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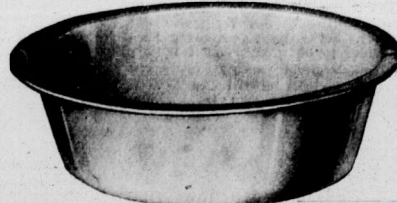
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In this department of The Guide questions dealing with legal matters, farm problems, livestock, or anything relating to practical farmwork will be answered. It may not be possible to answer all of them for lack of space, but those of most general interest will be answered in the order in which they come. Those wishing replies to legal or other questions by mail must enclose \$1 in payment. Veterinary questions cannot be answered as we have not the space available.

The Guide is anxious that its readers should make use of this department. There are no doubt many questions which occur during the course of the year's work which are somewhat puzzling. Often-times a new way of working a field may suggest itself and you may wonder whether it will be worth while trying it out. Perhaps you notice something in the paper about a variety of grain or grass which has given splendid results in some other locality and you wonder whether the same kind would do well in your district. Sometimes a dispute arises over some point of law which you cannot clear up without getting expert advice from a lawyer. Difficulties may arise in the dairy, cream may take on a bad taint or sour, the butter may not come in the proper thirty minutes or the separator may not be doing good work. Then again, in the field you may notice some new plant and would like to know whether it is a bad weed and if so what steps to take to control it. And so on. There are an almost unlimited number of questions which confront the wide-awake farmer at every turn. The Guide wants to be of as much assistance to its readers as possible, and in order to be so it wishes every one to feel at liberty to make as much use of this department as they desire. Answers will be given either by experts on our staff or by recognized authorities on the separate subjects thruout the West. This is a splendid opportunity for Guide readers and the long winter evenings should afford an excellent time for farmers to take advantage of this department. Of course we cannot in fairness to readers answer questions other than those received from paid up subscribers. All letters must have the name and address of the enquirer upon them and will be answered and published as nearly as possible in the rotation received. Veterinary queries cannot be answered, as the space is not available for their publication. All others will be answered free of charge. Isn't there something you would like to know?

WATERPROOFING CLOTH

Q.—Can you give me a method for waterproofing cloth that will give good satisfaction?
—H.C.S.

Sask.

A.—See that the cloth is free from all grease and that the sizing or filling matter is soaked out of it before soaking it in the waterproofing. Cotton goods or canvas will shrink about ten per cent. when it is wet for the first time, so it is necessary to have the cloth larger than is wanted. If a cloth or canvas twenty feet square that had never been wet were put thru the waterproofing process it would, perhaps, measure no more than eighteen feet square afterward, so allowances should be made on about that basis. The shrinkage may even exceed this per cent.

Take two or three pailfuls of tepid rainwater, add three or four pounds of sugar of lead and about three and a half pounds of alum. The canvas or cloth should be soaked in this over night and taken out in the morning, when it should be hung up to drain and dry. This will make it both fire and waterproof. The cost of the mixture is only about seventy-five cents. The canvas should be thoroughly dried before it is folded or packed, and if it is thus dried it will be mildew-proof. This is the British government's method of waterproofing cloth that has been found effective. The waterproofing has to be renewed at intervals of a few months at most, for rain will gradually dissolve and wash away, altho slowly, the ingredients of the mixture.

Another waterproofing recipe which has often proved effective, tho not so lasting, is to soak the canvas in thick soapsuds, dry it, and then soak it in alum-water. The proportions are not of great importance.