

## QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

### Cement Fence Posts

In this department last issue we published an enquiry about cement fence posts. Since then we have received the following letter from Mr. C. H. Hutchings, Ottawa:

We are manufacturing a fence post machine for concrete posts; the farm post is 6 in.x6 in.x6 in., at base and tapering to 5 in.x5 in.x5 in. at top and eight feet long. The machine costs \$200 f.o.b. Ottawa. The farm post is triangular for wire fence and effects a saving of one-quarter the material. This post is reinforced with steel at the three corners making it impossible to break it. The same machine also makes a square post reinforced at the four corners. This is used for city or town fences or a line fence. It also has an attachment to make posts for picket or board fences.

"The cost of farm fence posts is about 11 cents if sand and gravel are handy and cheap and cement reasonable in price, say about \$2.50 per bbl. The square post will cost from 15c. to 16c., and posts for picket or board fence 30c. each, owing to two castings going in each post to carry top and bottom rail. These posts are everlasting and will not rot or heave with frost, and if by any means they become cracked, cannot break owing to the reinforcement with steel."

## ABOUT RURAL LAW

In this column will be answered for any paid-up subscriber, free of charge, questions of law. Make your questions brief and to the point. This column is in charge of a competent lawyer, who will, from time to time, publish herein notes on current legal matters of interest to farmers. Address your communications to "Legal Column," The Farming World, Toronto.

## The Line Fence

I have a neighbor who has poor fences and will not fix them up. Kindly let me know what course to pursue to compel him to fix up his fences.

A. S.

Ans.—I presume the fences referred to are the line fences between your lands and those of your neighbor, as you would have no right to complain in regard to your neighbor's cross fences. The Line Fences Act (Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897, chapter 284), provides amongst other things that owners of occupied adjoining land shall make, keep up and repair a just proportion of the fence which marks the boundary between them, or if there is no fence they shall so make, keep up and repair the same proportion which is to mark such boundary.

The Act also provides that in case of dispute between such owners, either owner may notify the other that he will, not less than one week from the service of such notice, cause three fence viewers of the locality to arbitrate in the premises. The owner so notifying shall also notify the fence viewers not less than one week before their services are required. The notice in both cases must be in writing, signed by the person notifying, and shall specify the time and place of meeting for the arbitration. This

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### Hammond's Slug Shot for Potato Bugs, Currant and Cabbage Worms



TO THE EDITOR OF AMERICAN GARDENING.

In your issue of June 18, on page 390, I notice a good article on the Colorado Beetle or Potato Bug. For the benefit of your numerous readers I would add some hints to try Hammond's Slug Shot. I have used it, with the best season with excellent results, on Potatoes, Egg Plants, Cucumbers and Squash, - for Potato Bugs, and also for Striped Beetles, and it is the best remedy I know of, simple and effective. I purchased two of the Dusters which he advertised in your paper, and they are very useful articles. The best time to dust the plants is early in the morning, as the substance adheres much better when the plants are dry than when they are wet. I have used the article the bugs or the larvae. Once they get a taste of

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