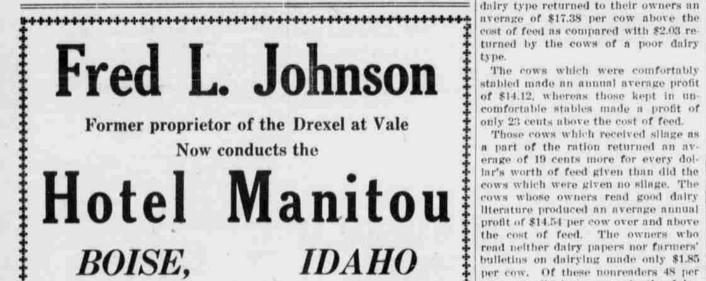
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BY GOVERNMENT

No. VII.-Profitable Dairy-

ing-Girls' Poultry Club.

Guinea Pig as Food.

Official News Summary of Up to Date

States Department of Agriculture.)

compiled under the direction of B. H.

Rawl, chief of the dairy division. Unit-

ed States department of agriculture,

shows that cows in the western and central states which were the most

profitable were of a good dairy type.

were comfortably stabled and received

silage as a part of their ration. The

owners of these cows were readers of

The investigation was undertaken be-

cause of the small profit on many dairy

forms. The men who collected the data

went into the dairy districts of thirteen

states. The facts were collected from

2.163 herds, containing 28.447 cows in

all, and covered a period of ten years.

The records show that cows of a good

dairy papers and farmers' bulletins.

Matters Compiled by the United

RECENT report of a cow census

originally begun as a private

enterprise by ex-Governor W.

D. Hoard of Wisconsin and

FARM EXPERTS

roast the animals, but they state that they are excellent esting when cooked in any of the ways commonly applied to small game.

Girls' Poultry Clubs. The Girls' Poultry club, a unique organization started by the United States department of agriculture for the purpose of encouraging the ponitry indusheadway, particularly in the west and day evening. Refreshments were servbeen established in Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Nebraska, Utab and Idaho, Clubs following were those present. have also been organized in Virginia. West Virginia, Mississippi, North Caro-

Hna and South Carolina The first poultry club was organized in Virginia and is dourishing under J W. Kinghorne, the department's instructor in the state. The object in

forming the club was to give a better knowledge of the value and importance of poultry raising and the marketing LUCILLE LOVE, THE GIRL OF of a first class uniform product and to teach better methods for the caring of

poultry and eggs; also to show the inreased revenue to be derived from well bred poultry where proper methods of management are pursued. There is a four year course mapped

out by the founders, starting with the setting of fifteen eggs as a unit for the year's work and concluding with a

pen of fifty chickens, forty six of which are hens and four roosters. Points are given for the number of eggs hatched. number of five chicks, number of cock erels marketed, profit on investment and equipment. Some of the state gov-

the nature of trips to their capitals. and one is now offering a prize of a trip to Washington to see congress in session, visit the president and inspect the department of agriculture. Throughout the year meetings are

in existence for the purpose of discussever possible, the department of agriculture will have one of its specialists from the animal husbandry division secret. present to instruct the members on

poultry raising, selection and care of stock and handling demonstrations. He will also assist in securing first class markets for the sale of the poul try and eggs.

In instructing the clubs the department says that each county club should hold an exhibition once a year, preferably in connection with the county fair, at which place a pair of the best chickens grown by each member should be placed on exhibition and en-

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The students of the eighth grade of the Vale Public School were entertained at the home of C. O. Nelson Thursmiddle west. Large organizations have ed and the evening was very enjoyably but it is too bad the weather does so spent in games and amusement. The

> Maud Robirts, Floyd Powell, Valeda Rose, Oakley McColm, Nita Pollock, Gladys Murray and Helen Nelson, al of whom are graduates this year from the eighth grade into high school.

At the Isis

MYSTERY This story has been procured by the ISIS, starting the evening of Wednesday, June 24, and continuing, one instalment each week for fifteen consecutive weeks,

Briefly, the story for episodes 1 and follows:

Hugo Loubeque and Sumpter Love are cadets at West Point. Both love the same woman. Loubeque is expelled from the institution for theft from his fellow cadets. The principal witness against him is Cadet Love, who, ernments are offering prizes for the as a result of Loubeque's downfall, most proficient students of the clubs in | wins the woman, for the hand of whom both were rivals.

Loubeque sets apart his life to avenge himself upon Love. He carefully educates himself to the end of making his

revenge more certain and dire. Knowheld in the states where the clubs are ing that Love will some day become an officer in the army, he lays his plans ing the different problems of poultry in that direction. He becomes an inmanagement. At each meeting, when ternational spy, a broker in national secrets He works upon the plan that no country is greater than its smallest

After a lapse of many years Love is a general in the U. S. Army, stationed at Manila. He has an only daughter, Lucille, who is engaged to marry Lieutenant Gibson. The butler in the Love

household is a cracksman in the employ of Loubeque. After watching the movements of Love for years, Loube que decides that the time for action has arrived. General Love receives receives from Washington a set of doctered to compete in the regular class uments of the utmost diplomatic import

and the contents of which must be kept it the greatest secrecy. As his aide, Lieutenant Gibson locks them in the safe, at the instigation of Loubeque the butler steals the papers. The honor of General Love is threatened and he informs Gibson to consider himself under arrest until the papers are re turned.

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Some men are great in only one thing And there are men who can't produce an aggressive jaw without grow Absent-mindedness. ing a VanDyke beard. A man who is sternally talking loud about his honor hasn't any. Treason, according to the old fashioned women, is to begin playing the piano If the other party has forgotten the before noon. row, you should also forget it. This doesn't necessarily mean you,

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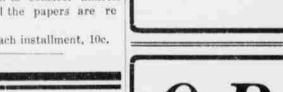
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ent actually lost money in the dairy business Concerning the results of this cow census ex-Governor Hoard says, "The one great and paramount conclusion. overtopping all others, is that loss of profit in dairying is occasioned in nine cases out of ten by a lack of sound dairy intelligence on the part of the farmer who is behind the cow."

The Guinea Pig as Food.

It is difficult to account for the some what prevalent notion that no redents. are fit for human food, states the agricultural department's bulletin on the guinea pig. Because of such prejudice some people will not eat rabbits or squirrels. Probably many others are kept from enting such excellent game as muskrats and prairie dogs. While guinea pigs are seldom eaten in the United States, their near relationship to rabbits and the fact that they are wholly vegetarian in habits should relowing suggestions. assure any one who may entertain doubts about their fitness for the table. All the wild species of the guines pig are accounted good game in South America. Rock cavies especially are much hunted in parts of Brazil, While the small size of the domestic speas they attain broiler size. cies is probably the chief cause for its neglect as a food animal, yet we have other highly esteemed game animals that furnish less meat than a guinea

That there is widespread interest in the guinea pig in the United States is evident from the large number of inquiries that the department of agriculture is receiving in connection with the proper methods of raising this little animal. The bureau of animal in-

dustry has been experimenting on different methods of raising the pig and finds that it costs from 50 to 60 cents per animal to raise. - This cost could be substantially reduced by private breeders. While there is at present little demand for the guinea pig other than for laboratory purposes, the aplece. Those favorably located near cities or institutions requiring large

numbers of guinea pigs should be able to establish a profitable business in supplying them The Pernvian method of dressing the

guinea pig for cooking is the one generally adopted wherever it is eaten. The animal is killed by dislocating its neck, after which it goes through about the same process as a sucking pig in preparation for cooking. Its throat is cut, it is hung up for a few minutes to bleed and is then scalded in hot water. The hair is removed. the skin scraped with a knife, the viscera taken out and the carcass washed in tepid water. It is then ready

and lower crust with a cream filler This adulterant is made of petroleum oll, and seizures have already been made of products containing such ingredient. The oil is used in connection with sugar and mlik in preparation of the cream filler and substituted because it is cheaper than cocoanut oll or butter. The use of this substance in articles of food is regarded as adulteration and in violation of the federal food and drugs

Petroleum Oil as Adulterant.

HOMEMADE EOG TESTER

troleum at least once a week.

Wheat, Barley and Oats Abroad. The 1913 total production of wheat was 9.2 per cent more, barley 7.5 per cent more and oats 0.8 per cent more than produced in 1912 in Prussia, Belglum, Denmark, Spain, France, Great Britain and Ireland, Hungary, Italy, Luxemburg, Netherlands, Roumania, Russin in Europe, Switzerland, Canada, United States, India, Japan, Russia in Asia, Algeria and Tunis, according to the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome

For European Russia the preliminary figures of production this year are: All wheat, 638,000,000 bushels; barley, 550,-



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