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**Free Circulars**

- For Young Men  
Circular No. 2 - The Four Sex Lies.  
Circular No. 9 - Sex Truths for Men.
- For Older Boys (13 to 18 yrs. of age)  
Circular No. 8 - Virility and Physical Development.
- For Younger Boys (10 to 13 yrs. of age)  
Circular No. 7 - The Secret of Strength.
- For Girls  
Circular No. 4 - A Plain Talk with Girls about their Health.
- For Young Women  
Circular No. 10 - Physical Development, Marriage and Motherhood.
- For Parents  
Circular No. 1 - The Need for Education in Sexual Hygiene.  
Circular No. 3 - When and How to Tell the Children.  
Circular No. 5 - A List of Books for Use in the Family on Sex.  
Circular No. 18 - How One Boy Was Instructed in Sex Matters and What Happened. Illustrated.

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The Oregon State Board of Health  
720 Selling Building, Portland, Oregon

Applicants are kindly asked to select only those circulars for which they have a definite use. These will be gladly sent.

**MAKING THE LITTLE FARM PAY**

By C. C. BOWSFIELD

There is liberal profit in broilers for those who have skill in poultry raising. The matter of location is not so vital with this commodity as with some classes of produce. In raising broilers it is seldom necessary to drive to town oftener than once a week. Customers will be satisfied with a weekly service, provided it is regular.

For this reason a poultry farm may be three or four miles out, where land sells at \$75 to \$100 an acre. With a dairy or garden truck it is unprofitable to locate so far from a station, and where land is bought within a mile or two of a good town it costs \$200 to \$300 an acre. Location must be considered also if the owner has to go to the city daily.

Broilers weighing two pounds or a little less sell readily for 35 cents apiece. The cost of feeding is not over 5 cents on a farm. A profit of \$25 to \$30 per 100 is pretty fair. Hotels, restaurants, clubs and well-to-do private families are regular buyers, and the demand exceeds the supply. A little farm ought to produce 1,000 or 2,000 broilers every year.

I know of a place of five acres, about an hour's ride from Chicago, where not less than 2,500 chickens are produced annually, many of them being sold as broilers. The owner raises an acre of wheat and three acres of corn. He supplements this with table leavings and ground bone. Chicks get nothing but meal and breadcrumbs soaked in skimmed milk or dry, according to judgment, for the first three weeks.

After this the variety of food is enlarged. Cornmeal, wheat, boiled potatoes and scraps of all kinds make a satisfactory diet for growing poultry. In dry weather they need a chance to run about. They may be confined to a building or yard the last week or ten days for fattening. Cornmeal, boiled

potatoes and skim milk will do nicely for the fattening process. Such things as shorts, cracked wheat, oatmeal mush and table scraps also produce a nice looking and palatable young chicken. Even in winter chickens ought to have a chance to exercise when the weather is bright. Few people keep their poultry free from vermin, and this is why so many fall at the business. Chickens are less hardy than ducks and geese, and if lousy there is no profit in raising them.

After considerable experience I am able to keep poultry clean by providing plenty of dust heaps in the yards, whitewashing coops and houses and occasionally applying kerosene or grease to floors and roosts. A few to bacco leaves hung about the nests have a good effect. There are many good remedies, but the chief thing is vigilance.

The clean and careful handling of chickens will tell in growth as well as quality. Therefore it pays to be thorough. At least one good incubator is necessary. I have made it a rule for several years to turn most of my egg production into poultry. Broilers at \$4 a dozen pay better than eggs at 30 cents a dozen. But when one is in the business there will be a percentage of full grown chickens and also some proportion of eggs to market.

Winter prices are invariably the highest, so that it is best to hatch as many of the summer eggs as possible and have a heavy supply of poultry around Christmas and, in fact, all winter. Broiler customers demand their supplies at all times of the year. The farmer needs to have a regular day for furnishing this commodity. If it is necessary to ship to a large city it is possible to have a hotel or club take the entire output. It is easier to make such arrangements than many would suppose. Have the quality right, and the selling will be easy.

**WHAT ROTATION DOES.**

If a man's land is already rich he must keep it so. If it is yielding minimum crops he must increase its producing power. This may be accomplished by properly rotating crops, maintaining and increasing the humus content of the soil by returning all organic matter and growing leguminous crops. Further than this, there is scarcely a farm that would not be greatly benefited by plowing under some green manure crop. -Wyoming Bulletin.

**THEY "KNOW IT ALL"**

It is strange that any one should claim to know all about farming, which is one of the broadest and deepest subjects among men. When we content plate what might be accomplished in plant growth and animal breeding if men knew, we are apt to be overwhelmed with the ignorance of men upon scientific agriculture. And yet occasionally one may be found who thinks that he has learned all about farming. - Farm and Ranch.

**OPEN AIR POULTRY HOUSE.**

Good For the Fowls in All Weathers. Not Excepting Cold Months.

A correspondent of Orange Judd Farmer writes as follows concerning open air poultry houses:

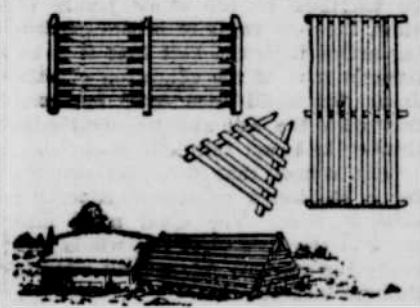
My open air poultry house I like very much. The yards join the center of the house, making one house do for two pens. The openings are covered with poultry netting, thus making them secure against prowlers. Inside are muslin curtains stretched on frames to fit the openings. These are braced at the top and hooked back to the inner roof when not in use. They are used only in bad weather.

The roosts are arranged above a platform, which is also hinged, and can be let down to remove the droppings. The roosts themselves are made of mosquito frass, which is said not to harbor vermin, but I have found that it does just the same. The floors are covered

**BARREL NEST AND RUN.**

Give the Hens a Comfortable Place to Hatch Their Eggs.

The illustration here reproduced shows how the barrel nest and run are made. The former is a four barrel laid on its side in an excavation sufficient to bury the side of it about two or three inches. The dirt secured



NEST AND RUN COMPLETED.  
[From the Farm Journal.]

In digging this ditch is spread on the inside of the barrel and upon this is a nest hollowed out and filled with tobacco stems.

On the top of the barrel is fastened heavy roofing paper. If this paper is nailed to cleats and fastened by wire it can be readily removed after the hatching season and used for years.

The run is constructed of whole length plastering lath and made in sections, as shown in picture.

At night a wide board is placed in front of the barrel, with an opening above sufficient to afford ventilation. The nest being on the ground, the eggs receive plenty of moisture and a better hatch is assured. -Farm Journal.

**CRITTER WISDOM.**

See to it that your breeding sow has a good balanced ration. Don't go to the extreme of feeding her too much corn or barley or roots.

Mighty easy to feed new corn to the hogs, stalks and all, but you will find that if the corn is first run through the shredder the animals will eat it up clean.

You can greatly improve the looks of your cows by taking a little care of their hoofs and horns. A few moments spent with a coarse file and a pair of pliers may change entirely the looks of an animal.

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