



School Garden at Chatham, N. B.

WANTED

SALESMAN WANTED—Lubricating oil, grease, specialties, paint, part or whole time; commission basis; man with car or rig preferred. Riverside Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

MASONIC FUNERAL

The members of Alexandria Lodge, F. and A. M., will meet **SUNDAY, June 2nd, at 1.30**, for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother, William Fradsham, as requested by Ionia Lodge of Duluth.

Members of Hiram Lodge cordially invited. Band in attendance.

Funeral at 3 o'clock at the Rural Cemetery.

By order of Worshipful Master.

J. W. McFARLANE, Secretary.

DOG OWNERS

Owners of dogs who have not paid their dog taxes will please take notice that after Friday, May 31st, the dog taxes will be double.

G. R. PERKINS, City Treasurer.

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PASTURAGE

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon Friday, June 7th, for pasturage privileges for season of 1918 on the property known as the Fredericton Rifle Range, in the Parish of St. Marys.

The highest nor any other tender not necessarily accepted.

D. O. N. B., Military Headquarters, St. John, N. B.

5-29 td

TO HORSE OWNERS.

Owners of horses needing the services of a veterinary surgeon should communicate with **DR. H. LUNDON**, care of Smith Bros., Central Blissville. Now is the time to get your colts fixed up.

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WOODSMEN

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Cauliflowers, Celery, etc. Flowers, Asters, Stocks, Phlox, Balsams, etc. Radish, Lettuce and Rhubarb. Shrubs for Cemetery Planting at **BEBBINGTON GARDENS**

SOME VALUABLE POINTERS ON THE CARE OF CHICKENS

Sanitary Rules Must be Strictly Observed
---Should be a Dust Bath Near the Coop
---Chicks Must be Well Protected From Hawks, Crows and Rats --- Care Should Be Exercised in Feeding

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

Sanitary rules must be observed or chicks will not grow well. It is advisable to have a dust-bath near by where the chicks may scratch, and dust themselves. A sunny spot where the ground is soft and mellow will answer the purpose very well. If the coop has a board floor it should be cleaned at least once a week and an inch or so of fresh dry dirt spread up on it. Always have dry dirt in the coop. It is much better than chaff. If the coop has wire netting over the bottom it may be kept sanitary by moving the coop its own width every day. In doing so care should be taken to prevent the hens or chicks toes becoming fastened under the wire. The coop should be moved forward. If moved backward the soiled ground will always be in front of the coop. Strict outlook for lice must be kept and the hen dusted with lice powder previously mentioned. During the first three or four weeks chicks affected with lice should be given a light application of lard to the top of the head, under the wings, and below the vent. Do not apply too liberally.

Protection against Hawks, Crows and Rats.
 Birds of prey and rats are serious menaces to poultry raisings in some sections. The following plans are suggested for overcoming this trouble.
 1. Raise the chicks where they have plenty of protection in the form of shrubs not too far from the dwelling house.
 2. Place the coop under a tree and run strands of binder twine or similar material from the lower branches in all directions around the coop fastening them to stakes in the ground a few yards from the coop.
 3. On a post a few rods from the coop set a spring trap. Cut open a freshly killed chicken and place it so as to conceal the trap and so the bird will be caught when it seizes the chicken. A little poison may be sprinkled upon the chicken.
 4. Remove the shell from one end of a few eggs. Insert a few grains of strychnine and place where they will be easily seen. This method is largely used against the crows.
 5. Good cats or fox terrier dogs should keep rats pretty well in check. Lacking these, they may be poisoned or trapped. To poison, put a few grains of strychnine in a freshly

killed chicken or an egg with a little shell removed and place where only rats or smaller animals can get it. The bait must be secured to prevent rats dragging it within reach of the chicks.

Feeding

Feeding of incubator chicks is usually delayed until they are about forty-eight hours old but frequently hens will leave the nest with the chicks, if allowed to, before that time, and it is doubtful if much harm results therefrom providing the chicks are well hatched and strong.

The feeding of chicks raised by hens is much simpler than feeding those raised artificially. From the start they should have access to some fine chicken grit but lacking this some coarse sand will answer very nicely. The chicks will find particles of the size they desire if there are any.

When first taken from the nest they should have also a drink of buttermilk or skim milk. They need not be forced to drink. If the milk is placed in a saucer immediately in front of the coop they will soon follow the mother hen's example.

Buttermilk is preferable to skim milk but the latter is one of the best substitutes. Buttermilk should be given every day and the chicks never allowed to be without it. It supplies the animal food part of the ration and will almost, if not entirely, replace water though some chicks like water in addition.

The green food is easily furnished if the chicks have access to plenty of green grass or clover. Lacking this they should have a regular daily supply of the same or else lettuce, cabbage leaves or some such succulent greens. This may be fed to advantage late in the season when grass becomes dry and tough.

CHICKS SHOULD BE FED LITTLE AND OFTEN, especially on grain foods. Early in the morning, at noon and late in the day they may be given cracked grains. A mixture of 2 parts cracked wheat and 1 part cracked corn will be very satisfactory. A little hulled oats may be added to advantage if they can be secured. Cracked wheat alone should give good results though usually a mixture is better than a single grain. Give only what they will eat in a few minutes. Give some **WHOLE** grain for the hen and thus save on the cracked food.

DON'T DIET YOURSELF IT ISN'T NECESSARY.

TO CURE

DYSPEPSIA

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THE 1918 KING MAKER

It appears to be the blasphemous boast of the Kaiser that not only does Almighty God give him the right to rule Germany and kill others, but that he holds by similarly Divine dispensation the deputed right to pass on, moderately diluted, this Righteousness of Rule to princelings where ever there are acquiescent or jellified subject peoples. The Kaiser plans to pass around a number of thrones in the East.

The Kaiser undeniably possesses some peculiar rights in the matter of choosing rulers; but he runs amiss in picking the fields of operation. There is nothing in Russia over which the wizened madman of Potsdam has the right to stretch the bloody net of domination and direction. If the Kaiser is determined to send his relatives, the spawn of Teuton autocracy to rule in congenial surroundings, let him nominate his princelings, to the various departments of hell.

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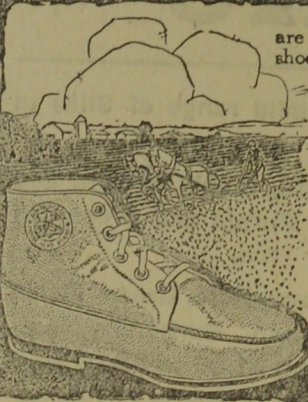
People with strong constitutions escape most of the minor ills that make life miserable for others. Don't you envy the friend who does not know what a headache is, whose digestion is perfect, and who sleeps soundly at night? How far do you come from this description? Have you ever made an earnest effort to strengthen your constitution, to build up your system, to ward off discomfort and disease? Unless you have an organic disease it is generally possible to so improve your physical condition that perfect health will be yours. The first thing to be done is to build up your blood as poor blood is the source of physical weakness. To build up the blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is just the medicine you need. Every dose helps to make new blood which reaches every nerve and every part of the body, bringing color to the cheeks, brightness to the eyes, a steadiness to the hands, a good appetite and splendid energy. Thousands throughout the country whose condition once made them despair, owe their present good health to this medicine. If you are one of the weak and ailing give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial and note the daily gain in new health and abounding vitality. Among those who have proved the truth of these statements is Mrs. Fred Goslin, R. R. No. 2, Ruthven, Ont., who says:—"A few years ago I underwent an operation for a fibroid tumor. I had been ailing so long that I did not gain as the doctors said I should. I was in such a rundown condition that they said it would take me a very long time to recover. But instead of gaining, I was growing weaker, and the doctor said I must go to the hospital. I did not want to do this, and having often heard of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a strength builder I decided to try them. I was greatly surprised at the help I received from them. In three months I was able to go about, and our home doctor expressed his astonishment, as he had not expected me to recover believing pernicious anaemia, had set in. It took me about a year to recover by full strength, but ever since I have been doing my own housework, and have to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the praise for my present state of good health."

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