

LICE, MITES AND FLEAS

Slaughter More Hens and Chicks Than Does Disease.

Lice, mites and fleas. Here is a triple alliance that is more disastrous to poultry stock than all the host of diseases that chicken flesh is heir to. That they are on the war-path now is evidenced by the numerous requests for help that the poultry husbandman of Clemson College is receiving from persons whose fowls are attacked by the blood-thirsty creatures. Yet proper care and treatment will free fowls in a short time of these nuisances.

The best treatment for lice is to grease fowls with 33% strength mercurial ointment (which is poison). Apply a piece of ointment the size of a grain of wheat to the flesh of the hen at the rear part of the body, covering a space of skin not larger than a silver quarter. Be careful not to use too much ointment, because when it is applied freely the mercury will be absorbed by the chicken's system and egg production will cease. A piece of ointment the size of a grain of wheat is enough and not too much.

For baby chicks that have head lice, anoint the head with carbolated vasoline or apply mercurial ointment very sparingly. A little grease rubbed on the chick's head and under the beak will kill all lice lodging there and prevent development of the lice eggs. This method is better than dusting with insect powder. One application of the poisonous grease is good for one month.

Mites live in crevices of the roost, drop-board and nests in the day time and attack fowls at night. They can be seen in the morning and look like red bugs as they are filled with the blood of fowls attacked at night. Mites are eradicated by painting or spraying roosts and nests with the following mixture: kerosene, 1 gallon; crude carbolic acid, 1-2 pint; lard, 2 table-spoonfuls. Melt the lard and mix with the kerosene, add the acid and shake the mixture well. Apply this mite-killer to quarters where mites live, making an application every two weeks. A few applications will clean any hen-house. However, some old poultry houses have so many cracks and crevices that the solution cannot reach the mites. In such a case, cover the inside of the house with building paper or several thicknesses of newspaper, using paste for this. Then paint with the kerosine mixture.

Where fleas infest a poultry house, it is necessary to spray a 5 per cent solution of zenoleum, creolin, cresol or other coal tar disinfectant. Thoroughly soak the dust and dirt where the fleas live. This will kill them and their young. Then catch any fowls that have fleas on the side of face and under beak and anoint these places with the 33 per cent mercurial ointment. One application of this ointment will kill every flea and prevent more from attaching themselves to the bird.

Suttons Sittings.

Suttons, July 5:—The Fourth passed very quietly here, the continued showers caused a great many disappointments among the young folk.

Mr and Mrs Pervis Blakely, from the Oak Ridge section, were here visiting relatives Saturday.

Mr Eddie Morris of Bryan is seen in this community quite often of late. I wonder what the attraction can be?

Mr J D Cooper of Georgetown is spending a few days at his old home near here.

Several of the old and young folk of this place attended Farmers' day at Andrews Saturday. They report having had a splendid time. Some of them had the pleasure of shaking hands with "Our Cotton Smith." Several interesting and beneficial talks were made by some of our prominent statesmen, among whom was Senator E D Smith, whose talk was much enjoyed.

Miss Mayme Blakeley has been in Georgetown for several days at the home of her brother, Mr J M Blakeley.

Messrs Dock Rowell and Talbert Locklear of Trio were in this locality

for awhile Saturday night. Come again, boys.

We are sorry to learn that Mr B P Cooper, who has been in a critical condition for the past two weeks, is not much improved at this writing. He has the skillful attention of Drs E T Kelley of Kingstree and — Harper of Trio. Mr Cooper's health has been failing for some years, but we hope soon to hear that he is climbing the hill to restoration.

Mr Willie Blakely spent yesterday with relatives and friends at Oceda.

We have had the pleasure several times recently of seeing Mr Frank Richardson of Salters down here, driving his new Ford.

This community was visited Saturday by an electric storm, accompanied by wind and an excessive down pour of rain which did much damage to the growing crops and fruit trees.

Farmers around here are still tussling with the "general." He is like Jack Johnson. Don't think he is doing so much on the last innings, as I see the farmers wearing a more restful face.

Mrs Wayde Barrineau and children of Oceda have been spending several days at the home of her father near here.

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A Presidential Candidate.

It is a safe guess that we are going to have Mr Bryan again as a Presidential candidate. His platform will be peace and prohibition. It will split the Democratic party all apart, for the South is strong for prohibition, and Bryan himself, as himself, is strong with the Democratic party throughout the wide West. He is likely, too, to draw from the Republicans on the same issue that will strengthen him at the South.—*Hartford Courant.*

Mary Phagan Monument.

Citizens of Valdosta, Ga, have started a movement to raise a fund by popular subscription of \$1 each from a thousand Georgians for the purpose of erecting a monument over the burial place of "little Mary Phagan, who lost her life in the defense of her virtue," in the words of the petition.

The education of the public as to who you are, where you are, and what you have to offer in the way of skill, talent or commodity. The only man who should not advertise is the man who has nothing to offer the world in the way of commodity or service.—*Elbert Hubbard.*

Travelling Man's Experience.

"In the summer of 1888 I had a very severe attack of cholera morbus. Two physicians worked over me from four a. m. to 6 p. m. without giving me any relief and then told me they did not expect me to live; that I had best telegraph for my family. Instead of doing so, I gave the hotel porter fifty cents and told him to buy me a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and take no substitute. I took a double dose according to directions and went to sleep after the second dose. At five o'clock the next morning I was called by my order and took a train for my next stopping point, a well man but feeling rather shaky from the severity of the attack," writes H W Ireland, Louisville, Ky. Obtainable everywhere.

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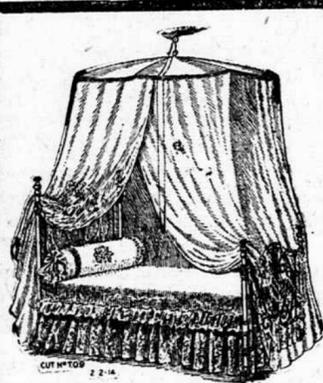
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