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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

SLANDER.

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Ontario.

Ans.—Yes; it would be quite in order to bring actions of slander against all the guilty parties, notwithstanding the fact that they may not have originated the defamatory statements, but merely repeated and circulated them.

FERTILIZER AND FEEDING QUESTIONS.

Have a hundred-acre farm, of which I crop heavily to corn, oats, wheat, beans and hay, and feed all on farm except wheat and beans. Soil, a clay loam, well underdrained.

1. Will it pay me to buy wood ashes at five cents a bushel to use as fertilizer?
2. What crops do wood ashes respond to, giving the best results, and how many bushels to the acre, and when put on?
3. What is the best fertilizer to buy for roots, say turnips and sugar-beet mangels?
4. How do you apply nitrate of soda on a corn field, the quantity per acre, and cost?
5. Have forty head of cattle wintering, half of which are yearling and two-year-olds. What amount of silage, clover hay and straw will be required, all to go on grass; also how much grain should the two-year-olds get each day, to make a gain, say, of 200 pounds?

J. C. T.

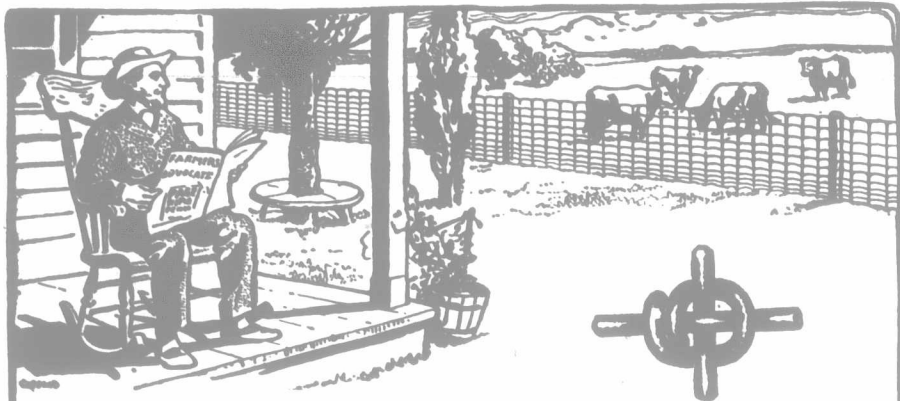
Ans.—1. Yes; assuming that the ashes are of average quality.

2. Legumes (clover, peas, beans, etc.), roots, potatoes, and fruits, are the crops most benefited by ashes. Apply evenly as top-dressing, some little time before the crop is to be sown, and work into the soil, remembering that an excess of ashes on any spot or spots will prove injurious. Twenty-five bushels per acre is a fair application for young clover, potatoes or mangels. For young clover, or orchards, apply as early in spring as one can conveniently go on the land.

3. Assuming that the fertilizer is merely to supplement a coat of manure, we should say that twenty-five bushels of ashes per acre would do very well for the sugar-beets. For the turnips, try half this quantity of ashes, along with 200 pounds of acid phosphate. This quantity of acid phosphate will cost much more than the 12½ bushels of ashes for which it is substituted, but will undoubtedly prove profitable in the majority of cases, particularly if the residual effect be taken into consideration. We need hardly explain that the above recommendations are based merely on probabilities. To ascertain positively what it will pay to do on your particular soil, you must experiment on your own farm.

4. Top-dress in two or more applications, at intervals of two or three weeks. The first dressing should be made just before seeding. One hundred to 150 pounds per acre is recommended for corn, along with 300 to 400 pounds of acid phosphate, and 100 to 150 pounds muriate of potash, the two latter materials being applied early in spring. Nitrate of soda is not a complete fertilizer, supplying only one element of fertility, nitrogen. It should cost in the neighborhood of \$2.75 to \$3 per cwt.

5. We should say the cattle would thrive fairly well on a mixture of silage and chaff, fed twice a day with a forkful apiece of clover hay at noon, and perhaps a small one at night, after the silage mixture has been cleaned up. However, it will undoubtedly pay to supplement this with a light grain mixture, say, a pound each of bran, oil cake, oats and corn, per thousand pounds live weight. This should make them gain rather better than a pound a day, if the silage and hay are of good quality.



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