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STRANGE FOSTER MOTHER - Hen, bereft of  
her chicks, adopts whole family of canine  
orphans.

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Picture.:- Mothers' geese are always swans, they say,--

--but this mother's chicks are puppies ! They have  
taken her natural brood away from her,--

---so she has adopted these motherless--

--waifs. It's really very touching. They--

--all occupy the same apartment, and the hen  
allows her foster children to crawl over her  
and put their feet--

--on her face just like--

--a real mother, but she can't understand why they turn  
up their--

--noses at the worms she finds for them !