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## MUSTARD SPRAYING.

Hope for Farmers Whose Land Is Over-run With This Pest.

Prof. M. W. Doherty, of the Ontario Agricultural College, has recently been making a tour through Western Ontario for the purpose of demonstrating that it is possible and practical to destroy wild mustard, by spraying with copper sulphate, without injuring farm crops. A representative of the Farmer's Advocate had the pleasure of witnessing the operation on the farm of Mr. P. H. Lawson, Westminster township. Ten pounds copper sulphate (blue stone) were placed in a sack and suspended in a large pailful of warm water to dissolve. This was accomplished in about fifteen minutes, after which the solution was placed in a barrel, to which the spray pump was attached, and the whole made up to 45 gallons, an amount sufficient for one acre.

During the afternoon only about two acres were sprayed, it being the Professor's intention to have everything in readiness for the public demonstration as advertised, for the following day. Unfortunately, however, rain that evening prevented these plans from being carried out. Later, Mr. Lawson continued the spraying according to directions until a field of twelve acres had been treated. A visit to the farm on July 5th showed the mustard practically all gone; only a few leafless stalks were to be seen, with pods half mature. These, no doubt, would have been completely killed had the spraying been done from one to two weeks earlier. The oats, in which the mustard grew quite thickly, were somewhat singed on the top leaves by the solution when spraying took place, but at our last examination—on July 5th—all signs of injury had disappeared. In an adjacent untreated field the yellow blossoms were quite thick and visible at half a mile away, but in the field treated no yellow blossoms were visible.

As a result of our close observation of this work, as well as reliable reports which have been received from other sources, we have no hesitation in recommending Prof. Doherty's method for the destruction of this most pernicious weed. A suitable spraying outfit ready to attach to a cart or wagon may be had for less than twenty dollars. The cost of copper sulphate will not exceed eighty cents per acre, and if the spraying be carefully carried out for four years, there is no doubt that the weed will have become thin enough to be pulled by hand. The saving in moisture and plant food during that time will in itself be sufficient to pay the actual cost, and in the end the land will be greatly increased in value.

## A Truly Remarkable Dog.

One of Mr. Renan's dogs, called Corah, was known as the guardian angel for miles around. Were there a Montyon prize for canine heroism, Corah would have deserved it. Her particular mission was to amuse sick children. Whenever a child was ill at Treguer Corah was sent for. Knowing on what mission she was called, she would bounding to the house where the little sufferer lay and gambled about its bed until she caused hearty laughter.

Another duty with which she was charged was to prevent the young children of the family, of which she looked on herself as a member, going near the fire in their mother's absence. She was a sweet tempered creature, but as soon as a child she was left to watch ran near the fire she became a vixen. She was sent also with children living near the quay to see that they kept from the water's edge. No child confided to her guardianship ever came to harm. When I read, as I often do, of infants being badly burned or burned to death, I think it a pity that the breed of Corah was not carefully perpetuated. The master, in memory of her, called a charming little pup after her.

Corah was what is rare in dogs—very discreet. She was always leaving (with her eyes) to do such things as, when Mr. Renan was suffering from illness, jumping into his bed and crouching down at the back to warn it. She was wont to sit for hours motionless on a chair looking at him waiting for him to tell her to jump into bed—London Truth.

## Agriculture in Natal.

The Surveyor-General and Director of Agriculture has published a report, in which he states that Natal requires 10,000 white settlers of the right class to attain the necessary developments to enable the Colony to supply its own agricultural needs. The class wanted is the small farmer, men like the first German settlers here, who will work with their own hands either as tenants under the existing proprietors or as settlers under a suitable system of Government land administration. The report says that the balance of conditions is in favor of small holdings, and recommends that Crown lands which are difficult of access be let in leaseholds at an annual rental of three per cent. on the unimproved value, and that easily accessible Crown lands be offered for selection, in areas not exceeding 300 acres, on 99 years' lease, at the same rate, or on the conditional purchase system. It is recommended that Government advances be made to co-operative factories, such as those engaged in the making of butter and cheese, bacon-curing, fruit packing and preserving, the manufacture of tobacco, and kindred trades.

## Coming Days.

An English paper records the recent marriage, near Cornwall, of Miss Jane Weeks to Thomas Day, and adds:

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## A Dish Basket.

"For the sake of my children," comments a housekeeper, "I have always insisted, even at some effort, in my very modest establishment that there must be no piling of plates as the maid is removing the dishes from the table. As I keep only one maid, who must also serve at the table, I plan carefully for every means that will save steps for her and still preserve the table amenities. In this matter of getting the dishes off neatly and with as few steps as possible I have found the greatest assistance in the use of a tin lined, wide, shallow basket, such as may be had at any large housefurnishing shop. This is kept on a small table behind the screen that conceals the door into the kitchen hallway, and into this with short trips the maid can slip the dishes from each course as she removes them from the table. A single journey to the kitchen then gets them all out where they are to be washed. The basket is carefully cleaned and wiped dry after each meal and serves usefully to bring back the clean dishes."

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**Noted and Its Odds.**  
A notorious gambler, who died some time ago, once wagered a thousand dollars to one that six would not be thrown with a pair of dice ten times in succession. His offer was taken up by a fellow clubman. The dice were brought, and his opponent actually threw six nine times in succession. The gambler then offered \$470 to be free of the bet. The other man declined, had his tenth throw and failed to get another six.

Just to show how very little the average man knows about the doctrine of chances a well known mathematician has pointed out the real odds about this bet. The chances were no less than 99,400,175 to 1 against six being thrown ten times in succession; therefore the real bet should have been about \$900,000 to 1 cent against such a thing happening.

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## DUST.

A Scientific View of the Value of the Particles.

On windy days, when dust fills the air and penetrates through screens and even around closed windows, one feels tempted to anathematize it without let or hindrance. When one thinks of what the lungs inhale every minute, one wants to stop breathing. But that would simply add to the world's huge collection another little dust heap to be blown about by the winds.

Hence it is much better to leave off anathema and begin at the other end and seek the usefulness of dust. A scientist tells us that if there were absolutely no dust in the air the path of a sunbeam would be totally black. Near the surface of the earth the atmosphere is full of coarse particles which reflect all the rays and hence produce no color. At Martini, for instance, the air was so crammed with them after the first eruption that the sun rose perfectly white.

After the still greater Krakatoa explosion the dust was disseminated so thickly and so far that the sunsets all round the world glowed strangely for nearly three years. This came chiefly from the volcanic glass that was ground to impalpable powder and thrown up many miles, where it was caught by the currents of air that as the earth turned caused it to be completely encircled by this powdery substance. Even the ordinary sunset, however, is produced by the sun shining through different densities of vapor and dust, the particles being arranged and rearranged by air currents that while the sun sinks make the display change with every moment, and we owe this glory of form and color mainly to dust.

Where there is little dust the air is blue, and thus we get the pure tint of "sky blue." As the dust decreases the depth of blue increases, so that from mountain tops or in the central Pacific, a deeper blue is seen, and balloon ascensions have actually been made so high that the heavens appeared almost black, the veil of our atmosphere being attenuated to such a degree one could get an idea of the absolute dark.

## The Potency of Breed.

The breeder must depend for the improvement of his cattle and cows upon inheritance and the system of feeding, but many beginners who do not see immediate results of a system of careful breeding, get discouraged and give up. A great many criticisms of breeding results are thus voiced through disappointment. A good many times calves inherit tendencies rather than the actual gifts which their sires possessed, and these tendencies require cultivation and encouragement to develop. Good breeding consists in recognizing such valuable tendencies and in catering to them. But time is required to some extent to make them at all consistent with one's ideas of what they should be. In the hands of good feeders and breeders dairy cows are producing larger supplies of milk and cream. Milk rich in butter fats is becoming more common, and feeding more economical. A cow can be fed to-day by a progressive dairyman at much less cost than it was possible ten years ago, and yet feed is higher. This is due to a better balanced ration, which means economy in cost on both ends. It produces more results, and it can be provided at less expense.

We have the breeds to-day which are well adapted to beef or butter making, and these are becoming more common on our farms every year. Their general distribution argues well for the future of our cattle and dairy output. But to keep up the potency of these good breeds we must have the courage of our convictions, and the patience necessary to wait for results. We need to feed for a purpose, and to develop tendencies which will provide us with sure profits. Well-bred cows in the hands of ignorant people are sure to degenerate, and in time all their good points will be neutralized. It is necessary that we should have intelligence in feeding to bring out the best that there is in them. Educated men in this line of work will not only emphasize the value of the good breeds, but they will raise the standard of dairying and beef raising a little higher each year.—Journal of Agriculture.

## Loss by Fire.

One time it was a common practice for farmers to burn over their fields for the purpose of getting rid of dry weeds or other vegetable growths before plowing, says W. F. McSparran. What a sinful thing to do! They not only and some of them do it yet, destroy the very material they should plow down to make humus, but actually destroy or drive off into the atmosphere that already made and coming within the action of the fire. They say they destroy weed seeds and don't know that many seeds grow better for having been well heated, and if they expect to rid their land of weed seeds and insects by burning over it they will find in the days of their financial extremity that they have done the unpardonable agricultural sin.

**Javal's Theory of a Sixth Sense.**  
Dr. Javal of the French Academy of Medicine, who is sightless, denies that nature compensates blindness by increased sensibility of touch and hearing, but contends that when a person is blind an extra development takes place in the sixth sense which is latent in all persons. This sense, which has been called the sense of obstacles, acts by the perception of certain warm and indefinite vibrations. The seat of the sense is believed to be placed in the forehead.

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