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All persons indebted to this estate must settle at once.

Given under my hand this 19th day of October, 1920.

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Scarlet bough and crimson creeper,
Burning branch and kindling spire,
Dawn on dawning growing deeper
With the transitory fire!

Morn on morn a radiant shaping
Of a pageantry sublime;
Eve on eve a rapt redraping
Of the tapestries of time!

Not for one this sweeping wonder,
Bloom of beauty—not for one,
But for all men dwelling under
The dominion of the sun.

Far from some celestial portal,
Whence all earthly splendors be,
Comes a voice to every mortal:
"Lo, lift up thine eyes and see!"

OUR POULTRY DEPARTMENT

NOTES OF INTEREST TO KENT POULTRYMEN THAT MAY BE OF SOME HELP

The average poultryman who tries to learn from the experience of others the best methods to use in building up the production of his flock finds the literature on this subject not only highly confusing, but contradictory as well. Between the statements of supposedly competent authorities who advocate intense inbreeding and the equally positive claims of others to the effect that inbreeding is the surest and quickest way to drag down egg production, health and vitality, it is not surprising that the beginner feels completely at sea. The Maine Experiment Station was among the first to start a systematic and thorough investigation of the subject. Under the direction of Professor Gowell, a series of breeding experiments were conducted over a period of several years. The belief at the time was that by using only the best trap-nested layers for breeders, and mating these to the sons of high-producing hens, the average egg yield of the flock could be increased. The idea was carried out in detail, and what were the results? The flock average at Maine, instead of going up, went steadily down during the years while the experiments were being conducted. Dr. Raymond Pearl then conducted the experiments at Maine for several years, and succeeded in making some real steps forward. His first important discovery was that differences in egg production are not anatomical. By counting under the microscope the visible oocysts (undeveloped yolks) in the hen's ovaries, he found that there were thousands more of these in each hen than she would ever lay. Then from a careful study of trap-nest and pedigree records, Dr. Pearl reached the important conclusion that high egg production was inherited through the male alone, and not through the female. Bulletin 205 of the Maine Station, which was published at this time, stated that high producers are just as likely to come from a poor-laying hen as from a good one, but that the good layers were necessary to produce the breeding males.

At the Massachusetts Agricultural College soon after this, however, it was found that while Dr. Pearl's theories may have worked with his Barred Rocks, they did not work with Rhode Island Reds. Prof. Goodale published his conclusions that not only must the sire come from a high-producing hen, but the dam as well, and that by using high-laying hens for breeders, mated to the sons of high layers, the annual flock production would be increased.

But was not this just what Prof. Gowell had done at Maine for nine years, and with most unsatisfactory results? Apparently, as the result of all this extensive work, the poultry world was no better off than before. Various writers began to offer inbreeding as the truth of the elusive secret, and, indeed, many wonderful laying strains have been built up in various parts of the country, apparently through this means alone. Others have said that while inbreeding may produce a few high individuals, it also produces birds at the other extreme, with the lowest production, and that in a large flock inbreeding will not produce so high an average as outcrossing.

But Dr. Pearl went one step farther in his investigations. It was he, more than any one other man, who brought forward the plan of "tested-progeny" as offering the only practical solution to the problem. By carefully trapnesting his birds, and tracing their pedigrees, he made the all-important discovery that only by trying breeders out are we at all sure of favorable results.

As with all other classes of live stock, there is great irregularity of breeding power in poultry, even within a family. Two males, brothers from identically the same parents, may have entirely different capacities as breeders. One may produce 250-egg daughters and the other, daughters which do not lay more than 80 eggs annually. So, many of the leading agricultural colleges are now recommending the "tested-progeny" plan as the only feasible method of procedure. Various ways of carrying out this plan have been suggested, all of them differing only in the details of operation.

Shavings make a fairly good floor litter, though, we believe, are not as good as straw. They are good as an absorbent, but fowls in confinement will not get sufficient exercise unless their grain is fed at more frequent intervals than is necessary where straw litter is used. A combination of straw and shavings—about equal parts of each—is said to make a better and cheaper scratching litter than straw alone. Sawdust is good as an absorbent and as a blanket for cold floors, but has no value as scratching litter.

Eggs are high now, with feed fairly cheap, and every effort should be made to push the hens and pullets to production. Feed them a good laying ration, with plenty of good grain. If possible, give them milk to drink and try in every practical way to get them laying while the price of eggs is up.

Whether you plan to use yearling fowls or the best of this year's stock for breeding stock, now is an excellent time to select your birds and cull out the poor ones. The best layers among the pullets are awlays those that mature first, and the best cockerels for use in breeding for increased egg production are the birds that mature the earliest.

Every poultry yard that can be vacated should be seeded to rape or rye, preferably the latter, at once. In addition, if there is any available ground in the garden or near the poultry houses that can be seeded to these crops, it should be done. Rye will furnish a great deal of green feed, not only during the fall and winter, but also next spring.

It is quite likely that 50 per cent or more of the chicks raised each year are more or less stunted by being compelled to roost in stuffy, overcrowded coops and brooders during the late summer and early fall. This is particularly true of hen-brooded chicks that continue crowding into the coop in which they were started and which are utterly inadequate to their needs. Give the growing stock roomy, well-ventilated quarters and they will do a great deal better. Many a failure that we know of has been due directly to the fact that the quarters were entirely too small.

Do not keep any more pullets this winter than you can accommodate in a first-class way. If you have a surplus, advertise them. There are a great many people who want pullets now and will continue to want them. Pullets and hens will certainly not lay if crowded in close quarters. At least three feet is required for leghorn hens and four feet for Barred Rocks and the heavier breeds. Extensive experiments and experience by practical poultrymen have proved that this is a fact and not a theory.

Many poultry plants are installing artificial lights from now on to make the feeding days longer during the short winter days, claiming that a bigger egg production will result. We have never tried this experiment, but have read of a great many who have done so, with some success. Electricity is most convenient, of course, to furnish lights with, but gasoline lanterns, made for this purpose, are said to be very satisfactory and are much cheaper. Even a kerosene lantern is all right in a small house.

In most flocks the inferior layers have already been on vacation on full feed for a month or more. What is worse, if they are not promptly culled it will soon be difficult to distinguish them from the profitable members of the flock and they will be carried through the fall and possibly through the entire year at a heavy loss.

MILLINGTON

Mrs. Eva Marvel and Mr. George Clough spent the week-end with relatives at Prices.

Mrs. Ernest Radnor and daughter, Miss Anna, spent last Saturday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Vermadella Woodall is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sudler G. Weist.

Mrs. Annie S. Price and Mr. Paul C. Price and family motored to Lancaster, Pa., on Friday of last week, where they spent a few days with the former's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Bennett.

Mrs. Katie Harris, of Wilmington, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Jane Wilson.

A joint meeting of the Ladies Aid Society and the Home Missionary Society of Asbury M. E. Church was held on Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. John W. Higman.

Order of services of Trinity M. E. Church, South, which are being held in the Assembly room of the High School, for tomorrow: 2 p. m., S. S.; 3 p. m., preaching by the pastor, Rev. Geo. W. Staples.

GALENA

Dr. Deshield delivered a very interesting sermon in the M. E. Church Sunday morning.

Mr. Howard Gray is still very critically ill in the Jones Hospital, Wilmington, Del.

Dr. J. W. Latimer has improved a little at this writing.

Mr. Geo. Carroll, of Newark, Del., spent the week-end with a friend near town.

Mrs. Kathryn Hyland visited Mrs. Thomas Cowell Thursday evening.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. Harry Seney, who is employed with the Hearn Oil Company, has rented the E. R. Anthony house in Queen Annes, now occupied by Capt. James Tucker and family.

Miss Rebecca Aldridge has been the guest of friends in Baltimore the past week.

Mrs. James Tucker and Miss Sallie Tucker spent the week-end in Baltimore.

Messrs. John and Cordray Loud, of Wilmington and Baltimore, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cordray Loud, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strong are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a fine daughter Monday night.

Mr. L. Bates Russell strained his back at the garage on Tuesday and has been confined to his bed ever since.

Mrs. Lee G. Holleman, of Anderson, S. C., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. B. Rote.

Mrs. W. C. Sutton was the guest of her mother in Baltimore this week.

Miss Rebecca Kendall, of Wilmington, was home for the week-end.

Mrs. Laura Pleasanton is the guest of relatives in Wilmington.

Mrs. Lawrence Brown is spending the week in Philadelphia.

Miss Olive Kent, of Wilmington, was the guest of her mother last week.

Mr. Edgar Chaires, of Wilmington, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chaires.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs, of Kenton, Del., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Carter, Sr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldey Warren spent Sunday at Elkton the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Alderson.

Mrs. James Greet and Mrs. Edward Pannell, of Brooklyn, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crew.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toulson, Miss Susan Hill and Mr. J. T. Anthony, of Chestertown, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harris, of Betterton, are attending the Horticultural Convention being held at Salisbury this week.

Jack, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, of Wilmington, underwent a serious operation for appendicitis at the Wilmington Hospital on Tuesday.

Miss Violet Lecates and Viola Allen were week-end guests of relatives at Massey.

Capt. Wm. C. Eliason and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Francis, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Noland.

Mrs. W. W. Price has rented her store property at Fairlee to Mr. J. D. Vansant and has accepted a position at Rosewood State Training School at Owings Mills.

Dr. Samuel Sachs was operated on for appendicitis in a Philadelphia hospital this week.

Mrs. Charles S. Smith is in a Baltimore Hospital for treatment.

Hunting Season Opens—With the wind blowing a gale, the hunting season opened in Kent county last Wednesday and every since the faint booming of guns can be heard upon the breeze from sun-up to sun-down. The opening day was a disagreeable one for hunters and dogs, but many good bags are reported. In fact, from every part of the county comes the report that game is plentiful. If our hunters will only see how few they can kill to be sufficient for their needs, and not how many they can kill, game should remain plentiful the whole season. The largest number of gunners in one crowd is reported in Morgnec, where eighteen colored men and boys were seen together.

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