

ingredients are used and that it contains 15 per cent. of beef scrap. Some hopper foods on the market are of poor quality, so that it is impossible to obtain results. In mixing hopper feed, if it is not possible to obtain all feeds specified in the formula use as many ingredients as possible, and be certain to allow 15 per cent. of beef scraps (Swift's) in the mixture.

### PROFITS

#### Expense per bird.

50 lbs. wheat at \$36.00 per ton. ....	\$0 90
36 lbs. hopper feed at \$44.00 per ton. ....	80
Shell .....	05
Straw .....	10
Allowance, depreciation of house and rent of land	15

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\$2 00

#### Receipts

12 doz. eggs at 35c per doz. ....	\$4 20
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Profit per bird. ....	\$2 20
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The cost of raising pullets is more than covered by the sale of year old hens, which also allows for from two to five per cent. losses.

Hens are replaced every season by pullets, as more eggs can be obtained from pullets. This only applies to the laying houses. Breeding stock is kept over and should be two years old.

Eggs are shipped in 30 dozen cases. All nests are kept clean, and with the clean litter, no eggs will require washing.