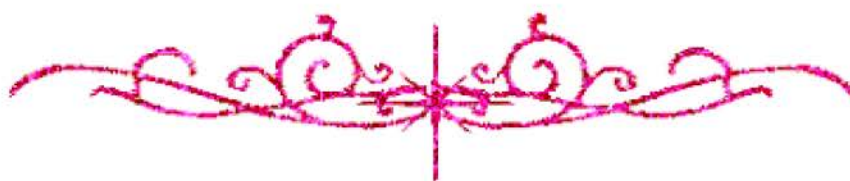


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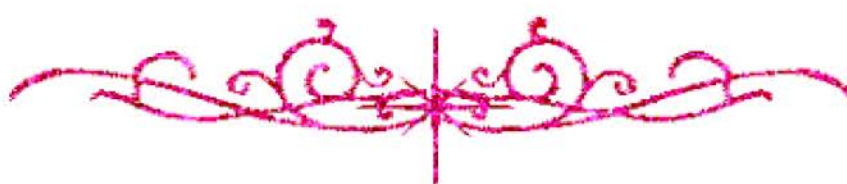
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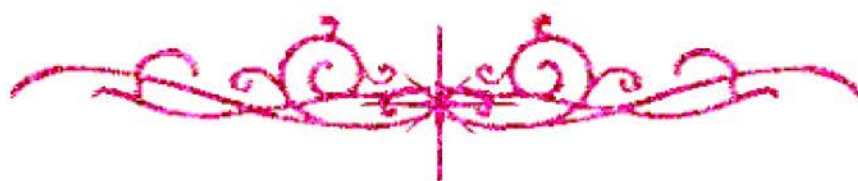
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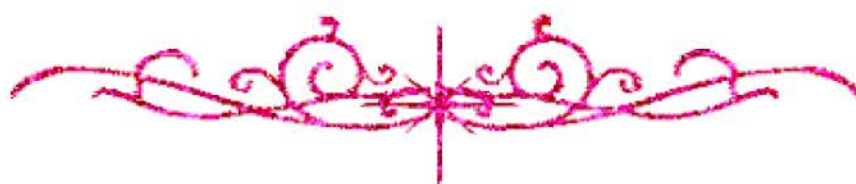
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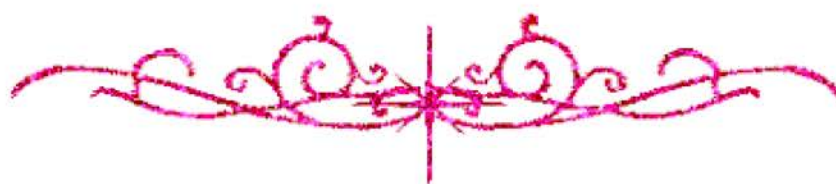
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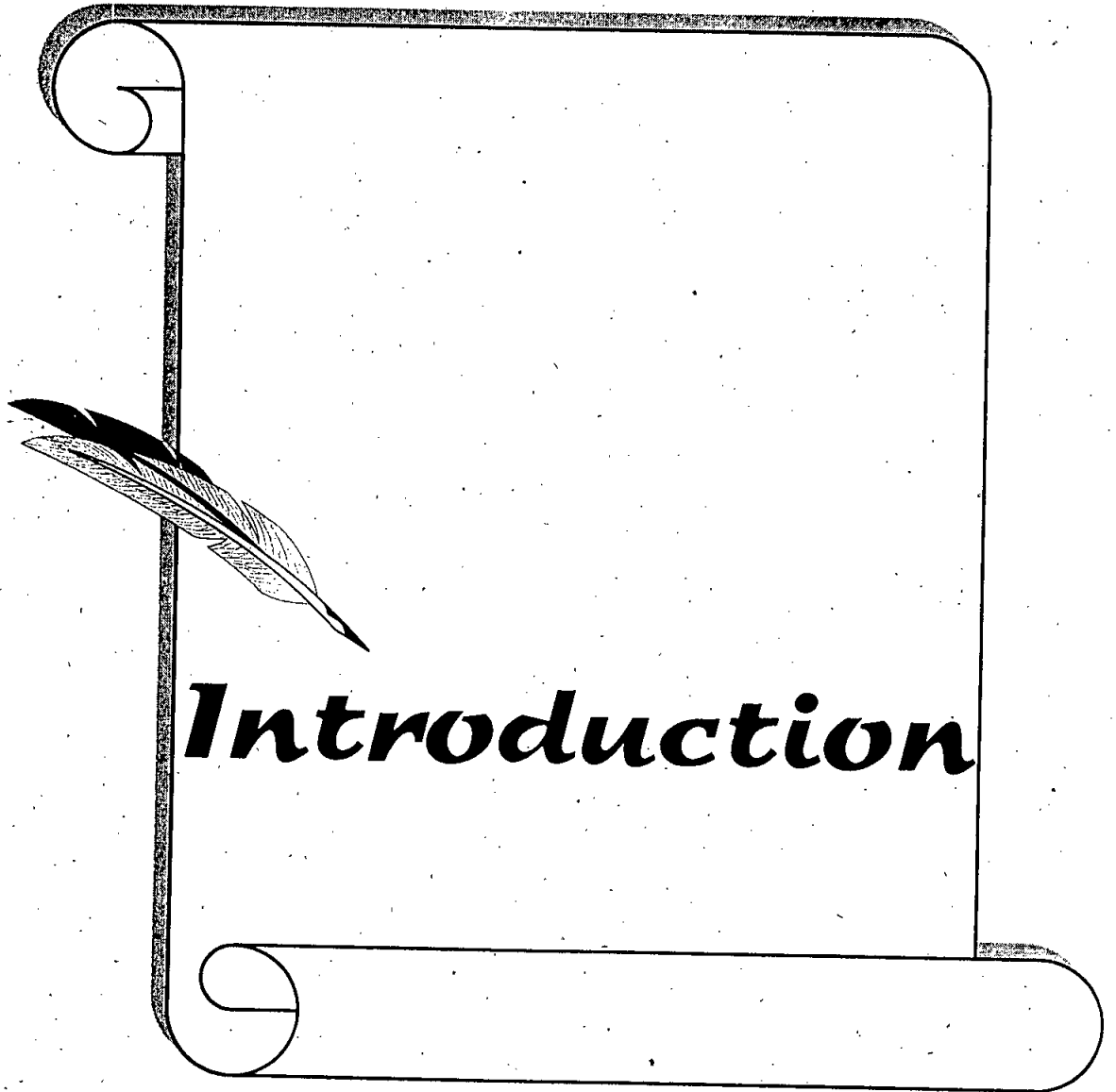
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# ***Introduction***



### Introduction

In the last few decades , many countries suffered from shortage in food supply especially that of animal source . So the Food , Agriculture Organization ( FAO ) in 1980 recognized the real potential of the rabbit as source of animal protein and it held its first rural poultry and rabbit production consultation in Rome in ( 1981 ) , and stated that almost one third of the total meat production in the year 2000 must come from poultry , pig and that the rabbit ( *Oryctolagus cuniculus* ) is going to be utilized better than pig and poultry , so governments should give great care to poultry production including rabbits . According to the FAO statistical data base results in 2004 , the rabbits stocks in Egypt were 9,250,000 and rabbits meat production were ( metric ton ) 69,840 in Egypt .

This governmental care to rabbit production due to its white meat which is low in fat , high in its nutritional value and easily digestible which made it recommended for sick and convalescent people ( **William et al . 1964** ) . Rabbits give large number of litters with average 8-10 every 2 month ( **Steven 1974 and La page 1956** ) .

Rabbits attain alive weight of 1.8 K gm by 8<sup>th</sup> week which is the time of slaughter ( **Saad 1970** ) in addition , rabbits have a high economic value for medical and biological industries ( **Morgan and Hawkins , 1949 , Steven 1974 and Cooper , 1976** ) which give great attention for raising clean colonies as laboratory animals because of its high fertility , short generation span , small size and low cost of maintenance therefore

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