

50,000 NEEDED TO HARVEST WESTERN CANADA'S CROP

Will Take 160,000 Altogether to Take Care of Yield of Prairie Provinces.

One hundred and sixty-two thousand farm hands will be required this year to harvest the grain crops of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Of this number the local help will provide about 112,000, which will leave about 50,000 extra farm hands. There is, therefore, a great demand for this class of laborers in all parts of Western Canada. In order to meet the requirements it has been arranged to grant very low railway rates from all boundary points reached by Canadian railways. In order to secure these rates it will be necessary for you to call on one of the following authorized agents of the Canadian government: M. V. McInnes, 176 Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan; C. A. Laurier, Marquette, Michigan; J. S. Crawford, Syracuse, N. Y.; Thos. Hetherington, Room 202, 73 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.; H. M. Williams, 413 Gardner Bldg., Toledo, Ohio; Geo. Aird, 216 Traction-Terminal Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana; C. J. Broughton, Room 412 Merchants' Loan & Trust Bldg., Chicago, Ill.; Geo. A. Hall, 2nd Floor, 125 Second Street, Milwaukee, Wis.; E. T. Holmes, 315 Jackson Street, St. Paul, Minn.; Chas. Pilling, Clifford Block, Grand Forks, N. D.; J. M. MacLachlan, Box 197, Watertown, S. D.; W. V. Bennett, Room 4, Bee Bldg., Omaha, Neb.; W. H. Rogers, 125 West 9th Street, Kansas City, Mo.; Ben. Davies, Room 6, Dunn Block, Great Falls, Montana; J. B. Carbonneau, Jr., 217 Main Street, Bideford, Me.; J. N. Grieve, Auditorium Building, Spokane, Wash.

This will give to intending harvest laborers a splendid opportunity to look over the magnificent wheat fields of Western Canada and will give them the best evidence that can be secured of the splendid character of that country from the farmer's standpoint. There will be at least 200,000,000 bushels of wheat harvested within the area of the three provinces above named this year and it is expected that the yield will run from 15 to 25 bushels per acre. Many farmers, this year, will net, as a result of their labors, as much as \$8 to \$10 per acre and many of them will deposit as profits as much as \$5,000 to \$10,000.

The wide publicity that has been given to the excellent crop that is being raised in central Alberta and southern Alberta, central Saskatchewan and southern Saskatchewan, and also in Manitoba, will increase the price of lands in these three provinces from \$3 to \$5 per acre and the man who was fortunate enough to secure lands at from \$12 to \$20 per acre will have reason for gratification that he exercised sufficient foresight to invest, while the man who was fortunate enough to secure a homestead of 160 acres free will also have a greater reason to feel pleased.

Notwithstanding the great addition to the acreage this year over last and the large crop that will be ready for harvest there is no reason to become alarmed that the harvest will not be reaped successfully. There will be a great demand for these low rates during the next couple of months; be sure to make your application to any of the agents above mentioned that may be in your territory at as early a date as possible. Harvesting will commence about the 25th of July and continue for five or six weeks, when threshing will begin and there will be plenty of work until November.

Too Dangerous.
In the struggling days of Tuskegee, Booker T. Washington found that he would have to use an old chicken house for a schoolroom.
"Uncle," he said to an old colored man, "I want you to come down at nine o'clock tomorrow morning and help me clean out a henhouse."
"Law now, Mr. Washington," the old man expostulated, "you-all don't want to begin cleanin' out no henhouse room' yere in de day time."—Success Magazine.

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POULTRY

FATTEN FOWLS FOR MARKET

Food Should Be Given at Regular Hours and Than Only What the Birds Will Eat Up Clean.

Chickens for broiling or frying should be fed extra for two or three weeks to get them fat, with plenty of good, solid meat on breast and thighs. Range poultry is never classed as first-class market poultry.

Put six to eight chickens in a clean, roomy coop; place coop in shed, which should be kept quiet and moderately dark. Give first morning feed of cornmeal mixed with milk; just what they will eat with a relish. At nine o'clock give a second meal of baked bread mixed with boiled vegetables. At noon give cracked corn mixed with a little wheat. At 5 p. m. give cornmeal mixed with milk. They should be fed at regular hours and given only what they eat up with a relish at each meal. No food should be allowed to lie in the coop, as they lose their appetite when food is left in the coop to turn sour.

Sour food is not fit to feed. Wash out the coop every morning. This is necessary and should not be neglected. Give a little gravel or charcoal about twice a week. Give milk instead of water. By this method chickens may be fattened in two weeks' time. Chickens thus fed will make prime market poultry and will command an extra price.

WATERING CAN FOR CHICKS

Excellent Fountain May Be Made Out of Old Tomato Can—Cut 1 1/2 Inches From Bottom.

An old tomato can, with a hole punched in side as shown in illustration, will make a good watering vessel.



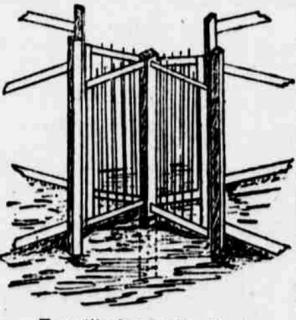
Watering Can for Chicks.

For young chickens. The cut should be about 1 1/2 inches from the bottom.

TURNSTILE GATE FOR YARD

One Passage Made to Answer for All Where Four Pens Come Together—How It is Made.

In the poultry-yard where four lots come together it is convenient to have the gates all at one corner, or in other words, make one gate answer for all four. The illustration shows the construction of the gate. The end posts are 2x1 1/2 feet from the center post on which the gate turns. An inch from pin 18 inches long and 12 inches in the post that the gate is framed on and six inches in the post in the ground. This should fit the holes very tight that the gate may turn easily.



Turnstile for Poultry Yard.

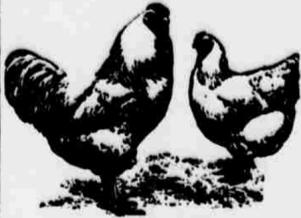
Value of Grit and Charcoal. It pays to keep a supply of grit, oyster shell and charcoal before the fowls. The more you can coax your laying hen to eat and assimilate, the more material she will have to turn into eggs. Her body must be nourished and material supplied for eggs. To provide for both purposes during cold weather means grinding up a great deal of food. The grit helps to do this and the oyster shell furnishes material for the egg shell. Charcoal furnishes no nourishment, but promotes digestion, and is a bowel corrective.

Brooding Hens.
With brooding hens we give exactly the same diet, except for soft food. That affects the fertility and is used only occasionally for a change. Then we usually give blood meal and bran mixed in the hopper. In the pens we keep grit and shell all the time, and since grit is scarce in this country, we use gravel, coal cinders and broken glass in order that the hens may have something sharp to cut and digest their food.

POPULAR BREED OF CHICKENS

White Plymouth Rocks Are Large, Strong and Vigorous, Besides Being Excellent Layers.

White Plymouth Rocks resemble the barred in every particular except color. They are white in plumage throughout, writes Mrs. D. A. Dean



White Plymouth Rocks.

In Green's Farm Gardening. They are one of the most popular white breeds. They are as large, strong and vigorous as the barred variety and, being pure white, will breed much more uniform in color. They lay especially well in winter and their eggs are large. They make fine mothers. Thrifty and active—regular hustlers—not sluggish like the Asiatics. Ready for table or market much younger than the smaller breeds. Keep the egg basket full, and incidentally the owner's pockets in the same condition.

HARD WORK MEANS SUCCESS

To Hatch and Brood Chickens Artificially One Must Stay With Work Night and Day.

A great many people buy incubators and brooders and expect them to run themselves. There would be just as much sense in the hen leaving her eggs for the wind and sun to hatch instead of setting on them and guarding them, night and day, for 21 days.

Inanimate things won't run themselves; they must be run. Machines are all right, but they haven't brains; men must supply the intelligence.

Now, it has been proved by thousands of people in different parts of the world that artificial incubation and brooding of poultry is an assured success. But to make this success require close personal attention from start to finish. The work cannot be entrusted to any Tom or Dick or Harry. Tom and Dick and Harry hired to do the work may set the machine going, but they won't keep them going. They lack the personal equation. They would just as soon see you make a failure as they would see you make a success of the chicken business.

To hatch and brood chickens artificially one must stay right with the work, day and night. This does not mean that you have to sit up with and nurse the machines and baby birds, but that you just about know exactly what they are doing every hour of the twenty-four.

Many people fail to keep the infant chicks dry, warm and well supplied with fresh air in the brooder. This is a simple matter, but an essential. A herd of goats will get along in a remote brushy pasture for weeks at a time with nothing but bushes and fence rails to feed upon. Not so with baby chicks; they must be fed at least five times each day.

The neglect of simple sanitation in the brooder is responsible for heavy mortality among young feathered stock. Fifty or a hundred or more young birds in one close room will soon make foul conditions, which in turn will soon lead to disease and death if the foulness is not removed. Those who are very careful to keep the brooder scrupulously clean usually have good success with brooder chicks, and those who allow them to become filthy meet with inevitable loss.

Failures, then, in hatching and brooding poultry by artificial means are due to the use of infertile eggs, allowing temperatures in the machine to run too high and too low, lack of good ventilation, failure to keep the brooder clean and the young birds supplied with direct sunlight, and irregular feeding. These may all be summed up in one phrase—lack of close attention to details.

POULTRY NOTES

Feeding the turkeys too often is an injurious practice.

Every farmer should go into the pure bred poultry class.

Don't expect to get winter eggs from late hatched chicks.

Get rid of some of the roosters that are now worrying the hens to no good purpose.

The Indian Runner duck is not inclined to fatten so readily as other varieties.

Hunt up private customers and agree to sell them strictly fresh eggs—then do it.

The quickest way to "break up" a setting hen is to shut her up a day with a rooster.

The comb is as sure an indicator of the health of the bird as the tongue is of the person.

Teach the turkeys to have a regular feeding ground apart from the other fowls of the farm.

Late hatched chicks make good broilers or soft roasters in the fall when the prices are high.

The very best kind of a pen for ducklings is one that can be easily moved from one part of the yard to another.

A GREAT TEMPTATION.



Aunt Dinah—Ephrum, dat ole Cunnel Leigh is got some of de finest, mos' lubly young turkeys I eber sot my blessed eyes on. Dat am a fac'!

Uncle Ephrum—Yaas, honey, dis chile knows it. An' I on'y got 'ligion two weeks ago! An' jes' two days befo' Thanksgiving! Dinah, I see mighty 'traid I's got'n' to be a backslider, shuah as youah bohn!



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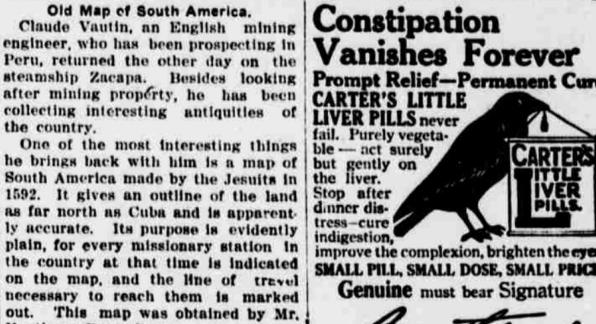
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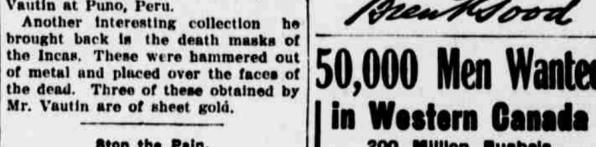
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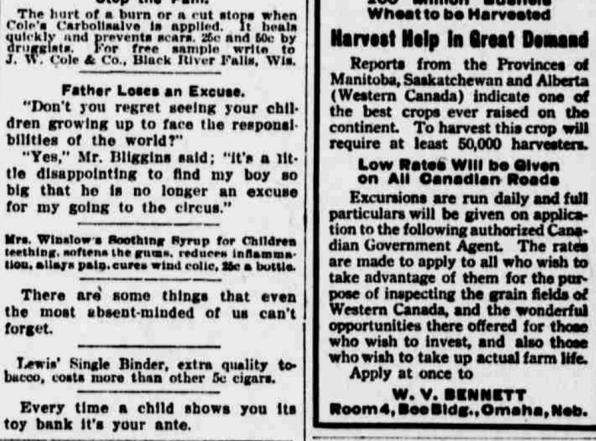
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