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### Questions and Answers. Miscellaneous.

Sarsaparilla.

What is the enclosed plant? O. I. Ans.—The plant received is Aralia nudicaulis, sometimes called American or Canadian sarsaparilla. It possesses some of the properties of the plants used in medicine for sarsaparilla, but it is not now employed in the regular trade. There are makers of herb extracts in the U. S. who would probably offer from 25 to 50 cents per lb. at their factory for dried roots of this plant if collected at the time and put up in the manner that they prescribe.

Poor Soil.

I am sending a sample of soil from a field which does not produce profitable crops. Adjoining is an orchard with a number of dead trees. The soil about the roots of the dead trees is similar to the sample. What is the matter with H. C. M.

Ans.—We were unable to give the sample of soil a chemical analysis to ascertain what constituents it was composed of. However, it is acid and lacks humus besides the principle plant foods necessary to the growth and thriftiness of the plant. To ascertain the composition of the soil, send a sample to the Chemical Department, O. A. C., Guelph, or to the Experimental Farms, Ottawa.

The Comma Butterfly.

What is the enclosed specimen? A. S. Ans.—The quaint specimen sent for identification by a subscriber is the chrysalis of the Comma Butterfly. It hangs, suspended from a twig, by its tail; about half an inch long, of a dark-brown color; the head is furnished with two short horns, a prominent nose and a projecting ear on each side—at least this is what they look like. The horns contain the future antennae of the butterfly, the nose the coiled-up sucking tube and the ears the tips of the wings. The upper part of the body is decorated with two rows of golden spots (from which the name chrysalis, signifying golden, is derived) and a row on each side of four short spines. In due time there will emerge a beautiful butterfly, tawny orange in color, with the wings bordered and spotted with black, and also ornamented with a row of bright orange spots. The under side of the wings is dull in color, marbled with light and dark brown, and on the middle of the hind wings there is a silvery comma-shaped mark, which gives its name to the butterfly. The caterpillar is brownish in color variegated with yellow and armed with a series of spines. The butterfly may often be seen on warm days in September sucking the juices of fallen

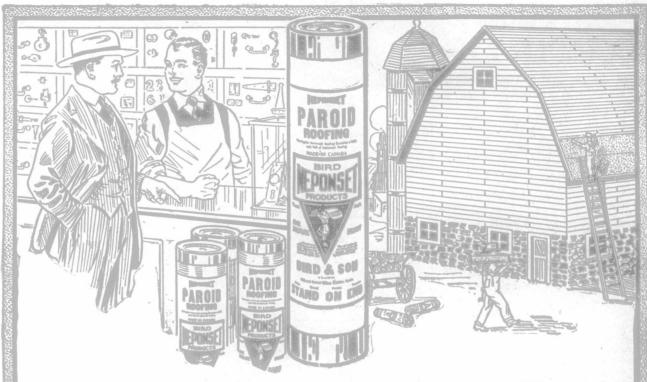
Gossip.

and rotting fruit.

A Chance to Get O. A. C. Breeding Stock.

In another column in this issue will be found the advertisement of the Ontario Agricultural College breeding stock to be disposed of by private sale. There will be no auction sale at the College this fall. All these young animals have been specially selected from the College herds and flocks, and nothing that is not right is offered. The Shorthorn bull is bred in the purple and is a fine individual. The Holstein calves are by a bull with great record backing and out of promising young cows. The pigs are right in type, breeding and quality, and the lambs are by an imported ram and out of select ewes. If in need of any of this stock see the advertisement, get prices and see the

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