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## IMPROVEMENT IN MEDICAL COMPOUNDS FOR CURE OF RHEUMATISM.

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

*To all whom it concerns:*

Be it known that I, ANDREW J. JENKINS, of Virginia City, county of Storey, State of Nevada, have invented a new Medical Compound for the Cure of Rheumatism and other similar complaints; and I do hereby declare that the following is a correct statement of the names of the ingredients, and the quantities of each, which I use in its preparation, together with directions for mixing, compounding, and using the same.

I call my medical compound the King of Rheumatism.

To make my medical compound I use, of wine of colchicum, two (2) ounces; sirup of raspberry, one and one-half ( $1\frac{1}{2}$ ) ounce; iodide of potassium, one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) ounce; morphine, eight (8) grains.

These ingredients are mixed together in the proportions specified, and a decoction made as follows added to it, to wit:

I take pieces or a part of the caster-wart from the inside of the leg of a horse, about the size of a filbert,

and place it in water. This is then boiled down until a strong decoction results.

Of this decoction I take one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) dram and add to it British oil, one-half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) dram. This is then added to the former compound, and the mixture placed in bottles for use.

A teaspoonful of this medicine should be taken internally three times a day in a tumbler of water.

Although simple in its combination, the medicine has been found to be very effective in the cure of rheumatism and similar affections.

Having thus described my invention,

What I claim is—

The medicine above described, composed of the ingredients enumerated in about the proportions specified, mixed and compounded as above set forth.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal.

Witnesses: ANDREW J. JENKINS. [L. S.]

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