Poultry Notes

Summer Troubles Must Be Avoided By Poultrymen

The time is at hand when many troubles that usually accompany the summer months are likely to appear in the poultry flock. Taking the time and trouble to take care is the only insurance against these troubles.

Insanitary premises, with pools of stagnated water, allowing birds to use ground contaminated because of past infections, your own mingling with neighbors' flocks, and careless introduction of new birds into the flock, might result in the development of cholera, or other diseases. Infection must be guarded against and the elimination of chances for contagion is the only assurance of keeping down losses from such causes. If cholera or other contagious diseases appear, do not expect to stop the spread until you have the situation in hand by first removing the cause. Sanitotion is the one vital essential in the control of poultry diseases.

For these troubles again look for insanitary conditions and remove the cause. Stagnated pools of water accesible to the flock, decaying bodies of birds or animals, garbage piles, etc., may all present conditions favorable to the development of such troubles. Don't expect to control or insure against disease until such hazards are eliminated. The use of medicines is not sufficient to correct trouble unless such causes have been first removed.

Chicken Pox first appears as yellowish blisters upon the comb, wattles, face, etc., of fowls. Later a dark scab forms over the blisters. This is a contagious disease, often causing heavy loses unless it is checked.

Blackhead in turkeys, in external symptoms, corresponds very closely to cholera in chickens, and is a very contagious disease. Sanitation is vital to its control.

When any contagious or infectious disease appears in the flock, let the first step taken be that of determining the cause or finding the source of infection. Clean up the premises or remove the source of infection. This step is far more vital to checking the spread of disease than the use of medicines. The use of medicines may benefit birds already infected, but sanitary premises will enable the medicines to be far more effective. Access to decaying rubbish piles, or any similar condtions is conductive to diseases of all descriptions in poultry. Owners of such premises are likely to have disease in most any form break out in chickens, turkeys, or other poultry. Only the cleaning up of such premises or the fencing of poultry to premises that are sanitary, is going to eliminate the hazards of disease under such conditions. Cultivated land tends to keep down infection. Old sod land may harbor infection for several years. Much used uncultivated land is a great harbor for disease infection, especially for young stock.

In controlling the outbreak of any disease the limiting of the flock to sanitary quarters and range, if this be necessary is vital. The use of intestinal antiseptics in drinking water (Potassium Permanganate, making water a light wine color) will also have a tendency to kill or check the entrance of disease through the digestive system of unaffected birds and kill or check the infection in affected birds. A dose of Epsom Salts (½lb. to each 100 adult birds or ½teaspoonful to each adult bird in moist mash) will also serve to keep the digestive system in proper shape. Sick birds not responding to this or similar treatment should be killed and disposed of. In the case of chicken pox, touching each blister or scab with tincture of iodine will be effective. This should be in addition to the above treatment. Segregate sick birds. Do not run chickens and turkeys together.

Encourage range in summer, especiallly for young stock. A good supply of tendergreen feed and insects will do much to replace mash feed,and will result in a cheaper ration and the developing of fine birds at a lower cost. Range over the fields is especially good in this respect.

It is the custom of many farmers to encourage the ranging of young turkeys or chickens, especially turkeys, over the wheat fields to consume the new wheat which may have shaken out in harvesting. Many turkeys and chickens are lost at this season from troubles resembling, in external appearances, blackhead and cholera. As a matter of fact the trouble is often neither blackhead nor cholera but acute digestive disorders due to eating heavily of the new uncured grain. Feeding grain in large quantities before it has passed through the "sweat" stage often causes troubles. Liberal feeding of young turkeys and chickens around their coops will tend to discourage the heavy eating of such grain and the shattered grain can be slowly and gradually picked up.

Many farmers discontinue the use of laying mash in late spring or summer, on the grounds of low egg prices and high prices of feed. This is often a mistake, and results in a considerable drop in egg production and oftentimes encourages early molting. Egg prices go up in summer and the late layers are usually very profitable. Keep up the laying mash throughout the year It pays.

Don't wait until the birds are sick to realize that there is such a thing as disease. nor until egg production ceases to realize that eggs are bringing good prices. Take time and trouble to insure against misfortune.

—The influx of couples to Maryland's Gretna Green, which started with the first of last month, has shown no abatement at the close. Nearly four hundred couples from various States have went there last month, procures marriage licenses and had the nuptial knot tied before leaving town. It has been one of the busiest months for Cupid since Elkton became known to the "outside world" as a Gretna Green.

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WHAT THE STARS PREDICT FOR JULY

The outstanding event presignified by the planetary configurations at the time the New Moon on July 2nd, is the improvement of foreign financial conditions. The public health will be good.

Although international affairs will not be peaceful, there will be no warlike movements of armies or fleets. The partial eclipse of the sun occurring on the 21st in the first decan of Leo indicates the death of some prominent prince. This may be by assassination.

The favorable aspect of Jupiter at this time, however, makes it probable that dangers following such an event will be prevented by the intervention of disinterested nations. France, Italy and Rumania may be involved in this and other trouble, while the countries near the Alps, and regions near Sidon and Tyre may also be affected.

The month's most favorable birthday anniversaries are the 1st, pnd, 5th, 21st and 29th. Persons whose birthday anniversaries fall on the 8th, 11th, 16th or 23rd should guard against accidents. The most favorable wedding days are the 4th, 18th and 31st.

The positive days on which business can be pushed, important contracts entered into and great undertakings begun with promise of excellent results, are the 1st, 3rd, 4th, 13th, 21st and 31st. The negative days on which great care and caution should be exercised in everything are the 19th, 22nd, 24th, 25th and 30th.

The weather during July will be variable. There will be many severe storms and periods of cool, cloudy weather.—Rev. Arthur W. Brooks.

—The Conservaion Commission last week planted in Talbot waters in the vicinity Poplar Island about seven thousand bushels of oyster shells. It is the hope of the Department that this will largely revive the depleted beds in those waters.

THOMAS F. HEALEY, Solicitor.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Maryland

In the matter of Wilson L. Bedwell, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on June 24th, 1924, the said Wilson L. Bedwell, of near Lynch, Kent County, Maryland was duly adjudged bankrupt, and the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the law offices of Sidney P. Townshend in Chestertown, Maryland, on the 8th day of July, 1924. at 10.15 o'clock a. m., at which time the creditors of said Bankrupt may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee or Trustees, examine said Bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

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STILL POND

Miss Katherine Gilpin, of Chestertown, spent the past week end with her friend Miss Lucille Parr.

Mrs. F. A. Hurlock and sons Francis and Charles have been spending some time with relatives in Cambridge.

Mrs. Eva. McClure and Mr. Kotch, of Towson, Md., Mr. and Mrs. Seay and little son of Sparrows Point, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones.

The regular meeting of Friendship Rebekah Lodge on next Thursday evening July 10. A full attendance is desired so that the newly elected officers can be installed.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the Epworth League will be held on Friday evening, July 11th, furthur announcement to be made Sunday.

Miss Rachel Parrott has returned home after spending some time at Cambridge, Md.

Little Miss Catherine Parr returned to her home in Baltimore, last week accompanied by her aunt Miss Lucille Parr.

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Lv. Cayote Corner	9.03	6.23	9.23
Lv. Cecilton	9.15	6.35	9.35
Lv. Georgetown	9.24	6.40	9.40
Lv. Galena	9.30	6.45	9.45
Lv. Locust Grove	9.42	6.55	9.55
Lv. Kennedyville	9.40	7.00	10.00
Ar. Chestertown	10.15	7.15	
Ar. Betterton	10.15	7.15	10.15

	Daily and Sun. A. M.	Daily except Sun. P. M.	Sun-Only P. M.
Lv. Chestertown	6.40	3.30	
Lv. Betterton	6.40	3.30	6.53
Lv. Kennedyville	7.00	3.50	7.13
Lv. Locust Grove	7.08	3.58	7.21
Lv. Galena	7.20	4.10	7.33
Lv. Georgetown	7.25	4.15	7.38
Lv. Cecilton	7.30	4.20	7.43
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Lv. Chestertown	6.10		
Lv. Fairlee	6.30		
Lv. Edesville	6.39		
Lv. Rock Hall	6.45		
Ar. Rock Hall Ferry	6.50		

	Dy. p. m.	Sun. p. m.
Lv. Rock Hall Ferry	7.00	7.45	8.45
Lv. Rock Hall	7.06	7.51	8.51
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Lv. Tolchester	8.20	1.55			
Lv. Rock Hall Pier	8.29	2.04			
Lv. Rock Hall	8.39	2.14			
Lv. Edesville	9.00	2.40	6.40	9.20	4.50
Lv. Centreville Hotel	9.18	2.58	8.50	9.40	5.15
Lv. Starkeys	9.26	3.06			5.23
Lv. Church Hill, Sterlings	9.44	3.24			5.31
Lv. Chestertown Hotel	10.05	3 40			5.50
Lv. Fairlee	10.30	4.00			
Ar. Tolchester Pier		5.50			
Ar. Rock Hall					
Ar. Balto. (via boat)	12.45p.m.	*6.10 p.m.	9.30p.m.	11.00p.m.	2.40

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Lv. Centreville Hotel	9.00	2.40	5.50	6.56	.85
Lv. Starkeys	9.18	2.58	6.08	7.14	1.05
Lv. Church Hill, Sterlings	9.26	3.06	6.16	7.22	1.15
Lv. Chestertown Hotel	9.44	3.24	6.40	7.45	1.45
Lv. Fairlee	10.05	3 40	7.00	8.10	1.75
Ar. Tolchester Pier	10.30	4.00	7.20	8.30	2.05
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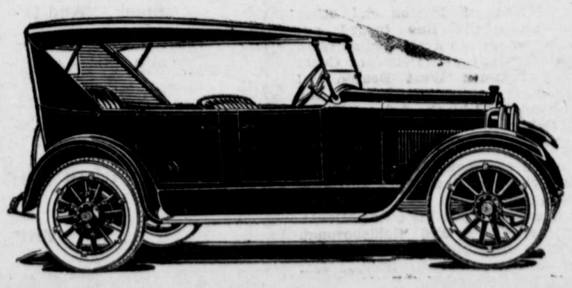
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