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1. Horse has an enlargement on his shoulder. This was caused by a collar bruise. It is hard. How can I remove it without taking horse from team?

2. When a horse's feet are contracted, is it better to keep the soles pared down thin or not?

3. Can you give me the prescription for scratches of a lotion made of tanner's oil, turpentine and sulphuric acid?

F. M. C.

Ans.—1. This cannot be reduced without giving the horse rest, as the friction from the collar acting upon the tumor and surrounding tissues would complicate matters. The tumor should be carefully dissected out, the wound stitched, and then dressed three times daily with an antiseptic, as a 5 per cent. solution of carbolic acid, until healed. External applications will not remove it.

2. It is better to leave the sole alone. It will exfoliate sufficiently without the use of the knife.

3. I do not know of any such mixture used for the purpose, and cannot imagine it mixed in any proportions that would make it valuable for such cases. When an oil is used, we generally use 1 part carbolic acid to 30 parts sweet oil.

### Miscellaneous.

### LIABILITY FOR NOTE.

If A takes B's note for a certain sum of money, and C endorses it, the note being drawn up payable in bank six months after date, ten days before note became due, A notifies B and C by private letter, but B had left the country. Can A hold C responsible for the amount?

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Ans.—Yes.

### MILK QUALITY AND FEED.

Can you improve the quality of a cow's milk by feeding; if so, to what extent?

W. S.

Ans.—Only in so far as clean, wholesome food, given judiciously, will give more desirable flavor and color. You cannot permanently increase the percentage of fat in the milk to any extent worth mentioning, but, of course, can increase the total quantity of milk given.

### FEEDING LAMBS.

Have some (6) lambs, fattening for spring market; have them housed in part of an old hay barn. They have access to the driving floor, which is open to the roof, and bottom part of hay mow, six feet high, which has at present some corn fodder stored above. They have plenty of room for exercise and ample ventilation, but are not permitted to run in the yard. Their food consists of field-cured fodder-corn, cut into half-inch lengths, and pulped roots, mixed, morning and evening; a small feed of clover hay at noon, and a grain ration of half pound mixed peas and oats per day. They are not thriving as they should, and their wool is constantly wet, or damp. They have good appetites, always ready for their feed. Would you please, through your columns, advise what is wrong with our management, and suggest something that would give more satisfactory results?

RUSSELL.

Ans.—The feeding and conditions stated should give good results, and we can only suggest that since the lambs appear to be sweating inordinately, access to a yard in which they may run and lie at will, would probably be an improvement. They should also have access to salt, and water at will.

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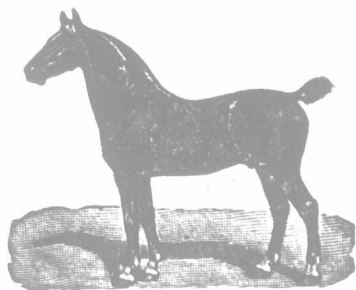
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