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SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON XIII.—SEPT. 29, 1912.
Review.—Read Matt. 11: 2-15.

of Christ's church and its development among the nations. It needs no support, but rather affords a shelter to all who seek it as a resort from the storms of life and the power of sin.

IN POULTRY WORLD

That the advantages of line breeding are enormous, and that in fact all substantial progress along fancy and utility lines is dependent on it, is well recognized by all successful breeders of live stock.

That the problem is much more simple. A tendency to weak constitutions is one of the most insidious of these. Many a fowl is individually the personification of rugged strength, whose parents on one side, or both, were physically weak.

FARM GARDEN

THE DIVERSIFICATION OF CROPS.

(Farmer's Advocate.)
In dealing with crops suitable for irrigation farms, the Yearbook of the United States Department of Agriculture for 1911 gives the following on diversification of crops, which is applicable on any soil where general farming is carried on.

These rifle, then turned the weapon on himself. The bodies of the man and wife are now at the city morgue, where they were carried at 5:30 by the police, following an enquiry by Dr. Anderson.

MARKET REPORTS

TORONTO MARKETS.
FARMERS' MARKET.
Dressed hog, live weight, \$12.00
Butter, dairy, \$1.50
Eggs, dozen, \$1.00
Chickens, 1 lb., \$0.17
Ducklings, 1 lb., \$0.17
Potatoes, bag of 50 lbs., \$1.00

How, however, line breeding, unless intelligently managed, will as surely result in disaster as the two and two are four. There are dangers all along the route, that must be watched for, and avoided, if there is any hope of gain.

As one proceeds with one's line breeding, the tendency of line to produce like is constantly strengthened, and the problem, therefore, gets simpler. But, at the beginning these tendencies are absolutely hidden from one, and the only way they can be determined is to try the mating and see what are the results.

When the bird we can make a pretty shrewd guess as to what these breeding tendencies will be. Sometimes we can count on them with reasonable certainty, to select an extreme, suppose in-breeding white Wyandottes we get a bird with a single comb. All rose comb varieties occasionally throw this variation.

As a short fowl under the usual practice of crossing and promiscuous breeding, an ancestor and his progeny may all have long backs.

Begin right. No amount of care can cure a bad start. You can't make a silk purse out of a sow's ear: one cannot breed strong stock from sickly ancestors, or sickly ancestors from vigorous ancestors, unless you abuse them.

Never fails to cure!
368 Broadway, Winnipeg, Man.,
Messrs. The Sano Manufacturing Co.,
Gentlemen,—For some years past I had suffered with my kidneys.

Thanking you for your patience and trouble with my kidneys, I will always stand for Sano's. I might tell you my husband is in his eightieth year.

POTATO CANKER
Government Adopts Plans to Check Its Spread.
Ottawa, Ont., Despatch.—An order in Council has been passed amending those sections of the Destructive Insect and Pest Act, which deals with the potato canker.

Potato canker is a virulent fungus disease which has done tremendous destruction in Europe during some years past. Until last year importation of potatoes from Great Britain and Ireland and other European points had not been heavy either to this country or the United States, but the failure of the crop last year and the high prices led to heavy importation.

It is surprising how few fowls are seen in a day's travel through the country. No wonder the demand for horses keeps up. There are thousands of acres not being bred which, if placed in service, would yield a large profit to their owners.

The breeding season is now practically over. What is to become of the stallion? He is to be placed in a stall, there to remain in darkness and seclusion until time to commence another year's service? Far better would it be to put him to work and make him earn his keep.

Commenting upon the farm labor problem, a Toronto daily recently put forth the opinion that there is a great future ahead for the scientist who will invent a harvest hand that is able to work twenty-four hours daily three months in the year and hibernate like the bear the remainder of the season.

HAMILTON MAN
Shoots Wife and Then Kills Himself.
(Hamilton, Ont., Despatch.)
A large section of East Hamilton was startled and completely upset by a tragedy late this afternoon, as terrifying as it was unexpected. William G. Wilk, organist in the Tharntown Royal Regiment and an employee of R. McKay & Co., shot and killed his wife with an old

CANADIANS WIN
Poultry Prizes Captured at New York Fair.
Canadian poultry breeders made a great sweep of the prizes at the New York State Fair last week in nearly all the popular breeds.

Practical Applications.
'Fell on good ground' (Mark 4: 8). Two important truths are declared by the parable of the sower. 1. A comparatively small portion of the gospel seed soon produces a harvest of Christian character. 2. We, as individuals, are responsible as to how we receive the truths of the gospel.

Practical Survey.
Promoting a kingdom.
I. By precept in parables.
II. By example in miracles.
I. By precept in parables. In lessons two, three, four and five we have studied various parables of our Lord. In these the all-embracing character of the kingdom, which Jesus came to set up among men, was exhibited in a variety of lights, thus impressing the truths he wanted to express.