

EXPLANATION OF PLATE III.

FOOT OF THE HORSE.

This cut represents the foot of a horse sawed from above the fetlock down through the centre of the foot, showing the structure of the foot, and giving the names of each part according to number.

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| 1. Lower end of large metacarpal, or shin bone. | portant for when it is diseased it is the seat of a low-down ringbone. |
| 2. Bursa, which secretes the joint oil that lubricates the place where the tendon, or cord, on the front of the leg passes down over the front of the fetlock joint. This is important as it sometimes gets injured and becomes enlarged, it is then called a puffy or bursal enlargement, and is of the same nature as a wind gall. | 7. Wall of the hoof. |
| 3. Fetlock joint. | 8. Quick of the foot, or sensitive wall. |
| 4. Large pastern bone. | 9. Quick of the foot, or sensitive sole. |
| 5. Pastern joint. This joint is important, for when diseased it is the seat of a high-up ringbone. | 10. Os Pedis, or foot bone. |
| 6. Coffin joint. This joint is im- | 11. Coffin, or navicular bone. This is important for when diseased it is the seat of coffin joint lameness. |
| | 12. Fatty Frog. |
| | 13. Frog of the foot, or horny frog. |
| | 14. Back tendons below fetlock. |
| | 15. Fetlock bones (2 in number) one on each side of the joint. |
| | 16. Skin. |
| | 17. Back tendons above fetlock. |

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Every place where Tablespoonful is mentioned in this book should read: SMALL, or DESERT TABLESPOONFUL, which is equal to two Teaspoonfuls.