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Any irregularity of the bowels is always dangerous, and should be at once attended to and corrected.

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work on the bowels gently and naturally without weakening the body, but, on the contrary, toning it, and they will if persevered in relieve and cure the worst cases of constipation.

Mrs. James King, Cornwall, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with sick headaches, constipation and catarrh of the stomach. I could get nothing to do me any good until I got a vial of Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills. They did me more good than anything else I ever tried. I have no headaches or constipation, and the catarrh of the stomach is entirely gone. I feel like a new woman, thanks to Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills. I used in all about half a dozen vials."

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A lecturer was touring through the country recently, and delivered an address before an audience in a country school-house.

In the course of his remarks he reviewed the agricultural prospects of the country, and as an illustration told a story of a poor farmer who had died, leaving to his wife the farm heavily mortgaged. He said that the widow set to work with a will and succeeded upon one year's wheat crop in paying off the entire mortgage.

When he had completed his lecture, the gentleman shook hands and greeted the members of his audience. One middle-aged man finally approached him thoughtfully, and began:

"I say, mister, you told a story 'bout the widow raising a mortgage on one year's crop?"

"Yes, my friend, that was a true story. It happened only two years ago."

"Well, sir, could you tell me who that widow is? She's just the kind of woman I've been looking for all the time."

Bell—You dance the two-step divinely. Who taught you?

Nell—My two step-sisters.

GRAND NEWS FOR WOMEN

Mrs. E. P. Richards Tells How Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Her.

After Suffering for Twenty-eight Years From Pains and Weakness and Sleeplessness—Dodd's Kidney Pills the Only Medicine She Wants.

Cottle's Cove, Notre Dame Bay, Nfld., Dec. 14.—(Special).—Grand news for suffering women is that being scattered broadcast by Mrs. Elizabeth P. Richards of this place. For years she suffered from that terrible weakness and those agonizing pains so many women know. She has found relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills and she wants all suffering women to know it.

"For twenty-eight years," says Mrs. Richards, "I suffered from Rheumatism, Kidney Trouble, and Neuralgia. I got so weak I could not do my housework. Sleep was out of the question except for a few minutes at a time. My back ached so I could not sleep. I tried all kinds of medicine and had come to the conclusion there was no cure for me, when reading advertisements led me to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. I now sleep well and rise refreshed every morning. Dodd's Kidney Pills are all the medicine I want."

The woman who has healthy kidneys will never know the pains and weakness that make life hardly worth living. Dodd's Kidney Pills always make healthy kidneys.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

WILD TARES—PREPARING FOR CLOVER SEEDING—FEEDING CALVES.

1. On my farm there are quite a few wild tares. I have been told that wild tares will not grow the first year after sowing; if so, it would not be necessary to hand-pick seed for sowing when the intention is to seed with clover. Would you give me a good plan to rid my farm of them?

2. What is the best preparation for a good catch of clover? Last year I manured 16 acres in the winter, cultivating in the spring and seeding with clover and had a fine catch.

3. We make butter, raising about 10 calves a year on skim milk. How should I feed those calves to be the most profitable? They are good grade Holsteins, well marked. Would you advise baby-beef, or keeping two years?

YOUNG FARMER.

Ans.—1. There are three conditions under which seeds must be placed in order to have them sprout or germinate, viz.: Sufficient moisture, proper temperature, and a reasonable supply of oxygen, or air.

Different seeds will grow under different conditions in each of these three particulars. The wild tare being a comparatively hard seed, requires considerable moisture. Seed which ripens and falls to the ground late in the summer might not sprout before winter sets in.

In fact, they would not not, a season such as that just closed. On the other hand, if the late summer and fall months are wet, and the seeds lie close to mother earth, or are slightly covered, as they would be by the use of a disk harrow or spring-tooth cultivator on the field, practically all of them would germinate before the weather became so cold as to give unfavorable conditions as to temperature.

The fact that wild tares ripen early in the season makes them difficult to fight. Surface cultivation after harvest, and a short rotation of crops in which clover is introduced, is the best practice. Four seasons out of five, the precipitation after harvest is sufficient to induce germination. The young plants are killed by frost later.

In clover the hay crop removes the tares before seed is ripened, or if in pasture the stock eat them. Hand picking of seed is tedious and expensive. If weed seeds cannot be removed by fanning-mill it is better to procure other seed.

2. To ensure a good catch of clover it is necessary to have a fairly rich soil worked into a mellow seed-bed. Usually best results are derived from thin sowing of the grain, and the use of a grain that ripens early, so that the young clover may have time to develop after the crop is harvested, before winter sets in.

3. Your grade Holstein calves could be sold with greatest profit as veal or as baby-beef. If raised past the veal stage, your aim should be to keep them growing. In order to do this it will be found necessary to feed some whole milk while the calves are young. A good plan is to give all whole milk for a few days and then gradually introduce skim milk and decrease the whole milk until the calf is three or four weeks old.

A jelly made by boiling flax seed can be used to advantage in the skim milk to take the place of the fat. During the early days in the calf's life, also, precautions should be taken to make ground grains part of the daily ration. A mixture of ground oats, corn and flax-seed meal is good. A start can be made by throwing a handful of meal into the pail when the calf has emptied it of milk.

Veterinary.

CONTINUOUS OESTRUM.

Cow has been in heat continuously for three and a half months. Another has been showing oestrus for ten days. Is this contagious?

E. L.

Ans.—It is not contagious. Animals that act in this way are called nymphomaniacs. The symptoms indicate disease of the ovaries, for which nothing can be done. It will be better to feed them for the butchers, as it is not probable they will breed. In some cases oestrus ceases after the animal has been bred. Medical treatment has no effect.

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For sale: Seven young bulls from two to nine months old, out of Record of Merit cows, sired by Sir Pieterje Fosch De Boer, whose dam and sire's dam average in official test 25.87 lbs. butter in 7 days, and 87.6 lbs. milk in 1 day.

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