

BRUISES, SORES, ETC.—The way I manage bad sores much swollen and inflamed is, I first wash them in Pain Killer clear, to take out the inflammation, and often put the Pain Killer into the sore to cleanse it; then fill up the sore with finely powdered rosin, and cover it with a salve made of beeswax, rosin and sweet oil; make it about the thickness of cream, and spread the salve on some thin cloth; lay it all over the sore to keep the poultice from getting into the sore; take equal parts of sage, willow and indigo root, make a strong decoction, strain it off, and thicken it with equal parts of finely ground slippery elm and powdered cracker; the poultice made in this way should be large enough to cover the whole inflamed part. If the inflammation runs high, bathe and poultice as above once in three hours, until it abates and the swelling goes down; then cure up the sore by dusting on rosin, and laying on a salve as above. In this way I have had good success in curing sores on myself and many others.

Fishermen, so often exposed to hurts by having their skin pierced with hooks and fins of fish, can be much relieved by bathing with a little of the Pain Killer as soon as the accident occurs; in this way the anguish is soon abated. Bathe as often as once in five minutes, say 3 or 4 times, and you will seldom have any further trouble.

The bites and scratches of dogs and cats are soon cured by bathing with the Pain Killer clear. Great success has been realized by applying this medicine as soon as the accident occurs. Persons badly bruised may find relief by taking a teaspoonful in sugar and water, and bathing in this medicine clear. I used at one time, on a person who had been badly bruised by a horse running away with him, more than two ounces at the first bathing; it took out the bruises beyond all calculation. Dr. Sweet says it takes out the soreness in cases of bone setting faster than anything he ever applied.

SEVERE BURNS.—Dress the sores with Pain Killer and cream if convenient; if not, make a salve of sweet oil, beeswax and rosin, about equal parts, and dress often, bathing with the Pain Killer; this will keep out all humors and proud flesh. Should you take cold, and inflammation set in, pour on the Pain Killer clear; it will make it smart for a few minutes, then the smart and inflammation will go off together. In cases of slight burns, apply the Pain Killer immediately, pouring it on clear, and repeating the application often, and it will almost invariably prevent blistering.