

EGG LAYING CONTEST WON BY BARRED ROCKS

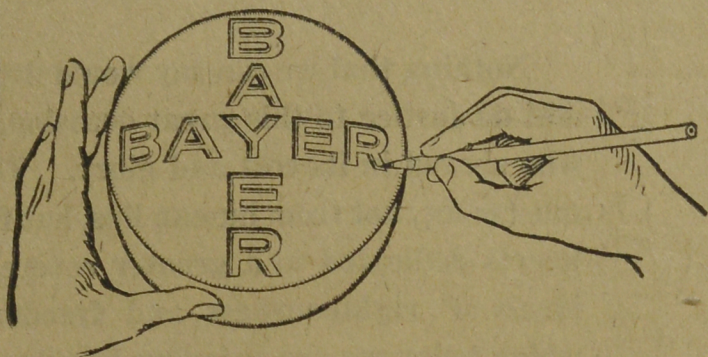
Ten Birds Laid an Average of
223 Eggs in Twelve Months
—One Thousand Hens
Took Part.

A pen of Barred Rocks from New York State won the ninth annual egg-laying contest conducted by the Connecticut Agricultural College at Storrs ending Oct. 29. This is the first time in the history of the laying trials that the same breeder with the same variety of hens has been able to win two years in succession. The winning pen was entered by Jules F. Francais from Westhampton Beach, L. I. These ten pullets laid 2234 eggs for each hen in the pen. Steady laying during the last half of the year won this pen its place and the blue ribbon for the year. It first took the lead in the twenty-ninth week of the contest then dropped back into second place in the thirty-fourth week; regained its lead three weeks later and held out until the end. This is the third time that Barred Rocks have outlaid all competitors as can be seen from the following list of winners and their records in the contest at Storrs during the past nine years:

1912 White Leghorns (5 birds) . . . 1071	
F. G. Yeat, Sayre, P.	
1913 White Leghorns (5 birds) . . . 1190	
Tom Baron, Catforth, England	
1914 White Leghorns (10 birds) . . . 2088	
F. F. Lincoln, Mt. Carmel, Conn.	
1915 Wht Wyandottes (10 birds) 2072	
Tom Baron, Catforth, England	
1916 Wht Wyandottes (10 birds) 2265	

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Obed G. Knight, Bridgeton, R. I.	three of the Canadian provinces. They
1917 Barred Rocks (10 birds) . . . 2119	laid a grand total of 161,456, or an
Applecock Farm, Fitzwilliam, N.H.	average of 161.5 for all.
1918 Oregons (10 birds) . . . 2352	The following were the leaders in
Agr. College, Corvallis, Ore.	the principal breeds represented:
1919 Barred Rocks (10 birds) . . . 2022	Pen Breed and Owner Eggs
Jules F. Francais, Westhampton	5 Jules F. Francais Barred
Beach, L. I.	Rocks Westhampton Beach
1920 Barred Rocks (10 birds) . . . 2234	L. I. 2334
Jules F. Francais, Westhampton	33 Pinecrest Orchards, Rhode
Beach L. I.	Island Reds, Groton, Mass. 2162
A High Average	68 Hollywood Farm, White Leg-
There were 1000 hens in the contest	horns, Hollywood, Wash. . . 2119
of fourteen different breeds and varieties	23 Harry D. Emmons, White Wy-
and from thirteen states and	andottes, Plymouth, Conn. 1915

WANTS FIRE PROHIBITED

The following highly interesting epistle appeared in the Annapolis Royal, N. S. Spectator of recent issue and whether it comes from an anti-tobacco crank or a gentleman disgruntled at the result of the late liquor referendum in that province we leave to our readers to decide:—
Editor Spectator

Sir:—Now that Nova Scotia has voted for prohibition of fire water why not go a step farther and prohibit fire which is surely the most deadly enemy of mankind, causing losses of millions of dollars in property and numerous lives every year besides having a peculiar fascination for children and idiots who require a vast amount of education before they are taught not to fool with matches. But we would freeze to death, someone says Nonsense. Do our animals freeze to death in their barns?

Would anyone freeze to death if in a comfortable barn with animals? All that would be necessary would be to have our houses and schools as comfortable as our barns and possibly have the animals in to help heat them.

What about cooking? Easily solved. Simply a headquarters conducted by the government at Halifax or some other central point and distribution hot by thermos bottles. As for transportation, the electrification of railways would abolish fire in locomotives.

Of course those who could afford it could have their own electric heaters but the rest could get along in moose and bear skins and other furs. And the prohibition of fire would also of course stop the smoking habit. Let us have it.

Fire Away
Annapolis Royal, Oct. 26.

ELECTIONS COST ENORMOUS SUM

Ottawa, Nov. 10.—Judged by the cost of conducting the election of 1917, the cost of the plebiscite on liquor importation, taken in the four provinces simultaneously, will be in the neighborhood of three-quarters of a million dollars.

The provinces voting on the same day were Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Nova Scotia. Copies of the auditor general's report covering the cost of the election held in 1917 show the average cost per polling district in each of these provinces to be roughly as follows: Alberta, \$12,000 to \$15,000; Saskatchewan, \$10,000; Manitoba, \$6,000, and Nova Scotia \$4,000. In several of the districts in 1917 there were acclamations, but the above figures represent fair averages for the divisions in which the polling took place.

The districts in which there was voting under the Canada Temperance Act last month numbered fifty-seven. Of these there were twelve in Alberta, sixteen in Saskatchewan, fifteen in Manitoba and fourteen in Nova Scotia. This would bring the cost of the 1917 election, had all the provinces voted, to roughly \$500,000 had there been voting in all districts.

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50 A. E. Hampton, Black Leg-	
horns, Pittstown, N. J. 1859	
20 T. J. Enslin, Columbian Rocks	
Hackettstown, N. J. 1853	
44 A. L. Anderson, R.I. Whites	
Windham, N. H. 1844	
12 W. H. Bassett, White Rocks,	
Cheshire, Conn. 1841	

What Individuals Did
High individual records interest every pedigree poultry breeder in the country. The most remarkable performance of the year in this respect was the record of Barred Rock hen No. 89, owned by Rock Rose Farm at Katonah, N. Y. This hen laid 77 eggs without a miss, skipped one day and laid 26 more. In other words, she laid 103 eggs in 104 days. This record has not been equalled in any of the previous competitions at Storrs. Two Barred Rock hens, Nos. 54 and 58, both from Westhampton Beach, Long Island, tied for highest individual yield for the year with scores of 281 eggs each. In the Wyandotte division hen No. 270, owned by Langford Poultry Farm, from British Columbia, finished first with a yield of 267 eggs. The best Rhode Island Red hen was No. 329 in the leading pen in this class and her record for the year was 269 eggs. White Leghorn No. 671, from Hollywood, Wash., outlaid every other Leghorn in the contest and scored 264 eggs.

Because a woman marries a joke it doesn't follow that she has a sense of humor.



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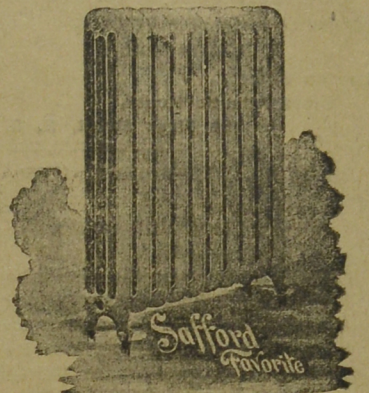
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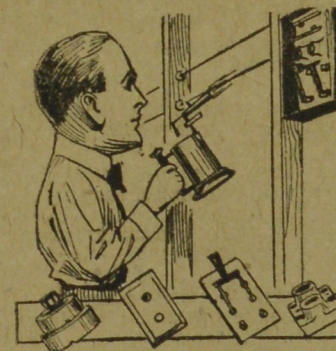
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