

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

MONTHS.

If I hired a man for two months, he to commence work on the 6th of July, in morning, when is his time up?

Ans.—At the expiration of the 7th day of September.

AUCTIONEER'S LICENSES.

How should I apply for the purchase of an auctioneer's license for the united counties of Northumberland and Durham, and how much would it cost per county? Are they sold for townships?

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Ans.—Application should be made through the country clerk at Cobourg, and that official will give the other information desired.

DURATION OF TENANCY.

D rented house of S from the 1st of October, 1903, to the 1st of May, 1904, and from May 1st to Oct. 1st, 1904. On the first of Sept. D went to S to pay the rent for Aug; S said to D, "Now is the time to speak about the house. Are you going to take it for another year or six months?" D said yes. S asked D if the house would do to live in for the winter, without doing repairs of putting in new sills. D said yes. D left with the understanding that it was settled for another term. A few days after S sold the house to H. Can H compel D to go out of the house before May 1st, 1905—not having any writings?

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Ans.—No.

REAL ESTATE CLAIMS.

A was a widower, and died leaving no will. B, his son, about 60 years of age, always resided on the property. Some time ago four of A's daughters filed a claim against the property. B agreed to give them \$100 each for their claim, which they accepted, and signed a bond for \$400 to give their brother B a quit-claim deed, granting all their right and title in the said property. Two of the other sons did not enter any claim as yet, and it is now over ten years since A died.

1. Can the two sons yet enter any just claim against the property, when the ten years have elapsed; or will the lapse of time render their claim void in the said property?

2. Will the daughters' husbands require to sign the quit-claim, or will it be sufficient for the daughters alone to sign?

3. What claim, if any, would the daughters' husbands have in the property?

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Ans.—1. It would seem from the facts stated that their claim is now barred by the Statute of Limitations.

2 and 3. The joinder of the husbands in the deed is not requisite.

MINERAL WATER.

We have an artesian well 262 feet deep. The water is clear and good, but tastes a little mineral, and when making soup, it always gives it a sourish taste. I do not notice the taste with salted meat, but it gives that taste with all fresh meats. Sometimes also in tea the cream curdles. If there is any remedy for this, would you please give it in the columns of your valuable paper? MRS. E. F.

Ans.—The peculiar taste noticed by your correspondent is evidently due to saline matter, the exact nature of which, however, it is impossible to determine without a chemical analysis. The possibility of effecting a purification of such a water by any system of precipitation and filtration would largely depend upon the character of this mineral matter and the amount present, but the probability is that distillation would prove the most satisfactory method, unless any large quantities are required. This would furnish a water entirely free from all saline matter—wholesome and palatable. Household stills, to be used on the kitchen stove, requiring very little attention, and furnishing one to two quarts per hour, may be obtained at a cost of from \$10 to \$15, and being made of copper are very durable. Particulars may be obtained as to construction, capacity, price, etc., from any wholesale firm handling druggists' supplies.

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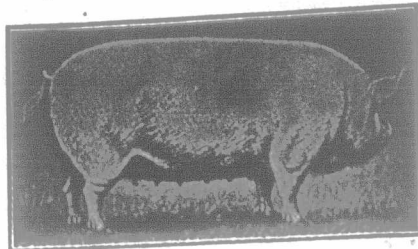
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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Veterinary.

INFECTIOUS OPHTHALMIA.

My calves have a disease of the eyes. They run water, and then a growth appears, which causes blindness.

J. W. H.

Ans.—This is infectious ophthalmia. Isolate the affected; keep in partially-darkened stable; purge with Epsom salts. Bathe the eyes well three times daily with warm water, and, after bathing, put a few drops of the following lotion into the eye: Sulphate of zinc, 15 grains; fluid extract of belladonna, 20 drops; distilled water, 2 ounces. Treatment is often tedious, and requires care and patience. V.

MILK FEVER—COUGH.

1. Sow had milk fever after farrowing. She is due to farrow again, Oct. 17th. How can I prevent another attack?

2. Four-year-old colt has had a cough for several months. When the atmosphere is dense she coughs much more than on clear days. She breathes very fast, but is not heavy. J. B.

Ans.—1. See that she gets regular exercise daily, on a patch of clover, if possible; feed on easily-digested food, as bran, milk and chopped oats, with the hulls sifted out. If the bowels are constipated, feed about an ounce of Epsom salts twice daily, and continue to feed lightly for a few days after farrowing.

2. If the mare has not heaves, the cough can be checked by giving, once daily, a ball composed of one and a half drams gum opium, two drams solid extract of belladonna, one dram camphor, and twenty grains digitalis; mixed with sufficient treacle to make plastic. V.

UNTHRIFTY COLT—CATTLE WITH COUGH.

1. Filly, three months old, is not thriving. The vagina is coated with stuff that resembles moist sulphur.

2. Cattle—cows, bulls, steers, heifers and calves—are nearly all coughing. They commenced in March. I treated with oil of tar, and cough powders. Some got better, but others are still coughing. R. W. P.

Ans.—1. She probably has worms. Take one and half drams each sulphate of iron, sulphate of copper, tartar emetic and calomel. Mix, and make into twelve powders. Give a powder night and morning. When the last has been given, administer a purgative of four ounces raw linseed oil.

2. This indicates tuberculosis. Get your veterinarian to test the herd with tuberculin. Those that react must be removed from the herd and disposed of, according to instructions from your veterinarian who tests them. The stables should then be disinfected by washing with five-per-cent. carbolic acid, before introducing new stock. If the cattle do not react during the test, you need not be alarmed about the cough. Continue with the oil of tar and cough powders. V.

MISCELLANEOUS.

1. The milk of a three-year-old heifer precipitates blood when set over night.

2. Yearling colt has been coughing and running from the nostrils.

3. Colt has a wart on his shoulder. The collar rubs it. A. B. M., Norfolk Co.

Ans.—1. This is due to rupture of a small blood vessel in the udder. It is probable one quarter only is affected. You can locate the trouble by keeping the milk from each quarter separate, and ascertaining which gives the precipitate. Bathe the affected quarter frequently with cold water, and give her one ounce tincture of iron in a pint of cold water as a drench twice daily, until blood ceases to flow.

2. Rub the throat twice daily for three days with a liniment made of equal parts spirits of ammonia, oil of turpentine and raw linseed oil. Give ten grains sulphate of quinine three times daily. Keep comfortable, and isolated. Feed soft and easily-digested food.

3. Dissect the wart off carefully with a sharp knife, and dress the raw surface three times daily with carbolic acid, one part; sweet oil, twenty parts, until healed, and, of course, keep the collar off in the meantime. V.