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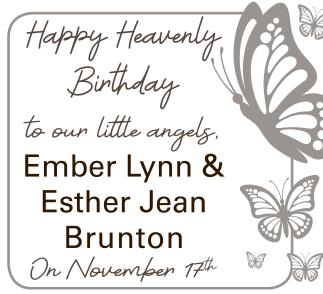


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Written by David R. Laatsch **University of Wisconsin-Madison | Division of Extension**

Now that you have decided to raise range fed broilers for your home use, a niche market or for county fair show, you will need to decide on the heritage breed or hybrid strain that you will raise.

Heritage breeds, particularly American, English and Asiatic breeds, could be a choice for your range fed broilers. However, you will experience the same results that producers saw prior to "The Chicken of Tomorrow" contest. These would include slow growth, low breast meat percentage and low feed efficiency.

Several breeds have natural advantages over others due to selection for meat characteristics when the breed was developed. Buckeyes with their rounded breasts and muscular thighs, due to Cornish and Plymouth Rock genetics, make a suitable choice. Some strains of New Hampshire Reds demonstrate specific meat characteristics such as early maturity, quick feathering, strength and vigor, for which they were developed.

If your "breed" decision is based on economic and carcass quality factors, several alternatives to the heritage breeds are available.

Several strains of white broiler hybrids can be raised on pasture with very acceptable results. Undoubtedly, they will produce very desirable carcasses. Actual tests and anecdotal evidence show that the white broiler hybrid will produce the highest economic return. And depending on the amount of supplemental grain-base feeds that are provided the birds, their rate of gain may be far superior to alternatives.

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