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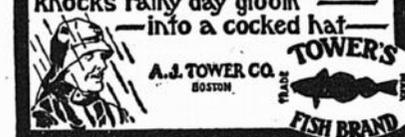


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Under this head legal questions of general interest will be answered. No charge is made for this service. Questions must be addressed to Vince A. Day, care of Nonpartisan Leader, Box 2072, Minneapolis, and must reach this office at least three weeks in advance of the date in which the answer is to appear. If an answer by mail is required a fee of \$1 will be charged. Persons asking questions must sign their full names, but only initials will be used when the answers are printed.

## TENANT'S RIGHTS

1. Can the landlord be held for damages if he refuses to allow the threshing machine to cross a neighbor's field, thereby preventing the tenant from threshing? 2. Can the landlord hold the tenant for what plowing they can not get done this fall? 3. Can the tenant hold the landlord if it rains and the wheat loses its weight during the time the landlord prevents the tenant from threshing?—A READER.

1. Yes. 2. That depends on the nature of the contract. I can not advise without seeing the contract. 3. Yes.

## EFFECT OF MORTGAGE

In the fall of 1919 I mortgaged my share of the estate left me by my father, valued at about \$3,000, my horses, cattle and hogs, in order to settle my outstanding debts. In 1920 it was so wet that my crop did not make enough for feed for my stock, and as I had the flu in March I was unable to do heavy work to help meet any of these debts. The men who held these mortgages say that they are going to take all my stuff and land for the mortgages which they hold. Can they take all the property that their mortgages cover and leave me destitute without anything?—E. P. M.

They can take all the property covered by your mortgages, and your only right is that of redemption. If you have mortgaged all your property you would not be entitled to any exemption as against the owners of the mortgage. If your debts are greatly in excess of your property value I would recommend that you file a petition in bankruptcy.

## CONTRACT WITH MINOR

1. Must all contracts be understood by both parties to be legal and valid? 2. Is a contract made with a minor legal and can it be enforced if the minor should refuse to live up to it? 3. Is there any punishment for taking the teachers' examination in Minnesota while under the age of 18 years? 4. A signs a contract. He puts down his age as being above legal. He does not understand what is in the contract until after signing. Afterwards he refuses to live up to it, telling B that he is a minor. If A can prove he is a minor, can B force him to comply with the conditions of the contract?—B. E. E.

1. Yes, there must be a mutual agreement and understanding of the parties in order to make a contract. It is the duty of each party, however, to read the contract and, generally speaking, if a person signs a written contract without reading it, and with-

out any fraud on the part of the other party, he would be bound by contract. 2. No. Contracts of minors may be avoided, because it is the object of the law to protect them from dangers peculiar to minors. It is considered that this object of the law is fully attained by leaving it to the minor to decide, when he is of age, whether or not he will be bound. Some of the contracts of a minor, however, are binding, such as contracts for necessities, or contracts to do what he was legally bound to do. 3. No. 4. No, unless the contract was for necessities or a contract made in order to do what he was legally bound to do. The most important contracts that a minor can not avoid are those for the support of himself or his wife and children.

## TENANT MUST MOVE

Kindly inform me as to the rights and duties of the land owner and of the tenant when the land is rented subject to sale and likely to be sold.—INQUIRER.

The rights of the tenant in the land terminate on the sale of the land and he must surrender possession.

## ATTACHING WAGES

My brother had me back him on a plain note. I signed same for \$200. I can not pay this as I am keeping the family in groceries. Can the bank attach my monthly wages and to what amount?—G. S.

Your wages are exempt to an amount not exceeding \$35 for services rendered another during 30 days preceding the attachment. You might assign your wages to some of your creditors who are furnishing you supplies for the support of the family, to secure the payment of your accounts, and in this way prevent the bank attaching your wages.

## DEEDING TO WIFE

1. Can a man keep his property from his creditors by deeding it to his wife? 2. What amount of property is exempt in the state of Montana? 3. What would be the legal amount a lawyer can charge for putting one through bankruptcy in the same state?—M. M. W.

1. No, because if you made such a transfer your creditors could have it set aside on the ground that it was made for the purpose of defrauding them. You can transfer your property to your wife when you are not in debt and such a transfer would protect her property from your future indebtedness. 2. This information was given in the Leader of September 19, 1921. 3. It depends upon the agreement you make with the lawyer. The usual charge for an ordinary bankruptcy case is about \$100.

## PATENTS

I have invented an improved fruit jar. Must I also invent a lid for it or can I use any of the style lids that are in use, the lid having to be made a different size? 2. Is there any way of dealing direct with the government patent office without having to employ a lawyer?—MRS. M. F. H.

1. You can not use such lids without permission of the owners of the patent, if they are patented and the patents not run out, but you should have no trouble in securing such permission or making some arrangement for their use because of your improvement in the jar; or you can secure a patent for a lid of your own by making changes and improvements in the old lid. 2. Yes, you may deal with the department without the services of an attorney but I would advise you to secure an attorney. It is a technical proceeding and your rights will be better protected by retaining a patent attorney.

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