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Questions and Answers.**Miscellaneous.****Corn-flower.**

This weed has not been killed by summer-fallowing. How should it be treated, and what is it? T. M.

Ans.—This plant has several names. It is the well-known blue flower of the grain-fields of the Old Country, and is there called the Cornflower. Here it is better known as Blue-bottle, or Bottle-of-all-colors, or Bachelor's Button. Its seed under the last name is sold for the flower garden; for this purpose the flower has been greatly improved over its wild state, as seen in the example enclosed. As it is an annual, hand-pulling or any other method of preventing its seeding will eradicate it. The seed has great vitality, so each stirring may bring near the surface a new lot of viable seed. This may explain why it is continuing in the summer-fallowed field. J. D.

Discharging Employee—Removing Mortgaged Chattels.

A employed a man named B for \$5.75 per week for one year. Near the beginning of his term B bought some furniture and A backed his note. Then B gave A a chattel mortgage on his furniture to the full value of note. Recently B has not given satisfaction, and his children are encouraged to steal eggs from A by their parents. A would like to discharge B. What legal steps could he take? If B moved away, could he take his furniture with him to keep until his note falls due? C. H.

Ans.—As the contract of hiring was for one year, it cannot be terminated before the expiration of the year unless there was an agreement that it could be so terminated. There would be an implied term of contract that B should serve A faithfully, and if he committed acts in breach of this there would be ground for dismissal accordingly. Before proceeding to dismiss the man, A should satisfy himself, not only that B has given such cause for being discharged, as mentioned, but that he, A, is in a position to prove it; as he might have to defend an action for damages for wrongful dismissal. As to the matter of chattels, the usual form of mortgage provides for continued possession by the mortgagor, but against removal. But if the mortgage in question does not contain a provision against removal, B would be legally entitled to move the furniture away, provided he did not take same out of the province.

Damage to Mail Boxes—Overseer of Highway.

1. Who is responsible for damage done to mail-boxes by horses and cattle running at large on the highway?
2. What steps can the ratepayer take to have the by-law enforced? In our township there is a by-law restraining animals from running at large on the highways, and it reads: "It shall be lawful, and shall be the duty of overseer of highways to impound, on the request of one ratepayer or resident of his road division, animals prohibited by this by-law found running at large on the highway division over which he is overseer."
3. After notice being given, if the overseer refuses to act, is he responsible for damage done by cattle?
4. Or is the Council responsible?
5. Or who is responsible for the enforcement of the by-law?
6. Can an overseer remove dirt off the road for his own use? What is the law as regards removing dirt?
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Ans.—1. The owner of the animals.
2. We would suggest that he write the Reeve and Council requesting the full enforcement of the by-law, and intimating at the same time, in his letter, that in the event of their failing to comply with his request, he will bring an action against the township corporation, on behalf of himself and all other ratepayers, to compel such enforcement of by-law.
3. He is the servant of the corporation, and responsible to it.
4. The corporation represented by them is.
5. The municipal corporation.
6. He cannot lawfully do so without permission from the Council. His removing it without such permission would be a criminal act, and punishable as such.

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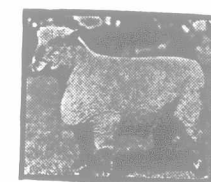
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