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4-H CLUB WORK

The \$25.00 gold medal, made possible by the Peter Company, that was to be given to the 4-H Club member, in Lee County, that made the best record with their project during 1931, has been awarded to Louis H. Stork, of the New Prospect community.

The grading of these reports was done by the State Boys' Club agent, at College Station.

The basis upon which all 4-H projects were judged are: Profit 30 points; Production 30 points, History 20 points, Effect 20 points; making a total of 100 points for a perfect score.

Louis Stork started the first of January 1931 with 125 laying hens, hatched 188 baby chicks and after culling his flock, selling what young stock that he did not want to keep, had on hand December 1, 1931, 112 laying hens.

His egg production for the period was 1661 dozen from the old hens and 44 dozen from the pullets.

Total receipts from his flock during this time was \$421.79 while the total expenses, which included all feed used for the old flock, and raising the young chickens was \$238.48.

This leaves him a net profit for the ten months of \$183.31.

There were several other good records made in the 4-H Club work with chickens, turkeys, and feeding pigs, but the judges thought this one the best.

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