

Dr. O. Gordon Hewitt, Dominion Entomologist, says, referring to the infantile death rate from intestinal diseases and diarrhœa spread by the house fly, he believes that the so-called harmless fly is yearly causing the death of thousands of infants, as well as spreading the germs of typhoid fever.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

THE PRICE OF HORSES.

Do you think the prices of horses will decrease in the next two years?

A SUBSCRIBER. Ans.—The right kind of horses will always find a market. Forecasting markets is like foretelling weather condi-tions, risky business. Present indications point to a continued keen demand for good horses, especially drafters.

KEEPING CROWS OFF CORN-PRESERVING FRUIT.

1. What preparation could I put on seed corn to keep wireworms and blackbirds away?

2. What kind of acids do they put apples and fruit into to make them keep good in museums, etc.?

Ans.-1. Coal tar stirred into the corn while it is warm, the corn being afterwards mixed with ashes to prevent its sticking in the planter, is the best means of preventing blackbirds pulling the corn. We can recommend nothing against wire worms, unless it would be liberal manur-

2. Apples in museums are usually done in wax. Those in jars are usually kept in a solution of formaldehyde.

CHICKS BLIND

I have some little chicks hatched which eemed smart and all right when hatched, but before they were two days old some of them went blind, or they seem to be; their eyes are shut tight. I have fed them nothing but good wheat, bread, and milk. What ails them? They will eat well, and seem smart every other way. Their eyes seem to get smaller, and the little feathers come off and leave a bare spot around the eye.

SUBSCRIBER. Ans.—The best thing to do in a case of this kind is to rub the eyes of the chicks with a little glycerine. I once had a large number of young chicks with their eyes closed for some days from the dusting of the mother hens too freely with sulphur. However, no harm resulted. Two or three days old chicks are too young to be fed whole wheat. Our chicks get no whole wheat until they are over ten days of age. On page 287 of report for 1911, which is sent to your correspondent, will be found the proper food and treatment of young chicks from the thirty-sixth hour. This method has been found very successful.

A. G. G. TWITCH GRASS.

1. I have a 34-acre field of quack grass, or couch grass. It has been mowed for nay for four years. I intend cutting it as hay about the last of June, and then summer-fallowing it. I want to prepare it for wheat next spring. I thought by plowing four inches, and harrowing to keep the growth from coming up, and horse-raking the roots in windrows and drawing them off or burning them and lowing about five inches fall, it would be in very good condition for a crop of wheat next year. I would like if you, or some of the readers of 'The Farmer's Advocate,' could give me some better way of preparing it for

2. I read something about where to get good instructions on handling weeds in a paper some time ago. think it was at Washington, in a farmers' bulletin, No. 464, Department of R. T.

Ans.-1. The method you propose is along the orthodox line of treatment for quack grass, but we doubt very much your ability to clean the field in time to sow all wheat, and even with spring grain here might be trouble. By following with corn or buckwheat in 1913, a finish could be put on the twitch. We might idd that we are not by any means sure that the horse-raking is necessary. Much can be done by plowing right after hay ing, then rolling and harrowing immedi ately, and double-disking once a week This rots the sod quickly, leaving the decayed roots in the ground to enrich the soil. Of course, one must not let the twitch get ahead of him or the disk will not do a satisfactory job.

2. The best bulletin on weeds is "Farm Weeds of Canada," published by the Deminion Department of Agriculture, Ot tawa, from whom it may be obtained for

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