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POULTRY NOTES.

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Charcoal in a granulated form should always be kept before fowls of

to the white, 300 to the yolk, and 100 to the shell.

put her in a small coop and feed her plenty of fattening food.

weeks to incubate duck eggs. One week more than is required for hens. Pigeons will not thrive unless they are kept in comfortable, dry, clean quarters, and are given plenty of room to work and exercise.

Goslings and ducklings should be fed damp mashes only, for the first few weeks. They do not seem to be able to do well on dry grains.

A mixture of lard and sulphur applied once a week is a good remedy for scaly legs. The fowls' legs should be scrubbed before applying it.

The eggs from pullets are seldom satisfactory for setting purposes. They are often infertile, and if they do hatch the chicks are small and sickly.

In 100 parts of the egg yolk, 52 per cent. is water, 45 per cent, is oll and fat, and one per cent, each of albuminoids, coloring and mineral matter. In 100 parts of the white of an egg, about eighty-four per cent. is water,

121/2 pere cent, is albumen, one per cent, mineral, and 21/2 per cent, sugar, After killing the insects with any strong solution, whitewashing will sweeten the room and stop up the

cracks so that they will not have so many hiding places. Select hens a little over size for the cockerels that are up to standard weight, and for the old males select large, well-developed pullets. This gives strength and vigor.

#### CLASSIFY THE YOUNG CHICKS

Most Successful and Satisfactory Method Is to Bring Them up in Batches, According to Age.

(By W. R. GILBERT.) In nearly every instance of chicken rearing there are birds of different ages. There will be weeks and somebest treatment they can receive.

It is a kind of process of the survival of the fittest, as the older chicks dominate the younger, and the latter generally come off badly They have to take a back position in all things, as the large and stronger select the choicest and most of the foods and the most favorable positions in the runs and houses.

We often hear of early chicks doing well and late ones not succeeding so completely. This is wondered at, and few may attribute it to the cause I have pointed out, but it is very often the case.

It is a good plan to classify all chickens as far as possible according to size and age, and bring them up in batches. This is a most successful arrangement, and far more satisfactory than mixed rearing.

The smaller chickens should always have the best attentions in selection of the purest ground, the most sheltered positions, and the sunny spots.

Their food should be more adapted for juvenile requirements than that required for the larger specimens, and when all are about the same size, none experience those aggressions which always to the disadvantage of the young and weak.

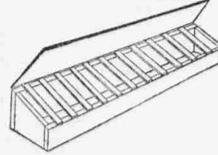
In small yards each lot may be kept in wired runs, but on the farm all requirements are met admirably by placing the coops or houses here and there in different fields and positions some distance apart

How much better they all do by this arrangement than any other, will, very soon, be gratifyingly apparent.

#### DRY FEEDING METHOD GAINS

Kansas Experiment Station Arranges Hopper So That Fowl Cannot Get Into Feed Box.

The Kansas experiment station, in a bulletin on poultry, prints the picture shown in cut below. This box or hopper is intended for feeding a dry mash. altalfa meal or shells. As will be seen, the slats prevent the hen from get-



Dry Feed Hopper.

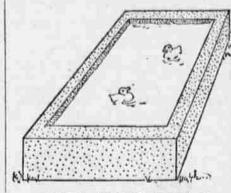
ting into the box, while the cover, placed as it is keeps her from walking over it or roosting on it. There seems no doubt that the dry method of feeding hens is gaining.

Protection for Turkeys.

WATER FOR THE DUCKLINGS

Nothing of Greater Value Than Clean Supply-Concrete Pool Is Easy of Construction.

There is nothing of greater value to the young ducks than a clean supply of water; which is large enough so they can thoroughly enjoy their natural element. The pool of concrete shown in illustration may be easily constructed by excavating to the depth desired and inside this setting a square form, of the size the inside of In an egg of 1,000 grains, 600 belong | pool is to be; this is made by nalling four boards together; the concrete may be easily filled around this form To break a hen of her desire to set making a substantial tank of convenient shape and size, says Homestead A supply of fresh water may be Do not forget that it requires four arranged for in building, by inserting a small gas pipe into one side of tank and with sufficient length to reach outside the poultry yard, as an outlet; the inlet pipe from waterworks or storage tank (this may be a barrel set beside pool) should be onethird larger than outlet pipe, which will keep pool level full at all times.



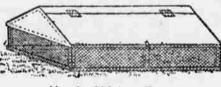
Concrete Pool for Ducklings.

With both pipes fitted with a gate or valve you can allow the water to run nished, about \$40,000. once a day to clean out pool and then expense of constructing such a pool loss of ducklings, for they will be in self. no danger from vermin as when swimming in creeks and ponds.

#### COVERED RUN FOR CHICKENS

Protects Them From Hawks and Sudden Showers-Also Tends to Increase Size of Fowl.

Chickens will thrive better when they have access to plenty of green food and are allowed a certain amount of freedom. But when small, too wide a range may be harmful, writes Kathleen Abbot in Orange Judd Farmer. While it promotes a hardy, vigortimes months between them, and to ous growth, the chicken does not atbring them up in mixed lots is not the tain as great a size nor when mature lay as large an egg. There is the dan-



Handy Chicken Run.

ger, too, from hawks and sudden compnion escaped with slight injuries showers, particularly when there is no The machine was being tried out for mother hen to call them. The cov- the first time and Roberts lost conered chicken run illustrated restricts trol of the same. their freedom and also protects them from danger.

door of the brooder so the chicks can river, a distance of 1,300 feet. go from one to the other. When the fresh green spot.

#### When Eggs Are Good.

According to the secretary of the National Poultry Organization of London, England, an egg should be either at least three or four years old or not often occur in the poultry yard, and more than three or four days. He says: "I have eggs from China which are excellent. The Chinese wrap them in clay, put them away for three years and then bake them.

"The clay pulls off the shell and the interior resembles a plover's egg in appearance. They are much nicer than a stale English egg, because the chemical process of change is com-

"The abomination is the month-old egg, which the co-operative depots we are establishing are designed to abol-

#### Value of Eggs.

In a paper read before the French Academy of Science, Prof. Balland showed by new and exhaustive analysis, the value of eggs as food and the enormous consumption of this product of the domestic hen. He showed that 25 per cent. of the egg has a nutritive value; the rest is water. Ten eggs without the shells near his barn he rushed to the house equals just about one pound avoirdu- to get a gun to shoot them. While pois of meat. During one year Paris consumed 538,000,000 eggs, or something near 125,000 dozens every day, rounding the porch, striking the butt On the basis mentioned these eggs are equivalent to the meat from 168,000 steers per annum, figures that are almost staggering, but true if science is

#### Duck Raising.

When ducks are ten weeks old they are ready for market and should weigh from five to six pounds. They cost to raise about five cents per pound, and bring 20 to 30 cents, which means a profit of about \$1 each

I raise ducks for market as well as sell stock and eggs for show and breeding purposes and in this way av-In the damp spring weather turkeys erage \$300 per year from a pen of five must be well protected from the or six fine ducks. The work, moreweather. A good house is an open- over, is easy and pleasant and does, reception in the depot. front shed with a roost in the rear. | not interfere with my housework.

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### ALL SUBJECTS TOUCHED UPON

NEWS NOTES OF INTEREST FROM VARIOUS SECTIONS.

The new water works plant at Nelson is being hurried with all possible

Mrs. H. S. Ashby of Beaver City dled recently in Colorado, where she was visiting.

Arrangements are being perfected to open the new bank in Sutherland. It will be called the Farmers bank. The large peach orchard on J. T.

Swain's farm in Nemeha county was winter-killed and the trees were cut down and cut into wood. An organization of the I. O. O. F. lodge was effected at Bancroft, adopting thirty-five new members as well

as assembling a number of old members residing there. A city baseball league has been organized at Wymore and a schedule mapped out for the coming season,

when games will be played with sur-

rounding towns. One of the big improvements that is being made in David City is the erection of a church building by St. Mary's parish of the Cathole church. It will cost, when finished and fur-

C. E. French, a stranger forty-five shut off, if supply will not permit run- years of age or more, who has been ning water all day long. The slight confined in a Fremont hospital for a week, died without being able to tell will be fully repaid in the decreased his attendants anything about him-

> Sheriff Dunkel of Hall county has returned from Denver with Mrs. Rosa Wilcox and Paul Jessen, both of Cairo, nineteen miles west of Grand Island in his custody. They were accompanied by Mr. Wilcox, husband of the erring woman. Wilcox is a prominent and wealthy farmer. Jessen is a cattle buyer and has had many dealings with Wilcox, often being t his home, thus being given opportunity to alienate the affections of his wife.

> A wireless station is to be located at Sidney and another at Cheyenne by the Union Pacific for wireless messages on railway business. These are the first two stations west of Omaha. Clarence Waite, a Fremont boy who has been arrested at Cedar Rapids,

> la., is wanted on the charge of disposng of \$170 worth of household goods which belonged to his brother. He will be brought back to answer for his transgression.

> At Beaver City, Earl Roberts, an amateur chauffeur, overturned a new car which he was running at a speed of fifty miles an hour and he and a

The Missouri Pacific has unloaded twenty cars of material for its new Wire netting is stretched around the steel bridge across the Platte south of sides and one end. The roof is hinged Springfield. The present wooden strucso it can easily be raised if desired, ture will be replaced by steel across The open end is placed close to the the channel, or north half of the

Some excitement was caused at grass in that particular section has Broken Bow, when C. H. Wilson, a disappeared the position of both chiropractic adjuster who has been brooder and run can be changed for a conducting operations there for some time past, was arrested on a complaint issued from the county attorney's office, charging him with illegal practice of medicine. His case

will be heard by the courts. Governor and Mrs. Shallenberger will ce'ebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage on the evening of May 24, by a public reception to which no cards will be necessary. They will keep open house at the exscutive mansion all evening, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Chas. G. Williams of Denver has notified the board of the Presbyterian church at Central City that he will accept the call to their pastorate extended to him by the congregation and that he will be ready to take up his residence and duties about the first of June.

Adjutant General Hartigan has issued an order approved by the governor permitting the automobile gun detachment of the Illinois National Guard to proceed through Nebraska fully armed and equipped for war between June 15 and August 1. The National Guard is experimenting with guns mounted on automobiles and the trip will extend down into Texas. young man, 24 years of age, was accidentally killed. Seeing some wolves passing outdoors again he stumbled and fell from the high sidewalk surof the gun on the ground, discharging the heavy load of buckshot into his face, killing him instantly.

In the presence of Judge L. C. Barr, who laid it October 10, 1884, the cornerstone of the old Phelps county court house was taken out and the contents given to County Clerk Hedlund, to later be placed in the cornerstone of the new \$100,000 court house, on which work will begin shortly.

The new \$25,000 Union Pacific depot at Central City is now completed and is ready to be turned over to the company by the contractors, and in celebration of that event the local Commercial club held a big public

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yez brace up, and lave the dhrink

"Oi've thried, Dinnie, but the job's too big for me." "Thry this once more, Moike. Here's a church forninst us. Go in there, old

man, and confiss and take a frish start. I'll wait outside." He waited until he was tired, then, peering into the darkened building,

said in a hoarse whisper: "Moike!"

"Phwhat?" "Have vez confissed?"

"Ol bave that!" "Where's the prast?" " 'Egorrah, Dinnie, and Ol think he's gone out to call a cop."-Success Mag-

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