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Previl, Gaspé Co., Que., Oct. 23.—(Special).—That she might have escaped two years and seven months of suffering had she tried Dodd's Kidney Pills in the first place, is the firm conviction of Mrs. John McRea, an old and respected resident of this place. And this is the reason she gives for believing so:

"For two years and seven months I was a sufferer from Kidney Disease, brought on by a strain and a cold. My eyes were puffed and swollen, my muscles cramped, and I suffered from neuralgia and Rheumatism. My back ached, and I had pains in my joints.

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

PERENNIAL SOW THISTLE.

Could you tell me the name of the enclosed weed. I found a small patch in one field when cutting the oats. This is the first I have ever seen of it. J. N.

Ans.—The enclosed weed is the root and a rosette of leaves of the perennial sow thistle (*Sonchus arvensis*). This is one of the worst weeds in Canada. If left to grow, it will produce stems from 1 to 5 feet high, and the flowers are bright yellow, 1½ inches across, borne in corymbs. They close in strong sunlight. It seeds profusely, and the seeds are distributed by the wind. It also spreads rapidly by the vigorous running rootstocks. Wherever it becomes established, it will smother out the cultivated crops almost completely. It must be fought with determination to prevent its seeding and to kill the rootstocks. Small patches may be eradicated by digging out the roots and destroying them. This may have to be done several times during a season. It requires system to eradicate it where it is present over larger areas. Special treatment for a season is necessary, and it must be closely watched for a number of years. Summer-fallowing, with the frequent use of the broad-shared cultivator, is good practice. A good method is to plow lightly after harvest, and follow this with the frequent use of the broad-shared cultivator. Later in the fall plow a little deeper. In the spring give frequent cultivation so as to prevent the weed making any growth and to weaken it. About the middle of June or July first sow rape in drills at the rate of 1 to 1½ lbs. per acre. Cultivate at short intervals until the rape completely covers the ground. This will usually exterminate the pest. After the rape is pastured off the field can be plowed and put into a hoed crop the next season if any small patches of the weed remain. This insures a thorough job.

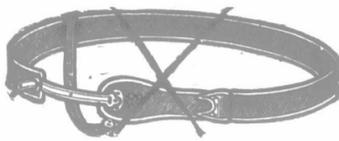
VENTILATING BASEMENT.

1. What would it cost to install the Rutherford system of ventilation in basement of barn, 42x100?
2. Some place tile in each of the four walls a few inches from the top. What is your opinion regarding the system?
T. L.

Ans.—1. This depends on the number and size of the inlets and outlets installed, upon the arrangement of the stables in the basement, and upon the number of cattle, horses and other stock housed. The total cross section area of the intake should allow 15 square inches per head of cattle or horses kept in the building, or about 1 square foot for each 10 head. The outlet should, according to J. H. Grisdale, who has experimented considerably with this and other systems, have double the capacity of the intake; that is, 30 square inches. The intake openings should be distributed in such a way as to permit of air entering from as many sides as possible. No openings should, however, be less than 4 inches wide and 10 inches long. Outlets should never be less than 18 inches across. A large outlet about three feet square near the center of the stable and extending up to a little above the peak of the roof would be the main item of cost. Two 26 in. x 26 in. outlets might be used, but one three-foot outlet would do. If placed in the wall at time of building the intakes would cost but little. If holes in an old wall had to be made for them the cost would be somewhat greater. Outlet shafts should be double-boarded with an air space between, or if single-boarded matched lumber must be used. Knowing the height of the outlet you can easily figure the cost of lumber required to put it in. For a 40-foot outlet about 500 feet of matched lumber would be required for a 3-foot single-boarded flue. If double-boarded nearly 1,000 feet of rough lumber would be necessary. The entire cost, labor included, should not exceed one hundred dollars, and it might be done for much less.

2. The, as suggested in the question, are not the best means of ventilation. They cause drafts and a poor circulation of air usually results, the foul air not being driven out as well as where flues are constructed to the roof.

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