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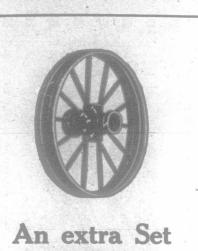
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Miscellaneous.

White Cockle—Castrating Ruptured Pigs.

I am enclosing some weeds which I found in my clover. I got them through sowing alfalfa, some few years ago. They grow about one and one-half feet in height. What is the name? Are they very troublesome? What means should be taken to eradicate them?

2. I read in a recent issue of The Advocate, that the government had passed an act to allow full value for sheep destroyed by dogs. Is the act in force yet? Our township clerk says he has not been notified of it.

I noticed in a recent issue an inquiry re castrating ruptured pigs. Having six among mine, a few years ago, I sent for a neighbor who was considered good at the work. Instead of cutting open and sewing up he had an attendant hold and sewing up he had an attendant hold the pig up, then he caught hold of testicle in one hand, and with the other slipped a clamp on over and wired the end tightly. In five or six days it healed, clamp dropped off and rupture was healed. All six pigs lived and did well. I consider this a much better way than using the knife. I had previously re-moved the other testicle and allowed it to heal. The operation should be done when the pig is about six weeks old. done when the pig is about six weeks old. The clamp should be made of hard wood about five inches long and each side 34 inches square, the sticks placed together and one end firmly wired with small wire, then drawn over testicle, held with a pair of pinchers, while the other end is wired. A. P.

Ans.-The weed enclosed was a specimen of white cockle which is a biennial or short-lived perennial. It occurs in grain crops and meadows and is difficult to eradicate once it becomes established. The rootstock of this plant is thick and sends up a few long, branching, flowering stems. The flowers are white and the seed is held in a capsule. The roots are hard to kill unless dragged to the surface of the soil. If spudded below the surface they will continue to grow, but do not produce seed that season. Short rotation of crops will keep it in check, but a bare summer-fallow with thorough cultivation is necessary to suppress it. Care should be taken to sow clean clover and grass seeds. Where the weed occurs in pastures the mower should be run over the field in August to prevent any seed maturing.

2. The act came into force the latter part of April. Copies of the act relating to tax on dogs and protection of sheep may be secured by writing W. Bert Roadhouse, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Toronto. Forty Shorthorns for \$44,430. Bellows Bros.' thirteenth annual auction sale at Maryville, Mo., on June 14 was another event adding lustre to the Shorthorn breed. Forty animals were sold for \$44,430 and 34 females averaged \$1,140 each. The top price was \$2,250 which was paid by MacMillan and MacMillan for Oueen of Beauty 27th MacMillan, for Queen of Beauty 27th. The same buyers also took Lavender goods at \$2,100 and Parkdale Clipper 2nd for \$2,000. Choice Beauty by Good Choice realized \$1,500. The top price for a bull was \$1,330, the amount required to buy Parkdale Radium. The average for the total was \$1,110.



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