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I'll tell you it's a problem when a youngster's nine years old
To keep his feet in leather and to keep him heeled and soled;
Just about the time I fancy I've some money I can use,
His mother comes and tells me that he needs a pair of shoes.

Now I can wear a pair of shoes for several months or more,
But Bud, it seems, is working for the man who keeps the store,
And the rascal seems to fancy that his duty is to show
How fast a healthy, rugged boy can wreck a leather toe.

But shoes are made for romping in, for climbing and for fun,
For kicking bricks and empty cans, and I am not the one
To make him walk sedately in the way that grown-ups do—
There's time enough for that, I say, when all his boyhood's through.

So let him wreck them, heels and toes, and scuff their soles away,
I'll not begrudge the bill for shoes that I'm compelled to pay.
For I rejoice that it's my lot, when mother breaks the news,
To have a healthy, roguish boy who's always needing shoes.

POULTRY NOTES

HATCHING SEASON TO BEGIN NEXT WEEK—OTHER NEWS OF THE POULTRY INDUSTRY

The hatching season for baby chicks will begin in this section next week. The Queen Anne Poultry Farm will begin their largest season next week, while the Bramble Poultry Farm will start their somewhat smaller hatchery on Wednesday. The season promises to be the biggest season in the history of the poultry business.

"Mooseheart," the home of the Loyal Order of Moose, in Colorado, one of the greatest places of its kind on earth, has its flock of poultry also. Their flock consists of Rhode Island Reds, White Leghorns and White Wyandottes. During the year they killed for eating 580 and now have 650 pullets. A net profit of about $400 from the hens and $615 from the young stock was made during the last nine month of 1921.

Nest eggs made of naphthalene, claimed or suggested by manufacturers to be destroyers or repellants of lice, might be called bad eggs rather than "lice-exterminating eggs," "lice-killing nest eggs," and "medicated nest eggs," for they do not seem to inconvenience the lice or mites, but they do have a bad effect on the fowls that sit on them. In fact, the entomologists of the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture who have examined and tested these so-called "eggs" say that they are very injurious to fowls, but not in a single case were they found effective against the parasites. Even the nest boxes in which they were placed remained badly infested with mites and they were frequently observed crawling over the naphthalene eggs.

The Barred Plymouth Rock, the most popular breed of poultry on the farms, and therefore the most numerous of the many now raised in the country, has a peculiarity from which arises special breeding problems. This is the plumage marking of dark and light bars that has been known for so long and which makes it atmost essential to make two separate matings to get standard color in both the males and the females. The alternating dark and light bars give a bluish cast or shade to the general color, which should be even throughout the surface. It is common for solid black feathers, or feathers which are partly black, to occur in practically all the strains of this variety, but this is not a sign of impure breeding. Black spots are also common occurrences on the shanks, particularly in females, but this does not indicate impurity either. There is a decided tendency for the males of this variety to come lighter in color than the females and for this reason breeders are usually obliged to resort to two separate matings, one for the production of males of standard color and the other for the production of females of standard color. The system of double mating, of course, complicates the problem of producing high-class Barred Plymouth Rocks. In mating for males of exhibition color a male of about standard color is used with medium dark females, or those two or three shades darker than females of exhibition color, in which the barring is as distinct and as narrow as possible. This mating is known as the cockerel mating because it produces a greater percentage of standard-colored males, while the females produced are too dark, but are suitable for continuing this line of breeding. In mating for females of standard color, females of about the desired colored are used with a medium light male or one that is two or three shades lighter than standard and with good barring. This is known as the pullet mating, because it produces a greater percenatge of females of the proper color, while the males are too light but good for carrying on this line of breeding. The Barred Plymouth Rock, as a general purpose fowl, can't be beat.

Those who have flocks and intend to save their eggs for breeding should at once eliminate all undesirable birds and mongrels, and put i ntheir places the proper number of cocks and cockerels that will insure them a goodly number of pure-bred eggs when they are in demand, which will be in a few few weeks, when the big hatcheries will be paying a premium for fertile eggs from pure-breds.

As far as experiment stations are concerned, only one, that of the U. S. Dept. of Agric. at Beltsville, Md., has carried on its experimental work with standard exhibition fowls. Fortunately this is the largest and most far-reaching of all stations. Now comes word that New Jersey's experimental station will follow suit.

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BANQUET HELD

Annual Meeting And Dinner Of The Peerless Fertilizer Co. Held Last Saturday

The annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Peerless Co. was held at their office in Chestertown on Saturday, Jan. 7, 1922, at 11.30 o'clock. Before the business meeting quite a number visited the new plant of the company, which has just been completed, as the former one was destroyed by fire during the winter of 1920. The company now is in a much better position than they ever were to do business, their new plant being equipped with all modern electrical appliances, also much larger and in better shape in every particular.

After the secretary's report had been read and the business for the past year gone over and approved, the stockholders elected the following Board of Directors: Wilbur W. Hubbard, David B. Ford, Jesse Medders, H. H. Klinefelter, Wilbur R. Hubbard, C. M. Newcomb, James T. Wilson, Howard B. Strong, W. H. Elliott, W. B. Copper and J. D. Bacchus.

The newly elected Board of Directors organized and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Wilbur W.Hubbard, President; David B. Ford, Vice-President; Howard B. Strong, Vice-President; Jesse Medders, Treasurer; W. H. Elliott, Acting Treasurer and Book-keeper; C. M. Newcomb, Secretary; Laurence R. Duyer, Superintendent.

After the business meeting, Mr. Hubbard extended a kind invitation to dinner served at his home on Water St., where the following menu was enjoyed by all: Tomato soup, olives, oysterettes, mixed pickles, celery, roast turkey, escalloped oysters, cranberry sauce, candied sweet potatoes, white potatoes, fruit salad, California dressing, Smithfield ham, Maryland biscuit, hot rolls, bouquet wafters, marshmallow pecans, coffee, cigars, cigarettes, mints.

Those present were: Wilbur W. Hubbard, David B. Ford, Jesse Medders, W. H. Elliott, Howard B. Strong, C. M. Newcomb, L. R. Duyer, W. B. Copper, J. D. Bacchus, E. W. Emory, A. E. Culver, N. O. Gibson, W. J. Vannort, L. B. Russell, Wm. B. Usilton, R. H. Collins, Dr. C. P. Gould, Chas. E. Noble and A. H. Noble, Federalsburg; W. A. Coulbourne, Hurlock; George W. Jones, Smyrna; J. A. Cleaver, Middletown.

WOMEN'S CLUB WORK FOR 1922

Attractive Program Of Work Is Arranged—Home Management Topic For Meetings Next Week

The Women's Clubs of Kent County have planned a definite program of work for the year 1922. The program deals with such subjects as Home Management, Foods, Clothing, Millinery, House Furnishings, Beautifying the Home Grounds, etc.

The first meetings of the year will deal with Home Management. Mrs. Marian C. Bell, Specialist and District Agent of the Maryland University, will be the leader. These meetings are open to the public and it is hoped that as many as possible will avail themselves of this opportunity.

If you are interested in keeping in touch with the work, attend the first meeting and find out more about the plan for the year.

The dates of the first meetings will be as follows:

Tuesday, Jan. 17, 2.30 p. m., Still Pond, Grange Hall.

Tuesday, Jan. 17, 7 p. m., Flatland, Mrs. R. G. Hudson.

Wednesday, Jan. 18, 10 a. m., Lynch, Mrs. Sewell Lee.

Wednesday, Jan. 18, 2 p. m., Kennedyville, Grange Hall.

Thursday, Jan. 19, 10 a. m., Chestertown, High School Auditorium.

Thursday, Jan. 19, 3.30 p. m., Quaker Neck School.

Friday, Jan. 20, 10 a. m., Worton, Mrs. Geo. Cooper.

Friday, Jan. 20, 2 p. m., Rock Hall High School Building.

The Bootlegging Era

Two years of prohibition have served to build up in this country a great new "industry"—bootlegging—and to create a new and numerous class of criminals—purveyors of liquor.

It is interesting to note in connection with the seizure of stills that approximately 86 per cent of the total of stills seized were in Southern States. The record of stills seized in these states follow:

Georgia	19,536
North Carolina	19,113
Virginia	11,365
Alabama	10,600
Tennessee	8,317
South Carolina	4,982
Kentucky	3,177
Florida	2,328
Mississippi	1,965
West Virginia	1,721

In connection with the arrests made all over the country in the fiscal year it is pointed out that while the Federal officials report 3089 arrests in New York State for that period ,the news was printed that the arrests in New York in the calendar year totalled 2838.

To Attack Racetrack Gambling

Upon the reconvening of the General Assembly at Annapolis an attack upon racetrack betting was launched simultaneously in the House by Delegate Hall, of Baltimore City, and in the Senate by Senator Byrn, of Dorchester. The bills are identical.

Not only would be operation of the mutuel machines be prohibited, but bookmaking and oral betting would be barred.

There is no provision in the bill which would forbid the publication of racetrack news.

A penalty of $500 is provided for the first offense, with imprisonment from six months to two years for a succeeding offense.

A corporation convicted of violating the act would lose its charter and be dissolved. This provision is of course, aimed at the racing associations, primarily at Pimlico, Laurel, Havre de Grace and Bowie.

Provisions of the measure are made applicable to the owners or lessees of property on which offenses against the act proposed are committed.

Prosperous Year For Shore Is Prospect—The general business conditions on the Eastern Shore for 1922 are said to be bright. While wheat and corn are down in price, the outlook in the trucking business and the raising of berries and poultry are exceedingly bright, while mechanics wages are holding up well and there seems to be plenty of work, with indications pointing to a big boom in building during the coming spring.

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$40 Men's All Wool Serge Suit	$25.00
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$10 Heavy Government Raincoat	$5.50
$2 Men's Hanes Union Suits	$1.19
Storm King Union Suits	$1.25
Pepperell Sheets, best grade	98c
Children's and Misses' Coats that sold up to $12 to go at	$2.50
50c Boys' Fleeced Undershirts	25c
Boys' Union Suits	75c
$1.50 Ladies' Ve-Elastic Union Suits for only	98c
Ladies' Shirts or Pants	42½c
$2.50 All-Wool Serge	$1.19
Ladies' Sweaters at Half Price.	
$2.00 Men's Sweaters	$1.25
$3.00 Men's Sweaters	$1.75
$8.50 Men's All Wool Sweaters	$5.25
$2.50 Men's Red Flannel Shirts	$1.25
$1.50 Men's Half Wool Underwear	90c
Genuine Wright's Health Underwear	98c
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$10 Guaranteed Spring	$6.00
$5 9x12 Matting Rugs	$3.45
$35 9x12 Axminster Rugs	$25.00
$25 9x12 Brussels Rugs	$15.00
Congoleum, per square yard	39c
$35 Latest Style Buffett	$20.00
Table Oilcloth	25c
$40 Kitchen Cabinet, complete	$28.50

Groceries Lower Than Ever

1 Gal. Syrup and Bucket	45c
25c Loose Coffee	12½c
12 lb. Can Bacon	$1.90
2 lb. Can Roast or Corn Beef	20c
Patapsco Flour, per bbl	$7.25
Best Country Flour	$6.25
2 5c Bars Lenox Soap	5c
2 Rolls Toilet Paper	5c
Crackers, per package	5c
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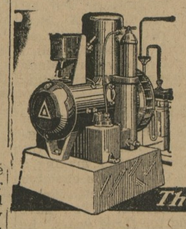

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