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lowed to hatch and rear their young. The period of incubation of goose eggs varies from 28 to 30 days.

Goslings do not need feed until they are 24 or 36 hours old, when they should be fed one of the mashers recommended for chickens or goslings, or a mash or dough of two-thirds shorts (middlings) and one-third corn meal, which can be made of equal parts shorts and corn meal, with 5 per cent of beef scrap added after the goslings are six weeks old. Bread and milk make an excellent feed for young goslings. Fine grit or sharp sand should also be available in winter. If goslings are to be fattened the ration should be changed to one-third shorts and two-thirds corn meal by weight, with 5 per cent of beef scrap added, while a feed of corn should be given at night.

Most geese breeders do not confine their geese for fattening, but feed them freely a few weeks on a fattening ration before they are to be marketed. The geese may be confined for two or three weeks and fattened, but some green feed or vegetables should be added to the ration.

Adult geese may be fed for egg production on a mash of one pound of corn meal, one of barn, one of middlings or low-grade flour, and 10 per cent of beef scrap, which is fed in the morning; equal parts of corn and wheat, or corn alone, is fed at night. Grit and oyster shell should be kept before geese when they are laying and may be provided all the time to advantage. A constant supply of drinking water should always be available under protection so that the geese can not get their feet into the water. Cut clover, hay, alfalfa, silage, cabbage, mangle-wurzel beets or any waste vegetables may be fed during the winter months.

Geese Fattened in Confinement.

Young geese when fully feathered are fattened in large numbers by buyers who make a specialty of this business. Six to eight geese are generally confined for three weeks in a pen and fed by hand five times daily on a mixture of two parts of corn meal and one part of ground wheat and sifted ground oats mixed with enough low-grade oil to make a stiff batter when water is added. This mixture is put through a sausage stuffer, cut into pieces two inches long

GEESE LAY NO GOLDEN EGGS BUT THEY DO LAY PROFITS

More Raising of These Fowl Suggested as a Source of Cheaper Meat—Ten is Fair Average for an Acre—Advice on Their Management.

If the goose of the fable was able to lay a golden egg, there is no reason why her progeny of the present era can not repeat this miracle in a more concrete form. Goose meat is nutritious and palatable and not greasy when properly cooked, and an extension of goose raising in the regions of cheap land where pasturage is abundant is a suggested source of cheaper meat.

Geese are raised chiefly in the South and Middle West, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, and Arkansas being the chief supply sources. During the decade ending in 1910, the total number of geese declined 22 per cent, largely because of the lack of cheap pastures and the limited demand for goose feathers and goose flesh. Thousands of acres of native grass throughout the South and some parts of the Middle West are qualified for geese raising operations and should, if possible, add this branch of poultrying to their activities. This is the opinion of United States Department of Agriculture specialists.

The Toulouse, Embden, Chinese, and African are the most popular American breeds of geese, the first two greatly leading the others. Occasionally the eggs are used for cooking, but generally geese are kept only for meat and feather production. Practically all the geese in this country are raised in small flocks on general farms, some men making a specialty of collecting large numbers of geese and fattening them for a few weeks before they are killed. As grass makes up the bulk of feed for geese, it is doubtful whether it pays to raise them unless good grass range is available during the summer. A pool of water for bathing and recreational purposes is also a desirable feature.

The market for geese is not so general as for chickens. This point should be considered in undertaking the raising of geese. The demand and the price paid for geese are usually good in sections where goose fattening is conducted on a large scale. Geese are rugged and hardy

Geese are hardly birds and need shelter only in winter or stormy weather. An open shed or an old barn usually is satisfactory for this purpose. From 4 to 25 geese may be kept on an acre of land, although under most conditions 10 is a fair average. Wherever possible the geese should have free range during the grass season. Southern plantation owners keep geese to kill the weeds in the cotton fields.

Geese are fed a ration to produce eggs during the latter part of the winter so that the goslings will be hatched by the time there is good grass pasture. The eggs may be hatched by either hens or geese. Some breeders prefer to raise all the goslings under hens, as geese sometimes become difficult to manage when al-

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and one inch thick, rolled in our, and cooked like dumplings. The material is fed warm, and after cooking the pieces are dipped in cold water to keep them from sticking together. Another method is to confine the geese in large pens under a shed for from three to five weeks and keep whole corn in hoppers before them all the time, using oat straw for bedding, as this material is a good source of South pluck the feathers from the roughage, particularly where corn silage is used as a supplement.

Nearly all breeders of geese in the live geese at some time prior to molting. Some pick every six weeks during the spring, summer and early fall, while others pick only once or twice a year. Feathers are ripe for picking when the quills appear dry and do not contain blood. The average yearly production of feathers of geese is about 1.1 pound. The demand for goose feathers and the practice of plucking geese appear to be decreasing, attention being concentrated on the production of young geese for market.

WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY FAIR TO OPEN

Kingstree, Nov. 3.—The Williamsburg county fair will open its gates at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Practically everything is in

readiness and the largest and best fair ever held by the association is looked for.

On account of the world war there was no fair held by the association last year and this makes the third annual event for the association, which was organized in 1915.

There will be a number of free attractions and a big carnival company pulled into town this morning. An important feature of the fair which opens tomorrow for four days will be the horse department. Special efforts have been put forth to get the best horses in the State here and a large amount of money has been collected for prizes to be given by the horse show department, covering a program of thirty-one events.

The agricultural and livestock exhibits promise to be the largest and most interesting in the history of the fair, which has grown larger and better each year.

SAYS SMALL PAPERS FACE DESTRUCTION

Washington, Nov. 3.—Small daily and weekly newspapers are threatened with destruction because of inability to obtain print paper, the House was told today by Representative Reavis, Republican, of Nebraska. He charged that news print manufactur-

ers were refusing to sell small publishers in order to fill the wants of the metropolitan dailies.

Paper consumption by the big city dailies and magazines has been greatly increased, Mr. Reavis said, by an extensive national advertising campaign

conducted to defeat the government in collecting taxes." He urged that the internal revenue bureau investigate the returns of concerns conducting the campaign to disclose to what extent their excess profits tax was reduced by the costs on the advertising.

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