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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

ADDRESS OF SECRETARY.

Will you please give the address of the Secretary of the American Shorthorn-breeders' Association in next issue of your paper?

E. D.

Ans.—John W. Groves, 17 Exchange Ave., Chicago, Ill.

A BOY'S WAGES.

How much of my wages should I be allowed to have? What is the law in this part? I am eighteen years old, and am earning \$200 per year on a farm. I have been hired out since I was thirteen years old, and this year my father wants to only give me \$25 per year, and I find my own clothes. What age does a boy have to be before he can claim his own wages?

ONT.

Ans.—Assuming that you do not reside with your parents, you are entitled, being over sixteen years of age, to collect and retain all your wages.

MOVING LINE FENCE.

My neighbor's line fence is considerably on my land, has been so for probably fifteen years. What steps should I take to have it put right, as I don't expect he will remove it unless obliged to? Will its having been there so long give him a title to the land? He has always maintained the fence, as the land on my side lay in commons until it came into my possession, five years ago.

Ont.

Ans.—You should make the best arrangement you can with your neighbor and avoid having any litigation over the matter. In the event of its being taken into court, he would have a very considerable advantage over you.

IMPROVEMENT OF CLYDES.

D. M., Wellington Co., Ont., writes:
In your issue of the 8th instant, I find an answer to my question re improvement of Clydes. It is not quite what I expected it to be. You will, therefore, confer a favor if you would be a little more explicit, and state positively whether alien blood was used in any degree or not, to attain said improvement, and if such was used, please name the strain.

Ans.—We confess to blissful ignorance on the point raised by our correspondent. We have a suspicion that he has a theory up his sleeve, which, if it can be supported by fairly reliable evidence, might be of interest to horse-breeders, in which case it would seem questionable whether he is justified in hiding the light under his initials or other bushel.

RIGHT TO STORM DOORS.

A buys a farm from B in fore part of winter to take possession the first of April, there being screen doors and storm doors belonging to the house. Screen doors were on house when bought by A; the storm doors not being on, but had been on the previous winter. When B moved, he took the storm doors with him. Can I compel him to bring them back, or pay me for them, they not being mentioned when A bought place?

Ont.

Ans.—No.

RAILWAY SURVEYS

The Railway surveyors are now surveying a line through this township.

1. Can they enter a man's field, just coming in head, and tramp through it four or five days, and chop down shade trees where they like?

2. How will we proceed to get recompense?

W. S.
Burham, Ont.

Ans.—1. They may enter to make surveys and examinations, and even fell trees, but they must do no unnecessary damage, and the railway company must make compensation for all injury done.

2. The Railway Act of Ontario (R. S. O., Chap. 207) provides for such compensation, and also makes provision for ascertaining and determining the amount of same; but if it should be necessary to take steps for its recovery, a solicitor should be employed to attend to the matter.

RE GUELPH HORSE SHOW.

Second prize for single draft, credited to J. A. Watson, Eden Mills, should have been credited to Andrew Richardson, Peepabun, Ontario.—Alex. Stewart, Secretary.

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R. R. Stns.—Mildmay, G. T. R.; Teeswater, C. P. R.

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HENRY ARKELL & SON,
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