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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.

Veterinary.

INJURY TO HIP.

In jumping a fence, a yearling colt bruised the point of hip. The swelling has nearly subsided, but the joint at the point of the hip has remained a little large and hard, and the colt is still quite lame.

E. F.

Ans.—There is no joint near the top of the hip. The enlargement and lameness is due to a bruising of the tissues. Make a liniment of 2 ounces oil of turpentine, 2 ounces tincture of myrrh, 2 ounces tincture of arnica, 1 ounce liquor ammonia, and water to make a pint. Rub the parts with this twice daily, and, unless the bone is fractured, she will recover in time.

V.

ENLARGEMENT OF THROAT.

Three-year-old colt has a swollen throat. When standing in the stable the swelling subsides, but when outside it increases greatly. The glands from the ears down become enlarged and hard, and between the jaws become flabby. I am using iodine ointment.

M. F. G.

Ans.—The symptoms indicate obliteration of one of the jugular veins, and, if this is the case, nothing can be done except keeping her in the stable where she will not hold her head down for any length of time. If this is not the case, the continued use of iodine ointment will effect a cure. Get your veterinarian to examine her and see if both jugulars are pervious.

V.

Miscellaneous.

DIARRHEA IN TURKEYS.

Can you tell us, through your paper, what causes diarrhea in young turkeys, and what will cure it? We tried almost everything we heard tell of, but still they died. We have lost nearly all our flock with it for the last six years, and are still losing them yet.

V. M.

Ans.—Diarrhea is a symptom of several serious diseases, such as cholera and blackhead, besides which, of course, it may also occur independently of these. The fatality in your flock suggests the wisdom of ascertaining the cause definitely. Write Dr. C. H. Higgins, Biological Laboratory, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, and express him at the same time the body of a dead bird exhibiting typical symptoms.

BATS.

A Victoria County correspondent inquires how his house may be got rid of bats, which have taken up their residence between the ceiling of the upper story and the roof. The house is brick-veneered, and the brick walls do not fit up tightly to the roof.

The problem proposed is not an easy one to solve. Frequent disturbance causes these timid animals to change their abode, but when the latter happens to be in so inaccessible a situation as that described, the only remedy would appear to be the closing of the line of aperture between the walls and the roof.

But is this or any other remedy worth the trouble? It is true that there are offensive species of bats in the world, but it is safe to allege that the house in question is visited by either the red or brown species of *Vesperugo*, or both, which are perfectly harmless, insect-hunting little animals. The stories that they bring bed-bugs or other insects into houses, and that they delight to entangle their claws in people's hair, are silly, and unfounded. It takes thousands of mosquitoes, gnats, and other insects to support a bat during the summer. People who are troubled with these insects, should welcome bats to their attics and chimneys. A bat has sharp teeth, and will bite in self-defence—no one can blame

it—but be assured you can sleep in a room with a score or more of bats flying around without the slightest danger.

J. D.

PLANK-FRAME BARN INFORMATION.

Where can I get a book on plank frame barns, and what will it cost?

E. D. L.

Ans.—Plank-frame Barn Construction, through this office, 60c., postpaid, is what you want.

WEED IDENTIFICATION.

I enclose a weed which is growing in spots where the hay is thin. What is its name, and is it a bad weed?

W. H. S.

Ans.—The weed is *Lithospermum arvense*, an importation from Europe, where it is known as corn gromwell, and also as wheat thief. It has been troublesome in certain parts of Quebec, where it is called pigeon weed. It is a rough, branching plant, with small, whitish flowers, which are followed by four stony, wrinkled and pitted seeds. Where neglected, it has become so plentiful as to require summer-fallowing, but the use of clean seed and early stubble-plowing will control it. It does not give much trouble in grass lands.

J. D.

AGISTMENT—ADVANCE TO LEGATEE.

1. A rents pasture from B. Agreement is: A to put in 20 head of cattle at 75c per month a head. B takes in 10 head more. How is A to get his rights?

2. If Executors lend money to Legatee, and he refuses to pay, can they keep it back out of legacy?

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Ontario.

Ans.—1. If the mutual understanding was that the pasture in question should be used exclusively by A's 20 head of cattle; or if there was no such understanding, and the agreement did not really cover the point, but the pasture is insufficient to reasonably provide grazing for more than the 20; in either case A would have a right to damages for breach of contract, and could sue B in the Division Court for the recovery of same.

2. Yes.

TOO BAD EVEN FOR A SCOTCHMAN.

They sat each at an extreme end of the horse-hair sofa. They had been courtin' now for something like two years, but the wide gap between had always been respectfully preserved. "A penny for your thoughts, Sandy," murmured Maggie, after a silence of an hour and a half. "Weel," replied Sandy slowly, with surprising boldness, "tae tell ye the truth, I was just thinkin' how fine it wad be if ye were tae gie me a wee bit kissie." "I've nae objection," simpered Maggie, slithering over, and kissed him plumply on the top of his left ear. Then she slithered back. Sandy relapsed into a brown study once more, and the clock ticked twenty-seven minutes. "An' what are ye thinkin' about noo—another, eh?" "Nae, nae lassie; it's nae serious the noo." "Is it, laddie?" asked Maggie, softly. Her heart was going pit-a-pat with expectation. "An' what micht it be?" "I was just thinkin'," answered Sandy, "that it was about time ye were paying me that penny!"

A story is told of the visit to England of the late Sir George Etienne Cartier, when he was a leading figure in the Canadian Government, and of an answer he made to the late Queen Victoria that won her Majesty's favor and caused the Queen to take a friendly interest in the Canadian statesman.

Sir George—or Mr. Cartier, as he then was—was a guest of the Queen at Windsor Castle, and in the course of a conversation Her Majesty enquired about the great bridge at Montreal.

"Mr. Cartier," said the Queen, "I hear that the Victoria Bridge at Montreal is a very fine structure. How many feet is it from shore to shore?"

"When we Canadians build a bridge," was the reply, "and dedicate it to your Majesty, we measure it not in feet but in miles."

The Queen was so pleased with the answer that she talked for an hour about the bridge and the G.T.R. system.