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Ans.-Your heifer is affected with rheumatism. If not near calving, give her Epsom salts, one pound; common salt, half teacupful; ginger, two tablespoonfuls. dissolve in a quart of hot water, and give as a drench when cooled. Drench slowly, letting the head down at once if coughing starts. Give in the feed: One dram of salol, morning and night for one week.

ITCHINESS PROBABLY DUE TO LICE.

I have a cow that is not thriving well. She is very itchy, and the hair is falling off. There is a thick, yellow scale comes off with the hair. The hide is nice and clean, and, apparently, healthy under the hair. What is it, and the cause, and also give a remedy?

Ans.—To give the proverbial Irishman's answer, by asking another questionwhere do you keep your hens? Have you examined the cow for lice? A useful application is coal oil, one part; melted lard, two parts; applied to the parts affected. Some of the sheep-dip solutions advertised in our columns are useful and cleaner to handle than the oil-lard preparation. Creolin, one part to twenty parts water, is also satisfactory. If due to a parasite, no cure can be expected until such are destroyed.

Miscellaneous.

CHOPPED VERSUS WHOLE OATS.

Does it pay to chop oats for calves, yearlings and cows, or horses? Please answer in next issue.

Ans.-It depends on the price you have to pay for the grinding, and the time it takes to go to and from the mill. You will find advocates for both ground and unground grain. Animals, whose time is worth little, such as the younger ruminants, can be fed whole oats. Horses with sound teeth do better, as a rule, with whole oats. For heavyproducing cows feed ground oats.

RAPE FOR HORSES.

Is rape good for horse feed, either cut and fed in stable or let horses run loose on the patch? I want to sow some rape, and may not be able to fence this spring, and I always let my horses run for one or two hours at night, and want to know would rape be apt to hurt them? G. H. R.

Ans.-Rape is not a suitable food for either horses or milking cows, so would not advise its use in such cases. If you wish a green food for such animals would recommend you to sow peas and oats mixed.

WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT RAPE.

1. How much rape per acre is usually sown, and where can the seed be obtained?

2. Do you think that rape will do in Alberta?

3. What is the best and earliest product to feed pigs? I am paying \$25 per ton for shorts; 50c. for third-class barley, and would like to grow something that would come in early. Several from the States have advised rape. Nanton.

Ans.-1. If broadcast, four pounds per acre; in rows, twenty-two inches apart, less than four pounds will do. Some recommend as low as two pounds per

2. Yes, undoubtedly. 3. Rape: Prof. Grisdale, Agriculturist, C. E. F., Ottawa, says: "An acre of good land sown to rape and handled carefully may be expected to carry 25 to 40 pigs from June 15th until October. To get the best results, the field should be divided into three or four equal parts, and the pigs changed to a fresh part every ten days." It is the cheapest food you can get to grow pigs on. Watch our columns for article on rape.

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