### THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE.

Questions and Answers. Miscellaneous.

#### Swine Breeders' Secretary.

Please tell me, through the columns of your valuable paper, the name and address of the Secretary of the Swine Breeders' Association.

FARMER'S SON. A. P. Westervelt, 502 Temple Building, Toronto, is Secretary of the Dominion Swine Breeders' Association.

#### **Contagious Abortion.**

If you know anything about contagious abortion that may not be in "The Farmer's Veterinarian," I wish you would publish it in an early issue of "The Farmer's Advocate." F. R. T.

Ans.—Contagious abortion will only exist in a herd for about two years. Look up the number of "The Farmer's Advocate" for September 25th, 1913. On page 1673 you will find a description of Methylene Blue and its use in treating contagious abortion. It is the latest treatment known.

#### Law Concerning Weeds.

My next neighbor's farm is completely overrun with mustard. He does not do anything to prevent its growth. Every time there comes a rain it washes out the furrows on his farm and runs down onto my farm. Also, when the mustard is seeding, it blows over my fence, and in that way quite a lot springs up in my fields, which I often spend two or three days in pulling.

1. Is there any way in which I can compel him to cut this mustard before it seeds?

2. Who would I have to consult, as there is no weed inspector in these parts? Quebec, H. J.

Ans.-1. We think so. 2. See a solicitor about it.

Worms in Pigs.

I have a bunch of pigs which weigb about 100 pounds each. Have noticed them lately passing white worms from six to ten inches long. Also killed one of another litter which weighed 220 pounds, and its bowels were full of them. They have all been fed shorts and ground barley thrown in the trough dry, and enough drink thrown on top to just wet it. What will I do to get rid of them? O. C.

Ans.—After starving for twelve hours, feed one part oil of turpentine to sweet milk sixteen parts. For pigs of 100 pounds each, give about four or five ounces, with sixteen times as much milk. They will take it as food. Repeat the dose in three days.



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#### A CANNY DOG SALE.

While travelling in Scotland, an American saw a very fine shepherd dog, and tried to induce his owner to sell him. "Wad ye be takin' him to America?" inquired the Scot.

"Yes, indeed," replied the American. "I thought as muckle," said the old man. "I couldna pairt wi' Nero."

While they were talking, an English tourist came along, and the owner sold the dog to him for less than the American had offered.

"You told me you wouldn't sell that dog." said the latter, after the purchaser had departed with the collie.

"Na, na," said the Seot, "I said I couldna pairt wi' him. Nero'll be back in a day or two, but he couldna swim the Atlantic."—Windsor Magazine.

#### SIR ROBERT BALL'S STORY.

Sir Robert Ball, late Astronomer Royal of England, seldom failed to brighten his addresses with a joke. When lecturing at Cambridge on Hall(y's comet, he told his audience that he was once engaged to lecture in a remote part of Ireland. On his arrival at the station he looked in vain for the expected conveyance Finally, when all the other passengers had dispersed, a typical Irish servant came up to him with, "Maybe you're Sir Robert Ball ?" On receiving an affirmative reply, the man broke out apologetically, "Oh, sure, your honor, I am sorry to have kept you waiting, but I was told to look out for an intellectual-looking gentleman !"

