

SOME POINTERS ON THE CARE OF THE YOUNG CHICKENS

Coops Should Not be Located Too Close to the House---Shade is Essential During the Hot Weather---A Range Over Cultivated Ground is Preferable to One Over Grass---The Coops Should be on Fresh Ground Each Year.

(By A. C. McCulloch, Provincial Poultry Superintendent.)

A chicken coop should be placed not too far from the dwelling house. This permits of closer attention on the part of the attendant and very often saves many chicks from attack by hawks, crows and other enemies. It should not, however, be sufficiently close that the chicks will make themselves troublesome by running into the house. Near the garden is a favorable place so far as the chicks are concerned and unless there are ripe tomatoes, strawberries, etc., the chicks will not likely do a great deal of damage if they are well fed and early in the day before helping themselves from the garden. The garden furnishes a great deal of shade which

is essential in hot summer weather. The coop should be set in the sun until the weather becomes warm enough to make the hen uncomfortable, when it should be located so as to be in the shade during the warmer part of the day. Avoid setting the coop on a low piece of ground. It should be on the highest point in the immediate vicinity if the same is satisfactory in other respects. Neglect or oversight of this point means the drowning of many farm chicks every year. Speaking generally, a grass run is preferable to bare ground for the location of the coop. It usually results in a more sanitary condition of the coop. However, a range over cultivated ground is preferable to one over grass, especially in the late season.

Ordinarily the coop should face to the south. If prevailing winds or driving rains come from the south face the coop to the southeast or east. It should be protected against wind and rain as much as possible by wind-breaks.

CHILDREN HAD WHOOPING COUGH

Whooping cough, although peculiarly a disease of childhood, is by no means confined to that period, but may occur at any time of life. It is one of the most dangerous diseases of infancy, and yearly causes more deaths than scarlet fever, typhoid or diphtheria, and is more common in female than male children.

Whooping cough starts with sneezing, watering of the eyes, irritation of the throat, feverishness and cough. The coughing attacks occur frequently, but are generally more severe at night.

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desirable places if running at large. When the chicks are three or four weeks old the hen may be allowed to run but she must be confined to the coop with the chicks at night.

Growing chicks should have free range, ordinarily. It is conducive to strong constitutional vigor and rapid economical growth. The practice of confining chicks to a very small yard absolutely void of vegetation, cannot be too strongly condemned. Chicks cannot thrive under such conditions without more care than we usually are able to give them.

It is well to have the coops on fresh ground each year. Ground may become "chicken sick," in which condition chickens cannot grow well upon it. Sometimes the soil becomes infested with disease germs and, if more chickens are put on this ground they are almost certain to contract the disease. The germs are picked up on the chickens' food. Ignorance of this fact has discouraged many an enthusiastic turkey raiser. A disease, blackhead, affects young turkeys very seriously and the germs of this disease will live in the ground for several years. Raising the young birds on this contaminated ground year after year is sure to result in a very high mortality. For poultry raising a heavy soil, such as clay, is not as satisfactory as a light, open, porous soil. Chickens cannot be raised as thickly on heavy soil and it is more likely to become "chicken sick." Ground on which chickens have been raised should be plowed or worked up thoroughly before more are placed on it.

STRONG ENOUGH TO DO HOMESTEAD DUTY

Sidney Bent Gives the Credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Six Years Ago He Had Kidney Disease So Bad His Friends Said He Would Not Live Long.

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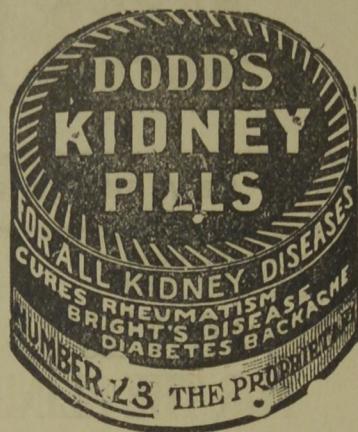
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"All those messuages and tenements and pieces or parcels of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Kingsclear, in the County of York, and Province aforesaid, known and distinguished as part of lot number twenty-two in the grant to Stephen Jarvis and others, bounded on the upper or westerly side by lands formerly owned by William B. Phair Esquire, and on the lower or easterly side by lands now or lately owned by Frances Goodie, the piece or parcel hereby conveyed measuring in front or breadth fifty four rods more or less, and containing by estimation three hundred and thirty-five acres more or less, the upper half of the tract hereby conveyed having been heretofore sold and conveyed by the said Charles Rainsford and Deborah his wife, to James Balloch, and the lower half thereof having been heretofore sold and conveyed to the said James Balloch by Enoch Palmer and Lydia his wife, reference to York County Records, Book O, page 56, will more fully appear."

Excepting thereout a 2 1/2 acre lot on the front thereof conveyed by the said William D. Rainsford in his lifetime to one William Sharp by deed dated September 1st, 1904, recorded in the York County Records in Volume 125, page 656.

And also excepting the right of way for the Saint John & Quebec Railway Company, conveyed to such Company by two several deeds, the first of which bears date the 16th day of June 1912, recorded in York County Records in Volume 150, page 51, and the second of which bears date the 2nd day of January, 1917, and is recorded in said records in Volume 164, page 53.

Also, "All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Kingsclear aforesaid, adjoining land sold or deeded by said Charles Rainsford, bounded on the upper side by land owned or occupied by Estey on the front by the River Saint John, on the lower side by land deeded to William and Edward Rainsford, and extending back toward the River Saint John to the rear of said river lots, containing— acres, more or less."

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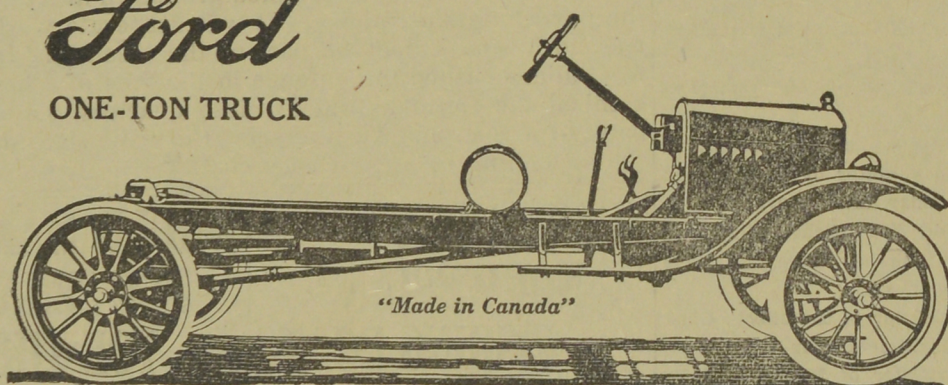
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