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IMPROVEMENT IN MEDICAL COMPOUNDS FOR HORSES, &c.

Specification forming part of Letters Patent No. 134,721, dated January 14, 1873.

To all whom it may concern:

Be it known that I, JAMES ANDREWS, of Hardin county, Ohio, have invented a certain Compound for Cure of Lameness in the Coffin-Joint of Horses, of which the following is a specification:

The nature of the invention consists in mixing one-half pint best lubricating oil, one-half pint spirits turpentine, one ounce carbonate ammonia, one and one-fourth ounce gum camphor, three-fourths of an ounce gum myrrh, one-half ounce gum guaiacum, one-half dram cayenne pepper, one-half dram oil anise, one pint whisky, all to be mixed and to stand ten days.

Mode of application: About one tea-spoonful to be poured into the hollow of the ankle, immediately behind the coffin-joint, so as to penetrate that joint; also a small quantity to

be applied to the front of the foot immediately above the hoof, just in the edge of the hair.

Manner of Shoeing the Horse.

An ordinary shoe with a toe extending around on the front of the shoe two inches, and beat down flat, to the height of three-eighths of an inch, and the corks on the shoes to be of the same height; these shoes to be used on both front feet.

I claim as my invention—

The combination of the articles enumerated, in the proportions and for the purposes set forth.

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Executed in presence of—

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