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amount less the four pounds. After I had paid them, and got a re-ceipt for same, they took a load of wheat out of my granary and hauled it off. Can I bring them up before a justice of the peace for what they have done? A. T. Sask.

Ans.-The threshers would be liable in a civil action for damages for taking more than the amount agreed upon. If you can clearly prove the bargain, and prove that they agreed to the arrangement which you state, you would be justified in laying charge against them for stealing the load of wheat, although the threshers might set up a defence of color of right and it would be difficult for you to succeed. The proper procedure would be to sue them for the amount and for the loss sustained in connection with the taking of the load of wheat.

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LAMINITIS OR FOUNDER

Have a foundered horse and would like to know if there is any prepara-tion that I can put on his feet in the place of poultices as recommended in a recent article in "The Farmer's Advocate. Have put bran poultices on, but he chewed them all to pieces. Tied him up high, and he kicked them to pieces, so I wish to know if there is any preparation to paint on the hoof to relieve him. It is not con-venient at this time of year, and in my stable to stand him in a single stall with earth floor. O. R. S. Man.

Ans .- We do not know of any preparation that may be applied to the hoofs that would take the place of poultices in the treatment of laminitis (founder). Poultices may be kept on if a proper pair of leather boots are used. These may be purchased from your harness maker.

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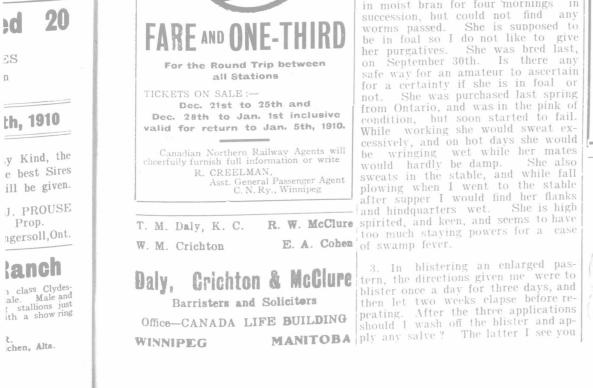
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