have a chance. If you can work for work's sake, if you can face the thought of harder work than you have ever experienced before, coupled with, at times, inadequate financial return, yet rejoice in the struggle for supremacy, you have many of the qualities needed to be a successful farmer.

"To watch the corn grow and the blossoms set; to draw hard breath over ploughshare or spade; to read, to think, to love, to hope, to toil—these are the things which make men happy." Thus wrote John Ruskin, and if you can honestly agree, then follow the call of the land. But if you hanker after the more material things of life, consider your position and yourself very deeply before taking the plunge.

To the man who hears it, the call of the land is subtle magic—to the man insensible to it, a life such as a farmer must lead can be a veritable hell on earth. What is it to be? Only you can make the decision—do not take it lightly.

GO TO THE TOP OF THE CLASS!

1. You have two minutes in which to catch a train two miles away. If you go the first mile at the rate of thirty miles per hour, at what rate must you travel the second mile in order to catch the train?

2. Two fathers and two sons each shot a duck, and none of them shot the same duck. Only three ducks were shot. Why?

3. A rope ladder ten feet long is hanging over the side of a ship. The rungs are a foot apart, and the bottom rung is resting on the surface of the ocean. The tide rises at the rate of six inches an hour. When will the first three rungs be covered with water?

4. If three cats can kill three rats in three minutes, how long will it take 100 cats to kill 100 rats?

5. Is it legal for a man to marry his widow's sister?

6. What is the smallest number of ducks that could swim in this formation: two ducks in front of a duck, two ducks behind a duck, and a duck between two ducks?

7. A monkey is at the bottom of a thirty foot well. Each day he jumps up three feet and slips back two. At that rate when will the monkey reach the top of the well?

8. Take two apples from three apples and what have you got?

9. The archaeologist who said he found a silver coin marked 649 B.C. was either lying or kidding. Why?

10. A boat will carry only 200 pounds. How may a man weighing 200 pounds and his two sons, each of whom weighs 100 pounds, use it to cross a river?

(Answers on Back Cover)