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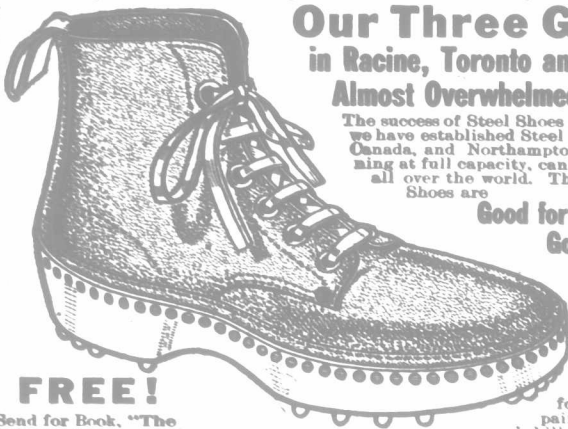
We ask no favors for Steel Shoes. Compare them with the best all-leather work shoes you can find. Give them the most rigid inspection inside and out. Let them tell their own story. It's no sale unless, of your own accord, you decide that you must have them.

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Steel Shoes, 12 inches high, \$5.00 per pair.
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Steel Shoes, 16 inches high, \$6.00 per pair.
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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

PATRONIZING CHEESE FACTORY.

When a man starts his milk to a cheese factory in the spring, is he bound for the season, or could he take it out and send to another factory without cheese-maker's consent? Could he separate the milk and send cream to creamery?

J. E. P.

Ontario.

Ans.—Unless you have contracted to supply milk throughout the season to the one factory, the fact of your having started to patronize it will not legally bind you to continue. You may find it difficult, however, to get the other factoryman, or the creameryman, to accept your milk or cream, since, in some cases, factorymen have an agreement not to accept milk from patrons who have left a factory in a neighboring district, except for good reason. This is necessary to prevent patrons who have sent milk over-ripe or otherwise unfit, and had it rejected, from causing trouble for their makers or factorymen. Save for the above possible provisos, there is nothing to prevent you patronizing any factory or creamery you will, or not sending it at all.

TWO MUSTARDS FROM EUROPE

I am sending you, under separate cover, two weeds which came up quite plentifully in a field that I seeded this spring to alfalfa. Kindly name them, and tell whether or not they are hard to get rid of.

W. H. D.

Ans.—No. 1 is a Russian mustard, known to botanists as *Eruca sativa*, first reported in Canada from specimens sent from Union, Elgin County, to this office, in 1908. It, too, was introduced as an impurity in alfalfa seed. It may be recognized by its pinnately divided leaves and dark-veined, pale-yellow flowers; otherwise it looks like a vigorous, branching, wild mustard.

No. 2 is also a mustard, and another less recent introduction from Europe, where it is known as Indian mustard. Its scientific name is *Brassica juncea*. It is a smoothish, tall plant, with bright-yellow flowers. The lower leaves are dentate and long-petioled, the upper ones decrease in size, and are long, narrow, and lacking petioles.

To control these weeds requires the same treatment as the common mustard. It will well repay a farmer, on the first infestation of his fields with any of these mustards, to pull up by the root every plant of them that he can find. J. D.

ERADICATING BUTTERCUP—STRAWBERRY RUNNERS, ETC.

1. Will cutting buttercup in blossom, two years in succession in pasture land, kill it, and, if not, what is the best method to kill it, as it grows very thick and spoils the pasture?

2. Should the runners between the strawberry plants be cut in the matted-row system?

3. Is there a strain of Holstein cattle without horns?

4. Is there a strain of Holstein cattle called the Belted Holstein?

5. How old must a chicken be before it will lay eggs?

G. E. J.

Ans.—1. Not having tried this, we cannot say, but would scarcely expect the plan to prove effectual. Repeated spudding should exhaust it, but the best way to get rid of buttercup is to break up the pasture, cultivate a hoe crop, and reseed with grain. If the land is too rough to plow, or for any other reason cultivation is impracticable, and the buttercups are too thick to spud or dig up, your plan might work.

2. A row about two feet wide should be secured by autumn, but the plants should not be too dense, else the size of the fruit is liable to suffer. After a row of the required width has been formed, later plants should, if possible, be cut out by hand and with the cultivator, so that the rows may not become too crowded or too wide.

3. No.

4. No, but there is a separate breed called Dutch Belted.

5. It depends upon the development of the bird and other influences.

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The horrified professor got to the parlor in safety. He sat down in the most distant corner. But soon his young hostess, leading a maid who carried her two beautiful babies, came to him for his appreciation.

The professor sat up very alert. He gazed at the twins classically. Then he articulated carefully, in a hoarse, thick voice:

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