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- 2 in 1 TAN PASTE—Good for polishing furniture, hardwood floors, etc.

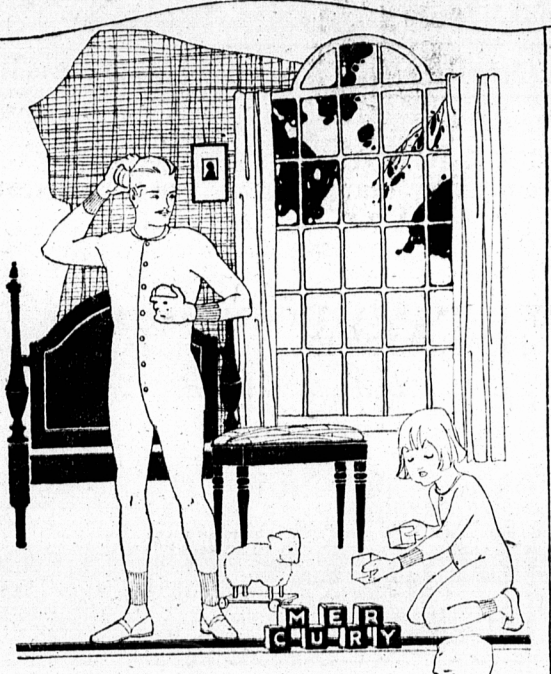
For the Best List of New Uses for 2 in 1, We are Awarding Cash Prizes as Follows

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Write on one side of paper only. List uses according to colors. Awards will be made according to decision of special committee, and payment made on or before October 1st, 1922. All lists submitted to become our property. Address:

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(SYDNEY, April 7—Mr. Murdoch, Minister of Labor sent telegrams to the members of the Gillen conciliation board which recently made a brief investigation into the dispute between the British Empire Steel Corporation Coal Miners of Nova Scotia, asking them to reconvene in Sydney not later than the 10th for the purpose of giving further consideration to the question. Notification to this effect was received yesterday by Mr. Robert Baxter, President of the United Mine Workers, District No. 1.

SAYS GENERAL IS A BANDIT

(NEW YORK, April 7—General Semenoff, charged with the theft of woolen stuffs and furs valued at about \$475,000, the property of the now bankrupt firm of Youreva Home and Foreign Trade Company, Inc. The theft is alleged to have been made in or near Chita, Transbaikalia, in 1919. The order of arrest has been requested by counsel for receivers of the Youreva Company, their request being accompanied with affidavits from Major General William S. Graves, Commander of the United States representative on the Inter Allied Commission. Both are said to have denounced the General in their affidavits referring to him as a "bandit" and "ruffian".

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A question that I would like to devote a little space to this week and one that should be of great interest at this season, namely "Factors relating to Fertility" or in other words the conditions that go to make the very highest fertility in your hatching eggs, and the chicks hatched therefrom.

As in all branches of breeding the first and foremost thing to strive for is superabundant health in the parents male and female for without this your very foundation is undermined and success in this way will make up for a bad egg and I would rather take chances of the results of a mating of healthy hens and a good strong male than on twenty females and a couple of males of the blue-blood that were lacking in health and vigor at the time you were ready to start hatching. The poultry keeper who is really in the game to make a success of it and to build up a strain they can be proud of in the way of both appearance and performance must aim at conditions of fertility which are approximately healthy birds and this can only be accomplished by speedily eliminating all weaknesses and the ones that do not come up to your standard or what you consider desirable. Big strong healthy chicks cannot be hatched from the eggs of hens that are not in the very pink of health nor if the males are out of condition or weak from the want of proper food and enough of it.

To a very great degree the health of the parents will depend on proper care and feeding during the winter months when they are confined continuously, reason being in the correct proportion of sufficient animal food and home ample grit, lime in the form of commercial oyster shells, and charcoal as a corrector of digestive disorders, adequate green means all the confined birds will eat plenty of good clean water, and very little of wet sloppy washes which often take the form of soggy potatoes, dried off with cornmeal and which very often are productive lumps of fat spend the greater part of their day on the roost instead of busily scratching for the hard food which serves a double purpose in keeping them in condition.

While there is the very greatest chance of highest fertility when males and females in the mating are entirely unrelated I do not think that the fact that the birds are related in itself has a thing in the world to do with the impairing of the fertility of that line and if I had brothers and sisters in the flock whom I knew had back of them ten generations of absolutely perfect ancestors, I would not hesitate a moment in mating brothers and sisters.

The argument against close inbreeding is that nearly every food has numerous latent constitutional defects which would in all probability never become apparent in the resultant stock if these birds were mated to new blood, but when nearly related members of the same family are mated together only traits either good or bad, are very liable to be intensified in the progeny. It is not necessary or fair to condemn line breeding along this line of reasoning for even with unrelated parents both apparently in superb health they may not "chick" that is to say their respective latent defects may be such that together do not favor hatchability or thrive. True a large proportion of the eggs may be fertile and hatchable but as a rule few of the chicks are liable to prove fertile or to ever develop into anything worth while in the producers or re-producers.

However for the breeder who has neither time or the desire to make a close study of his stock in an effort to overcome the defects in one side of the mating by preponderance of strength in the corresponding section of the other side, or who will not practice the very closest selection for the fittest, I would recommend the mating of entirely unrelated birds, he will stand a better chance of at least holding his own, but for the man who is working for continuous improvement along scientific lines, line breeding is the way and results are certain.

The ages of the stock used in breeding has a great deal to do with fertility. They can be too old or too young or perhaps it would be more to the point to say too decrepit or to immature and I would like to state here that immaturity in this case is not a matter of age, a bird stunted by forcing for growth would be immature no matter what the age might be so far as breeding was concerned. The mating of cockerels with hens, cocks with pullets, cockerels with pullets and cocks with hens seems to give the best results in fertility in the order named, and vitality and strength of chicks seems to follow in about the same order which the exception of the chicks from the cockerel pullet mating which seem to show less vitality than any other mating.

The above outline must not be taken to mean that you can mate a small immature cockerel to hens nor a cock bird to a pen of young undersized pullets and expect maximum results, but, as in the case of line breeding, the general condition of the birds used must be taken into consideration and again I would warn all against the use of immature birds, it would be far better to mate a cock bird up with hens and keep the mating that way through a number of seasons than try to follow any given plan without attention to all the factors which go to make that plan practical.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

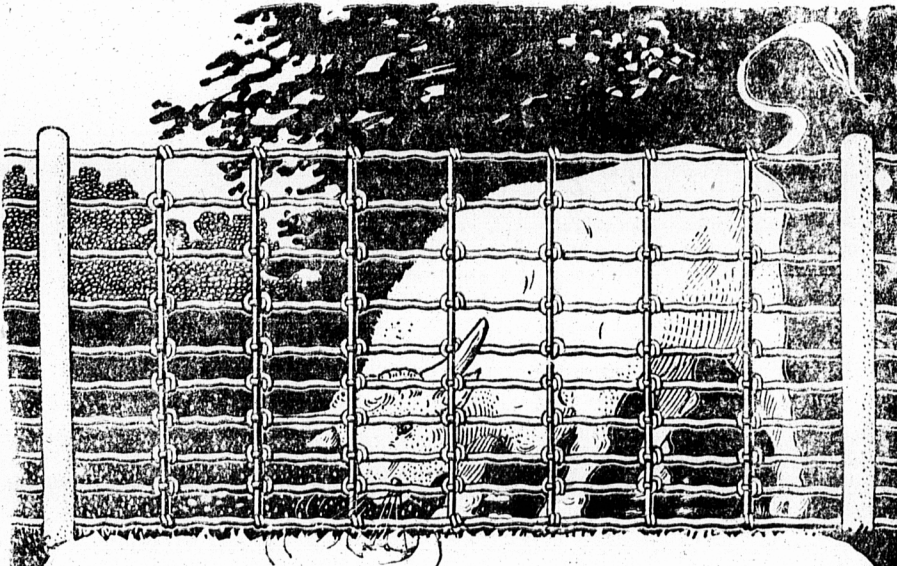
HALIFAX, April 7.—Quotations furnished by Johnson and Ward, members of the Montreal Stock Exchange (C. E. J.)

Ach	99 1/2
Alc	112 1/2
CS	52 1/2
C. P. R.	128
C. N. S.	100
Can	60 1/2
L. I. W.	48
K. P.	16 1/2
Mex Pet	128 1/2
M. P. R.	75 1/2
Readings	76 1/2
S. P.	86 1/2
Stnd	116 1/2
V. P.	125 1/2
X	97 1/2

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A. R.	35 1/2	Lu	85 1/2
A. P.	155 1/2	W. P. G.	89 1/2
A. F.	59	Mp	88
1931 Victory	100.25	L. L.	112 1/2
1932 Victory	102.25	Wheat, May 120 1/2, July 119, Sept.	
1933 Victory	104	Corn, May 58 1/2, July 62 1/2,	
1937 Victory	105.50	Oats, May 26 1/2, July 29 1/2, Sept.	
Bank Royal	195	C. J. N.	13
Bank Montreal	219		
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