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## IMPROVED LINIMENT.

The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same.

*To all whom it may concern :*

Be it known that I, EPHRAIM C. EVENS, of Forest Hill, in the county of Decatur, and State of Indiana, have invented an Improved Liniment for Wounds, Sores, Sprains, &c.; and I do hereby declare that the following is a full, clear, and exact description thereof.

This invention or discovery relates to a compound for a liniment, to be used for the healing of sores, bruises, sprains, &c.; and

It consists in such a remedy, composed of the following named ingredients, and in substantially the proportions hereinafter named.

In preparing this liniment, equal parts of the following ingredients are to be used, namely:

- One part, by weight, of rock-oil;
- One part, by weight, of Seneca oil;
- One part, by weight, of oil of spike;
- One part, by weight, of spirits of turpentine;
- One part, by weight, of alcohol;
- One part, by weight, of cedar-oil;
- One part, by weight, of hartshorn.

The whole to be placed in some suitable vessel, and thoroughly mixed by agitating them within such vessel, after which the contents are ready for use.

This liniment will be found to be very efficacious in removing pain caused by bruises of the flesh, sprains, and sores of various kinds, and may be applied with the hand, or with a piece of cloth, or with a soft brush, or a cloth may be saturated with it and bound upon the diseased part.

Having thus described my invention,

What I claim, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

A liniment, composed of the within-described ingredients, and substantially in the proportions specified.

In testimony whereof, I have signed my name to this specification, in the presence of two subscribing witnesses.

E. C. EVENS.

Witnesses:

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