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Man. A. W. S.

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M. A. C. S. A. Bedford.

TIME TO CUT RYE GRASS

At what stage should Western rye grass be cut to make the best hay? I notice in a recent issue that A. A. Titus says there are only four or five days during which this hay crop is at its best for cutting. W. A. K.

Ans.—The best time to cut Western rye grass is when the major portion of it is in bloom. If allowed to go longer it becomes tough and wiry; if cut sooner you do not get the maximum feeding return.

MUSTARD IN OATS

A field is infested with mustard through growing flax. How can I clean it? If the oats grown on the land are fed to horses, will they scatter the mustard while working on clean land, and, if so, will it germinate? Can mustard be screened by thoroughly screening? J. E.

Ans.—The field can be freed from mustard, which is an annual plant, by thorough and frequent cultivation early in the spring, continued frequently enough to kill what plants start and to turn up a new layer so that other seeds may germinate. If you have not already plowed your wisest plan is not to plow until you have cultivated the surface sufficiently to get rid of what seeds may have dropped last season. If they are turned under by plowing it will be years before you are rid of them, as they maintain vitality for a number of years when buried in the soil. Authorities state that mustard seeds pass through the digestive systems of horses and cattle and retain their vitality. With a good fanning mill you can remove most of the weed seeds from oats. As a further protection the oats should be ground before feeding.

WORK DONE BY ENGINES

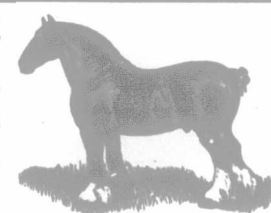
On page 117 of your issue of January 26, appears an article on gasoline tractors by L. D. Holaday, in which he estimates that breaking can be done with a 20 H.P. gasoline tractor, for \$1.00 per acre; discing and harrowing, 40 cents per acre; harvesting with 2 or 3 8-ft. binders, at 30 cents per acre; with gasoline, at 30 cents per gallon. He does not tell us whether these figures include anything for repairs and breakages or for depreciation in value of outfit, or whether these figures are simply the cost of labor, oil or fuel. Nor does he say anything about the character of the soil he works.

I would like very much if Mr. Holaday would tell us how many acres he broke, how many he disc and harrowed, and how many he harvested; how many days did he spend in breaking, in discing and harrowing, and in harvesting; and how many gallons of gasoline and the amount of lubricants were consumed during each of the three operations. Also I should like to know what proportion of a season's work these figures cover. Then as an idea as to the character of the soil, would he say how many horses would be required to pull a 2-furrow 12-inch breaker at the depth he ran his engine gang?

W. A.

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