

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

ONIONS ON SOD.

1. How would onions do on sod which has been down two years?
2. How would I work it, spring-tooth it till it is all torn to pieces, and then plow it down, or plow it down deep and then cultivate it?
W. V. N.
Ans.—1 and 2. Experts recommend that onions should follow some crop that has been kept under the hoe and free from weeds the previous season.

WILD OATS.

Will you please inform me and others in your next issue in regard to wild oats, of which you warned us? Are they a noxious weed, which will be difficult to eradicate, or only of one year's growth, perishing if cut before ripening?
J. A. G.
Ans.—Wild oats are noxious weeds. Though only an annual, yet in sections where spring cereal crops are largely grown they become a serious pest.

LAME MARE.

I have a driving mare that went lame in one of her fore legs last summer. There is nothing that one can see the matter with either foot or leg. I gave her a month's rest last summer, but it did not do much good. She is lame by spells. Would you advise rest, she being in foal and used to daily exercise all winter?
C. H. L.
Ans.—Your mare probably has navicular disease. This is curable in the early stages, but may develop into incurable lameness.

CLUB BUYING A BULL.

1. Would you advise a club of farmers to buy a bull for service who has only one testicle down, the animal being well bred and very good in every way except that? If not, for what reasons?
2. How many cows should a bull 20 months old serve?
3. Is one service sufficient?
4. How much oats should a bull on grass in summer be fed, and how much in winter, fed on hay, straw and turnips?
S. W. W.
Ans.—1. While bulls with the defect mentioned, as a rule, prove fairly sure breeders, our observation has been that some, though not a large percentage, of their sons are born with the same defect.

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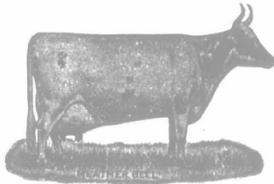
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