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Mr. Geo. McCullough
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Dear Mr. McCullough:

I appreciate your courtesy in sending me, for comment, the revised manual, "Upland Game Propagation."

I note with satisfaction the revised emphasis on predator problems, but much to my regret I can never go along on a proposal such as "Shoot out all the quail on the range... and restock...in spring" (introduction), nor with bill-clipping of chicks for wild release (p. 50). These reflect differences in viewpoint which are fundamental. To me they are remedies worse than the disease.

Please accept my assurance that this comment is not unfriendly, and that I offer it because you have asked my opinion.

Yours sincerely,

Aldo Leopold
Professor of Game Management

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