go the fires.

This little lay sermon on regularity is in particular for the man who has the hen at his mercy in a pen with little range for natural food, for the man who wants eggs when it's snowing and cold, cold winter outside. Yes, this letter is for the fellow who feeds his hens any old time or sometimes once a day and sometimes not at all.

May God be merciful to him, a sinner, and may he never have to go hungry! For want of good, regular food in sufficient quantity men suffer; they cannot work well; they weaken; they become targets for disease. This is true of Biddy and old Fan.

Note the chickens at the gate. They have come for breakfast. Breakfast is served at 5 a. m., and they are on time. If fed twice or three times a day they are at that gate on the dot, ready for the meal their system requires. They are not disappointed, and when their owner gathers eggs he is not disappointed either.

FEATHERS AND EGGSHELLS.

It is wise for you to remember when you hear the extravagant claims made for sprouted oats that sprouted or dry its nutritive qualities remain the same.

One of our poultry journal doctors prescribes a "family liver pill" every night for six weeks for a poor rooster that's under the weather. This is only a sample of yellow poultry journal dope.

Towanda, Pa., boasts a hen that practices "never put off till tomorrow what you can do today." Instead of laying ordinary eggs on successive days she lays three eggs in one. "Go thou and do likewise."

Near Kittanning, Pa., forty-eight men were arrested and fifty games were captured at a cockfight. The birds were turned over to a hospital, where many of the patients chewed the rag when they chewed old tough stag.

Dwarf Essex rape sown broadcast like turnips, if in good ground, is a quick grower, reaching as high as six feet. A patch of this green sown early will afford splendid food and shade for brooder chicks and fine greens for yarded stock.

Chickens need vegetables every day, not so much for the nutrition it affords as for its effect on the appetite and digestion. When hens do not have sufficient greens to add bulk to the ration of grain they get overfat, eggs are few and infertile, and digestive disturbances ensue.

In an interpretation of the pure food drug act of 1906 the supreme court has decreed that the federal government may pursue adulterated food from one state back to its origin if the original package has not been broken. The fuss was about fifty cans of eggs doped with boric acid that were shipped from St. Louis to Peoria, Ill. This is once that "Show Me Land" got showed up.

When E. S. Karslake, Honesdale, Pa., found two chilled pigs in a litter just born he quickly placed them in an incubator from which ninety chicks had just been removed, and the half dead piglets were soon squealing and kicking in their nice warm quarters. The eggshells of the hatch had not been removed, and when the children came home from school and saw those little squealers among the shells it took the whole family to convince them that those pigs weren't a hen product.

L. M. Barnitz.

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Public Sale Of Personal Property

Having rented my farm and intending to retire from the Dairying business, I will sell at public auction, on

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4th, 1911,

at 10 o'clock a. m., on my home farm, situated 1-2 mile East of Sykesville, in Freedom District, Carroll county, the following personal property:

8 head of mules, complete harness for 6-horse team, plow harness, single harness, halters, etc., bull, 3 heifers, 20 milch cows, 30 5-gallon milk cans and other dairy utensils, 20 head of sheep, 2 brood sows, 15 young hogs, 15 standard bred horses, (the property of Wade H. D. Warfield), including brood mares in foal, sucklings, yearlings, two and three year old colts, mostly the get of ADMIRAL TOGO; several saddle and road horses.

A full assortment of farming implements, including 2 farm wagons, beds and hay carriages, grain drill, binder, 2 mowers, Hay tedder and rake, manure spreader, plows harrows, and other articles usually found on a well regulated farm.

Conveyances will meet the morning trains from Baltimore and Frederick.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters of administration on the estate of

GEORGE FLEAGLE,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 25th day of March, 1912; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 25th day of August, 1911.

CHARLES H. FLEAGLE,
aug 25 4t Administrator.

LET US PRINT YOUR SALE BILLS.

PROCLAMATION

Publication of Proposed Constitutional Amendments.

Whereas, At the January Session of the General Assembly of Maryland, held in the year of our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ten, three Acts were passed, one proposing an Amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution, by adding thereto a Section to be known as Section 8; one proposing an Amendment to Section 2 of Article 3 of said Constitution, and one proposing an Amendment to Section 4 of Article 3 of said Constitution, said Acts being respectively Chapters 253, 303 and 318 of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland of 1910, and which are in the words following, to wit:

CHAPTER 253.

An Act to propose an Amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of this State by adding thereto a new Section, to be known as Section 8, to follow Section 7 and to provide for the submission of said Amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland (three-fifths of all members of each of the two houses concurring), that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an amendment to Article 1 of the Constitution of this State, which said section, if adopted by the qualified voters of this State, shall stand as an additional section to said Article 1, to be known as Section 8, to follow Section 7, of said Article.

Section 8. All State and municipal elections shall be conducted by the system commonly known as the Australian Ballot System, and it shall be the duty of the General Assembly to provide by law for a form of ballot, uniform throughout the State, for use at all State elections in this State, and provide that on said ballot after the name of each candidate thereon who may have been duly nominated as the candidate of any political party or organization, there shall be printed the legal name of said party or organization; equal representation of the minority party among the judges and clerks of election, registers or other officers performing similiar functions shall not be abolished by the General Assembly unless by a vote of four-fifths of all the members of each house.

The right to be registered as a qualified voter and the right to vote at any State or municipal election in this State shall be limited to the following persons:

First: Every male white citizen not disqualified by the Second or Third Sections of this Article, possessing the qualifications as to age and residence mentioned in Section 1 of this Article.

Second: Every other male citizen not disqualified by the Second or Third Sections of this Article possessing the qualifications as to age and residence mentioned in Section 1 of this Article, who at the time of his application for registration is the bona fide owner of real or personal property, or both, in an amount of not less than five hundred dollars, is assessed therefor on the tax books of the City of Baltimore or of one of the Counties of this State, has been such owner and so assessed for two years next preceding his application for registration, shall have paid and shall produce receipts for the taxes on said property for said two years, and shall at the time of his application make affidavit before the officers of registration that he is the bona fide owner of the property so assessed to him and that he has been such owner for two years next preceding his application.

If any person other than those herein mentioned shall be or become legally entitled to be registered as voters at State Elections in this State, then this section shall be null and void and the General Assembly shall possess the same powers as if this section had never been adopted, and the laws of this State, including the local laws applicable to certain counties thereof, relating to the form of ballot to be used at elections, in force on the first day of July in the year nineteen hundred and ten, shall revive or continue in force until altered by the General Assembly notwithstanding any Acts to the contrary which may have been passed while the terms of this section shall have been in force or while the General Assembly shall have believed or assumed the provisions of this section to be valid.

Section 2. And be it further enacted, by the authority aforesaid, that the aforesaid section hereby proposed as an Amendment to the Constitution shall be at the next General Election held in this State, submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection. In pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State, and at said General Election the vote on the said proposed Amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot shall be written or printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election due return shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed Amendment, as directed by the said Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved Apr. 7, 1910.
AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
(Great Seal.) Governor.
A. P. GORMAN, JR.,
President of the Senate.
ADAM PEEPLES,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

CHAPTER 303.

An Act to amend Section 2 of Article 3, title "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of this State and to provide for the submission of said Amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two Houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an Amendment to Section 2 of Article 3, title, "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal and qualified voters thereof, as herein provided, said section shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of Section 2 of Article 3 of the Constitution of Maryland.

2. The City of Baltimore shall be divided into four Legislative Districts as near as may be of equal population and of contiguous territory, and each of said Legislative Districts of Baltimore City, as they may from time to time be laid out, in accordance with the provisions hereof, and each county of the State, shall be entitled to one Senator who shall be elected by the qualified voters of said Legislative District of Baltimore City, and of the counties of the State, respectively, and Baltimore City shall be entitled to two additional Senators, who shall be elected at large, by the qualified voters of the said City, and all of said Senators shall serve for four years from the date of their election, subject to the classification of Senators hereinafter provided for.

Section 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an Amendment to the Constitution, shall at the next election for members of the General Assembly of this State, to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in the month of November, nineteen hundred and eleven (1911), be submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof for their adoption or rejection in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State; and at said election the vote on said proposed Amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot and upon each ballot there shall be written or printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election, due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed Amendment, as directed by the said Article 14 of the Constitution.

Approved Apr. 7, 1910.
AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
(Great Seal.) Governor.
A. P. GORMAN, JR.,
President of the Senate.
ADAM PEEPLES,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

CHAPTER 318.

An Act to amend Section 4 of Article 3, title "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of this State, and to provide for the submission of said Amendment to the qualified voters of this State for adoption or rejection.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, three-fifths of all the members of each of the two houses concurring, that the following section be and the same is hereby proposed as an Amendment to Section 4 of Article 3, title, "Legislative Department," of the Constitution of this State, and if adopted by the legal qualified voters thereof as herein provided, said section shall supersede and stand in the place and instead of Section 4 of said Article 3 of the Constitution of Maryland.

4. As soon as may be after the taking and publishing of the National Census of nineteen hundred and ten, or after the enumeration of the population of this State under the authority thereof, there shall be an apportionment of representation in the House of Delegates, to be made on the following basis, to wit:

Each of the several counties of the State having a population of eighteen thousand souls or less, shall be entitled to two Delegates; and every county having a population of over eighteen thousand and less than twenty-eight thousand souls, shall be entitled to three Delegates; and every county having a population of twenty-eight thousand and less than forty thousand souls, shall be entitled to four Delegates; and every county having a population of forty thousand and less than fifty-five thousand souls shall be entitled to five Delegates; and every county having a population of fifty-five thousand souls and upwards, shall be entitled to six Delegates and no more; and each of the four Legislative Districts of the City of Baltimore shall be entitled to one Delegate for each one-sixth of the population of the largest county in the State; provided, however, that the representation of Baltimore City in the House of Delegates shall never exceed one-third of the membership of the House of Delegates, and, provided also, that the representation of Baltimore City in the House of Delegates shall never be less than thirty-five in number of the membership of said House of Delegates; and the General Assembly shall have the power to provide by law, from time to time, for altering and changing the boundaries of the existing legislative districts of the City of Baltimore, so as to make them as near as may be of equal population, but said districts shall always consist of contiguous territory.

Section 2. And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said foregoing section hereby proposed as an Amendment to the Constitution, shall at the next election for members of the General Assembly of this State, to be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in the month of November, nineteen hundred and eleven (1911), be submitted to the legal and qualified voters thereof, for their adoption or rejection, in pursuance of the directions contained in Article 14 of the Constitution of this State; and at the said election the vote on the said proposed Amendment to the Constitution shall be by ballot, and upon each ballot shall be written or printed the words "For the Constitutional Amendment" and "Against the Constitutional Amendment," as the voter shall elect, and immediately after said election, due returns shall be made to the Governor of the vote for and against said proposed Amendment as directed by the said Article 14 of the said Constitution.

Approved Apr. 7, 1910.
AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
(Great Seal.) Governor.
A. P. GORMAN, JR.,
President of the Senate.
ADAM PEEPLES,
Speaker of the House of Delegates.

Now, Therefore, I, AUSTIN L. CROTHERS, Governor of the State of Maryland, in pursuance of the provisions of Section 1 of Article 14 of the Constitution of Maryland, do hereby order and direct that a copy of each of said Acts proposing said Amendments be published in at least two newspapers in each of the counties of the State, where so many may be published, in any county where not more than one newspaper may be published, then in that newspaper, and in three newspapers published in the City of Baltimore, one of which shall be in the German language, once a week for at least three months preceding the election of 1911, at which said election said proposed amendments shall be submitted to the legal and qualified voters of the state, for their adoption or rejection.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of Maryland.
Done at the City of
(Great Seal.) Annapolis, this first day of July, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and eleven.
AUSTIN L. CROTHERS,
Governor of Maryland.
By the Governor:
N. WINSLOW WILLIAMS,
Secretary of State.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

HEREAFTER, and until further notice the County Commissioners of Carroll county will meet at their office in Westminster, EVERY MONDAY for the transaction of business.

By order, O. EDWARD DODRER,
feb10 09 Treasurer.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF A Desirable Farm AND Personal Property.

Westminster District, Carroll County, Md.

The undersigned as executor of Mary S. Hook, late of Carroll county, deceased, and by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., will offer at public sale, on the Washington road, about 5 miles south of Westminster, Md., near Morgan Run and old Shipley P. O., on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1911,

at 2 p. m., all that desirable farm of which the late Mary S. Hook died seized and possessed, containing **124 Acres of Land,** more or less. The improvements consist of a **2½ Story and Basement Frame Dwelling House,** large Bank Barn, wagon shed and corn crib combined, smoke house and fine Dairy and spring.

The buildings are in excellent condition and have been but recently improved with lightning rods.

A meadow with an excellent stream of water flowing through it is one of the advantages of this property. About 12 acres are in timber and the balance is in excellent farming condition, it having been recently limed. Nice apple orchard.

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A deposit of $100 will be required of purchaser on day of sale and the purchaser will have to pay all costs of conveyancing.

TERMS OF SALE:—One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale or upon the ratification of the sale by the Court, and the balance in two equal payments of six and twelve months, the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser with approved security, bearing interest from day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

JOHN M. HOOK, Executor.
Francis J. Albaugh, Auctioneer.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

At the same time, the undersigned by virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Carroll county will offe at public sale the following personal property: Bay horse, buggy, 4,000 chestnut shingles, coal stove, 3 milk cans, iron kettle and 3 rods of American fencing.

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