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Questions and Answers.

Miscellaneous.

Master and Man.

A hires with B for a term of 5 years, two of which A has served: B agrees to pay A the sum of \$800—\$160 a year. Now B has grown tired of his bargain, and wants A to take \$100 a year instead of \$160. B claims he can put A in jail if he will not accept the new term, namely, \$100 a year. B claims A is a good man.

1. Has B any right to break the agreement to suit himself?
2. Is it legal for a man to leave a farmer if he uses a hired man the way B seems to be using A?
3. What would you advise A to do in the matter?
4. What is a lawyer entitled to charge A for advice?
5. Could B be made to pay A's lawyer for his advice?

Ontario. C. A.H.

- Ans.—1. No.  
2. No.  
3. Simply insist that B carry out his agreement.  
4. Two dollars is commonly charged in such cases.  
5. No.

Wife Dying Intestate.

My daughter died leaving no will. She had some money in the bank and some invested.

1. Can her husband claim all her money, though he had her to sign a blank check a few months before she passed away?
2. He also has part of her personal belongings. Can he claim what I have in my possession, such as wedding presents and linen she bought with her own money at time of marriage, which was over a year ago? She was earning her own living and continued to do so within a few days of her death.
3. I also have some silverware that I gave her as a Christmas gift. Can he take it?

Ans.—1. No.  
2 and 3. The husband is entitled to letters of administration from the Surrogate Court upon filing a petition for same, accompanied by the usual proofs of death, intestacy etc., inventory of estate and bond with securities, for his due administration of his wife's estate. All the money and things you mention belong to her estate, and the husband would be entitled to one-half only of what remains after payment of his wife's debts and testamentary expenses. The other half would go to her father, mother, brothers and sisters in equal shares. We are assuming, of course, that she left no child.

A. P.

Tanning Furs.

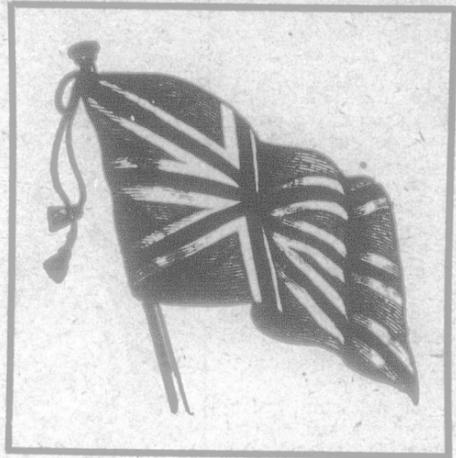
Give a simple and effective method of tanning raw furs. Also a method for the soft tannery of hides.

N. R. G.

Ans.—While there are formulas for tanning hides, it entails considerable work, and without the proper appliances it is difficult to make a satisfactory job. It is advisable to have the work done at a tannery where the proper machinery and equipment is available. However, the following are three recipes:  
1. Stretch the skin smoothly and tightly upon a board, hair side down, and tack it by the edges to its place. Scrape off the loose flesh and fat with a blunt knife, and work in chalk freely, with plenty of hard rubbing. When the chalk begins to powder and fall off, remove the skin from the board, rub in plenty of powdered alum, wrap up closely, and keep it in a dry place for a few days. By this means, it will be made pliable, and will retain the hair.  
2. Soft water, 10 gallons; wheat bran, ½ bushel; salt, 7 pounds; sulphuric acid, 2½ pounds. Dissolve together, and place the skins in the solution, and allow them to remain 12 hours, then remove and clean them well, and again immerse 12 hours longer, if necessary. The skins may then be taken out, well washed and dried. They can be beaten soft, if desired.  
3. Saltpetre 2 parts, alum 1 part; mix. Sprinkle, uniformly, on the flesh side, roll up, and lay in a cool place. Spread it out to dry; scrape off the fat, and rub till pliable.

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