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HOG-CHOLERA REMEDY.

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To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, DAVID T. COOPER, of the town of Plainfield, county of Hendricks, and State of Indiana, have invented a certain
5 new and Improved Hog-Cholera Remedy, of which the following is a specification.

The object of my said invention is to produce a new medicine for the treatment of hogs afflicted with the disease known as "hog-
10 cholera;" and it consists of the compound or mixture hereinafter specified, to wit: sulphur, eight parts; soda, eight parts; madder, eight parts; saltpeter, four parts; black antimony, four parts; gum-camphor, two parts; capsicum, two parts; calomel, one or two parts;
15 total, thirty-seven or thirty-eight parts.

The proportions may be varied somewhat; but the above formula should be substantially followed.

20 This medicine, in severe cases, should be given in doses of one table-spoonful twice each day. If the animal is too sick to eat, the medicine should be dissolved and administered in a liquid form, and I have found warm milk to
25 be one of the best liquids for this purpose. In mild cases the frequency of the doses should

be decreased, and, as a preventive of disease, two doses per week will be found sufficient.

I am aware that the ingredients which I employ have been used in compounding other
30 remedies, and that as many as five of them have been used in a single remedy. I am not aware, however, that a compound of the character described or so nearly approaching it as to be substantially the same in operation or
35 results has ever heretofore been produced.

Having thus fully described my said invention, what I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

A medicine for the relief or prevention of
40 hog-cholera, composed of sulphur, soda, madder, saltpeter, black antimony, gum-camphor, capsicum, and calomel, in substantially the proportions specified.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
45 hand and seal, at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 14th day of April, A. D. 1883.

DAVID T. COOPER. [L. S.]

In presence of—

C. BRADFORD,
E. W. BRADFORD.