

to bed, and keep the air of the apartment moist by the evaporation of boiling water, allow only a spare diet and administer an emetic; the following is a most certain one in Croup: Alum, three drachms; Syrup, one ounce; mix together, and give half immediately, and the remainder in fifteen minutes, unless vomiting be produced, and what is of the greatest importance, rub the chest well with the Pain King.

Asthma or Difficult Breathing.—Is immediately relieved by taking a tea-spoonful of Pain King in sweet water, keeping the bowels open by Bartee's Pills, and bathing the throat and stomach with Pain King, and also laying a piece of cloth wet with the medicine upon the throat, leaving it there for a short time.

Tic Doloieux, Neuralgia, Nerve Pain.—The pain of this most painful disease is periodical or intermittent, for it does not always observe fixed periods. The intimate condition of a nerve in a state of pain is known to be that of inflammation, that is, the blood vessels of the substance of the nerve and of its sheath are relaxed, gorged, and pressing upon the sentient matter of which the nerve is composed, exciting its sensitiveness to the amount of pain. Thus, it will be seen that any medicine that will allay the inflammation and cause the blood to run in cool and free currents, so as not to press upon the sentient (or feeling) matter, will cure; to do this, you must purify the blood by relieving the bowels well, by Bartee's Pills, and keeping them free, and give a tea-spoonful of Pain King three times a day, and also rub it well into the painful parts. This has always the most remarkable effect in freeing the patient of this extremely painful complaint.

Sprains and Stiff Joints.—Both of these complaints proceed from the same cause, the violent extension or stretching of the bands or ligaments. This extension causes them to become weak and feeble, so that every movement causes pain, and this often—if not relieved—continues for a long time. An immediate application of Pain King will stop in ten minutes the most severe and excruciating pain, and will in three days cure the most badly sprained limb. Rub the Pain King well in (and when possible, before applying the Pain King, pump cold water upon the place) and place a cloth wet with the medicine upon the painful part, keeping it there as long as you can.

Burns and Scalds.—In the treatment of these, the first object is to relieve the pain, and the best local application, when the burn is broken, is to cover the place with cotton wool dipped in a mixture made of about one table-spoonful of Pain King and four table-spoonfuls of sweet oil, and cover up with cotton wool, also