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There is no better time than right now—just before the busiest season on the farm—to go over your machines carefully, make a list of repairs you are likely to need and send it to us. With this list in our hands, we can order our stock so as to be prepared to meet every call promptly.

Repair part service is a necessary part of our business. We realize what it means to you in time and money to get what you need at once. Help us to help you by making up your list now and sending it in to us.

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THE PLOWMAN

By Oliver Wendell Holmes

Clear the brown path, to meet his coulter's gleam!
Lo! On he comes, behind his smoking team,
With toil's bright dewdrops on his sun-burnt brow,
The lord of earth, the hero of the plow.

First in the field before the reddening sun,
Last in the shadows when the day is done,
Line after line, along the bursting sod,
Marks the broad acres where his feet have trod.

Still, where he treads, the stubborn clods divide,
The smooth, fresh furrow opens deep and wide;
Matted and dense the tangled turf upheaves,
Mellow and dark the ridgy cornfield cleaves.

These are the hands whose strudy labor brings
The peasant's food, the golden pomp of kings;
This is the page whose letters shall be seen
Changed by the sun to words of living green.

This is the scholar whose immortal pen
Spells the first lesson hunger taught to men;
These are the lines which heaven-commanded Toil
Shows on his deed—the charter of the soil!

POULTRY NOTES

SEASON BEGINNING PROMISES TO BE MOST PROSPEROUS IN HISTORY OF BUSINESS—ITEMS OF INTEREST TO RAISERS OF POULTRY EVERYWHERE.

Raisers of poultry are everywhere preparing for what will doubtless be the most prosperous year since the raising of poultry has become to be considered seriously among our farmers. While Kent county has but few who actually depend upon poultry raising as a means of livelihood, but use it as a side-line in connection with grain farming, dairying, fruit-growing and the like, yet more and more are our farmers coming to a realization of the fact that it constitutes a most important factor in the life of general industry. In Delaware, for instance, it is one of the three very leading industries and this year, judging from the activities on the commercial plants, it will likely be the leading industry in the state. And this goes to show its possibilities. There are failures, to be sure, the same as in other business enterprises, but like most failures, they are due largely from inexperience. As people learn anything, they become more and more prosperous or successful. Our advice to our readers is to learn the business and increase in size in proportion to their success.

A good cheap, practical feeder can be made by taking a wooden box, varying in size, according to the number of fowls or chicks you raise and put inside of it a piece 2-inch mesh wire. As the birds eat the mash from the box, the wire, naturally, goes to the bottom. Fowls can't waste in this hopper.

Mr. P. M. Brooks, proprietor of Radcliffe Mill, has a car of Full-O-Pep chick feed on the track, which will arrive in a few days. Mr. Brooks has been selling this feed several years and his patrons have been fairly successful with it. We generally use it until the chicks are about six weeks old, and then, as a matter of economy, shift to our regular laying mash and fine-ground corn and wheat satisfactory.

The great "Quests" of all ages renowned in legend or history, while differing in their objectives as widely as do the ambitions and passions of men, have exhibited in common one characteristic: The objective obtained has rarely been the thing sought but frequently has proven to be of far more intrinsic value to humanity at large. This applies to poultry industry as well as anything else.

The Bramble Poultry Farm had the first chicks of the year hatch Monday. About 8000 broke the shell and saw the new day.

Watch your curtains on your laying houses. Give the hens plenty of air, but don't let the frost nip the combs and wattles of your birds. It will stop them laying and lessen their vitality. Be careful also regarding snow and rain. Keep the curtains down at nights when there is any likelihood of snow or rain beating in the houses. Damp litter means sick birds.

Success or failure in the turkey business depends largely on the selection of breeding stock. Health and vigor should be the first considerations.

A good layer may be described as a hen having a soft, red comb and wattles, an intellegent head, good capacity, plenty of vigor, carrying a small amount of fat, a soft pliable skin, and well faded color. The overlarge, over-fat and small-size, emaciated hens are no good and should be marketed or they will run you in debt. The less exercise market fowls get the more quickly they will fatten.

When milk is used as the sole drink for chickens no other animal protein is necessary.

Most of the losses of baby chicks is due to the fact that they are improperly fed during the first few days or else the housing and brooding conditions are incorrect.

The Silver Laced Wyandotte, one of the oldest of the American breeds, shows very marked improvements towards the ideal Silvers in both the male and female and more especially the female. The feathers of the laced sections of the early Silvers showed much more black than white due to the narrow white centers with heavy black lacing. While the breast and other laced sections of the male of today is much more open, showing large white centers, than those of the early Silver males, there is not the pronounced difference in size of the white centers as that made in plumage of female. This open lacing on our females of today is obtained through the use of what is known as pullet breeding males, which is double mating. These are few, if any, of this breed in Kent County or the Eastern Shore. Barred Rocks, Rhode Island Reds, Buff Rocks and White and Brown Leghorns are the chief breeds raised in this section, and are, by the way, about the best.

FARM NOTES

NOTES OF AGRICULTURAL AND AGRICULTURAL LIFE THAT WILL INTEREST KENT FARMERS.

Kent County farmers awoke on Sunday morning to find the ground covered with a white mantle of snow. The night before had been clear, with no prospects of snow. Then, low and behold, "the white magnificence" the next morning. This snow, while someinconvenient to pedestrians and others who are compelled to go about in it, is, nevertheless, a good thing for growing crops such as wheat and rye. Farmers seldom complain of snow nowadays. It brings its value as well as its hardships.

Anthrax, or splenic fever, is the old est known infectious disease of animals. The history of this disease dates back to the most ancient times. It is more or less prevalent in all countries of the world. In Europe it is considered one of the occupational diseases, occurring in workmen about tanneries and the like. Woolsorter's disease is a lung-and-throat infection caused by inhaling dust contaminated with anthrax germs. American butchers, stockmen and veterinarians are frequently infected on the hands and arms when skinning or examining cadavers of animals dead of this disease. This section has, an outbreak of this dread disease a few years ago, but its quick discovery by Dr. G. Allan Jarman, of Chestertown, and his prompt action stamped it out almost at once.

Raising rhubarb in the winter time when it is 10 below zero not only sounds well and is easily accomplished, but it is a money-maker. This is known to be the case from the results obtained by the two Farman brothers who live in Manhattan, Kansas. The growing of winter rhubarb requires little of their time and is only a side issue with them.

For cows due to freshen in April 1 you should supply a ration during the coming three months which is not relatively high in protein. Your cows will probably be dry during the months of February and March, and are now toward the end of their lactation period. Under such conditions a ration consisting of 300 lbs. of oats, 300 lbs. corn, 200 lbs. bran, 200 lbs. linseed meal is proposed. If the cows are thin in flesh, and after the cows are entirely dry the amount of linseed meal can be reduced to 100 lbs. and the bran increased to 300 lbs. When the cows freshen, however, more protein should be provided, and the addition of 150 lbs. of cottonseed meal would serve your purpose. It is not necessary to include mangle beets when bran is of standard quality.

Our farmers are now taking it easy until spring—comparatively speaking. There is always work to do on the farms, however!

Kent farmers should feed the birds when snow cuts off their food supply. It takes very little grain to maintain the life of the wild animals and birds on the average farm, but a certain amount of food they must have or perish. If every farmer will contribute his part to the wild life of his farm, it will prosper and flourish and contribute many fold to him in many ways.

It has been decided that the State of California can legally prohibit the Japanese from owning or leasing farm land. There were many Japanese growing fruit or garden truck on leased land; now they are preparing to leave the State, and their going will present new problems. It is said that they will try to locate on good land near the large Eastern cities and continue their work of producing fruit and vegetables. They are hard workers, frugal in their habits, and their coming will mean strong and unfair competition with our Eastern gardeners. In the course of a few years, if the Japanese continue to work as they did in California, this will have a serious effect upon Eastern farming and gardening. On the other hand, the the loss of the Japaneseworkmen will make it necessary for California to import white farmers and gardeners from somewhere. Fruit and vegetable growing now represent the chief California industry, and the Japanese have been almost as necessary for this production as the negro has been to the South. With both the brown and the black man entering new industries in the North and East, a new labor adjustment must be made. California is preparing a spectacular hunt for white farmers and laborers.

Poison ivy is one thing you cannot handle without gloves.

Carry your farming problems to County Agent Derrick. He is one of the most accommodating men we ever knew. He will be glad to assist you—and he will benefit you, too!

A large-sized bull ring in a cow's nose is said to prevent self-milking.

The American elm, sugar and Norway maples, scarlet and pin oaks, sweet gum, oriental sycamore, and small-leafed and silver linden are named by F. H. Ballou, associate horticulturist of the Ohio Experiment Station, as desirable trees to take the place of Carolina poplar and other objectionable species and for new street plantings.

PRESS ASSOCIATIONS MEET.

ABOUT SEVENTY-FIVE NEWSPAPER MEN FROM MARYLAND DELAWARE AND VIRGINIA PRESENT.

The Maryland Press Association and the Delaware Press Association meet at Annapolis Saturday. About 75 newspaper men from Maryland, Delaware and Eastern Shore of Virginia, who attended the meeting, were guests of the Governor at luncheon.

Officers of the Maryland Press Association were reelected. They are: Ridgley P. Melvin, Annapolis Evening Capital and Maryland Gazette, president; Clarence L. Vincent, Snow Hill Messenger, vice-president,and Samuel Shannahan, Easton Democrat, secretary-treasurer.

Governor Ritchie was one of the speakers. The Governor said it was his aim to cut the tax rate to 27 1-6 cents, a reduction of about 3 cents. He declared he would use every power he had to reach his goal.

"I ran on a platform of economy," the Governor said, "and I have recommended a State tax rate of 27 1-6 cents. I consider that any reduction less than about 3 cents would not be in keeping with my pledge to the people."

"Great pressure is being brought to obtain large appropriations. Everyone admits taxes should be reduced, still everyone insists on some new project which would add to the tax rate. State departments do not seem to realize their demands must be checked up against each other and their relative necessities weighed carefully."

Frank R. Kent, of the "Sun," followed the Governor with a speach.

From the Century Theatre Press Department

The Pola Negri of "Passion," has returned.

In the Herbert Brenon Paramount production of "Shadows of Paris," which will be shown at the Century theatre during the week beginning Monday, February 18, the star once more comes into her own. She is quite her old self as Claire, leader of the Apache bands of the Parisian underworld.

Then there is Charles de Roche as her Apache lover, who is called away to war and falsely reported killed; Huntley Gordon as Raoul whom Claire, posing as a Polish war widow, marries and Adolphe Menjou as Raoul's secretary and friend—all are featured and all give excellent accounts of themselves in this play.

The story is one of the upper and lower world of Paris, the playground of the world. It is a colorful and appealing tale, an adaptation of the French play, "Mon Homme," by the author of "Kiki." Gareth Hughes and Vera Reynolds head the strong supporting cast.

Due to the popular way in which Robbins' Melody Boys, directed by S. Robt. Robbins,were received last week in their special musical number which was given in conjunction with the regular program of moving pictures, that musical organization has been retained for another week and will render popular jazz and syncopated musical hits.

Five special acts will be given as the entertainment on the Century Roof with a number of all known headliners and pretty girl entertainers.

Numerous Hog Cholera Outbreaks In Kent This Year

With more outbreaks of hog cholera already this year than occurred in the first seven months of 1923, Kent County has started 1924 off with a rush and led the state last month in the number of cases.

Government specialists report that a majority of these outbreakes have occurred around Johnsontown in Quaker Neck and in the vicinity of Coleman and Worton in the Third District. The outbreaks were of long standing when found, the disease having been in the vicinity for five or six weeks. Sick hogs were permitted to run at large resulting in numerous secondary cases.

The authorities state that this shows the necessity for early reporting of all cases of sickness among swine, since they are able to limit the spread of infection when such reports are promptly made. All cases of sick hogs should be reported either to the County Agent or the U. S. Specialist at Elkton.

—Get your trees and vines trimmed this month.

May Be Great Seaport

LEWES, DEL., AT FEVER HEAT OVER PROSPECT OF BEING ONE OF LARGEST SEAPORTS IN COUNTRY.

Final surveys are being made this week for the terminals which are to be built at Lewes, Del., and which will make this one of the largest seaports of the country, provided present plans and hopes are realized.

The specifications call for twelve C. W. Yox, engineer and financiar, who built the terminals in the harbor of San Pedro and other large cities. Mr. Yox was in Lewes and made a preliminary survey, and this week his engineers are making the final surveys and plans.

The specifications call for twelve piers, each one being 1,500 feet long and 300 feet wide.

According to the survey's the docks will be located on the Delaware Bay about one mile south of Lewes, near the present site of the upper fish factory, which will make a safe place for landing and also afford deep water that will accommodate ships of any size.

Already arrangements have been made with the Norwegian and American Line to handle their passengers and freight, and it is said that contracts will soon be made with many others which will make Lewes one of the big terminals of the country.

The Pennsylvania railroad, it is expected, when the terminal is completed, will build a double track from the Harrington junction, through Milford, to Lewes, in order to handle the extra traffic.

Lewes is at fever heat on account of the glowing prospects ahead for the town, as the project seems a certainty.

Newsboy: Great mystery! Fifty victims!

Passer-by: Here, boy, I'll take one. (After reading a moment.) Say, boy, there's nothing of the kind in this paper. Where is it?

Newsboy: That's the mystry, gov'nor. You're the fifty-first victim. —Everybody's Magazine.

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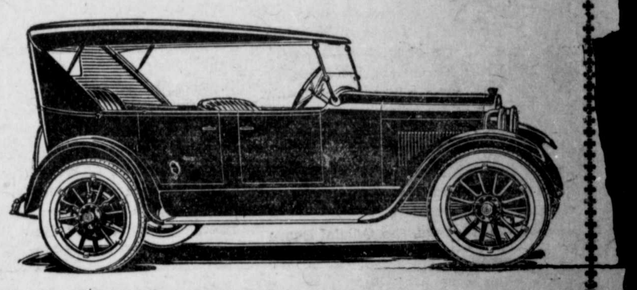
The front axle has been strengthened for greater margin of safety and redesigned to afford greatest possible ease in steering.

Springs Now Very Long and Underslung

The rear spring is underslung and semi-elliptical in type It is increased to 55 inches in length—ten inches longer than the old spring. Riding ease is now a feature of Dodge Brothers cars.

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45c English Walnuts—34c.
27c English Walnuts—23c.
35c Paper Shell Almonds—29c.
30c Butter Nuts—25c.
28c Bell Chocolate Drops—22c.
20c Chocolate Drops.—17c.
28c Coconut Bon Bons—22c.
20c Cans Peas—15c.
12c Can Corn—9c.
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