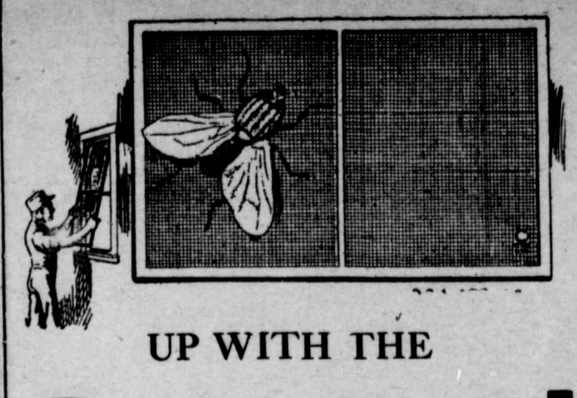


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CHARLES S. SMITH, Clerk.

MARYLAND'S MYTHICAL CITY

Worcester County, Containing For Miles of Ocean Frontage, Site of Great City That Failed to Appear

Some day the Eastern Shore may be the site of a great city, situated on the ocean.

Worcester county, containing all of Maryland's claims to 40 miles of ocean frontage, may well be dubbed the land of mythical cities. Probably no other county in the United States can boast of as much terra firma laid out on beautifully engraved charts and plats with inumerable hotel sites, public squares, prospective trolley, railroad, steamship and ferry lines which exist in name only.

Between the Maryland and Virginia line is a narrow strip of land averaging about a half mile in width and belonging to the county. The Worcester land records show that along this beach at intervals exist the mythcial cities of Seebay City, Wight City Maryland, Beach City, North Beach City, Fenwick Island City and Atlantic City.

Imaginary Atlantic City is the most pretentious of all, for there the ocean beach has been divided into 4000 building sites, of which 300 have actually been disposed of to all classes, nationalities and conditions in every state of the union. The city is chartered as lying four miles south of Ocean City, Maryland's only actual seashore resort.

The pseudo prosperity of Maryland's Atlantic City is as mythical as the city itself. As a matter of fact, none of the lots were actually sold, but were secured as gifts for unraveling a puzzle so easy to solve that the most illiterate could not fail to win one. These puzzles appeared as advertisements in newspapers throughout the country, with an offer to give away an Atlantic City building lot to the person furnishing the correct answer. The price of the lot was unknowingly covered by the expenses connected with the securing of the title, and, although comparatively small, was a sufficient quid pro quo.

The principal reason that Maryland's ocean front has not already been developed into resort cities, appears to be due to the insincerity of the developers and the lack of capital to make the improvements that are necessary for such a project.

Maryland's east coast has many factors in its favor which New Jersey resorts do not possess, yet capital has developed the latter to a very high degree.

A company which possesses title to a strip of beach north of Ocean City, Tuesday announced plans for development of the property for a resort. The first move, it was said, is to construct a sixty foot highway running for a distance of five miles north or Ocean City.

Construction of curbs, water Mains and other improvements looking toward the founding of a city. The company is reported to have financial backing of New Jersey and Maryland interests.

If these plans ar consummated Maryland may have another ocean resort, should they fail, however, there may be another mythicial city added to Worcester's land records.

A SONG BEFORE GRIEF

By Rose Hawthorne Lathrop

Sorrow, my friend,
When shall you come again?
The wind is slow, and the bent willows send
Their silvery motions wearily down the plain.
The bird is dead
That sang this morning through the summer rain.
Sorrow, my friend,
I owe my soul to you,
And if my life with any glory end
Of tenderness for others, and the words are true,
Said, honoring, when I'm dead—
Sorrow, to you, the mellow praise, the funeral wreath are due.
And yet, my friend,
When love and joy are strong,
Your terrible visage from my sight I rend
With glances to blue heaven. Hovering along,
By mine your shadow led,
"Away!" I shrick, 'nor dare to work my new-sprung mercies wrong!"
Still, you are near;
Who can your care withstand
When deep eternity shall look most clear,
Sending bright waves to kiss the trembling land,
My joy shall disappear—
A flaming torch thrown to the golden sea by your pale hand.

POULTRY NOTES

ITEMS THAT WILL INTEREST OUR READERS FROM MANY SOURCES

The day of manufactured feeds has arrived. No one today can dispute the superiority of the many brands of manufactured poultry feeds which are offered to the poultry fraternity. There are dozens of these brands manufactured by reliable firms which have stood the test of the practical feeder for many years and which have won, as a result of general efficiency following their use, a warm place in the hearts of the poultry keepers. The ever growing demand and the greatly increased volume of manufactured feeds which are continually being put on the market, is in itself sufficient evidence of the general high quality of these products. Manufactured feeds have arrived at their present place in popular favor primarily through the continued effort year after year on the part of feed manufacturers to produce a real worth while product of uniform high quality. The immense increase in their volume of output is evidence that they have succeeded in this endeavor.

In the early days of manufactured feeds, the bulk of this product was used by small breeders and backlot poultry keepers with a limited number of birds, men who could not buy in sufficient volume and who did not find it profitable to attempt to mix their own rations. There was also in those days, a considerable demand for manufactured feeds on the part of the farm flock owners. Commercial poultry interests continued for sometime to buy their ingredients in relatively large volume and mix ther own rations. Here is what we find today. If you were to canvass a great mass of commercial egg farmers and large breeding establishments, you would find them using manufactured laying mashes and scratch feeds in larger proportions than ever before, for the simple reason that they have found it economical and profitable to do so. If you were to make a canvass this spring of the poultrymen operating brooders and rearing baby chicks, you would be astonished to find the almost universal practice is to use manufactured baby chick starting feeds and growing mashes. It is in this field in the feeding of the young chicks that the manufactured feed has won special distinction. For many years the manufactured buttermilk starting mashes put on the market by reliable feed manufacturers have been giving universal satisfaction. The fact of the matter is that the individual feeder in the first place has not the ability, and in the second place, cannot buy in sufficient variety and quantity to make home mixing profitable.

Messrs. P. M. Brooks and Metcalfe Brothers and both selling good commercial feeds for chicks. We suggest to our readers that they see the feed of these dealers before starting their chicks.

April 1926 is with us almost before we are ready for it. This is the month when we should get out every chick possible. The April pullet will be the one that will begin to lay before that neck and tail molt sets in, that often comes in the earlier fowl. We have something out of the ration and the first hing we know, that early pullet will drop a few feathers out of her neck, her tail feathers go and we have a hen on our hands that just refuses to lay. This kind of a pullet will often take on fat and we will say that the fat pullet, will not lay. That is not true, the pullet that gets fat is taking on this flesh, because she does not lay.

The pullet that runs on a range where there is plenty of green food, seldom is troubled with neck molt. She comes into lay and if she gets the ration that will hold the sap in her feathers, they will not dry out and drop but if she is forced to lay eggs without getting the green food that goes to hold the color pigment in the feathers, then these feathers get loose and you soon have naked neck and tails with half the feathers gone. It is a question of keeping something in the ration that will prevent this trouble.

I think the poultry industry is an ideal business. I like to be a breeder, a producer. I like to run an incubator and watch the old hen as she incubates. I revel in the selection of good show birds. I thrill with the competition of the show room. I have no greater joy than seeing a big flash of good birds. I enjoy no greater pleasure than the company of congenial spirits that I find in the poultry business. The Chicken Business is a Good Business—but a Business, not a bobby!

There would the poultry industry be if artificial hatching and brooding had not been thought of or practiced? Science has gone so far as to raise a chick that came from an egg that was artificially fertilized and this chick was brought out of the egg by artificial means; was brooded artificially; fed artificially and brought to maturity solely by the hand of man. He never saw or heard of a hen and would not know his mother's voice if he heard it! The industry is absolutely dependant today on artificially raised chicks which have been hatched in incubators.

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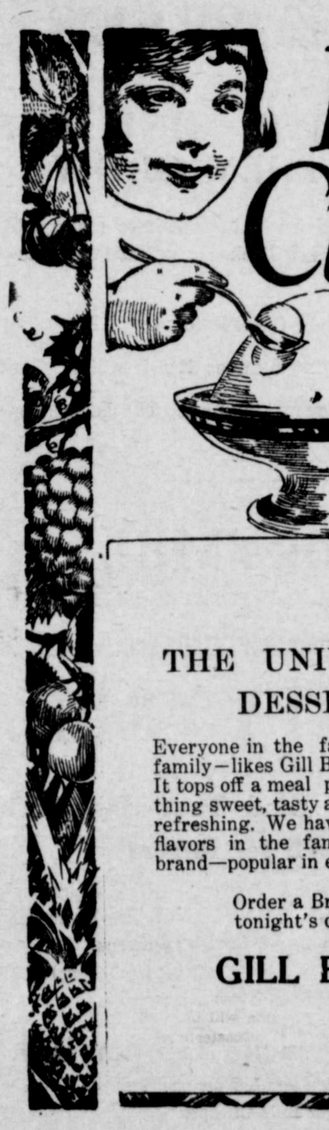
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