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IMPROVEMENT IN MEDICINES OR POWDERS FOR HORSES, &c.

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 JOHN NORCROSS, of West Newton, in the county of Westmoreland and State of Pennsylvania, have invented certain Improvements in Medicines for Veterinary Purposes, of which the following is a specification.

My invention consists in compounding certain well-known articles in novel proportions, by which a new and useful medicine is produced in the form of powders for veterinary purposes. These articles or ingredients are sulphur, antimony, and niter, which are compounded in the following proportions:

First, sulphur, nine drams.

Second, antimony, four drams.

Third, niter, six drams.

These ingredients are thoroughly ground together until they form a fine powder, which is then bottled

for use. The object in bottling is to preserve their strength by keeping them free from exposure to atmospheric influences.

The powders thus produced I call blood and fever powders for horses, cattle, &c. They will be found very useful in curing all cutaneous diseases, loss of appetite, distemper, colds, ring-worm, scratches, cuts, swelled legs, &c.

Having thus described my invention,

What I claim is—

The medical powders for veterinary purposes, composed of the ingredients herein described, and compounded in the proportions and manner set forth.

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