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One of the most troublesome weeds in Manitoba is Sweet Grass. It is frequently and incorrectly spoken of as Quack or Couch grass, quite a different plant which roots near the surface of the soil and which can be destroyed by ploughing shallow and then cultivating frequently. The Sweet Grass on the other hand roots deeply and shallow ploughing merely encourages it to grow. The treatment which seems to have given the best results in Manitoba, is to plough in spring when the grass is in flower and then seed down heavily at once.