

CORRESPONDENCE.

No letters can be answered in the ensuing number which are received later than the third Saturday in the Month. Letters to be addressed to V. B. HALL, Post Office, Hamilton. Private residence Mountain View Cottage, Township of Barton, Hamilton.

J. E. H.—The seeds you sent are the right sort and of excellent quality.

T. F.—Keep a rag continually wet with linseed oil (raw) applied on the place until well, you cannot find a quicker and better remedy. The rag should not be allowed to get dry.

P. B.—The common field sorrel answereth the purpose better than any thing I know. The way of using it is thus: take about 2 handfuls of the leaves and stalks, pour upon them boiling water, the same as you would make tea, then strain off and turn out the leaves and stalks, boil the liquor and pour it on some more leaves and stalks and so on three times or more until the decoction is well concentrated; the dose would be half a cupful twice a day.

J. W.—I have got herbs for smoking purposes adapted to consumptive and asthmatical constitutions, and very beneficial for any diseases of the breast and lungs. I would recommend you to try some.

A. G.—Get sorrel 2 handfuls, pot marigold 2 handfuls, and boil them together in 3 pints of water for 1 hour, then strain it off and stir in while hot a $\frac{1}{2}$ ounce of gum arabic, and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. of honey, bottle it off for use; take a cupful every morning.

D. W. C.—Write again when you arrive and settle.

F. W.—Send \$1.00 by post and you shall receive them, mail free, through the year.

O.—You can send me some if you like, or bring them with you.

R, R.—Yes, tell him to any part of Canada free.

B.—After a shower and in cloudy weather.