

Directions for Use

The Peerless Carbolite is applied by means of a brush in the way ordinary painting is done; but attention must be drawn to the fact that the brushes used should be bound with wire or an iron ring.

Application
and kind of
Brush

Carbolite should be well stirred and made hot before use; when hot it is more limpid, therefore easier to apply, and will penetrate better into the wood. Green wood especially should always be treated with hot Carbolite. **No pressure of any kind is required in the application**, as on account of the properties of the Carbolite a natural and perfect impregnation takes place, even through the simple method of painting or brushing with the Carbolite.

To be used
hot

Great care should be taken to treat the "cross cuts" of the wood with as much Carbolite as they will take up; this is done either with the brush or by soaking. The cross cuts are the surfaces where the capillary channels commence or end, and where the wood is most exposed to destruction by atmospheric influences or by low organisms. Hence in any framework, all mortices, tenons, dovetails, etc., should be well prepared before putting together.

Cross Cuts

All poles, beams, or boards, which go partly or wholly underground, should be brushed or soaked twice with Carbolite. The second coat or soaking should be given after the first one has well penetrated and dried. With beams, boards, or poles, partly underground the decay always commences from about **One foot below to about one foot above the surface of the ground**; and

Timber in
ground