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To fatten geese they should be placed out of sight or hearing of their mates, or they will not fatten easily. Give plenty of grass and water daily, in addition to grain or scalded meat. Cooked turnips are relished.

A pound of feathers is about the average amount obtained from six geese when picked for their feathers; when killed three geese generally furnish one pound. The Toulouse lays from twenty to twenty-five at a clutch. The first clutch should be set under hens, the goose being allowed to sit on the last. If well managed each goose ought to raise 20 goslings in the season, and when ready for market each should weigh ten pounds.—New England Homestead.

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20 Prizes— 50.00	"	1,000.00
50 Prizes— 20.00	"	1,000.00
250 Prizes— 10.00	"	2,500.00
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2139 PRIZES,	TOTAL,	$20,000.00

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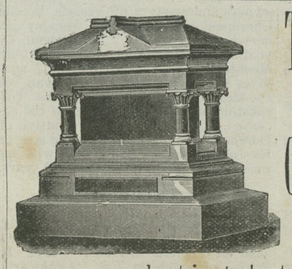

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