

judicious application of bandages. Farriers, generally, are in the habit of pursuing such absurd, cruel, and fatal practices in these cases, either by cutting off a part that appears to be partly torn from its connection, or by using stimulating applications, that it becomes necessary to repeat again, that all the rules laid down for the treatment of wounds in this work as applicable to man are equally applicable to the noble animal of which we are speaking. Read over these rules. Substitute the word "horse" for "patient," and you will be at no loss how to proceed.

BLEEDING IN GENERAL.

Bleeding is often the most useful and efficacious means of curing diseases in horses, &c. In inflammatory affections, it is generally the first remedy resorted to, and its immediate salutary effects are often surprising.

When it is necessary to lessen the whole quantity of blood in the system, open the jugular or neck vein. If the inflammation is local, bleed where it can be conveniently done, either from the part