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Ouestions and Answers. Miscellaneous.

Repairing Strop.

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Barnvard Grass.

Will you kindly tell me, through the columns of your paper, the name of the enclosed grass ? R. J. H. Ams.-This is commonly known as barnyard grass, and gardeners best know the persistent way in which it will remain. However, it is not considered one of the really bad weeds, but it gives trouble enough. Hoed crops are the most practicable way to meet it, and with thorough cultivation it will soon lose its foothold, so it will not be considered serious.

A Minor and Life Insurance.

1. Can a young school-teacher, a girl under twenty-one (21) years of age, be forced to stand by an agreement to insure her life, she being away from her legal guardian at the time, and from those whom she would have naturally consulted if she had not been over - persuaded by two agents?

2. Must she submit to it if she has signed the papers ?

3. If not, what steps can be taken to free her from being annoyed by the agents? W. M.* agents ? Ontario.

Ans.-1 and 2.-Yes.

Custom Spraying.

1. Do you think it would pay to buy a sprayer to do spraying for other people? 2. About what would be the right price to charge per tree for spraying, on the average, large and small?

3. Do you advise buying 'lime-sulphur solution ready mixed ?

4. About what would be the cost per barrel of spray mixture ready mixed?

5. Which would give the best satisfaction, ready mixed or home mixed?

6. What kind of a sprayer would you advise for doing custom spraying on a SUBSCRIBER. small scale ?

Ans.-1. We 'do not consider this a profitable venture. If you have an orchard of your own it will require most of your time, and if you have none, it would pay you to rent an orchard and look after it rather than spray for other people. We fear you will find it. a very unsatisfactory enterprise.

2. We could not, under any conditions, recommend a price that will suit all circumstances. Trees vary so much in size that it would not be fair to set an arbitrary price. For full-grown trees, thorough spraying will require about seven gallons of the mixture for the first spray per tree, eight gallons of the mixture for the second, and nine for the third. Knowing the proportions to mix the concentrated lime-sulphur with water, it would be better to estimate after your spraying is done the price that each patron should pay you. 3. You may find it more convenient to use the ready mixed lime-sulphur solution.

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4. The commercial mixture will cost you between sixteen and eighteen cents per gallon.

5. As far as results go, there may not be any appreciable difference between the commercial and homemade solution. There is a difference, however, in the ease with which it may be applied. There is sometimes trouble from nozzles clogging and sediment in the case of homemade lime-sulphur. However, it is very largely used.

6. If you are only doing spraying on a small scale, it would not be profitable to invest in a power sprayer. If you purchase a hand-pump, we fear you will not stay with the job very long unless you are of a persistent working nature. It is a hard enough job to do for one's self. A power sprayer requires considerable outlay and investment, which is liable to bring down your profits largely. The whole aspect of the affair has a very unfavorable complexion to us, and our advice is to leave it alone.