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F. A. D. BACH, Manager

The 1900 Washer Co., 357 Yonge Street
TORONTO, CANADA

The above offer is not good in Toronto or Montreal and suburbs. Special arrangements for these districts.

Both boys had been rude to their mother. She put them to bed earlier than usual, and then complained to their father about them. So he started up the stairway, and they heard him coming.

"Here comes papa," said Maurice; "I am going to make believe I am asleep."

"I'm not," said Harry; "I'm going to get up and put something on."

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tion he was ordered to keep, struggling to overpower the bitter feelings that were rising from his heart, determined, even though alone, to act the man of his ideal. Stood there waiting, while louder and louder rose the music, clearer and clearer grew the footbeats; stood and waited, as in sight, over the bridge, up the rill towards the town, Tommy, the herdboys, drove his belled and horned charge. Then as the sounds died away, he flung himself on the ground beside the gun, and wept bitterly over the fall of those long regarded as heroes.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

1st.—Questions asked by bona-fide subscribers to "The Farmer's Advocate" are answered in this department free.

2nd.—Questions should be clearly stated and plainly written, on one side of the paper only, and must be accompanied by the full name and address of the writer.

3rd.—In Veterinary questions the symptoms especially must be fully and clearly stated, otherwise satisfactory replies cannot be given.

4th.—When a reply by mail is required to urgent veterinary or legal enquiries, \$1.00 must be enclosed.

Miscellaneous.

TREATING POTATOES FOR SCAB.

Kindly give directions for treating potatoes affected with scab with formaldehyde.

R. J.

Ans.—See spray calendar, issue April 7.

STEEL SILO INSIDE PAINT.

Do you know of any kind of paint having been successfully used on the inside of steel silos to keep the silage from rusting them?

D. T. B.

Ans.—The company that manufactures steel silos have supplied paint for the inside of silos that seemed to satisfy the most of their customers last year. But they themselves, not being altogether satisfied with it, have been making many experiments and tests, and believe that they have lately succeeded in discovering a paint that will prove entirely satisfactory.

STAVE SILO.

I intend building a stave silo this summer on a concrete floor, and would like to know: (1) How to fasten the silo to the floor? (2) Which make the best staves, pine or hemlock?

E. B.

Ans.—1. It need not be fastened to the floor at all. Simply see that the staves stand plumb on a level rim of the cement foundation. The silo may be guyed, if necessary, to prevent it from blowing over when empty.

2. Pine would make the better staves, but hemlock will answer, and is cheaper. It is liable to be shaky, though, and rots more easily.

SALE OF DIRTY GRAIN TO NEIGHBOR.

If I sell seed grain to my neighbor, and I do not guarantee it to be free from all kinds of dirt, and after he has sown it and finds that it had more dirt than he thought for, can he or the law take any action against me?

J. H. S.

Ans.—Section 5 of the Seed Control Act reads as follows:

"The provisions contained in the next following section (Section 6), shall not apply to the sale of seed that is grown, sold and delivered by any farmer on his own premises, for seeding by the purchaser himself, unless the purchaser of said seed obtains from the seller at the time of the sale thereof, a certificate that the said seed is supplied to him subject to the provisions of this Act."

Section 6 of the Act, provides in substance that seed grain containing seed of mustard, wild oats, sow thistle, cockle, and certain other weeds, when exposed for sale, must be plainly labelled, so that the purchaser may clearly understand that the seed that he may be about to buy contains some of these noxious weed seeds.

Section 5 of the Act, exempts the farmer, when selling seeds under conditions as named therein, from having to attach the label to the seed which he may be selling to his neighbor. It is assumed that most farmers are able to recognize noxious weeds, although they may not know the correct name of them, and have or are able to get information

as to noxious weeds and the cleanness of any farm before going to that farm to purchase their supplies of seed.

COMPARATIVE VALUE OF YELLOW AND GRANULATED SUGAR.

What is the comparative value, according to analysis, of yellow and granulated sugar?

M. R.

Ans.—The yellow sugar contains more moisture than the granulated, and, consequently, less sugar. Two samples of yellow sugar analyzed in our laboratory this past winter, we found to contain 83 and 88 per cent. of sugar. The Department of Customs, Ottawa, inform me that the lowest result obtained from last year's test of over a thousand samples of all grades of sugar was 78 per cent. cane sugar. The Department also reports that an analysis of 36 samples of sugar drawn from a recent importation of West Indian Muscovado sugars, gave an average of 83.8 per cent. of sugar, the highest result being 94 per cent. and the lowest 86.4 per cent. I think these results may be taken as typical of this class of sugar. The granulated article contains about 99.5 per cent. of sugar, and many samples are as much as 99.8 per cent. pure. I think we may consider cane sugar as one of the purest articles of food that we have on the market.

R. HARCOURT.

Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph.

GOSSIP.

H. D. Smith, Hamilton, Ont., advertises for sale two right good, well-bred young Hereford bulls.

Wm. Muhlhause, Walkerton, Ont., writes "The Farmer's Advocate": "I have recently sold to D. C. Platt & Son, of Millgrove, Ont., a Holstein heifer that has been in milk over three months, and is still giving seventy-five pounds a day. We have had her tested for butter-fat, which went 4 per cent."

The American Shropshire Registry Association has published for distribution, a liberal 1910 list of special prizes, donated by the Association, for Shropshires, at the principal State and Provincial fairs, and at the International Exposition, Chicago, \$100 being assigned to the Toronto Industrial, and \$18 to the Ontario Provincial Winter Fair.

Captain T. E. Robson, of London, Ont., who has recently returned from a two months' visit with stock-breeders in England and Scotland, reports an exceedingly active demand for Shorthorn cattle, and particularly for high-class young bulls. These are unusually difficult to secure, owing to the strong competition of buyers for the Argentine and New Zealand, who are prepared to pay abnormal prices for such as suit their purpose. United States and Canadian breeders in considerable numbers have also been carefully searching the field for suitable bulls, and leading breeders in the Old Country are wondering where the coming sires are to be secured. However, Shorthorns are perennial, and keep on coming.

THE GREGG STEER.

The picture of the white steer appearing elsewhere in this issue, is that of the twelve-months-old white steer bred, fed and sold by Thos. Gregg, of Claremont, Ont., to the Harris Abattoir Co., of Toronto, for 10½ cents per pound, not 9 cents, as reported in some other papers. At twelve months of age, after being shipped to Toronto, he weighed 1,120 pounds, and dressed out 65 per cent. He was sired by Hamlet 62314, a son of Imp. Choice Korad, and his dam was a Shorthorn grade. This steer is particularly interesting as showing what can be accomplished by intelligent breeding and feeding in the production of baby beef, which at all times commands the highest market price. There is no secret in the way this steer was fed; he simply got all he would eat; hay, roots, and a mixture of oats, barley and flax meal, with a nurse cow up to the time he was sold.

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Clean the coated tongue, sweeten the breath, clear away all waste and poisonous material from the system in Nature's easy manner, and prevent as well as cure Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, Heartburn, Catarrh of the Stomach, Sour Stomach, Water Brash, and all troubles arising from a disordered state of the Stomach, Liver or Bowels.

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J. F. Selman, Wilkesport, Ont.



"Mrs. A.—'Why did you discharge Bridget? Didn't she cook well?'
Mrs. B.—'Oh, yes, splendidly; but I really couldn't keep up with her in dressing, you know.'"

"After all, a man who marries takes a big chance."
"You're right. I have a friend who contracted a severe case of hay fever immediately after he had married a grass widow."

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