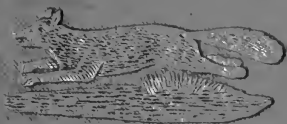


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Above all, let the puppy have plenty of liberty and exercise, avoid shutting him up, and permit him to run out all day long. If confined, his legs will become crooked, and he will soon be rendered worthless for any purpose whatever. Do not discourage him from hunting about the fields in proximity to your house, but correct him at once if he shows the slightest inclination to run after sheep, poultry, &c. This correction is important at the outset, as if applied at the earliest stage he will soon give up the bad and what might become a confirmed habit.

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THERE are about 229 packs of Foxhounds and Stag-hounds in the United Kingdom, 11 packs of Drag-hounds, and something like 239 packs of Harriers and Beagles, representing a sum total not far removed from 460. The yearly cost of maintaining a pack of foxhounds may be estimated at £1000 for each day in the week that hounds are out. Twenty-five years ago £500 per day was regarded as a fair estimate in the *provinces*, but that was when agriculture was in a more prosperous state than at present, and the expenditure has increased so rapidly during the last few years that from £900 to £1000 per hunting day in the week, *i.e.*, a pack hunting three days a week costs £3000 per annum to maintain, and one hunting four days a week, £4000, will be found more correct; a much higher standard all round being aimed at than formerly, and the price of most things having greatly increased. In the *shires* half as much more may be added to the sums quoted above, and the estimate will be still found to be within the mark. The yearly cost, therefore, of hunting 200 packs of foxhounds and stag-hounds alone, consisting of some

9,000 COUPLES

of hounds, and hunting on an average rather

less than three days per week, must and does undoubtedly exceed

£550,000,

whilst that of the 189 packs of harriers and beagles, amounting to at least

3,500 COUPLES OF HOUNDS,

cannot, according to the computation of an acknowledged harrier authority, be far short of

£100,000.

These figures are no mere estimates, but are based on an accurate knowledge of the exact cost of many packs during the past 25 years, and are certainly not over the mark. When we come to consider the money expended by various followers of the hunt on their horses, the forage of these horses, their own and their servants' clothing, their horse clothing, their saddles, veterinary and stable requisites, the figures reach almost beyond comprehension, for we find there must be a total of nearly

200,000 HUNTERS,

costing something like

£12,000,000,

and necessitating an annual expenditure of at least

£8,000,000.

These figures almost take one's breath away, but they are indeed eloquent, proving as they do beyond a shade of a shadow of a doubt how

inimical to the true interests of their country are the antagonists of fox-hunting. Proving, too, how constant and incessant must be the circulation of money throughout a hunting district, how beneficial to the Agriculturist the constant needs of a foxhunter, and what a dearth, what a grim blank, what a wilderness that country would be were the pursuit of the fox (a hardy and manly sport with just a spice of danger), ever to become a thing of the past, and the country gentlemen of England compelled to migrate to other and far distant climes in search of the sport they have been accustomed to find in a district with which they have had a life-long association.

If once we efface the joys of the chase  
From the land, and outroot the stud,  
Good-bye to the Anglo-Saxon race,  
Farewell to the Norman blood.—*Lindsay Gordon.*

Since this article was penned South Africa has witnessed a bloody conflict, which has proved beyond question the truth of poor Lindsay Gordon's lines. No body of men ever did greater service to their country in time of war than the British Yeoman, composed in the most part, of men who acquired their dash and horsemanship in the rough and tumble school of following hounds, whilst had it not been for our innate love of horse breeding and hunting, we would never have been able to put into the field a number of remounts out of all proportion to the size of the British Isles.

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PHEASANTS ...	Feb 2 & Sept 30	Feb 2 & Sept 30	Feb 2 & Sept 30
WILD BIRDS ...	Mar 2 & July 31	Mar 2 & July 31	Mar 2 & July 31
HARES ...	None	None	April 21 & Aug 11

\* In Somerset, Devon, and the New Forest 11th December and 31st August.

## Hints for those who follow Hounds.

Kindly contributed by Mr. W. H. A. Wharton, M.F.H  
and others.

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On hounds breaking covert do not be too eager to press them at the start, but give them time to get together, and settle to their fox. If there is a good scent, and they get settled down with a good head in the first field, you may do your best to live with them. If, however, scent is indifferent, keep some distance off hounds, and ride either to the right or left of them, and not directly in their wake.

At a check, STAND STILL, and do not follow the huntsman round when making his cast, as if for some reason, such as a bit of bad scenting ground, presence of sheep, cattle, etc., he does not hit his fox off, and wants to make a wider cast round, the "field" will, by moving about, cause him to have to cover so much more ground, by which means much valuable time will be lost.

When hounds are either casting themselves or being cast, always turn your horse's head in the direction they are going, never look them in the face, unless you wish to stop them either from running heel or riot.

Always make way for hounds; and drop your thong when they are passing you, so as to keep them off your horse's heels.

Always make way for a hunt servant, remembering it is his duty to be with his hounds, and ever be ready to assist him, instead of impeding his efforts to promote sport.

If you are in an open country do not holloa when you see a fox, but hold up your hat. A holloa is very likely to get hounds heads up, which is much easier than getting them down again.

Always look on farmers as the best friend to foxhunting, and study their interests as if they were your own, by not unnecessarily riding over their crops, breaking their fences, and leaving their gates open and so letting their stock out.

Buy all your horses forage, if possible, and young horses too, *if you can find them*, direct from the nearest farmer who produces them; if you cannot find them at home, you must, of course, look further afield.

The following sums up the whole, and should be committed to memory :—

- 1.—Ride wide of hounds when running.
- 2.—Stand still when they check, so as to give the huntsman time to complete his cast.
- 3.—Not to jump fences when hounds are not running.
- 4.—Not to ride over growing crops.
- 5.—Not to leave gates open.
- 6.—Treat occupiers of land and others with the consideration that is due to them.

## FARM ACCOUNTS.

Every person, engaging in business transactions, should, for his own protection, keep simple, but accurate accounts. With a view to assisting the farmer generally and in obtaining remission of Income Tax under Schedule B, where a loss can be shown, the following form of account is suggested, the date of each transaction being noted down at the time:—

### RETURN

PAYMENTS.	£ s. d.	RECEIPTS.	£ s. d.
Live Stock Purchased ..		Live Stock Sold ..	
Corn and Seeds ; ; ..		Corn and Seeds " ..	
Feeding Stuffs " ..		Dairy Produce " ..	
Manures " ..		Other Produce, ..	
Rent .. ——— ..		Wool, &c. " ..	
Rates .. ——— ..		Produce Consumed at ..	
Labour .. ——— ..		Home " .. ..	
Tradesmen's Accounts ..		Sundry Receipts. not } ..	
Sundries .. .. ..		included in above }	
Total		Total	

## A Few suggestions kindly forwarded by a Farmer.

**P**OULTRY not secured or left out at night is fair food for foxes *or any vermin*. Lambs should be folded at nights until they are 10 days old. Many perish from exposure to wet which they are unable to stand, whilst others are killed by "stray" dogs, but seldom, if ever by foxes, though deaths are sometimes thoughtlessly attributed to them, and if a lamb is worth half the value some set on him he is worth ordinary care. Some farmers, especially in the south, attach a bell to one or two of the ewes, whilst others burn an oil lamp at the cost of a 1d. a night in the field in which the lambs are folded, and one hunting farmer, who has tried it for years, assures me that a red ribbon tied round the necks of lambs secures their absolute immunity.

It is not advisable to let out poultry too early in the morning. The wet grass is harmful to young turkeys, chickens, etc., and foxes, stoats, rats, etc., are on prowl from 5 to 7 a.m.

If a turkey sits in the open a bit of wire-netting run round the nest will generally preserve it.

Very slight care prevents much loss in many ways and the accompanying annoyance, especially at a night time.

The natural food of foxes consists of rabbits and rats, and a well-known M.F.H., who recently purchased an estate which was overrun with rats and harboured few foxes, tells me that as foxes have increased rats have died out almost altogether. Rats it may be remembered are very destructive to poultry, whilst foxes more frequently than not get the blame.



## BARBED WIRE.

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SOME 26 years ago the writer called attention to the readers of the *Field* newspapers of the serious danger to, and impediment in the way of fox-hunting, owing to the prevalence of barbed wire in certain countries, and the necessity of combating in some measure the growing abuse.

In some districts remedies have been devised ; in others nothing has been done, but it behoves all lovers of the chase to bestir themselves, for just imagine the serious loss that may be inflicted on a country in consequence of fox-hunting being abandoned owing to the—I will not say selfishness—but rather, want of thought on the part of a few persons in running a strand of hidden barbed wire through the middle of their fences. “ A heavy responsibility indeed,” to quote a well-known writer\* in the *Daily Telegraph*, “ lies at the door of all those who either from wanton motives, or what they in their unnatural shortsightedness, may be pleased to term conscientious scruples, may be the means of transferring innumerable blessings which tens of thousands amongst the poorer classes derive each recurring hunting season from the sojourn of wealthy visitors in their

\* Mr. H. S. Davenport, to whom the author's thanks are due.

idst into other and more distant channels. No farmer would deliberately place this trap in the way of huntsmen ; it is, as a rule, done thoughtlessly or carelessly, and “conciliation, not threats,” is the course to be adopted, all agriculturalists being amenable to reason and to argument, and what cannot be accomplished by trouble and tact cannot be effected at all.

During the past years letters have been received from eminent Veterinary Surgeons calling particular attention to the poisonous and dangerous nature of wounds caused to horses and cattle by barbed wire that has become rusty by long standing.

I say, therefore, “Farmers ! do not forget the *dangers* of barbed wire ! and Followers of the hunt ! respect the farmers’ wheat and seeds, avoiding any *unnecessary* damage, however slight, and *both remember* that you are working to a common end, viz. :—your mutual enjoyment and prosperity.”

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Croome Hunt ... ..	9	10	3
Cotley Hunt ... ..	7	7	0
Crawley and Horsham Hunt ... ..	52	10	0
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Dunston Harriers ... ..	9	5	6
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Hertfordshire Hunt Point to Point... ..	10	0	0
Hertfordshire Hunt Club ... ..	2	2	0
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29 Mon. *○ Lunch, Melrose 11-30*  
*Practise 6*  
*Man*

30 Tues. *Mr. Birds. 7*  
*Practise 6*

JULY—1912.

31 Wed.

AUGUST—1912.\*

1 Thurs.

2 Fri. Practise 8.

3 Sat.

4 Sun.

5 Mon.

Newton = St. Oswald's Bay

6 Tues. (

Ripson

AUGUST—1912.

7 Wed. Chori to Cannon

9.12 St. John's. Return 7.50

8 Thurs.

Marble. Woodstock

9 Fri.

~~Haystack~~ Alec Park

10 Sat.

Haystack

11 Sun.

12 Mon. ●

Haystack.

13 Tues.

## AUGUST—1912.

14 Wed. Red cars

15 Thurs. Red cars

16 Fri. Pracha &

17 Sat. Yeasham Abbey

18 Sun.

19 Mon ) Kirby moor side

20 Tues. <sup>Stockton</sup>  
Kirby moor side



AUGUST—1912.

21 Wed.

Stockton  
Kirby moor side

22 Thurs.

Stockton  
Kirby moor side

23 Fri.

Kirby moor side

24 Sat.

Kirby moor side

25 Sun.

26 Mon.

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27 Tues.

○ York

AUGUST—1912.

28 Wed.

*York*

29 Thurs.

*York*

30 Fri.

31 Sat.

SEPTEMBER—1912.

1 Sun.

2 Mon.

3 Tues

*Opening of Club*

*7-30.*

SEPTEMBER—1912.

4 Wed. C

5 Thurs

6 Fri.

7 Sat.

8 Sun.

9 Mon. Mac Swane's

10 Tues. Doncaster

SEPTEMBER - 1912.

11 Wed. ● Doncaster

12 Thurs. Doncaster

13 Fri. Doncaster

14 Sat.

15 Sun.

16 Mon.

17 Tues.

SEPTEMBER—1912.

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22 Sun.

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24 Tues.

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SEPTEMBER—1912.

25 Wed. Pontefract

26 Thurs. ○ Pontefract  
Wharfedale:

27 Fri. Thurns

28 Sat. Thurns

29 Sun.

30 Mon.

1 Tues. ~~I-Black~~ OCTOBER—1912.

OCTOBER—1912.

2 Wed.

3 Thurs. *( Messes*

4 Fri.

5 Sat.

6 Sun.

7 Mon.

8 Tues.

OCTOBER—1912.

9 Wed.

10 Thurs. ●

11 Fri.

12 Sat.

13 Sun.

14 Mon.

15 Tues. *Concord Club Concert.*



OCTOBER—1912.

16 Wed.

17 Thurs.

Danby Festival

18 Fri.

) Danby.

19 Sat.

20 Sun.

21 Mon.

22 Tues.

OCTOBER - 1912.

23 Wed.

24 Thurs.

25 Fri.

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26 Sat. ○

27 Sun.

28 Mon.

29 Tues.

OCTOBER—1912.

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31 Thurs.

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NOVEMBER—1912.

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1 Fri.

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3 Sun.

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4 Mon.

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5 Tues.

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# INCOME AND WAGES TABLE.

Per Year	Per Mth.		Per Week		Per Day		Per Year		Per Month.		Per Week		Per Day		Per Year		Per Month		Per Week		Per Day						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
1 0	1	8	0	0	4	0	0	8	10	0	14	2	3	1	0	50	0	4	3	4	0	19	2	0	2	9	
1 10	2	6	0	0	7	0	0	9	0	15	0	3	5	1	0	60	0	5	0	0	1	8	1	0	3	8	
2 0	3	4	0	0	9	0	0	11	0	16	8	3	10	1	0	70	0	6	16	8	1	6	11	0	3	10	
2 10	4	2	0	0	11	0	0	13	0	18	4	4	12	0	0	80	0	6	13	4	1	10	9	0	4	4	
3 0	5	0	0	0	13	0	1	15	0	0	0	4	7	0	0	90	0	7	10	0	1	14	7	0	4	11	
3 10	5	10	0	0	14	0	1	16	0	1	8	5	0	0	0	100	0	8	6	8	1	18	5	0	5	5	
4 0	6	8	0	0	16	0	1	18	0	1	5	5	4	0	0	200	0	9	13	4	3	16	11	0	10	11	
4 10	7	6	1	8	1	8	0	20	0	1	6	5	9	0	0	300	0	9	16	4	5	15	4	0	16	5	
5 0	8	4	1	11	2	8	0	22	0	1	6	6	1	0	0	400	0	10	8	7	13	10	1	1	1	11	
5 10	9	2	2	1	1	8	0	24	0	1	8	6	6	1	0	500	0	11	4	9	12	8	1	7	4	4	
6 0	10	0	2	3	0	4	0	26	0	1	10	0	6	11	0	600	0	11	0	11	10	9	1	12	10	4	
6 10	10	10	2	8	0	4	0	28	0	1	11	8	7	3	0	700	0	1	0	0	11	10	9	2	1	18	4
7 0	11	8	2	8	0	4	0	30	0	1	13	4	8	3	0	800	0	1	1	1	13	9	2	1	18	4	
7 10	12	6	2	10	0	5	0	32	0	2	10	0	11	6	0	900	0	1	1	7	15	6	1	2	9	3	
8 0	13	4	-3	1	0	5	0	40	0	3	6	8	15	4	0	1000	0	2	2	2	18	4	7	2	14	9	

If the Wages be guineas, add 1d. per month, or 1d. per week for each guinea.

# TABLE OF DISCOUNTS.

Per Cent.	In the £		Per Cent.		In the £		Per Cent.		In the £	
	s.	d.	Per Cent.	In the £	Per Cent.	In the £	Per Cent.	In the £	Per Cent.	In the £
2½	0	6	5	2	17½	3	25	5	40	8
3	0	7½	6	2	20	4	30	6	45	9
4	0	9½	7½	3	22½	4	35	7	50	10

# Marketing Table—Ready Reckoner.

No.	1d		2d		3d		4d		5d		6d		7d		8d		9d		10d		11d	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
3	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
4	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
5	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
6	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
7	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
8	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
9	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
10	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
11	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
12	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
13	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
14	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
15	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
16	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
17	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
18	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
19	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
20	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
21	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
22	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
23	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
24	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
25	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
26	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
27	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10
28	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	3	0	4	0	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	0	9	0	10

# WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

## *Troy Weight.*

Grains	4.....	1 Carat
	24.....	1 Pennyweight
	480.....	20..... 1 Ounce
	5,760.....	240.....12.....1 Pound

## *Avoirdupois Weight.*

Drams	16.....	1 Ounce
	256.....	16..... 1 Pound
	7,168.....	448.....28..... 1 Quar.
	28,672.....	1,792..... 112..... 4..... 1 Cwt
	573,440.....	35,840.....2,240 .....80.....20..... 1 Ton

By Act of Parliament the stone weight is 14lb. and 8 stone to the cwt.; and no contract is valid if otherwise made.

## *Apothecaries' Weight.*

Grains	24.....	1 Scruple
	60.....	3.....1 Drachm
	480.....	24.....8.....1 Ounce
	5,760.....	288..... 96..... 12.....1 Pound

Medical Men use this weight in mixing medicines, but buy and sell simple Drugs by Avoirdupois weight.

## *Cloth Measure.*

Inches	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ .....	1 Nail
	9 .....	4.....1 Quarter of a yard
	36 .....	16.....4.....1 Yard
	27 .....	12.....3.....1 Flemish Ell
	45 .....	20.....5.....1 English Ell

## *Liquid Measure—Wine*

Pints	2.....	1 Quart
	8.....	4..... 1 Gallon
	504.....	252.....63..... 1 Hogshead
	672.....	336.....84..... 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ .....1 Punchon
	1,008.....	504..... 126..... 2 .....1 $\frac{1}{2}$ .....1 Pie
	2,016...	1,008..... 252..... 4 .....3 .....2 .....1 Ton

# Weights and Measures.—Continued.

## Liquid Measure—Beer.

Quarts 4.....	1 Gallon
36.....9.....	1 Firkin
72... 18.....2.....	1 Kilderkin
144... 36.....4.....2.....	1 Barrel
216... 54.....6.....3.....1½.....	1 Hogshead
288... 72.....8.....4.....2.....1½.....	1 Punchn
432...108... 12.....6.....3.....2.....1½.....	1 Butt

## Dry Measure.

2 pints .....	1 quart	4 bush .....	1 sack
2 qts. ....	1 pottle	8 bush .....	1 qtr.
2 pots.....	1 gall.	4 qtrs. ....	1 chd.
2 galls. ....	1 peck	5 ptrs. ....	1 wey.
4 pecks .....	1 bush	10 qtrs. ....	1 last
2 bush .....	1 strik		

## Solid or Cube Measure.

1728 inches.....	1 solid foot
27 feet .....	1 yard
40 feet unhewn .....	} 1 ton
50 feet hewn timber .....	
108 feet.....	1 stack of wood
128 feet.....	1 cord wood

## Long Measure.

3 barleycorns.....	1 inch	5½ yards .....	1 pole
4 inch .....	1 hand	4 poles .....	1 chain
10 inch .....	1 span	40 poles .....	1 furg.
12 inch .....	1 foot	8 furlongs .....	1 mile
3 feet .....	1 yard	3 miles .....	1 leag.
5 feet.....	1 pace	60 miles .....	1 deg
6 feet.....	1 fath.		

## Square or Land Measure.

144 in. ....	1 sq. ft.	4 roods or } 1 acre	
9 ft. ....	1 sq. yd.	4840 sq. yd. }	
272½ ft. ....	1 rod bk	640 acres .....	1 sq. mile
100 ft. ....	1 sq. fl.	30 acres .....	1 yd. land
16 poles .....	1 chain	100 acres .....	1 hide land
40 poles .....	1 rood	40 hides .....	1 barony

# POSTAL INFORMATION.

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## INLAND LETTERS.

Not exceeding 4 oz.....1d. each  
" 6 oz.....1½d. "  
" 8 oz.....2d. "  
And so on—the rate of a ½d. for every 2 oz. or  
fraction thereof.

*Limit.*—Letters must not exceed 24 by 12 by 12 inches unless to or from a Government Office.

*Re-Direction.*—No charge for re-direction of letters if re-posted within 24 hours after delivery

## REGISTERED LETTERS—

Fee .....	2d.	3d.	4d.	5d.	6d.	7d.	8d.	9d.
Limit of Com- pensation. }	£5	£20	£40	£60	£80	£100	£120	£140

LETTER CARDS—1d. each.

POST CARDS—½d. each.

Reply Post Cards—1d. each.

REGISTERED NEWSPAPERS—Each ½d.

TELEGRAMS—12 words (including addresses of sender and receiver), 6d.; every additional word, ½d.

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## INLAND BOOK POST.

½d. for every 2 oz. or part thereof.

*Limit*—Length, 24 in., width, 12 in., depth, 12 in.

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## INLAND PARCEL POST.

Not exceeding 1 lb. 3d., and a 1d. for every additional lb. up to 11 lbs. (1s.) which is the limit of weight.

*Size*—Greatest length allowed, 3 ft. 6 in. Greatest length and girth combined 6 ft.



## Postal Information.—Continued.

### INLAND POSTAL ORDERS.

6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., 2s., 2s. 6d. ....	½d. each.
3s. to 15s. in multiples of 6d .....	1d. ,,
15s. 6d. to 21s. ....	1½d. ,,

Broken amounts to the extent of 5d. can be made up by affixing postage stamps to the face of the order.

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### INLAND MONEY ORDERS.

The scale of charges on the issue of Inland Money Orders is as follows:—

	Poundage
For sums not exceeding £1 .....	2d.
„ exceeding £1 and not exceeding £3,	3d.
„ „ £3 „ „ £10,	4d.

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### FOREIGN and COLONIAL POSTAGE.

**LETTER POSTAGE.**—The charge for letters *through, out the British Empire* and to *Egypt* is 1d. per ounce, except to a few small islands, to which the charge is 2½d. for the first ounce and 1½d. per ounce afterwards.

The charge to *all foreign countries* is 2½d. for the first ounce and 1½d. per ounce afterwards.

POST CARDS, 1d. Reply, 2d.

REGISTERED NEWSPAPERS, ½d. every 2 oz.

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN MONEY ORDERS:—

	Poundage
For sums not exceeding £1.....	3d.
„ „ „ £2.....	6d.
For every additional amount not exceeding £2 up to and including £40.....	3d

# BREEDER'S TABLE,

Useful alike to owners of horses,  
huntsmen, and farmers.

Giving period of gestation, and date of production from time of service.

Time of Service	MARES 840 Days	COWS 288 Days	EWES 150 Days	SOWS 112 Days	BITCHES 63 Days
Jan. 1	Dec. 6	Oct. 10	May 80	April 22	March 4
— 15	— 20	— 24	June 13	May 6	— 18
— 29	Jan. 3	Nov. 7	— 27	— 20	April 1
Feb. 12	— 17	— 21	July 11	June 8	— 15
— 26	— 31	Dec. 5	— 25	— 17	— 29
March 12	Feb. 14	— 19	August 8	July 1	May 18
— 26	— 28	Jan. 2	— 22	— 15	— 27
April 9	March 14	— 16	Sept. 5	— 29	June 10
— 23	— 28	— 30	— 19	— 12	— 24
— 7	April 11	Feb. 13	October 3	August 12	July 8
— 21	— 25	— 27	— 17	— 26	— 22
— 4	May 9	March 13	— 31	Sept. 9	— 5
— 18	— 23	— 27	Nov. 14	— 23	August 19
— 2	June 6	April 10	— 28	October 7	— 2
— 16	— 20	— 24	Dec. 12	— 21	Sept. 16
— 30	July 4	May 8	— 26	Nov. 4	— 30
— 13	— 18	— 22	Jan. 9	Dec. 2	— 14
— 27	August 1	June 5	— 23	— 16	Oct. 28
— 10	— 15	— 19	Feb. 6	— 30	Nov. 11
— 24	— 29	— 3	March 20	Jan. 13	— 25
October 8	Sept. 12	July 17	— 6	— 27	Dec. 9
— 22	— 26	— 31	March 6	Feb. 10	— 23
— 6	Oct. 10	August 14	— 20	— 24	Jan. 6
— 19	— 24	— 28	April 3	March 10	— 20
— 3	Nov. 7	Sept. 11	May 17	— 24	Feb. 3
— 17	— 21	— 25	— 1	April 7	— 17
— 31	Dec. 5	October 9	— 29	— 31	March 4

## WINNERS OF THE DERBY.

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1780	Sir C. Banbury's Diomed.....	S. Arnall
1781	Mr. O. Kelly's Y. Eclipse .....	Hindley
1782	Lord Egremont's Assassin .....	S. Arnall
1783	Mr. Parker's Saltram.....	Hinley
1784	Mr. O'Kelly's Sergeant.....	J. Arnall
1785	Lord Clermont's Aimwell .....	Hindley
1786	Mr. Panton's Noble .....	J. White
1787	Lord Derby's Sir Peter Teazle .....	S. Arnall
1788	Prince of Wales's Sir Thomas .....	W. South
1789	Duke of Bedford's Skyscraper .....	Chifney, sen
1790	Lord Grosvenor's Rhadamanthus .....	J. Arnall
1791	Duke of Bedford's Eager .....	Stephenson
1792	Lord Grosvenor's John Bull .....	Buckle
1793	Sir F. Poole's Waxy .....	Clift
1794	Lord Grosvenor's Dælus .....	Buckle
1795	Sir F. Standish's Spread Eagle .....	A. Wheatley
1796	Sir F. Standish's Didelot.....	J. Arnall
1797	Duke of Bedford's c by Fidget .....	J. Singleton
1798	Mr. Cookson's Sir Harry .....	S. Arnall
1799	Sir F. Standish's Archduke .....	J. Arnall
1800	Mr. Wilson's Champion .....	Clift
1801	Sir C. Banbury's Eleanor .....	Saunders
1802	Duke of Grafton's Tyrant .....	Buckle
1803	Sir H. Williamson's ditto .....	Clift
1804	Lord Egremont's Hannibal .....	W. Arnall
1805	ditto Cardinal Beaufort .....	Fitzpatrick
1806	Lord Foley's Paris .....	Shepherd
1807	Lord Egremont's Election .....	J. Arnall
1808	Sir H. Williamson's Pau .....	Collinson
1809	Duke of Grafton's Pope .....	Goodison
1810	Duke of Grafton's Whalebone .....	Clift
1811	Mr. J. Kelly's Phantom .....	Buckle
1812	Lord Ladbroke's Octavius .....	W. Arnall
1813	Sir C. Banbury's Smolensko .....	Goodison
1814	Lord Stawell's Blucher.....	W. Arnall
1815	Duke of Grafton's Whisker .....	Goodison
1816	Duke of York's Prince Leopold.....	Wheatley
1817	Mr. Payne's Azor.....	Robinson
1818	Mr. Thornhill's Sam .....	F. Chifney
1819	Duke of Portland's Tiresias .....	Clift

## WINNERS OF THE DERBY (Continued)

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1820	Mr. Thornhill's Sailor .....	S. Chifney
1821	Mr. Hunter's Gustavus .....	S. Day
1822	Duke of York's Moses .....	Goodison
1823	Mr. Udney's Emilius .....	Buckle
1824	Sir J. Shelley's Cedric .....	Robinson
1825	Lord Jersey's Midleton.....	Robinson
1826	Lord Egremont's Lapdog .....	Dockeray
1827	Lord Jersey's Mameduke.....	Robinson
1828	Duke of Rutland's Cadland .....	Robinson
1829	Mr. Gratwicke's Frederick .....	Forth
1830	Mr. Chifney's Priam .....	S. Day
1831	Lord Lowther's Spaniel .....	Wheatley
1832	Mr. Ridsdale's St. Giles .....	Scott
1833	Mr. Sadler's Dangerous .....	Chapple
1834	Mr. Bateson's Plenipotentiary .....	Conolly
1835	Mr. Bowes's Mundig .....	Scott
1836	Lord Jersey's Bay Middleton.....	Robinson
1837	Lord Berner's Phosphorus .....	G. Edwards
1838	Sir G. Heathcote's Amato .....	Chapple
1839	Mr. W. Ridsdale's Bloomsbury .....	Templeman
1840	Mr. Robinson's Little Wonder .....	Macdonald
1841	Mr. Rawlinson's Coronation ..	Conolly
1842	Col. Anson's Attila.....	Scott
1843	Mr. Bowes's Cotherstone .....	Scott
1844	Col. Peel's Orlando.....	Flatman
1845	Mr. Gratwicke's Merry Monarch ...	F. Bell
1846	Mr. Gully's Pyrrhus the First .....	S. Lay
1847	Mr. Pedley's Cossack.....	Templeman
1848	Lord Clifden's Surplice .....	Templeman
1849	Lord Eglinton's Flying Dutchman	Marlow
1850	Lord Zetland's Voltigeur .....	J. Marson
1851	Sir J. Hawley's Teddington .....	J. Marson
1852	Mr. Bowes's Daniel O'Rourke .....	F. Butler
1853	Mr. Bowes's West Australian .....	F. Butler
1854	Mr. Gully's Andover .....	A. Day
1855	Mr. Popham's Wild Dayrell .....	R. Sherwood
1856	Adml. Harcourt's Ellington .....	Aldcroft
1857	Mr. W. I'Anson's Blink Bonny .....	Charlton
1858	Sir J. Hawley's Headsman .....	Wells
1859	Sir J. Hawley's Musjid .....	Wells

## WINNERS OF THE DERBY (Continued)

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1860	Mr. Merry's Thormanby .....	Custance
1861	Colonel Towneley's Kettledrum ...	Bullock
1862	Mr. C. Snewing's Caractacus.....	J. Parsons
1863	Mr. R. C. Naylor's Macaroni .....	T. Chaloner
1864	Mr. W. P'Anson's Blair Athol.....	T. Snowden
1865	Count de Lagrange's Gladiateur ...	H Grimshaw
1866	Mr. Sutton's Lord Lyon .....	Custance
1867	Mr. H. Chaplin's Hermit .....	J. Daley
1868	Sir J. Hawley's Blue Gown.....	Wells
1869	Mr. J. Johnstone's Pretender .....	J. Osborne
1870	Lord Falmouth's Kingcraft .....	T. French
1871	Baron Rothschild's Favonius .....	T. French
1872	Mr. Savile's Cremorne .....	Maidment
1873	Mr. Merry's Doncaster .....	F. Webb
1874	Mr. Cartwright's George Frederick	Custance
1875	Prince Batthyany's Galopin .....	Morris
1876	Mr. A. Baltazzi's Kisber. ....	Maidment
1877	Lord Falmouth's Silvio.....	F. Archer
1878	Mr. Crawford's Sefton .....	Constable
1879	Mr. Acton's Sir Bevy's .....	Fordham
1880	Duke of Westminster's Bend Or ...	F. Archer
1881	Mr. Lorrillard's Iroquois .....	F. Archer
1882	Duke of Westminster's Shotover...	T. Cannon
1883	Sir F. Johnstone's St. Blaise .....	C. Wood
	Mr. J. Hammond's St. Gatien .....	C. Wood
1884	Sir J. Willoughby's Harvester .....	S. Loates
1885	Lord Hasting's Melton .....	F. Archer
1886	Duke of Westminster's Ormonde...	F. Archer
1887	Mr. Abington's Merry Hampton ...	J. Watts
1888	Duke of Portland's Ayrshire .....	F. Barrett
1889	Duke of Portland's Donovan .....	T. Loates
1890	Sir James Miller's Sainfoin .....	J. Watts
1891	Sir F. Johnstone's Common .....	G. Barrett
1892	Lord Bradford's Sir Hugo .....	Allsopp
1893	Mr. H. McCalmont's Isinglass .....	T. Loates
1894	Lord Rosebery's Ladas.....	J. Watts
1895	Lord Rosebery's Sir Visto .....	S. Loates
1896	H.R.H. the Prince of Wales's Persimmon...	J. Watts
1897	Mr. Gubbins's Galtee More .....	C. Wood

## WINNERS OF THE DERBY (Continued)

1898	Mr. J. Larnach's Jeddah .....	O. Madden
1899	Duke of Westminster's Flying Fox	M. Cannon
	Diamond Jubilee...	H. Jones
1900	H.R.H. the Prince of Wales's	
1901	Mr W C Whitney's Volodyovski ...	L Reiff
1902	Mr J Gubbin's Ard Patrick .....	J H Martin
1903	Sir J Miller's Rock Sand .....	Maher
1904	Mr L de Rothschild's St Amant ...	K Cannon
1905	Lord Rosebery's Cicero .....	D Maher
1906	Maj. Eustace Loder's Spearmint...	D Maher
1907	Mr. Boss Croker's Orby .....	J. Reiff
1908	Chevalier Ginistrelli's	
	Signorinetta...	Bullock
1909	His Majesty's Minoru .....	H Jones
1910	Mr. Fairie's Lemberg .....	B. Dillon
1911	Mr, J. B. Joel's Sunstar .....	G. Stern

## WINNERS OF THE ST. LEGER.

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1776	Lord Rockingham's Allabaculia ...	J Cade
1777	Mr Sotheron's Bourbon .....	J Singleton
1778	Sir T Gascoigne's Hollandaise .....	G Hearon
1779	Mr Stapleton's Tommy.....	G Lowry, sen
1780	Mr Betheli's Ruler .....	Mangle
1781	Colonel Radcliffe's Serina .....	Forster
1782	Mr Pratt's Imperatrix .....	Searle
1783	Sir J L Kaye's Phenomenon .....	Hall
1784	Mr Coates's Omphale.....	Kirton
1785	Mr Hill's Cowslip.....	Searle
1786	Lord A Hamilton's Paragon .....	Mangle
1787	Lord A Hamilton's Spadilie .....	Mangle
1788	Lord A Hamilton's Young Flora ...	Mangle
1789	Lord Fitzwilliam's Pewett .....	Singleton
1790	Mr Dealtry's Ambidexter .....	Searle
1791	Mr Hutchinson's Y Traveller .....	Jackson
1792	Lord A Hamilton's Tartar .....	Mangle
1793	Mr Clifton's Ninety-three .....	Pierse
1794	Mr Hutchinson's Beningbrough ...	Jackson
1795	Sir C Turner's Hambletonian .....	Boyes
1796	Mr Cookson's Ambrosio .....	Jackson

## WINNERS OF THE ST. LEGER (Continued)

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1797	Mr G Crompton's Lounger.....	Shepherd
1798	Sir T Gascoigne's Symmetry .....	Jackson
1799	Sir H T Vane's Cockfighter.....	Field
1800	Mr Wilson's Champion .....	Buckle
1801	Mr G Crompton's Quiz .....	Shepherd
1802	Lord Fitzwilliam's Orville .....	Singleton, Jr
1803	Lord Strathmore's Remembrancer	B Smith
1804	Mr Mellis's Sancho .....	Buckle
1805	Mr Mellish's Staveley .....	Jackson
1806	Mr Clifton's Fyldener .....	Carr
1807	Lord Fitzwilliam's Paulina .....	Clift
1808	Duke of Hamilton's Peironius .....	B Smith
1809	Duke of Hamilton's Ashton .....	B Smith
1810	Duke of Leed's Octaviau .....	Clift
1811	Mr Gascoigne's Soothsayer .....	B Smith
1812	Mr Rob's Otterington .....	Johnson
1813	Mr Watt's Altisidora .....	Jackson
1814	Duke of Hamilton's William.....	Shepher
1815	Sir W Maxwell's Filho da Puta.....	Jackson
1816	Sir B R Graham's Duchess.....	B Smith
1817	Mr Pierse's Ebor .....	Johnson
1818	Mr Pierse's Reveller... ..	Johnson
1819	Mr Furguson's Antonio .....	Nicholson
1820	Sir E Smith's St Patrick .....	J Johnson
1821	T O Powlett's Jack Spigol .....	W Scott
1822	Mr Peter's Theodore .....	Jackson
1823	Mr Watt's Barefoot .....	Goodison
1824	Mr Gascoigne's Jerry .....	B Smith
1825	Mr Watt's Mendon .....	W Scott
1826	Lord Scarborough's Tarrare .....	Nelson
1827	Mr Petre's Matilda.....	J Robinson
1828	Mr Petre's The Colonel .....	W Scott
1829	Mr Petre's Rowton .....	W Scott
1830	Mr Beardsworth's Birmingham ...	P Conolly
1831	Lord Cleveland's Chorister.....	J B Day
1832	Mr Gully's Margrave .....	J Robinson
1833	Mr Watt's Rockingham .....	Darling
1834	Lord Westminster's Touchstone ...	Calloway
1835	Mr Mostyn's Queen of Trumps ...	Lye
1836	Lord Lichfield's Elis .....	J Day

# WINNERS OF THE ST. LEGER (Continued)

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1837	Mr Greville's Mango .....	S Day, jun
1838	Lord Chesterfield's Don John .....	W Scott
1839	Major Yarburgh's Charles XII .....	W Scott
1840	Lord Westminster's Launcelot.....	W Scott
1841	Lord Westminster's Satirist .....	W Scott
1842	Lord Eglinton's Blue Bonnet.....	Lye
1843	Mr S Wrather's Nutwith .....	J Marson
1844	Mr E J Irwin's Faugh .....	H Bell
1845	Mr Watt's The Baron .....	F Butler
1846	Mr W Scott's Sir Tatton Sykes.....	W Scott
1847	Lord Eglinton's Van Tromp .....	J Marson
1848	Lord Clifden's Surplice.....	Flatman
1849	Lord Eglinton's Flying Dutchman	Marlow
1850	Lord Zetland's Voltigeur.....	J Marson
1851	Mr Nichol's Newminster... ..	Templeman
1852	Lord Exeter's Stockwell .....	Norman
1853	Mr Bowes' West Australian .....	F Butler
1854	Mr Morris's Knight of St George...	Basham
1855	Mr T Parr's Saucebox .....	Wells
1856	Mr Nichol's Warlock .....	Flatman
1857	Mr J Scott's Imperieuse .....	Flatman
1858	Mr J Merry's Sunbeam .....	L Snowden
1859	Sir C Monck's Gamester .....	Aldcroft
1860	Lord Ailesbury's St Alban's .....	L Snowden
1861	Mr W I'Anson's Caller Ou .....	T Chaloner
1862	Mr S Hawke's The Marquis .....	T Chaloner
1863	Lord St Vincent's Lord Clifden ...	J Osborne
1864	Mr I'Anson's Blair Athol.....	J Snowden
1865	Count F de Lagrange's Gladiateur	H Grimshaw
1866	Mr Sutton's Lord Lyon.....	Custance
1867	Colonel Pearson's Achievement ...	T Chaloner
1868	Mr Graham's Formosa .....	T Chaloner
1869	Sir J Hawley's Pero Gomez .....	Wells
1870	Mr T V Morgan's Hawthornden ...	J Grimshaw
1871	Baron Rothschild's Hannah .....	Maidment
1872	Lord Wilton's Wenlock .....	Maidment
1873	Mr Merry's Marie Stuart.....	T Osborne
1874	Mr Launde's Apology .....	J Osborne
1875	Mr W S Crawford's Craigmillar ...	T Chaloner
1876	Lord Dupplin's Petrach .....	J Goater



# WINNERS OF THE ST. LEGER (Continued)

<i>Year</i>		<i>Jockey</i>
1877	Lord Falmouth's Silvio.....	F Archer
1878	Lord Falmouth's Janette.....	F Archer
1879	Count Lagrange's Raxon D'Cr .....	J Goater
1880	Mr C Brewer's Robert the Devil ...	T Cannon
1881	Mr P Lorillard's Iroquois .....	F Archer
1882	Lord Falmouth's Dutch Oven .....	F Archer
1883	Duke of Hamilton's Ossian.....	Watts
1884	Mr R C Vyner's The Lambkin .....	Watts
1885	Lord Hastings' Melton .....	Archer
1886	Duke of Westminster's Ormonde...	Archer
1887	Lord Rodney's Kilwarlin .....	Robinson
1888	Lord Calthorpe's Seabreeze .....	Robinson
1889	Duke of Portland's Donovan .....	F Barratt
1890	Duke of Portland's Memoir.....	J Watts
1891	Sir F Johnstone's Common .....	G Barrett
1892	Baron de Hirsch's La Fleche.....	J Watts
1893	Mr H McCalmont's Isinglass.....	T Loates
1894	Lord Alington's Throstle .....	M Cannon
1895	Lord Rosebery's Sir Visto .. ..	S Loates
1896	H R H the Prince of Wales Persimmon.....	J Watts
1897	Mr Gubbin's Galtee More .....	C Wood
1898	Capt Greer's Wildfowler .....	C Wood
1899	Duke of Westminster's Flying Fox	M Cannon
1900	H R H the Prince of Wales's Diamond Jubilee...	H Jones
1901	Mr L de Rothschild's Doricles .....	K Cannon
1902	Mr R S Siever's Sceptre .....	Hardy
1903	Sir J Miller's Rocksand .....	D Maher
1904	Maj Enstace Loder's Pretty Polly	W Lane
1905	W M Singer's Challacombe.....	O Madden
1906	Duke of Westminster's Troutbeck	G Stern
1907	Col. E. W. Baird's Woolwinder ...	W. Halsey
1908	Mr. J. B. Joel's Your Majesty .....	W. Griggs
1909	Mr. Fairie's Bayardo.....	D. Maher
1910	Lord Derby's Swynford ... .	F. Wootton
1911	Capt. Pilkington's Prince Palatine	F. O'Neil

## WINNERS OF THE LIVERPOOL GRAND NATIONAL.

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<i>Year</i>	<i>Winner</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Winner</i>
1839	Lottery	1876	Regal
1840	Jerry	1877	Austerlitz
1841	Charity	1878	Shifnal
1842	Gaylad	1879	Liberator
1843	Vanguard	1880	Empress
1844	Discount	1881	Woodbrooke
1845	Cureall	1882	Seaman
1846	Pioneer	1883	Zoedone
1847	Mathew	1884	Voluptuary
1848	Chandler	1885	Roqueforte
1849	Peter Simple	1886	Old Joe*
1850	Abd-el-Kader	1887	Gamecock
1851	Abd-el-Kader	1888	Playfair
1852	Miss Mowbray	1889	Frigate
1853	Peter Simple	1890	Ilex
1854	Bourton	1891	Come Away
1855	Wanderer	1892	Father O'Flynn
1856	Free-trader	1893	Cloister
1857	Emigrant	1894	Why Not
1858	Little Charley	1895	Wild Man from Borneo
1859	Half-caste		
1860	Anatis	1896	The Soarer
1861	Jealousy	1897	Manifesto
1862	Huntsman	1898	Drogheda
1863	Emblem	1899	Manifesto
1864	Emblematic	1900	Ambush
1865	Alcibiade	1901	Grudon
1866	Salamander	1902	Shannon Lass
1867	Cortolvin	1903	Drumcree;
1868	The Lamb	1904	Moifaa
1869	The Colonel	1905	Kirkland
1870	The Colonel	1906	Ascetic Silver
1871	The Lamb	1907	Eremon
1872	Casse Tete	1908	Rubio
1873	Disturbance	1909	Lutteur III
1874	Reugny	1910	Jenkinstown
1875	Pathfinder	1911	Glenside

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## THE REMOVAL OF BARBED WIRE.

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ONE of the primary objects of the "Vade Mecum" was to take time by the forelock and prevent if possible the use of barbed wire at all; where, however, such use is recognized during the summer months, a difficulty not unfrequently arises in connection with its removal during the hunting season. With a view to facilitate this removal the author of the "Vade Mecum" has consulted the Masters of Hounds and Honorary Secretaries of many countries during the past season, and the following extract from one whose opinion is much valued, places the matter in the most concise of nutshells, and the suggestions contained therein might be well acted upon in every country where wire prevails

It may not be generally known that a wire fence with iron standards costs 1/- to 1/3 per yard, and that a good creosoted fence much the same as used by the N.E. Rly. Co., but with 4 instead of 5 rails and of the following dimensions can be had for about 1/2 per yard, and will last as long as the wire, and is a better and less dangerous fence.

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Extract from Letter.

“You will be interested to hear that we got down every bit of wire last season; not a strand was up in the hunting season. We have a man in each parish who fills up a small book with the particulars of every farm; that is all entered by me in a large book, and indexed, so that if a bit of wire were seen, I should be able to refer at once to my book, and see the reason. The system worked perfectly; I had in the first instance a meeting of all the occupiers of land, and explained the system. At the end of the season we gave a dinner to the wire agents, and thanked them.”

What can be done in one country by an energetic Master or Secretary gifted with powers of organization, can be carried out equally successfully elsewhere, and this system is confidently recommended where wire already exists.

The dangerous nature of barbed wire has already been commented on; in addition we have had almost daily proof, during the hot summer, of the serious loss to flocks during thunderstorms; frequent deaths among both horses, cattle, and sheep having been caused by wire fencing attracting the lightning, near which they were sheltering. Death, too, has frequently resulted from animals swallowing broken strands of wire.

## HEDGE - CUTTING COMPETITIONS.

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THESE competitions are becoming more general, and are a permanent means of doing away with barbed wire. The care of hedges, to a certain extent, at any rate, seems to have grown lax in many parts of England in recent years, with the result that they have got into a bad state, many of them being allowed to grow wild, run to an immense height, cover many yards of land, get thin at the bottom, and become full of holes. The object of these competitions is to revive the almost lost art of laying fences, and to stimulate by prizes and example the pride that occupiers once took in the care of their fences. There is no doubt whatever that the indiscriminate use of barbed wire is a premium on bad fencing, and that these competitions not only benefit the hunting man, by getting many of these high fences lowered, thereby allowing him to see hounds beyond them, but also the landlord and the tenant, the former by having the fences on his estate greatly improved, and the latter by gaining many yards of land, and

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when hounds are on his farm, doing away with the necessity the field find of galloping along them to discover gates and see which way hounds have gone. One instance has come under our notice, where substantial prizes were offered in four classes. There were 33 entries, and  $9\frac{3}{4}$  miles of fences were laid and plashed or interwoven, while the year previous in the same country  $10\frac{7}{8}$  miles offences were cut and laid, and the banks and ditches cleared of rubbish. The good done in this particular locality is most marked, and is a real benefit to the landed interest, to the labourer, and certainly to fox hunting. If these competitions become far more numerous than they have been (though they have been tried with great success in many countries), the use of barbed wire would become more rare, instead of gradually increasing, as it has done in so many districts. Of course these competitions cost money, and necessitate trouble in arranging, but they are cheaper and afford less trouble in the long run than getting wire down, and, besides, foster a pleasant feeling between the Hunt and the occupiers of the land. On the day when the judging takes place, hunting-men may be seen walking round and congratulating the farmers, who feel pleased that interest is taken in their work, and pride in what they have done, which always puts a man in the best of tempers; whereas, when a farmer is asked to take his wire down, there is a certain amount of trouble involved,

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and though many, nay, most of them, are very good indeed about doing this, and, indeed, anything for sport, yet if it wasn't for hunting it might stay up and be ready for the following year; and even if the Hunt offers to take it down and put it up again, it sometimes happens that the putting of it up is forgotten, which causes an annoyance. Then, again, the taking down, putting up and seeing after wire, season after season, is a never-ending, wearisome work that must be done, and as often as not the work grows year by year, instead of diminishing, whereas a Hedge-Cutting Competition is pleasant, and may be made an excuse for the meeting of a large number of hunting men and farmers, where pleasant words and greetings are exchanged and much good done in more ways than one.

The proprietors of the Hunt Vade Mecum will be very glad to send Hunt Secretaries or others desiring to start a Hedge-Cutting Competition in their country, rules, conditions and particulars, which might act as a guide and be of use in helping them to start such competitions

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## SUGGESTIONS WHERE THOROUGHBRED OR CART SIRE IS KEPT FOR USE OF TENANT FARMERS.

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IN order to encourage the breeding of good sound young horses, Masters of Hounds and supporters of foxhunting in many districts, place at the disposal of the puppy walkers the services of a thoroughbred or cart horse stallion free of charge.

In such cases it is suggested that it be a condition precedent that the applicant for a nomination has no barbed wire, endangering horse or hound, in his fences.

It is further suggested that this c'ause be inserted by all donors of special hunting prizes at the Agricultural Shows, and by the committee of *bonâ fide* hunters' races at Hunt Meetings.

The reason for these suggestions is obvious. No prize for hunters at an Agricultural Show should be awarded to any person endeavouring to prevent their utility, and similarly in the case of Point-to-Point or Hunters' races of any kind.

These hints have commended themselves to every tenant farmer to whom they have been mentioned.

## SUGGESTIONS FOR A FORAGE LIST

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EVERY member or supporter of a hunt should, if possible, purchase the forage, etc., required for his horses from tenant farmers residing within the limits of the hunt.

With a view to carrying out this simple provision, tenant farmers in the hunt are requested to forward to the Hon. Sec. of the Hunt from time to time a list of the articles of forage, etc., for sale by them, stating accurately the lowest price, and whether to be delivered free or not.

Good old short oats, well won old land hay, wheat straw, carrots, old beans, etc., are mostly enquired for. Young hunters are best seen when out with hounds, and attention can then be called to them; they should, however, be kept wide of the pack. Members of the hunt in want of forage, etc., should communicate with the Hon. Sec., who would forward their requirements to any sellers on the list. No charge of any sort will be made in connection with this matter.

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