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Questions and Answers. Miscellaneous.

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- 1. Is it legal for the Secretary-Treasurer of a school board to cut and remove the hay from the school grounds and allow the section what he thinks it is worth?
- 2. Should he not have put up notices and sold it by auction?
- 3. Would the act of doing so disqualify him for trustee? F. J. P. Ans.—1. No.
- 2. Not unless directed to do so by the trustees. It was a matter for them to deal with.
- 3. We do not think so.

Tonic for Cow.

Could you give me a tonic for a cow under the following circumstances: Cow had a dead calf on Good Friday morning and retained the afterbirth. After 48 hours I tried to take it away but failed to reach one place. It all came away, however, on the fifth day. I gave carbolic acid, 30 drops daily, while discharge lasted. The cow looks thin and although bright has a tired look. eats well but doesn't drink much. She refused to drink at all the first few days. She is giving 28 lbs. of milk daily and from 7 days cream I churned 71/4 lbs. of good butter although we use 3 quarts daily of whole milk. She is fed hay, and roots, also boiled hay-seed, oats and one pint of linseed meal. I give roots one day and the mixed boiled feed the next.

J. M. H.

Ans.—It usually takes a cow some time to fully recover from the effects of retention of afterbirth. It seems that the system becomes more or less poisoned and the cow will not do well until this is thrown off. As soon as grass comes, she can be turned on pasture and the fresh green feed will act as a tonic. You are giving her very satisfactory feed for her condition. One pound ground gentian, one quarter pound ginger, one-quarter pound powdered saltpetre, and onequarter pound powdered iron sulphate, thoroughly mixed makes a very good tonic. Give one tablespoonful in the feed once daily.

Always Makes a Hit.

The Farmer's Advocate has received many letters of appreciation from the Canadian boys in England or "Somewhere in France". It is remarkable how they seem to enjoy reading papers from home and those of our readers who have relatives or friends overseas and who have forwarded the paper to them have rendered a service for which the boys seem very thankful. The following is an extract from a letter written by a Montreal soldier now at the front to his father:

"I was reading an article on British agriculture yesterday in which the writer stated that small holdings had been a failure, that if the present boom was to be sustained the land must be held in good-sized farms where hand labor would be superseded as far as possible by machines. He stated the cost of ploughing hat been reduced from 9 shillings to 3 shillings per acre by the use of the motor tractor.

"In response to my request to Ottawa for publications the only thing which has arrived thus far is the 1915 report of the Experimental Farms. However, I have never before had opportunity to read this publication so carefully, and find a great deal of interest in it. The report of Dr. Shutt, Dominion chemist, is most interesting, even apart from the fact that he had considerable in about the limestone work in N. B., which might naturally be expected to

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