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### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

#### ARRANGING FOR FISH-SLIDE.

How should I proceed to compel a mill-owner to insert a fish-slide in a dam over a stream? SPORT.

Ontario.  
Ans.—Lay the matter before the Fish Inspector of your locality.

#### HENS EATING EGGS.

Give a preventive for hens eating eggs. We have about twenty-one hens, all of which will eat them when they get a chance. I. P.

Ans.—Prevention is better than cure. It is hard to break a hen away from the habit when she has once acquired it. Much may be done, however, by using dark nests in which the hens cannot scratch. Place the row of nests in the darkest part of the pen, but instead of having them open to the pen, have a six-inch walk between wall and nests, the hens thus entering the nests from the back, while the eggs are gathered by trap-doors in the front. The nests should be roomy enough to leave no danger of crushing the eggs. If too dark, an auger hole in the trap will admit sufficient light. Lack of lime often induces the egg-eating habit, but the most common cause is the taste of an egg accidentally broken.

#### EGG-EATING HENS—SQUEALING FIG.

1. I have about 25 hens. They lay 6 or 7 eggs daily. I feed them well—about three quarts of wheat daily and lots of grit, also other feed suitable to fowls. As soon as one lays an egg, they all run and eat the eggs; they even leave their wheat and go for the eggs.

2. Have a pig that refuses to eat any feed, even corn or pea meal; it contains no bitter seeds, still she refuses, and stands and squeals for something to eat.

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Ans.—1. See answer to I. P. in this issue.

2. She may have indigestion. Withhold all feed, except a little skim milk and middlings. Give her a few sugar beets, mangels or boiled potatoes, and a mixture of salt, ashes and charcoal in a box in her pen. Keep dry and comfortable. If she comes to her feed, increase her ration cautiously, never giving her more than she will clean up from her trough in ten minutes.

#### ALFALFA AND ARTICHOKE.

I have a piece of land, about three acres, quite hilly, high, dry, clay loam. I have been thinking of fitting it for a hog pasture. I intend summer-fallowing the coming summer, then seed to lucerne, and reserving a portion to be planted with artichokes for autumn foraging. Would this be a wise method to adopt? Does lucerne make good hog pasture? Does it thrive well on land such as described? What time of year should it be sown? Should it be sown on the open ground alone, or with a nurse crop? How much seed should be used on one acre? Please give full particulars, with regard to artichokes: (1) How and when to plant; (2) proper method of cultivating; (3) how much ground would be required to feed 20 hogs for a month?

T. W. P.

Ans.—1. The land described should prove excellent for alfalfa. There is no reason why a crop of corn, roots or potatoes should not be grown on the field this year. If properly cultivated, the land will be quite as well cleaned as by fallowing, and should be left rich enough too. Sow medium early in spring, on a well-prepared seed-bed, using 20 to 25 pounds good seed per acre. Our own preference is to sow without a nurse crop. It is safe to say alfalfa is the best and most profitable hog pasture known.

2. Plant the tubers of Jerusalem artichokes, one to two feet spaced, in rows three or four feet apart. In planting, cut the same as potatoes, one eye to a piece being considered sufficient. Plant as you would potatoes, and cover about two inches deep. Plant as early as possible. We should think that half an acre should be sufficient to keep 20 hogs pretty busy for a month. A lengthy article was devoted to this subject in "The Farmer's Advocate" for Feb. 21.



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