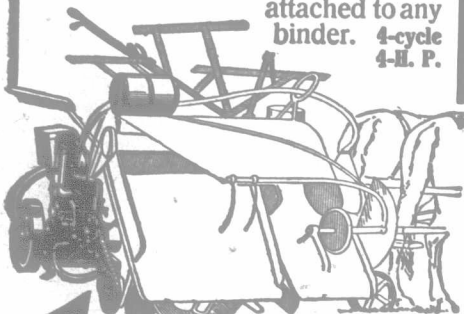


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2. If a registered sheep is killed by dogs, are you entitled to only the mutton value or their value as breeding stock?

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Ans.—1. Write W. B. Roadhouse, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, Parliament Buildings, Toronto.

2. According to the new Act the owner of the sheep is entitled to full value.

### Pneumatic Water System.

Would you kindly advise where I may get information, also who handles the pneumatic air system referred to in your paper of Oct. 19, 1916, under the heading, Automobiles, Farm Machinery and Farm Motors, sub-heading, Some Facts About Water Supply?

WM. L.

Ans.—Empire Manufacturing Co., London; National Equipment Co., 33 Wabash Ave., Toronto, and London Engine Supply Co., London, are firms manufacturing the pneumatic water systems. These firms have literature describing in detail the working of the systems they make and sell.

### Bull on Pasture—Windpuffs.

1. A and B own farms adjoining. A keeps grade cows with a grade bull running with them. B keeps the registered Shorthorn cattle. A's grade bull got through a part of the fence and served one of B's pure-bred cows. What are the laws regarding scrub bulls? Can B collect damages? How much would be reasonable? If he can, when would be the right time to do it?

2. I have a valuable young mare coming four years old. I worked her a little last winter in order to get her going good for the spring. We drew out some manure on the sleighs coming on spring with her. About a week after, when backing her out of the stall in the mornings for water, she was very stiff in her right hind leg, seemed to be up in the hip; the leg never swells. This stiffness occurs sometimes for one or two mornings and maybe then not for a week. We had not noticed it for nearly two months until lately; it has occurred about once every week when backing out of the stall. She seems to drag the leg back, cannot pick it up off the floor. When out on grass she seems all right. The first dozen steps ahead after backing she draws the leg up, which seems to catch and kind of crack. She also walks very wide for a short time. She is in good condition, has worked on grader since harvest. Could you tell me what is wrong and what to do?

3. What causes windpuff on horse's hind leg? What will take them away?

J. M.

Ans.—1. According to law, bulls are not supposed to run loose in the field, and if any damages occur the owner is liable. B can legally claim damages; the amount depending on the extent thereof, which would be the difference between the price of the grade and pure-bred calf. Such damages could be collected when definite proof can be furnished that the cows are in-calf.

2. The symptoms partially indicate sprain, or it may be partial dislocation of the patella. If the latter, keep the mare in a box stall when in the stable, and the bone will not be nearly so liable to become disarticulated. Clip the hair off the front and inside of the stifle and apply a blister made of 2 drams each of biniodide of mercury and cantharides, mixed with 2 ounces of vaseline. Rub well with the blister once daily for two days, and on the third day apply sweet oil. When the blister is on, tie the mare's head so she cannot bite it. The same blister is used for sprain.

3. Windpuffs are caused by hard work, concussion, and sprains. Bathe the puffs with ice-cold water for half an hour every morning, rub dry after bathing and apply an iodine liniment, consisting of one dram of iodine crystals to sixteen ounces of water.



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