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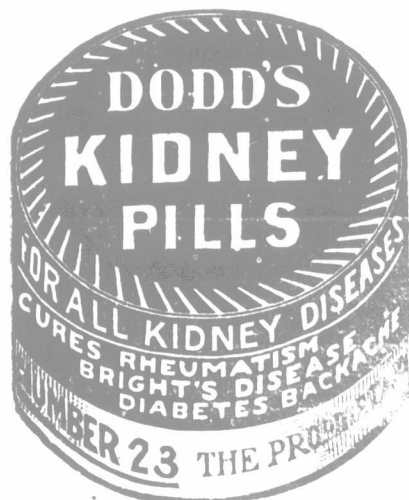
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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS. Miscellaneous.

GATE PATENT.

As I have a new kind of a farm-gate, not in material, but in workmanship, how could I find out if any such gate has been patented or used? If I would send a sketch to an attorney he might do me out of it.

B. W. J.

Ans.—Employ a solicitor of patents. There are several law firms in Ontario who make a specialty of such applications, and of patent laws. Preferably, one of these should be retained in the matter. If you write to Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, Ottawa, who is at the head of the Patent Department, mentioning "The Farmer's Advocate," you can obtain a copy of the Patent Act of Canada, which will give full directions.

CEMENT FOR WALLS AND FLOOR—SIZE OF SILO.

I am intending to put a basement under my barn, and would be pleased to get some information.

1. How many barrels of Portland cement, and how many cords of gravel and of stone would it take for walls, barn 36 x 56 feet, wall 9½ feet high, 12 inches thick, approach 16 x 16 feet, back wall 18 inches thick, side walls 10 inches and cover, about 8 doors and 15 windows out?
2. How much stone can be used instead of gravel, as I have a lot on hand?
3. How much reinforcing steel, and what kind would be needed for walls? Would not five railroad rails be sufficient for approach cover?
4. How many barrels of cement, and how many cords of gravel would be needed for first-class floor for all?
5. What is the best way to securely anchor barn to wall?
6. How is the best way to properly ventilate basement?
7. What size and shape windows are best, double sash hinged in center, or one piece?
8. What is the best size of silo to build to feed 15 to 20 head of cattle average feeding, and have some left for summer feeding? Is a 14-ft. silo better than a 12-ft. in many ways? INQUIRER.

Ans.—1. Mixing the cement 1 to 8 of gravel, it would require about 22 cords of gravel and stone, and about 85 barrels of cement for the entire wall and approach cover.

2. Stones can be used in any quantity in the wall, provided they do not come closer than two inches to the outside or inside, and are well surrounded by cement.
3. A little steel might be used to good advantage. Very little would be required in a wall built well. Five railroad rails should make a good support for the approach cover.
4. About 30 barrels of cement, and between eight and nine cords of gravel.
5. Few barns are anchored to the wall. Long bolts through the sills and into the cement would be a good idea.
6. The Rutherford or King system, or a combination of the two, is good. Fresh air can be taken in through the wall near the floor, and carried out through ventilators in the roof. The outlets are usually situated near the center of the building and should be built of boards doubled and matched.
7. The size must be determined by the number put in. Be sure and have enough to insure plenty of light. The hinged sash is handy, and makes a good window. The other style of window gives good results under certain conditions.
8. For twenty head of cattle, allowing 40 lbs. per day for five months and 20 lbs. per day for 2½ months summer feeding, would require a silo 12 feet in diameter and from 30 to 33 feet in height. If silo is built 14 feet in diameter, it would only need to be 25 feet high, and if built 16 feet in diameter it would need to be 19 feet in height. Twelve feet seems to be a good size for this number of cattle. To avoid too much loss from spoiling, it is necessary that a bottom depth of silage be removed daily, and for your number of cattle, 12 feet is the better diameter, because it gives better height. If you can estimate keeping a cow or cattle, build a 14 feet wide, and the silo will be right for the feed of cattle.

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