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EXPERIMENTS IN SELECTION

Nine years of work with chickens at the Maine Experiment Station in the attempt to increase the average annual egg production of the flock, by selection breeding stock from heavy-laying stock, have failed to secure this result The account of the test is reported by the experimenters. Their data were obtained from two lines of work. The first of these was an experiment in which for a period of nine years hens have been selected for high egg production. No hens were used as breeders whose production in the pullet year had not been 160 eggs or more. The cockerels used were, after the first year of the experiment, invariably the sons of hens producting 200 or more eggs in their pullet year. The second line of work was a test in which the inheritance of egg production from mother to daughter was directly measured Records of the pullet year egg production of 250 daughters of hens aying 200 or more eggs in their (the mother's) pullet year were obtained.

The results showed that the selection for high egg production carried on for nine consecutive years did not lead to any increase in the average production of the flocks. There was no decrease in variability in egg production as a result of this selection; and there was no indication of a correlation between mother and daughter in respect to egg production, or that egg producing ability (fecundity) is sensibly inherited

In this experiment the daughters of "200-egg" hens did not exhibit, when kept under the same environmental conditions, such a high average egg production as did pullets of the same age which were the daughters of birds whose production was less than 200 eggs per year. The daughters of "200-egg" hens were not less variable in respect to egg production than were similar birds whose mothers were not so



GALL FLY ON MAPLE

Manitoba maples in my garden are infested with some trouble that I fear may do considerable damage. Many of the leaves are folded into a rather hard knot. On breaking this open I find small maggots. Some leaves are already dead. What is this pest. What remedy would you suggest?—READER.

Ans.—These leaves are infested with the larvæ of a gall fly or gall gnat. This insect is closely allied to the liessian fly, and belongs to the family Cecidomyidæ, order Diptera. I would suggest spraying with kerosene emul-

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